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At the hour of 11:13 o'clock a.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Bradley replaced Representative Lang in the Committee on Rules (B) on November 7, 2011.

REPORTS FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on November 7, 2011, (B) reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES APPROVED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION:

That the Floor Amendment be reported "recommends be adopted": Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 2408.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Executive: HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 1 to SENATE BILL 1750 and HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1992.

Revenue & Finance: HOUSE RESOLUTION 608; HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 1 to SENATE BILL 1297.

Veterans' Affairs: HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 4 to SENATE BILL 40.

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

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

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

Y Bradley(D) (replacing Lang) A Leitch(R)

Y Mautino(D)

At the hour of 11:14 o'clock a.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Lyons in the chair.

Prayer by Wayne Padget, the Assistant Doorkeeper.

Representative Smith 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: 113 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representatives Howard, Mathias, McGuire and Rose were excused from attendance.

The membership of the House was temporarily reduced to 117 as a result of the vacancy created by the resignation of Representative Holbrook on October 25, 2011.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Bost replaced Representative Schmitz in the Committee on Rules on November 8, 2011.

Representative Osmond replaced Representative Leitch in the Committee on Rules (A) on November 8, 2011.

Representative Currie replaced Representative Lyons in the Committee on Executive on November 8, 2011.

REPORTS FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Elementary & Secondary Education: HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1226. Revenue & Finance: HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 2 to SENATE BILL 92.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measures is as follows: 4, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Currie(D), Chairperson Y Bost(R) (replacing Schmitz)

Y Lang(D) A Leitch(R)

Y Mautino(D)

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, (A) reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES APPROVED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION:

That the Motion be reported "recommends be adopted" and placed on the House Calendar: Motion to accept Amendatory Veto to SENATE BILL 170.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Revenue & Finance: HOUSE AMENDMENT No. 1 to SENATE BILL 400.

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

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

Y Currie(D), Chairperson A Schmitz(R), Republican Spokesperson

Y Lang(D) Y Osmond(R) (replacing Leitch)

Y Mautino(D)

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Daniel Burke, Chairperson, from the Committee on Executive to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, 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 965 and 1587.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 72, 1640, 1750, 1849 and 1992.

That the Floor Amendment be reported "recommends be adopted":

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1865. Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL 1865.

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted as amended" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 550.

The committee roll call vote on House Resolution 550 is as follows:

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

Y Burke, Daniel(D), Chairperson Y Lyons(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Brady(R), Republican Spokesperson P Acevedo(D)
Y Arroyo(D) Y Bost(R) Y Jackson(D)
Y Rita(D) Y Sullivan(R)

Y Tryon(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1849 is as follows:

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

Y Burke, Daniel(D), Chairperson Y Lyons(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Brady(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Acevedo(D)
Y Arroyo(D) Y Berrios(D)
Y Bost(R) N Jackson(D)
Y Rita(D) A Sullivan(R)

N Tryon(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 72, 1587 and 1750 is as follows:

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

Y Burke, Daniel(D), Chairperson Y Lyons(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Brady(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Acevedo(D)
Y Arroyo(D) Y Berrios(D)
Y Bost(R) Y Jackson(D)
Y Rita(D) Y Sullivan(R)

Y Tryon(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 1640 and 1992 is as follows:

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

Y Burke, Daniel(D), Chairperson Y Currie(D) (replacing Lyons)

Y Brady(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Acevedo(D)
Y Arroyo(D) Y Bost(R) Y Jackson(D)
Y Rita(D) Y Sullivan(R)

Y Tryon(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 965 and Amendments numbered 2 and 3 to Senate Bill 1865 is as follows:

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

Y Burke, Daniel(D), Chairperson Y Currie(D) (replacing Lyons)
Y Brady(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Acevedo(D)
Y Arroyo(D) Y Berrios(D)
N Bost(R) Y Jackson(D)
Y Rita(D) N Sullivan(R)

N Tryon(R)

MOTIONS SUBMITTED

Representative Currie submitted the following written motion, which was placed on the Calendar on the order of Motions:

MOTION

Pursuant to Rule 25, I move to suspend the posting requirements of Rule 21 in relation to HOUSE RESOLUTION 608 to be heard in the Revenue & Finance Committee.

Representative Eddy submitted the following written motion, which was placed on the Calendar on the order of Motions:

MOTION

Pursuant to Rule 25, I move to suspend the posting requirements of Rule 21 in relation to SENATE BILL 1538 to be heard in the Executive Committee.

CORRECTIONAL NOTE SUPPLIED

A Correctional Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 512, as amended.

HOME RULE NOTE SUPPLIED

A Home Rule Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 512, as amended.

STATE MANDATES FISCAL NOTE SUPPLIED

A State Mandates Fiscal Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 512, as amended.

PENSION NOTE SUPPLIED

A Pension Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 512, as amended.

FISCAL NOTE SUPPLIED

A Fiscal Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 512, as amended.

BALANCED BUDGET NOTE SUPPLIED

A Balanced Budget Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 512, as amended.

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 concurred with the House in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 73

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 73.

Action taken by the Senate, November 8, 2011.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of 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 concurred with the House in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 664

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 664.

Action taken by the Senate, November 8, 2011.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of 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 passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 274

A bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

SENATE BILL NO. 773

A bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

SENATE BILL NO. 1047

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

SENATE BILL NO. 1462

A bill for AN ACT concerning education.

Passed by the Senate, November 8, 2011.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of the Senate

The foregoing SENATE BILLS 274, 773, 1047 and 1462 were ordered reproduced and placed on the appropriate order of business.

