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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.
Senator Debbie DeFrancesco Halvorson, Crete, Illinois, presiding.
Prayer by Pastor Rick Wenneborg, Chatham Christian Church, Chatham, Illinois.
Senator Maloney led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Journal of Wednesday, June 6, 2007, was being read when on motion of Senator Hunter, further reading of same was dispensed with, and unless some Senator had corrections to offer, the Journal would stand approved. No corrections being offered, the Journal was ordered to stand approved.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES FILED

The following Floor amendments to the Senate Bills listed below have been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Rules:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 858
Senate Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 766
Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 866

The following Floor amendment to the House Bill listed below has been filed with the Secretary and referred to the Committee on Rules:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1926

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 241

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Bernard Kouri of East Peoria.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 63

Offered by Senators DeLeo – Harmon – Kotowski and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Donald E. Stephens, Mayor of the Village of Rosemont.

By unanimous consent, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

Senator Garrett offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 242

WHEREAS, According to U.S. Census Bureau data for 2004, 18%, or 51,200,000 people in the U.S. are persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, According to data from the 2004 American Community Survey, 12.4%, or 1,400,000 people in Illinois are persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, By 2030, 1,200,000 individuals nationwide with developmental disabilities will be over the age of 60; and

WHEREAS, In the U.S., 35% of people with a mental illness or developmental disability live with caregivers between ages of 40-60, and 25% live with caregivers over the age of 60; and

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WHEREAS, 1 in 6 people provide care for a chronically ill, older adult, friend or relative with a disability without public funds; and

WHEREAS, Currently more than 50% of all direct support positions, often known as caregivers, personal assistants or homecare aides, turnover every year in the U.S.; in Illinois, turnover in residential and vocational settings is nearly 70%, with an estimated cost ranging from \$2,000 to \$5,000 to replace a direct support worker; the high turnover results in vacancies, puts unfair demands on remaining workers and, most importantly, negatively impacts the quality and consistency of support to people with disabilities and mental illness; and

WHEREAS, Poor wages and heavy job demands have caused this crisis; in 2005, a report by the Illinois Direct Support Professional Workforce Initiative, using data from multiple studies, found that the average annual income for direct support professionals in residential settings, vocational settings, and in-home and respite settings ranged from \$18,366 to \$22,651; the current federal poverty level for a family of four is \$20,650; and

WHEREAS, It is essential that people with disabilities and mental illness have access to support that allows them to live and work in the communities of their choice; and

WHEREAS, In order to stabilize and increase the number of direct support professionals in the workforce, the wages and benefits of direct support professionals must be improved and made equitable among long term support options; and

WHEREAS, Medicaid is the single-largest payor of long-term support and services for people with disabilities; enhanced Federal Medicaid matching funds should be available to assist states committed to addressing wage differentials among direct support professionals by increasing the wages of direct support professionals and supporting and improving the stability of the direct support professional workforce; and

WHEREAS, The Direct Support Professionals Fairness and Security Act of 2007, as introduced in the U.S. House of Representatives in H.R. 1279, would provide a voluntary option to states to receive additional Medicaid funding to reimburse community-based organizations to raise the wages of direct support professionals; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Congress of the United States to support and pass H.R. 1279 so that states will have additional options to raise the wages of direct support professionals; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage the State of Illinois to take advantage of this option should it become available; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be sent to President George W. Bush and each member of the Illinois congressional delegation.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Senator Meeks, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, to which was referred the Motion to Concur with House Amendment to the following Senate Bill, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 234

Under the rules, the foregoing motion is eligible for consideration by the Senate.

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Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Environment and Energy, to which was referred the Motion to Concur with House Amendment to the following Senate Bill, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Motion to Concur in House Amendments 1, 4 and 5 to Senate Bill 1366

Under the rules, the foregoing motion is eligible for consideration by the Senate.

Senator Silverstein, Chairperson of the Committee on Executive, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendments, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 782

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 1100

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendments are eligible for consideration on second reading. Senator Demuzio, Chairperson of the Committee on State Government and Veterans Affairs, to which was referred the Motion to Concur with House Amendment to the following Senate Bill, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Motion to Concur in House Amendments 1 and 3 to Senate Bill 597

Under the rules, the foregoing motion is eligible for consideration by the Senate.

