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94TH LEGISLATIVE DAY

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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator John M. Sullivan, Rushville, Illinois, presiding.

Prayer by Reverend Peter Williams, St. Luke Baptist Church, Rockford, Illinois.

Senator Cunningham led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Journal of Tuesday, May 5, 2015, 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.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 6, 2015, 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.

The Journal of Thursday, May 7, 2015, 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.

The Journal of Tuesday, May 12, 2015, 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.

The Journal of Wednesday, May 13, 2015, 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.

The Journal of Thursday, May 14, 2015, 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.

The Journal of Monday, May 18, 2015, 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.

Senator Hunter moved that reading and approval of the Journals of Thursday, March 17, 2016 and Wednesday, March 30, 2016, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journals.

The motion prevailed.

REPORTS RECEIVED

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

Reporting Requirement of Public Act 98-1142 (Eavesdropping), submitted by the Kendall County State's Attorney.

Focus on Progress, Transforming Transportation 2016 Illinois Tollway Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Tollway.

Report of Social Services Block Grant Fund and Local Initiative Fund Receipts and Transfers, State Fiscal Year 2016, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

The Homeless Prevention Program Annual Report for FY 2015, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

CMS report on staffing level of bilingual employees, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

DJJ Quarterly Report, April 2016, submitted by the Department of Juvenile Justice.

2016 Annual Report on The Costs and Benefits of Renewable Resource Procurement in Illinois Under the Illinois Power Agency and Illinois Public Utilities Acts, submitted by the Illinois Power Agency.

Annual Report of the Medical Assistance Program Fiscal Years 2013, 2014 and 2015, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Women and Minorities in the Illinois Labor Force 2016 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Employment Security.

The foregoing reports were ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary's Office.

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 Assignments:

Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 230 Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 391 Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 399 Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 460 Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 572 Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 630 Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2368 Floor Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill 2845

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

Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1525 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2191 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2213 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2221 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2261 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2264 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2271 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2283 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2287 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2288 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2289 Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2289 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2306 Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2321 Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2323 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2331 Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2344 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2347 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2355 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2370 Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2370 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2412 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2416 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2432 Committee Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 2433 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2435 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2460 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2519 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2537

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

Committee Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 2459

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT STATE OF ILLINOIS

JOHN J. CULLERTON SENATE PRESIDENT 327 STATE CAPITOL SPRINGFIELD, IL 62706 217-782-2728

March 31, 2016

Mr. Tim Anderson Secretary of the Senate Room 403, State House Springfield, IL 62704

Dear Secretary Anderson:

I respectfully request that you withdraw my Motion to Reconsider on Senate Bill 777 filed on May 31, 2015.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely, s/John J. Cullerton John J. Cullerton Senate President

COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE MINORITY LEADER

ILLINOIS STATE SENATE CHRISTINE RADOGNO SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER 41ST SENATE DISTRICT

April 4, 2016

Mr. Tim Anderson Secretary of the Senate 401 State House Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-2, I am making the following changes to the Committee appointments:

Senator Dave Syverson shall be Minority Spokesperson on the Senate Public Health Committee replacing former Senator Dan Duffy.

Senator Chuck Weaver shall replace Senator Dave Syverson as a Member of the Senate Public Health Committee.

Senator Chuck Weaver shall replace former Senator Dan Duffy as a Member of the Senate Insurance Committee.

These appointments are effective immediately.

Sincerely, s/Christine Radogno Christine Radogno Senate Republican Leader

cc: Senate President John Cullerton Assistant Secretary Scott Kaiser

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ILLINOIS STATE SENATE CHRISTINE RADOGNO SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER 41ST SENATE DISTRICT

April 5, 2016

Mr. Tim Anderson Secretary of the Senate 401 State House Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Rule 3-5 (c), I am hereby appointing Senator Murphy to replace Senator Bivens on the Senate Human Services Committee. This appointment is effective immediately and shall automatically expire at the end of the day.

Sincerely, s/Christine Radogno Christine Radogno Senate Republican Leader

cc: Senate President John Cullerton Assistant Secretary Scott Kaiser

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April 3, 2016

Tim Anderson Secretary of the Senate 401 State Capitol Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Secretary Anderson,

This letter is to inform you of my resignation as State Senator from the 26th Legislative District, effective Sunday, April 3, 2016.

It has been my honor and privilege to represent and serve the people of the 26th Legislative District as their State Senator for nearly 8 years. I will always remember and cherish the many friendships I have developed during my years in the General Assembly.

I wish all the best to you, my colleagues in the Senate and the wonderful staff that I have been fortunate to work with during my years in the Illinois General Assembly.

Sincerely,

s/Dan Duffy Dan Duffy State Senator

Cc: Senate President John Cullerton Republican Leader Christine Radogno Assistant Secretary of the Senate Scott Kaiser

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1697

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Former Illinois State Representative Shirley Marie Jones of Chicago.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1698

Offered by Senator Oberweis and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Sondra Lea Hecox.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1699

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ken M. Christy.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1700

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Michael Bernard Jones of North Chicago.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1701

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of George C. Williams of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1702

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Jack N. Hobbs of Silvis.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1703

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Eugene C. Andrus of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1704

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert W. Wells of Cordova.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1705

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lyle A. Vroman of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1706

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Roy E. McGuire of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1707

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edward H.