A message from the Senate by

Ms. Rock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker -- I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 44

Concurred in the Senate, November 8, 2011.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of the Senate

CHANGE OF SPONSORSHIP

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Greg Harris was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Mautino became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 72.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Currie was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Jakobsson became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 1750.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION 584

Offered by Representative Yarbrough:

WHEREAS, Millions of Americans are struggling just to get by during these tough economic times, and the many who have been fortunate to avoid job loss and foreclosure are working to pay off and avoid accruing further consumer debt; and

WHEREAS, One of the most effective ways to avoid debt is for consumers to stop using credit cards, and the most convenient way to make purchases without using credit is to use a bank debit card; and

WHEREAS, Bank of America recently announced that it would soon begin charging customers \$5 per month to use their debit card, and other major banks have already followed suit; and

WHEREAS, During these trying times when individuals, as well as small and large businesses, are trying to change their financial behaviors to eliminate debt and emerge from this ongoing recession in a stronger position, charging fees for smart financial decisions will only penalize those behaviors and may cause vulnerable consumers to continue spending on credit; and

WHEREAS, Banks that received public financing and bailouts to remain solvent should lead the way to a new financial paradigm, one that encourages smart financial behaviors that could prevent future economic uncertainty; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we encourage Bank of America and other national banks that have, or are considering implementing a punitive fee for debit card usage, to reconsider that fee and instead try to build businesses that reward customers who make sound financial decisions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to the Bank of America Corporation.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 586

Offered by Representative Franks:

WHEREAS, Children who have had a loved one die, especially a close family member or friend, can carry that loss with them forever, causing confusion and fearfulness as they struggle to understand why their loved one was taken away; and

WHEREAS, Grieving children often struggle to get over the loss of a loved one, and, despite appearances, have intense inner turmoil which often goes unrecognized; and

WHEREAS, Counseling provided by hospices, churches, organizations, and grief counseling centers offers emotional support for children struggling with grief, allowing them to find guidance and understanding during an extremely difficult time; and

WHEREAS, On November 17, 2011, citizens and communities throughout Illinois are encouraged to wear blue in an effort to raise awareness and show their support for grieving children and the grief centers that seek to serve those young people confounded by the reality of death; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize November 17, 2011, as "Children's Grief

Awareness Day" in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all support agencies in the State of Illinois that provide grief counseling support services to children be recognized for their efforts to support children, teens, families, and communities in coping with grief and the death of a loved one.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 587

Offered by Representative Poe:

WHEREAS, Plans exist for the Department of Central Management Services (CMS) to consolidate the information technology (IT) staff of the Department of Corrections (IDOC); and

WHEREAS, Current IT personnel under the Department of Corrections are required to undergo background checks and drug screenings to help ensure against the possibility of drugs and weapons being brought to inmates; and

WHEREAS, All IDOC IT staff are required to go through IDOC's pre-service classes and annual training regarding prison security; and

WHEREAS, Concerns exist as to what effect this consolidation may have on IDOC security; and

WHEREAS, The proposed consolidation also raises questions as to what effect it would have on current IDOC personnel's pensions; and

WHEREAS, There have been multiple audit findings against CMS and various other State agencies for incomplete interagency agreements and inadequate billing documentation for CMS services; and

WHEREAS, The Department of Central Management Services should not attempt to shore up its budget by consolidating services of agencies and then overcharging the agencies for the service they provide; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we direct the Department of Central Management Services, in cooperation with the Department of Corrections, to conduct a study showing the potential cost or savings from the proposed consolidation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the study shall also include any potential impact on Department of Corrections personnel; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this study must be completed by the Department of Central Management Services and filed with the Clerk of the House of Representatives before any consolidation is initiated; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to the Director of Central Management Services and the Director of the Department of Corrections.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 589

Offered by Representative Moffitt:

WHEREAS, Amtrak Illinois service has been an excellent investment in mobility for Illinois' economy for more than 30 years; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has for decades been a partner of Amtrak, the National Railroad Passenger Corporation, in financing additional service in Illinois beyond the national network of long-distance passenger trains; and

WHEREAS, Illinois has enjoyed a bipartisan, statewide consensus on the value of passenger train service to link the State's universities, smaller communities, suburbs, and Chicago; and

WHEREAS, With ever-increasing traffic on the State's highways, especially in the Chicago area, investing in passenger rail to alleviate automobile traffic is a prudent use of taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, A robust passenger train system is an essential component of national security in the event of a mass evacuation, as demonstrated by the aftermath of the September 11 attacks and the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois General Assembly in 2006 doubled its commitment to Amtrak Illinois service,

setting the nation on a path for growth in passenger rail, and has reaped doubled ridership on almost all routes in the State, sparking real estate development around train stations and frequently selling out trains; and

WHEREAS, An essential tool for rural economic development is passenger trains connecting small towns to the economic engines of large cities and universities; and

WHEREAS, The United States House of Representatives passed a budget bill that precludes the use of any federal dollars for State-supported Amtrak routes such as the Lincoln Service, the Illini, the Saluki, the Carl Sandburg, and the Hiawatha; and

WHEREAS, The provision in the House budget bill would essentially eliminate most Amtrak service in Illinois, stranding almost 2 million annual passengers; and

WHEREAS, The House budget bill woefully underfunds Amtrak and the high speed rail program; and

WHEREAS, In light of Illinois' continued robust capital and operating investment in Amtrak and high speed rail, it is particularly shortsighted for the federal government to eliminate or cut back its investment in passenger rail; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the United States Congress to fully fund Amtrak and the high speed rail program; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the United States Congress to eliminate any provision that would reduce the federal investment in State-supported Amtrak service, as this partnership is a model to be emulated, not discouraged; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be presented to Senators Dick Durbin, Mark Kirk and the entire congressional delegation of the State of Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 590

Offered by Representative Pihos:

WHEREAS, More than 35 million people are living with Alzheimer's and other dementia related diseases worldwide, with 5.4 million in the United States and 210,000 in the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Someone develops Alzheimer's disease every 69 seconds; it is now the sixth leading cause of death in the United States; and

WHEREAS, By 2050 16 million Americans will have Alzheimer's and someone will have developed the disease every 33 seconds, unless something is done to combat Alzheimer's; and

WHEREAS, Currently, 14.9 million family members and friends provide 17 billion hours of unpaid care to those with Alzheimer's and other dementia related illnesses, care that is valued at \$202.6 billion; and