Senator Ronen, Chairperson of the Committee on Licensed Activities, to which was referred the Motion to Concur with House Amendment to the following Senate Bill, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1424

Under the rules, the foregoing motion is eligible for consideration by the Senate.

Senator Lightford, Chairperson of the Committee on Education, to which was referred the Motions to Concur with House Amendments to the following Senate Bills, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 853; Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1183

Under the rules, the foregoing motions are eligible for consideration by the Senate.

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Revenue, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendment, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 798

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendment is eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Crotty, Chairperson of the Committee on Local Government, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendment, reported that the Committee recommends that it be adopted:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 837

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendment is eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Crotty, Chairperson of the Committee on Local Government, to which was referred the Motions to Concur with House Amendments to the following Senate Bills, reported that the Committee recommends that it be adopted:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 434; Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 833

Under the rules, the foregoing motions are eligible for consideration by the Senate.

Senator Cullerton and Senator Dillard, Co-Chairpersons of the Committee on Judiciary Civil Law, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendment, reported that the Committee recommends that it be adopted:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1035

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendment is eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Cullerton and Senator Dillard, Co-Chairpersons of the Committee on Judiciary Civil Law, to which was referred the Motions to Concur with House Amendments to the following Senate Bills, reported that the Committee recommends that it be adopted:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 531; Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 996

Under the rules, the foregoing motions are eligible for consideration by the Senate.

Senator Wilhelmi, Chairperson of the Committee on Judiciary Criminal Law, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendments, reported that the Committee recommends that they be adopted:

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 866

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 997

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendments are eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Wilhelmi, Chairperson of the Committee on Judiciary Criminal Law, to which was referred the Motion to Concur with House Amendment to the following Senate Bill, reported that the Committee recommends that it be adopted:

Motion to Concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 677

Under the rules, the foregoing motion is eligible for consideration by the Senate.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House by

Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

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

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 51

WHEREAS, For the second year in a row, the national personal savings rate remains below zero; and

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WHEREAS, A negative savings rate in the United States has not occurred since the Great Depression; and

WHEREAS, Nationally, one in five families have a negative net worth; about one-third of low-income households and more than one-tenth of moderate-income households report having no financial assets at all; and

WHEREAS, The United States Congress has reintroduced legislation in the 110th Congress creating the Savings for Working Families Act that would ensure that our nation's savings and ownership policies assist working-poor families by enabling them to save, build wealth, and enter the financial mainstream through the use of Individual Development Accounts; and

WHEREAS, Individual Development Accounts help low-income families build assets for buying a first home, receiving post-secondary education, or starting or expanding a small business; and

WHEREAS, The President of the United States included funding for 900,000 Individual Development Accounts in his 2007 budget request, and, meanwhile, the Congress, in a bi-partisan effort, gathered 68 co-sponsors (35 Democrats and 33 Republicans) on the bill; and

WHEREAS, The Savings for Working Families Act creates a tax credit for financial institutions that match the savings of the working poor through Individual Development Accounts; and

WHEREAS, Financial institutions offering Individual Development Accounts will be reimbursed through a federal tax credit for all matching funds, up to \$500 per year for four years, and receive a tax credit of \$50 per account per year for account management; and

WHEREAS, Those who save in an Individual Development Account must complete financial education from a nonprofit organization prior to the asset purchase; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that the Illinois General Assembly urges the members of the Illinois delegation to the United States Congress to give full consideration to the passage of the Savings for Working Families Act as represented in House Resolution 1514; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be sent to each member of the Illinois congressional delegation.

Adopted by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 51 was referred to the Committee on Rules.

A message from the House by
Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1259

A bill for AN ACT concerning community revitalization.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1259

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

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A message from the House by
 Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:
 Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to-wit:
 SENATE BILL NO. 1265

A bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.
 Passed the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
 Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:
 Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1289

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.
 Which amendment is as follows:
 Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1289
 Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
 Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:
 Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1293

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.
 Which amendment is as follows:
 Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1293
 Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
 Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:
 Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1300

A bill for AN ACT concerning agriculture.
 Which amendment is as follows:
 Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1300
 Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
 Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:
 Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1319

A bill for AN ACT concerning insurance.
 Which amendments are as follows:
 Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1319
 Senate Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1319

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Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by

Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1330

A bill for AN ACT concerning education.