WHEREAS, Costs to Medicaid are 9 times higher for a person with Alzheimer's than for a person without Alzheimer's in the same age group; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Alzheimer Legislators Alliance, a bipartisan alliance of State policy makers, is helping to make this devastating disease a top priority in daily policy making; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Alzheimer Legislators Alliance, working closely with the Alzheimer's Association and others, are raising awareness as to the impact Alzheimer's disease and related dementias have on Illinois individuals and families, communities, and the public health system; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the month of November as Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That citizens of the State of Illinois acknowledge the increased need for State involvement in raising awareness for Alzheimer's disease support, funding, and research as the disease impacts individuals and families across the State.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 596

Offered by Representative Saviano:

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are proud to remember the men and women who serve, and have served, in our nation's armed forces; and

WHEREAS, On November 11, 2011, we will once again take time to honor our veterans; and

WHEREAS, Schools across the State of Illinois need to take the time to instruct students about the battles and conflicts that our servicemen and servicewomen have been a part of over the years; children need to be made aware of the great sacrifices that have been made to keep our country free; and

WHEREAS, The Battles at Lexington, Yorktown, Shiloh, Gettysburg, and others are important parts of our history; and

WHEREAS, The American Revolutionary War, the French-Indian Wars, the War of 1812, the Civil War, the Spanish-American War, World War I, World War II, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, Desert Storm, and the current conflicts in Iraq and Afghanistan have produced brave men and women who fought valiantly for this nation and gave their lives to preserve its values and freedoms; and

WHEREAS, The Teacher Resource Guide for Veterans Day contains information about: the Yellow Ribbon Program, the Honor Flight Network, veterans service organizations, respecting the flag, and folding the flag; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge teachers in the State of Illinois to use the Teacher Resource Guide to teach their students about Veterans Day and the many important aspects of this special day in the United States.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 605

Offered by Representative Saviano:

WHEREAS, Azerbaijan is one of the prominent nations in the Muslim world that promotes and maintains a pro-American stance in foreign relations; and

WHEREAS, The Azerbaijani government and its people have shunned extremism and state-sponsored religion in favor of a secular state with equal rights for all citizens, regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, or religious affiliation; and

WHEREAS, Azerbaijan is a major supplier of energy resources to some of the United States' most vulnerable allies, particularly in Eastern Europe; and

WHEREAS, More than 100 U.S. businesses have an established presence in Azerbaijan, including prominent, successful corporations such as ExxonMobil, Ernst and Young, and Coca-Cola; and

WHEREAS, Azerbaijan has been a loyal supporter of the United States' "War on Terror", providing troops and logistical support for NATO operations in Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, The appointment of Azerbaijan to a seat on the United Nations Security Council for the next 2 years places them alongside the United States as a leader in the international community; having a country like Azerbaijan, which shares American values, and with whom the United States maintains close and productive ties, on the United Nations Security Council significantly strengthens American and Azerbaijani interests throughout the world and further fosters greater trust and cooperation amongst American and Azerbaijani citizens; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois currently has limited relations with the nation of Azerbaijan; the expansion of existing relations and the creation of new relationships with the Azerbaijani government and its people are of great importance to both the people of Azerbaijan and the citizens of this State; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the President of the United States and the United States Congress to continue to strengthen ties with the nation of Azerbaijan; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we affirm our belief that stronger relations should be created between Azerbaijan and the State of Illinois and urge the public officials and citizens of this State to take appropriate steps to foster warm relations with the nation of Azerbaijan; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the President of the United States, the Speaker and Minority Leader of the United States House of Representatives, the Majority and Minority Leaders of the United States Senate, and the Ambassador from the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United States of America.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 609

Offered by Representative Ford:

WHEREAS, The people of Illinois are suffering from an ongoing economic crisis that threatens their health, wealth, and security; and

WHEREAS, Occupy movements in Illinois are supported by people of all trades and occupations, from school teachers to military veterans, who are stirred to protest economic injustice by the examples of the Occupy Wall Street movement in New York City and the numerous other Occupy protests across the country; and

WHEREAS, In Illinois, the unemployment rate is 10% (numbering more than 660,000 people), the poverty rate is more than 14% (1.8 million people), and the rate of people living in extreme poverty (income less than \$11,000 for a family of four) is nearly 7% (680,000 people); and

WHEREAS, The average after-tax household income of the top 1% of the United States population grew by 275% between 1979 and 2007, and the average after-tax household income of the lowest 20% of the United States population grew by just 18% in that same period; and

WHEREAS, The top 1% of income earners control 40% of the wealth in the United States (a disparity greater than in Marie Antoinette's France before the Revolution of 1789); and

WHEREAS, The foreclosure rate in Illinois last month was the ninth worst in the country (1 of every 463 units), the rate in Cook County was even worse (1 of 357 units), and nearly 45% of the mortgage loans on Chicago homes are "underwater", that is, the amount of the home mortgage loan exceeds the value of the home; and

WHEREAS, The cost of the foreclosure crisis to Illinois taxpayers in 2012 is expected to reach \$12 billion, blighting whole communities with decreased police and fire protection, higher crime rates, less access to health care, poorer schools, deteriorated infrastructure, diminished recreation services, reduced library services, and park closures or reduced park hours; and

WHEREAS, People of all ages (from young adults to seniors) and backgrounds, individuals from all Chicago neighborhoods (north, south, and west), and persons who live in the suburbs, downstate cities, and rural areas are lawfully protesting the failures of Wall Street, the subsequent economic crisis, and the failure to address the needs of 99% of the population; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize the injuries suffered by the people of Illinois as a result of these economic injustices and we stand in support of the continued peaceful exercise of First Amendment rights by Occupy protestors.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 610

Offered by Representative Ford:

WHEREAS, The people of Illinois are suffering from an ongoing economic crisis that threatens their health, wealth, and security; and

WHEREAS, Occupy movements in Illinois are supported by people of all trades and occupations, from school teachers to military veterans, who are stirred to protest economic injustice by the examples of the Occupy Wall Street movement in New York City and the numerous other Occupy protests across the country; and

WHEREAS, In Illinois, the unemployment rate is 10% (numbering more than 660,000 people), the poverty rate is more than 14% (1.8 million people), and the rate of people living in extreme poverty (income less than \$11,000 for a family of four) is nearly 7% (680,000 people); and

WHEREAS, The average after-tax household income of the top 1% of the United States population grew by 275% between 1979 and 2007, and the average after-tax household income of the lowest 20% of the United States population grew by just 18% in that same period; and

WHEREAS, The top 1% of income earners control 40% of the wealth in the United States; and

WHEREAS, The foreclosure rate in Illinois last month was the ninth worst in the country (1 of every 463 units), the rate in Cook County was even worse (1 of 357 units), and nearly 45% of the mortgage loans on Chicago homes are "underwater", that is, the amount of the home mortgage loan exceeds the value of the home; and

WHEREAS, The cost of the foreclosure crisis to Illinois taxpayers in 2012 is expected to reach \$12 billion, blighting whole communities with decreased police and fire protection, higher crime rates, less access to health care, poorer schools, deteriorated infrastructure, diminished recreation services, reduced library services, and park closures or reduced park hours; and

WHEREAS, People of all ages (from young adults to seniors) and backgrounds, individuals from all Chicago neighborhoods, and persons who live in the suburbs, downstate cities, and rural areas are lawfully protesting the failures of Wall Street, the subsequent economic crisis, and the failure to address the needs of 99% of the population; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize the hardships experienced by the people of Illinois as a result of these economic injustices and we stand in support of the continued peaceful exercise of First Amendment rights by Occupy protestors.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 48

Offered by Representative Bradley:

WHEREAS, Energy affects all aspects of American life and is indispensable for the quality of life, economic growth, and the sustainability of modern society; and

WHEREAS, Access to energy and the supply of energy shall become more important in the future as energy demand continues to increase; and

WHEREAS, The U.S. Energy Information Administration projects that overall energy consumption in the United States will grow by 14% between 2008 and 2035, electricity demand will increase by 30%, and demand for liquid transportation fuels such as gasoline and diesel will increase by nearly 14%; and

WHEREAS, According to the U.S. EPA, since 1980 domestic GDP has increased 124%, vehicle miles traveled have increased 103%, population has increased 36%, and energy consumption has increased 30%; and

WHEREAS, U.S. EPA reports that since 1980 aggregate emissions of air toxins have decreased 52%, ambient levels of carbon monoxide are down 77%, ozone is down 21%, lead is down 94%, and sulfur dioxide is down 68%; and

WHEREAS, EPA's recently issued the Cross-State Air Pollution Rule and other recent U.S. EPA proposals, including the Coal Combustion Residuals Rule and the Mercury and Air Toxics Standards Rule, could threaten the reliability and security of the nation's electric energy supply; and

WHEREAS, More than 28 Gigawatts of coal-fired electricity generating capacity had been publicly announced to be retired beginning in 2010, before the Cross-State Air Pollution Rule was finalized on July 6, 2011; and

WHEREAS, Additional retirements of electric generating capacity are being announced due to the emission reduction requirements of current and proposed U.S. EPA regulations, and, according to estimates by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission staff, could be as much as 81 Gigawatts, or one-fourth of the nation's fleet of coal-based generation capacity; and

WHEREAS, In 2009, 46% of electricity generated in Illinois was produced from coal-based units, including many units that may be retired in response to current and proposed U.S. EPA regulations; and

WHEREAS, The PJM Regional Transmission Organization has commented that U.S. EPA's regulatory analyses have not adequately taken into account local reliability impacts and have understated the level of expected generation retirements under the EPA's proposed Mercury and Air Toxics Standards Rule, while the Midwest ISO has expressed similar reliability risk concerns; and

WHEREAS, The Chair and members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission have expressed concerns about the inadequacy of analyses of potential reliability impacts, with Commissioner Philip Moeller noting that "the timing of the EPA regulations does not conform to the relevant planning horizons in the electric sector of our economy, one of the most capital-intensive sectors of industry...the federal government needs to convene an open and transparent process to assess the reliability implications of the

EPA rules individually and in the aggregate"; and

WHEREAS, The premature closure of dozens of power plants in Illinois and surrounding Midwest states could imperil critical electrical transmission services, including voltage support, black start recovery, and reactive power, thereby further jeopardizing the dependability of the nation's energy supply; and

WHEREAS, Maintaining electrical grid reliability is particularly critical to the Chicago metropolitan area, due to its population density and vulnerability to extreme weather events; and

WHEREAS, Estimates by the United Mine Workers of America indicate that the retirement of existing generating capacity in the short 2-4 year timeframes called for by current and proposed U.S. EPA regulations for reducing SO2, NOx, and air toxics emissions may put at risk more than 250,000 jobs directly and indirectly related to coal mining, rail transportation, and power generation, including an estimated 28,000 jobs in Illinois, imposing economic hardship on workers and communities at a time of unacceptably high unemployment; and

WHEREAS, Energy efficiency is an important component of state and federal energy policies, but cannot be counted on to replace the output of the unprecedented numbers of power plant retirements anticipated under current and proposed U.S. EPA regulations; and

WHEREAS, The National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners has adopted resolutions calling on U.S. EPA to seek ways to minimize cost impacts to consumers and increases in residential, commercial, and industrial energy tariffs that will affect the competitiveness of businesses and the ability of customers in lower economic circumstances to be able to afford energy; and

WHEREAS, The National Conference of State Legislatures has strongly urged the Administration and Congress to take steps to protect the environment without the serious anticipated consequences to grid reliability, electricity price spikes, and job losses; and

WHEREAS, Alternatives that would achieve the same level of emissions reduction as those targeted in the various EPA proposals can be achieved at much less cost, disruption to local economies, and with less impact to utility customers; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that the General Assembly of the State of Illinois urges Congress and the Administration to act without delay to establish a sound foundation for national energy policy given the important and integral role of energy in all facets of modern life; by providing the necessary and fundamental support for programs key to a secure and sustainable energy future, the nation will at the same time be ensuring the resilience of our domestic economy and the competitiveness of the United States in the global economy; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the reliability of the U.S. energy grid should never be put at risk from policies that could cause energy shortages or delivery failures; and be it further