Which amendments are as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1330

Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1330

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by

Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1384

A bill for AN ACT concerning energy efficiency.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1384

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by

Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1403

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1403

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by

Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1406

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1406

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

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A message from the House by
Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1423

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1423

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1491

A bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1491

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendments to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 1499

A bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

Which amendments are as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1499

Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1499

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL 3614

A bill for AN ACT concerning animals.

Which amendment is as follows:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 3614

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

A message from the House by
Mr. Mahoney, Clerk:

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

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Concurred in by the House, June 7, 2007.

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MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

At the hour of 12:10 o'clock p.m., Senator DeLeo presiding.

**MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

EMIL JONES, JR.
SENATE PRESIDENT

327 STATE CAPITOL
Springfield, Illinois 62706

June 6, 2007

Ms. Deborah Shipley
Secretary of the Senate
Room 403 State House
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Madam Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-2(c), I hereby appoint Senator Rickey Hendon to resume his position on the Senate Executive Committee. This appointment is effective immediately.

Sincerely,
s/Emil Jones, Jr.
Senate President

cc: Senate Minority Leader Frank Watson

REPORT FROM RULES COMMITTEE

Senator Halvorson, Chairperson of the Committee on Rules, during its June 7, 2007 meeting, reported the following Senate Resolutions have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committee of the Senate:

State Government and Veterans Affairs: **Senate Resolutions Numbered 199, 200, 205, 206, 220, 228 and 240; Senate Joint Resolutions Numbered 56, 57 and 59; House Joint Resolutions Numbered 11 and 24.**

At the hour of 12:17 o'clock p.m., Senator Halvorson presiding.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION

Senator Link offered the following Senate Joint Resolution and, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for its immediate consideration, moved its adoption:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 62

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that when the two Houses adjourn on Thursday, June 07, 2007, the Senate stands adjourned until Thursday, June 14, 2007 at 12:00 o'clock noon; and the House of Representatives stands adjourned until Friday,

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June 08, 2007, in perfunctory session; and when it adjourns on that day, it stands adjourned until Monday, June 11, 2007, in perfunctory session; and when it adjourns on that day, it stands adjourned until Tuesday, June 12, 2007, at 2:00 o'clock p.m.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILLS ON SECRETARY'S DESK

On motion of Senator Garrett, **Senate Bill No. 144**, with House Amendment No. 3 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Garrett moved that the Senate nonconcur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate nonconcurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 3 to **Senate Bill No. 144**.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Jacobs, **Senate Bill No. 1261**, with House Amendment No. 2 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Jacobs moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Yeas 49; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	Kotowski	Ronen
Bomke	Frerichs	Lightford	Rutherford
Bond	Garrett	Link	Sandoval
Brady	Haine	Maloney	Schoenberg
Burzynski	Halvorson	Martinez	Sullivan
Clayborne	Harmon	Millner	Trotter
Cronin	Hendon	Munoz	Viverito
Crotty	Holmes	Murphy	Watson
Cullerton	Hultgren	Noland	Wilhelmi
Dahl	Hunter	Peterson	Mr. President
DeLeo	Jacobs	Raoul	
Demuzio	Jones, J.	Righter	
Dillard	Koehler	Risinger	

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 2 to **Senate Bill No. 1261**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Demuzio, **Senate Bill No. 1481**, with House Amendment No. 1 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Demuzio moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

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Yeas 46; Nays 1.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	Kotowski	Ronen
Bomke	Garrett	Lightford	Rutherford
Bond	Haine	Link	Sandoval
Brady	Halvorson	Maloney	Schoenberg
Clayborne	Harmon	Martinez	Sullivan
Cronin	Hendon	Millner	Trotter
Crotty	Holmes	Munoz	Viverito
Cullerton	Hultgren	Murphy	Watson
Dahl	Hunter	Noland	Wilhelmi
DeLeo	Jacobs	Peterson	Mr. President
Demuzio	Jones, J.	Raoul	
Dillard	Koehler	Risinger	

The following voted in the negative:

Burzynski

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 1 to **Senate Bill No. 1481**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Schoenberg, **Senate Bill No. 1617**, with House Amendment No. 1 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Schoenberg moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Yeas 51; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	Kotowski	Righter
Bomke	Frerichs	Lightford	Risinger
Bond	Garrett	Link	Ronen
Brady	Haine	Luechtefeld	Rutherford
Burzynski	Halvorson	Maloney	Sandoval
Clayborne	Harmon	Martinez	Schoenberg
Cronin	Hendon	Millner	Sullivan
Crotty	Holmes	Munoz	Trotter
Cullerton	Hultgren	Murphy	Viverito
Dahl	Hunter	Noland	Watson
DeLeo	Jacobs	Peterson	Wilhelmi
Demuzio	Jones, J.	Radogno	Mr. President
Dillard	Koehler	Raoul	

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 1 to **Senate Bill No. 1617**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Haine, **Senate Bill No. 1627**, with House Amendment No. 1 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

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Senator Haine moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Yeas 51; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	Kotowski	Righter
Bomke	Frerichs	Lightford	Risinger
Bond	Garrett	Link	Ronen
Brady	Haine	Luechtefeld	Rutherford
Burzynski	Halvorson	Maloney	Sandoval
Clayborne	Harmon	Martinez	Schoenberg
Cronin	Hendon	Millner	Sullivan
Crotty	Holmes	Munoz	Trotter
Cullerton	Hultgren	Murphy	Viverito
Dahl	Hunter	Noland	Watson
DeLeo	Jacobs	Peterson	Wilhelmi
Demuzio	Jones, J.	Radogno	Mr. President
Dillard	Koehler	Raoul	

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 1 to **Senate Bill No. 1627**.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Raoul, **Senate Bill No. 1653**, with House Amendment No. 1 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Raoul moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendment to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Yeas 50; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	Kotowski	Righter
Bomke	Frerichs	Lightford	Risinger
Bond	Garrett	Link	Ronen
Brady	Haine	Luechtefeld	Sandoval
Burzynski	Halvorson	Maloney	Schoenberg
Clayborne	Harmon	Martinez	Sullivan
Cronin	Hendon	Millner	Trotter
Crotty	Holmes	Munoz	Viverito
Cullerton	Hultgren	Murphy	Watson
Dahl	Hunter	Noland	Wilhelmi
DeLeo	Jacobs	Peterson	Mr. President
Demuzio	Jones, J.	Radogno	
Dillard	Koehler	Raoul	

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 1 to **Senate Bill No. 1653**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Senator Hunter, **Senate Bill No. 1664**, with House Amendments numbered 1 and 2 on the Secretary's Desk, was taken up for immediate consideration.

Senator Hunter moved that the Senate concur with the House in the adoption of their amendments to said bill.

And on that motion, a call of the roll was had resulting as follows:

Yeas 51; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	Kotowski	Righter
Bomke	Frerichs	Lightford	Risinger
Bond	Garrett	Link	Ronen
Brady	Haine	Luechtefeld	Rutherford
Burzynski	Halvorson	Maloney	Sandoval
Clayborne	Harmon	Martinez	Schoenberg
Cronin	Hendon	Millner	Sullivan
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Dahl	Hunter	Noland	Watson
DeLeo	Jacobs	Peterson	Wilhelmi
Demuzio	Jones, J.	Radogno	Mr. President
Dillard	Koehler	Raoul	

The motion prevailed.

And the Senate concurred with the House in the adoption of their Amendments numbered 1 and 2 to **Senate Bill No. 1664**, by a three-fifths vote.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof.

RESOLUTIONS CONSENT CALENDAR

SENATE RESOLUTION 237

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Golden C. Barton of Mitchell.

SENATE RESOLUTION 238

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Quentin Yerby of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION 239

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ora Dee Luckett of Chicago.

SENATE RESOLUTION 241

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Bernard Kouri of East Peoria.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 63

Offered by Senators DeLeo – Harmon – Kotowski and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald E. Stephens, Mayor of the Village of Rosemont.

The Chair moved the adoption of the Resolutions Consent Calendar. The motion prevailed, and the resolutions were adopted.

EXCUSED FROM ATTENDANCE

On motion of Senator Link, Senator Silverstein was excused from attendance due to business in his district.

At the hour of 12:34 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution No. 62**, the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Thursday, June 14, 2007, at 12:00 o'clock noon.