RESOLVED, It is the policy of the State of Illinois, and should be the policy of the United States, to allow utilities to coordinate the closure and retrofitting of existing power generation stations in an orderly manner that will ensure the continued supply of electricity and that will allow power generators to upgrade their facilities in a manner that provides the least cost while attaining environmental compliance; and be it further

RESOLVED, The United States Congress, which represents the interests of the states individually and collectively, is the appropriate public body to determine national energy policy as it relates to reliability of supply, residential affordability, competitive impacts on American industry and workers, and the overall economic prosperity of the nation; and be it further

RESOLVED, The time available to deploy existing emissions control technology to comply with U.S. EPA regulations must reflect normal construction industry experience and practices that maximize order and efficiency to avoid wasteful financial expenditures and any risks to energy reliability; and be it further

RESOLVED, The General Assembly encourages and supports efforts to promote State and federal environmental and energy policies that will enhance the reliability of our State and nation's energy supply and minimize cost impacts by:

- (1) allowing electric generators to coordinate the closure or retrofitting of existing electric generating units in an orderly manner that will ensure the continued supply of electricity and that will allow power generators to upgrade their facilities in the most cost-effective manner;
- (2) allowing regulatory options for units that are necessary for grid reliability that commit to retire or repower and allowing phasing in of regulatory requirements; and
- (3) establishing interim progress standards that ensure generation units meet U.S. EPA regulations in an orderly, cost-effective manner; and be it further

RESOLVED, The General Assembly therefore urgently requests that the Congress, the President, and

the Administration take such actions as necessary and appropriate to ensure the continued supply of affordable and reliable electric energy, consistent with the maintenance of fuel diversity and grid reliability, while also ensuring continuing emission reduction progress for the protection of public health and welfare; and be it further

RESOLVED, This Joint Resolution is approved and copies of it are to be transmitted to the President of the United States, the Governor of Illinois, all Members of the Illinois Congressional Delegation, the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Energy, the Administrator of U.S. EPA, the Chair and Members of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, and all Members of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION 585

Offered by Representative Riley: Mourns the death of Judy Hoffman.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 588

Offered by Representative Pihos:

Recognizes the Department of Neurosurgery at the University of Illinois, Chicago for its numerous achievements and contributions to the State of Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 591

Offered by Representative Reboletti:

Congratulates York Amateur Radio Club President Chuck Hopper and the members of the York Amateur Radio Club in Elmhurst on the 75th anniversary of the organization.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 592

Offered by Representative Franks:

Expresses sympathy for all those affected by the 2011 Van earthquake in eastern Turkey.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 594

Offered by Representative Jackson:

Congratulates Michael J. Ellis on the occasion of his retirement as a Superintendent with the Illinois Department of Corrections.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 595

Offered by Representative Rita:

Honors Boy Scout Troop 3707, of the Allen Metropolitan CME Church in Chicago, for their example.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 597

Offered by Representative Reis:

Congratulates the Teutopolis Junior High School Boys Baseball team on winning the Illinois Elementary School Association Class 2A Boys State Baseball Tournament.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 598

Offered by Representative Coladipietro:

Congratulates Dr. Kristen Langner on the occasion of being selected as the 2011 Joseph G. Salerno Business Person of the Year by the Roselle Chamber of Commerce and Industry.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 599

Offered by Representative Coladipietro:

Congratulates and thanks Donna Becerra for her 30 years of dedication and commitment to the Village of Glendale Heights and its residents.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 600

Offered by Representative Jakobsson:

Congratulates Donald Sevener on the occasion of his retirement as deputy director for external relations for the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 601

Offered by Representative Leitch:

Congratulates B. Taylor for singing the National Anthem at the Inaugural Quicken Loans Carrier Classic game between Michigan State and North Carolina on the USS Vinson.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 602

Offered by Representative Evans:

Congratulates Jacob Rommerskirchen, Austin Ulmer, and Jared Kleinik of Scout Troop 1050 on the occasion of earning the coveted rank of Eagle Scout.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 603

Offered by Representative Bradley:

Mourns the death of Bill Wilson of West Frankfort.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 604

Offered by Representative Zalewski:

Congratulates the crew of the Polish LOT Airlines flight that successfully landed a Boeing 767 without the use of landing gear and without any casualties aboard the flight.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 606

Offered by Representative Osmond:

Mourns the death of United States Army Sergeant First Class David G. Robinson of Winthrop Harbor.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 607

Offered by Representative Ramey:

Congratulates the St. Louis Cardinals on winning the 2011 World Series.

DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR

Supplemental Calendar No. 1 was distributed to the Members at 12:59 o'clock p.m.

SUSPEND POSTING REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 25, Representative Currie moved to suspend the posting requirements of Rule 21 in relation to House Resolution 608 to be heard in the Revenue & Finance Committee.

The motion prevailed.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: SENATE BILLS 72, 965, 1587 and 1640.

Having been reproduced, the following bill was taken up, read by title a second time and held on the order of Second Reading: SENATE BILL 1750.

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and advanced to the order of Third Reading: SENATE BILLS 1849 and 1992.

SENATE BILL 1335. Having been read by title a second time on November 7, 2011, and held on the order of Second Reading, the same was again taken up.

Committee Amendment No. 1 was tabled pursuant to Rule 40(a).

Amendment No. 2 was offered in the Committee on Revenue & Finance, adopted and reproduced.

There being no further amendment(s), the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

SENATE BILL ON THIRD READING

The following bill and any amendments adopted thereto were reproduced. Any amendments still pending upon the passage or defeat of a bill on Third Reading are automatically tabled pursuant to Rule 40(a).

On motion of Representative Greg Harris, SENATE BILL 1335 was taken up and read by title a third time. A three-fifths vote is required.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: 111, Yeas; 0, Nays; 1, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 2)

This bill, having received the votes of three-fifths of the Members elected, was declared passed. Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate.

HOUSE BILL ON SECOND READING

HOUSE BILL 3793. Having been read by title a second time on October 27, 2011, and held on the order of Second Reading, the same was again taken up and advanced to the order of Third Reading.

HOUSE BILL ON THIRD READING

The following bill and any amendments adopted thereto were reproduced. This bill has been examined, any amendments thereto engrossed and any errors corrected. Any amendments still pending upon the passage or defeat of a bill on Third Reading are automatically tabled pursuant to Rule 40(a).

On motion of Representative Franks, HOUSE BILL 3793 was taken up and read by title a third time. A three-fifths vote is required.

Representative Sacia requested a verified roll call should this bill receive the required number of votes for passage.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the negative by the following vote:

34, Yeas; 73, Nays; 5, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 3)

This bill, having failed to receive the votes of three-fifths of the Members elected, was declared lost.

SENATE BILL ON SECOND READING

SENATE BILL 2408. Having been read by title a second time on May 29, 2011, and held on the order of Second Reading, the same was again taken up.

Amendment No. 1 was offered in the Committee on Appropriations-General Services, adopted and reproduced.

Representative Mautino offered Amendment No. 2 and moved its adoption.

The foregoing motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted.

There being no further amendment(s), the bill, as amended, was advanced to the order of Third Reading.

SENATE BILL ON THIRD READING

The following bill and any amendments adopted thereto were reproduced. Any amendments still pending upon the passage or defeat of a bill on Third Reading are automatically tabled pursuant to Rule 40(a).

On motion of Representative Madigan, SENATE BILL 2408 was taken up and read by title a third time. A three-fifths vote is required.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

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

(ROLL CALL 4)

This bill, as amended, having received the votes of three-fifths of the Members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and ask their concurrence in the House amendment/s adopted thereto.

SUSPEND POSTING REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to Rule 25, Representative Eddy moved to suspend the posting requirements of Rule 21 in relation to Senate Bill 1538 to be heard in the Executive Committee.

The motion prevailed.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 585, 588, 591, 592, 594, 595, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 606 and 607 were taken up for consideration.

Representative Jefferson moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.

The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

At the hour of 3:13 o'clock p.m., Representative Currie moved that the House do now adjourn until Wednesday, November 9, 2011, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.

The motion prevailed.

And the House stood adjourned.

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

November 08, 2011

| 0 YEAS | 0 NAYS | 113 PRESENT | |
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| P Acevedo | P DeLuca | P Lang | P Riley |
| P Arroyo | P du Buclet | P Leitch | P Rita |
| P Barickman | P Dugan | P Lilly | E Rose |
| P Beiser | P Dunkin | P Lyons | P Rosenthal |
| P Bellock | P Durkin | E Mathias | P Roth |
| P Berrios | P Eddy | P Mautino | P Sacia |
| P Biss | P Evans | P May | P Saviano |
| P Bost | P Farnham | P Mayfield | P Schmitz |
| P Bradley | P Feigenholtz | P McAsey | P Senger |
| P Brady | P Flowers | P McAuliffe | P Sente |
| P Brauer | P Ford | P McCarthy | P Smith |
| P Brown | P Fortner | E McGuire | P Sommer |
| P Burke, Daniel | P Franks | P Mell | P Sosnowski |
| P Burke, Kelly | P Gabel | P Mitchell, Bill | P Soto |
| P Carli | P Gaffney | P Mitchell, Jerry | P Sullivan |
| P Cassidy | P Golar | P Moffitt | P Thapedi |
| P Cavaletto | P Gordon | P Morrison | P Tracy |
| P Chapa LaVia | P Hammond | P Morthland | P Tryon |
| P Coladipietro | P Harris, Dav | rid P Mulligan | P Turner |
| P Cole | P Harris, Gre | g P Mussman | P Unes |
| P Colvin | P Hatcher | P Nekritz | P Verschoore |
| P Connelly | P Hays | P Nybo | P Watson |
| P Costello | P Hernandez | P Osmond | P Williams |
| P Crespo | E Howard | P Phelps | P Winters |
| P Cross | P Jackson | P Pihos | P Yarbrough |
| P Cunningham | P Jakobsson | P Poe | P Zalewski |
| P Currie | P Jefferson | P Pritchard | P Mr. Speaker |
| P D'Amico | P Jones | P Ramey | - |
| P Davis, Monique | P Kay | P Reboletti | |
| P Davis, William | P Kosel | P Reis | |

E - Denotes Excused Absence

NO. 2

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL SENATE BILL 1335 PROP TX-STIPULATE ASSESSMENTS THIRD READING PASSED THREE-FIFTHS VOTE REQUIRED

November 08, 2011

| 111 YEAS | 0 NAYS | 1 PRESENT | |
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| Y Acevedo Y Arroyo Y Barickman Y Beiser Y Bellock Y Berrios Y Biss Y Bost Y Bradley Y Brady Y Brauer | Y DeLuca Y du Buclet Y Dugan NV Dunkin Y Durkin Y Eddy Y Evans Y Farnham Y Feigenholtz Y Flowers Y Ford | Y Lang Y Leitch Y Lilly Y Lyons E Mathias Y Mautino Y May Y Mayfield Y McAsey Y McAuliffe Y McCarthy | Y Riley Y Rita E Rose Y Rosenthal Y Roth Y Sacia Y Saviano Y Schmitz Y Senger Y Sente Y Smith |
| Y Brauer Y Brown Y Burke, Daniel Y Burke, Kelly Y Carli Y Cassidy Y Cavaletto Y Chapa LaVia Y Coladipietro Y Cole Y Colvin Y Connelly Y Costello Y Crespo Y Cross | Y Ford Y Fortner Y Franks Y Gabel Y Gaffney Y Golar Y Gordon Y Hammond Y Harris, David Y Harris, Greg Y Hatcher Y Hays Y Hernandez E Howard Y Jackson | Y McCarthy E McGuire Y Mell Y Mitchell, Bill Y Mitchell, Jerry Y Moffitt Y Morrison Y Morthland Y Mulligan Y Mussman Y Nekritz Y Nybo Y Osmond Y Phelps Y Pihos | Y Smith Y Sommer Y Sosnowski Y Soto Y Sullivan Y Thapedi Y Tracy Y Tryon Y Turner Y Unes Y Verschoore Y Watson Y Williams Y Winters Y Yarbrough |
| Y Cunningham Y Currie Y D'Amico Y Davis, Monique Y Davis, William | Y Jakobsson Y Jefferson Y Jones Y Kay Y Kosel | Y Poe Y Pritchard Y Ramey Y Reboletti Y Reis | Y Zalewski P Mr. Speaker |

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NO. 3

STATE OF ILLINOIS
NINETY-SEVENTH
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
HOUSE ROLL CALL
HOUSE BILL 3793
PTELL-EXTENSION LIMITATION
THIRD READING
LOST
THREE-FIFTHS VOTE REQUIRED

November 08, 2011

| 34 YEAS | 73 NAYS | 5 PRESENT | |
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| N Acevedo | P DeLuca | N Lang | N Riley |
| N Arroyo | N du Buclet | N Leitch | Y Rita |
| N Barickman | N Dugan | N Lilly | E Rose |
| N Beiser | N Dunkin | Y Lyons | N Rosenthal |
| N Bellock | N Durkin | E Mathias | Y Roth |
| N Berrios | N Eddy | N Mautino | N Sacia |
| N Biss | Y Evans | N May | Y Saviano |
| N Bost | Y Farnham | N Mayfield | N Schmitz |
| N Bradley | N Feigenholtz | Y McAsey | N Senger |
| N Brady | Y Flowers | N McAuliffe | Y Sente |
| N Brauer | N Ford | N McCarthy | P Smith |
| Y Brown | N Fortner | E McGuire | Y Sommer |
| N Burke, Daniel | Y Franks | N Mell | N Sosnowski |
| Y Burke, Kelly | N Gabel | Y Mitchell, Bill | N Soto |
| N Carli | Y Gaffney | N Mitchell, Jerry | Y Sullivan |
| N Cassidy | N Golar | N Moffitt | P Thapedi |
| N Cavaletto | Y Gordon | Y Morrison | Y Tracy |
| N Chapa LaVia | Y Hammond | N Morthland | Y Tryon |
| Y Coladipietro | P Harris, David | N Mulligan | N Turner |
| Y Cole | N Harris, Greg | Y Mussman | Y Unes |
| N Colvin | Y Hatcher | N Nekritz | N Verschoore |
| NV Connelly | Y Hays | Y Nybo | N Watson |
| Y Costello | N Hernandez | N Osmond | N Williams |
| Y Crespo | E Howard | N Phelps | N Winters |
| P Cross | N Jackson | N Pihos | N Yarbrough |
| Y Cunningham | N Jakobsson | N Poe | N Zalewski |
| N Currie | N Jefferson | N Pritchard | Y Mr. Speaker |
| N D'Amico | N Jones | Y Ramey | |
| N Davis, Monique | Y Kay | N Reboletti | |
| N Davis, William | N Kosel | N Reis | |

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NO. 4

STATE OF ILLINOIS NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY HOUSE ROLL CALL SENATE BILL 2408 \$DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FY12 OCE THIRD READING PASSED THREE-FIFTHS VOTE REQUIRED

November 08, 2011

| 113 YEAS | 0 NAYS | 0 PRESENT | |
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| Y Acevedo | Y DeLuca | Y Lang | Y Riley |
| Y Arroyo | Y du Buclet | Y Leitch | Y Rita |
| Y Barickman | Y Dugan | Y Lilly | E Rose |
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| Y Berrios | Y Eddy | Y Mautino | Y Sacia |
| Y Biss | Y Evans | Y May | Y Saviano |
| Y Bost | Y Farnham | Y Mayfield | Y Schmitz |
| Y Bradley | Y Feigenholtz | Y McAsey | Y Senger |
| Y Brady | Y Flowers | Y McAuliffe | Y Sente |
| Y Brauer | Y Ford | Y McCarthy | Y Smith |
| Y Brown | Y Fortner | E McGuire | Y Sommer |
| Y Burke, Daniel | Y Franks | Y Mell | Y Sosnowski |
| Y Burke, Kelly | Y Gabel | Y Mitchell, Bill | Y Soto |
| Y Carli | Y Gaffney | Y Mitchell, Jerry | Y Sullivan |
| Y Cassidy | Y Golar | Y Moffitt | Y Thapedi |
| Y Cavaletto | Y Gordon | Y Morrison | Y Tracy |
| Y Chapa LaVia | Y Hammond | Y Morthland | Y Tryon |
| Y Coladipietro | Y Harris, David | Y Mulligan | Y Turner |
| Y Cole | Y Harris, Greg | Y Mussman | Y Unes |
| Y Colvin | Y Hatcher | Y Nekritz | Y Verschoore |
| Y Connelly | Y Hays | Y Nybo | Y Watson |
| Y Costello | Y Hernandez | Y Osmond | Y Williams |
| Y Crespo | E Howard | Y Phelps | Y Winters |
| Y Cross | Y Jackson | Y Pihos | Y Yarbrough |
| Y Cunningham | Y Jakobsson | Y Poe | Y Zalewski |
| Y Currie | Y Jefferson | Y Pritchard | Y Mr. Speaker |
| Y D'Amico | Y Jones | Y Ramey | |
| Y Davis, Monique | Y Kay | Y Reboletti | |
| Y Davis, William | Y Kosel | Y Reis | |

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At the hour of 6:46 o'clock p.m., the House reconvened perfunctory session.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Mayfield replaced Representative Monique Davis in the Committee on State Government Administration on November 8, 2011.

Representative Cunningham replaced Representative Crespo in the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education on November 8, 2011.

Representative Mayfield replaced Representative Flowers in the Committee on Human Services on November 8, 2011.

Representative Ford replaced Representative Howard in the Committee on Human Services on November 8, 2011.

Representative Jefferson replaced Representative Yarbrough in the Committee on Insurance on November 8, 2011.

Representative Gordon replaced Representative Feigenholtz in the Committee on Insurance on November 8, 2011.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Franks, Chairperson, from the Committee on State Government Administration to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, 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 466.

The committee roll call vote on House Resolution 466 is as follows:

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

Y Franks(D), Chairperson
A Ramey(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Bugan(D), Vice-Chairperson
A Acevedo(D)
Y Barickman(R)
Y Mayfield(D) (replacing Davis, M.)
A Harris, David(R)
A Mathias(R)
A Moffitt(R)
Y Dugan(D), Vice-Chairperson
A Acevedo(D)
Y Brown(R)
A Dunkin(D)
A Hays(R)
Y McAsey(D)
Y Mussman(D)

Y Pritchard(R) Y Smith(D)

Representative Monique Davis, Chairperson, from the Committee on Insurance to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

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That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted as amended" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 450.

The committee roll call vote on House Resolution 450 is as follows:

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

Y Davis, Monique(D), Chairperson

Y Harris, Greg(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Mitchell, Bill(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Berrios(D) Y Brady(R) A Colvin(D)

Y Dunkin(D) Y Gordon(D) (replacing Feigenholtz)

Y Ford(D)
A Gaffney(R)
A Mautino(D)
A Osmond(R)
A Rose(R)
Y Gabel(D)
A Lang(D)
Y Morrison(R)
A Reis(R)
A Senger(R)

Y Unes(R) Y Jefferson(D) (replacing Yarbrough)

Representative McAuliffe, Chairperson, from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Floor Amendment be reported "recommends be adopted":

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL 40.

The committee roll call vote on Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill 40 is as follows:

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

Y McAuliffe(R), Chairperson Y Chapa LaVia(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Watson(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Bost(R) Y Brown(R) Y Connelly(R) Y Dugan(D) Y Costello(D) Y Ford(D) Y Farnham(D) A Franks(D) Y Gordon(D) A Howard(D) Y Jefferson(D) Y Lyons(D) Y Mitchell, Jerry(R) Y Moffitt(R) Y Morthland(R) A Phelps(D) A Pritchard(R) Y Rosenthal(R) A Sacia(R) Y Sente(D) Y Verschoore(D)

Representative Greg Harris, Chairperson, from the Committee on Human Services to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 1377.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1377 is as follows:

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

Y Harris, Greg(D), Chairperson Y Ford(D) (replacing Howard)

Y Bellock(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Cole(R)
Y Mayfield (D) (replacing Flowers)
Y Jakobsson(D)
Y Osmond(R)
Y Cole(R)
Y Hammond(R)
Y Mell(D)
Y Schmitz(R)

Y Smith(D)

Representative Bradley, Chairperson, from the Committee on Revenue & Finance to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Floor Amendment be reported "recommends be adopted":

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 92. Amendment No. 7 to SENATE BILL 2147.

The committee roll call vote on Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 92 is as follows:

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

Y Bradley(D), Chairperson Y Turner(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Harris, David(R), Republican Spokesperson N Cole(R)
Y Currie(D) N Gaffney(R)
Y Mautino(D) N Sullivan(R)

Y Zalewski(D)

The committee roll call vote on Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill 2147 is as follows:

5, Yeas; 1, Nay; 1, Answering Present.

Y Bradley(D), Chairperson Y Turner(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Harris, David(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Currie(D)
Y Mautino(D)

N Cole(R)
A Gaffney(R)
A Sullivan(R)

P Zalewski(D)

Representative McCarthy, Chairperson, from the Committee on Personnel and Pensions to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Floor Amendment be reported "recommends be adopted":

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 512.

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 3865.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 3865 is as follows:

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

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

Y Poe(R), Republican Spokesperson Y Biss(D)
Y Burke, Daniel(D) Y May(D)
Y Morrison(R) Y Senger(R)

Y Winters(R)

The committee roll call vote on Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 512 is as follows:

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

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

N Poe(R), Republican SpokespersonN Biss(D)N Burke, Daniel(D)N May(D)Y Morrison(R)Y Senger(R)

Y Winters(R)

Representative Chapa LaVia, Chairperson, from the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education to which the following were referred, action taken on November 8, 2011, 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 634.

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 1226.

That the resolution be reported "recommends be adopted" and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTION 487.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 1226 and House Resolution 487 is as follows:

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

Y Chapa LaVia(D), Chairperson
Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Colvin(D)
Y Dugan(D)
Y Eddy(R)
Y Golar(D)
Y Lilly(D)
Y Chapa LaVia(D), Chairperson
Y Cunningham(D) (Crespo)
A Cavaletto(R)
Y Davis, Monique(D)
Y Dunkin(D)
Y Farnham(D)
Y Gordon(D)
Y Mayfield(D)

A Mitchell, Bill(R)

A Morrison(R)

Y Pritchard(R)

Y Pritchard(R)

Y Roth(R)

Y Senger(R)

Y Yarbrough(D)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 634 is as follows:

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

Y Chapa LaVia(D), Chairperson Y Cunningham(D) (Crespo)

Y Mitchell, Jerry(R), Republican Spokesperson A Cavaletto(R) Y Colvin(D) A Davis, Monique(D)

Y Dugan(D) A Dunkin(D) Y Farnham(D) A Eddy(R)Y Golar(D) A Gordon(D) Y Lilly(D) Y Mayfield(D) A Mitchell, Bill(R) Y Moffitt(R) A Morrison(R) Y Pihos(R) Y Pritchard(R) A Reis(R) Y Roth(R)Y Senger(R)

Y Yarbrough(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 3880. Introduced by Representative Phelps, AN ACT concerning wildlife.

HOUSE BILL ON SECOND READING

Having been reproduced, the following bill was taken up, read by title a second time and held on the order of Second Reading: HOUSE BILL 3865.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

Having been reproduced, the following bills were taken up, read by title a second time and held on the order of Second Reading: SENATE BILLS 634, 1226 and 1377.

At the hour of 6:49 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.