"Ed" Meyer of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1708

Offered by Senator Stadelman and all Senators: Mourns the death of Donald Lee Zimmerman.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1709

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Charles P. Cossaboon of East Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1710

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Alexander Peter Aldrian of Milan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1711

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Charles J. McCormick of Colona.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1712

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert Dale Sherman, Sr., of Gillespie.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1713

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William L. Brown of Gillespie.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1714

Offered by Senator Rezin and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Roy W. Giacomelli of Ladd.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1717

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Ann V. Furto.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1718

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Eugene Graf of Hobart, Indiana.

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

Senator Radogno offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1715

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate wish to recognize the Illinois Association of REALTORS for its commitment to proudly representing the real estate industry in the State of Illinois for 100 years; and

WHEREAS, The mission of the Illinois Association of REALTORS is to be the premier real estate advocate for the public, its members, and the communities they serve; and

WHEREAS, In its 100-year history, the Illinois Association of REALTORS has become known as the "Voice for Real Estate" and it takes pride in advocating for the protection of private property rights and in helping families realize the American Dream of homeownership; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of REALTORS achieves its mission by educating its members and by advocating on issues at the State and local level of government; and

WHEREAS, On April 25, 1916, the Articles of Incorporation were signed creating the Real Estate Association of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Since its incorporation, the Illinois Association of REALTORS, has been watchful over the issues of property taxes, tax reform, and fees that impact the transfer of real estate; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of REALTORS achieved its primary goal of securing the first Illinois real estate license law in 1922; amended many times over the following years, it established standards for the real estate profession; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of REALTORS partners with the Regional Economic Applications Laboratory (REAL) at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign to provide essential housing reports and market forecasts to Illinois media; it also researches the positive economic impact of home sales across many sectors of the Illinois economy; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of REALTORS engages directly with consumers on local advocacy issues through the Real Property Alliance; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of REALTORS Relief Foundation has provided needed assistance to hard hit communities, donating more than \$575,000 toward disaster relief since 1997; teams of Illinois realtors, alongside Habitat for Humanity, have assisted in rebuilding efforts throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of REALTORS opened a newly constructed headquarters building in the downtown Springfield historic district in 2007 and has been a supporter of the Springfield community as a sponsor of the Kidzeum's Green Home Construction Exhibit and a founding supporter of the Governor's Mansion Restoration Project; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we recognize the Illinois Association of REALTORS, its members, and its staff during its 100th anniversary celebration in recognition of their advocacy on issues important to all matters related to real estate and private property rights; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we designate April 25, 2016 as "Illinois REALTORS Day" in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Illinois Association of REALTORS and all local realtors associations throughout the State of Illinois.

Senator Hunter offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1716

WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, founded on the campus of Howard University in 1908 and incorporated in 1913, has established a mandate for carrying out the vision of a new day of excellence and performance; and

WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority is the nation's oldest African-American sorority; the Sorority has never changed its mission to cultivate and encourage high scholastic and ethical standards, promote unity and friendship among college women, help alleviate problems concerning girls and women in order to improve their social status, maintain a progressive interest in college life, and to be of "Service to All Mankind"; and

WHEREAS, The 2014-2018 Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. administration, under the dynamic and creative leadership of International President Dorothy Buckhanan Wilson, continues to fulfill the service imperative of the organization's founders with the international program "Launching New Dimensions of Service", which focuses on educational enrichment, health promotion, family strengthening, environmental ownership, and global impact; and

WHEREAS, The 2016 program for "Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Day at the Capitol" in Springfield, nationwide, and internationally, will focus on mental health, which is part of Target #2 of the sorority's "Launching New Dimensions of Service" international program, "Civil Rights/Social Justice" and "Be The Voice Campaign" (voter registration, voter education, voter mobilization and voter participation); the "Be the Voice Campaign" was launched at the Central Regional Conference in Chicago from March 3-6, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Many prominent women have been or are members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., including the late First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt, the late civil rights leaders Coretta Scott King and Rosa Parks, actress Phylicia Rashad, the late poet Maya Angelou, writer Toni Morrison, singer Alicia Keys, attorney Star Jones, financial expert Mellody Hobson, comedian/actress Wanda Sykes, actress Jada Pinkett-Smith, Cook County Recorder of Deeds Karen Yarbrough, Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle, and the President of Liberia, Ellen Johnson Sirleaf; and

WHEREAS, Many members of the General Assembly and legislative staff are members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc., including Senate Majority Whip Mattie Hunter, Senator Toi Hutchinson, Representative Monique Davis, India Hammons, and Nia Odeoti-Hassan, who has served since 2010 as the Illinois State Connection Coordinator and the chairwoman of the Illinois State Connection Committee in the Central Region under the leadership of Regional Director Kathy Walker-Steele; and

WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha's storied history of proven leadership and extensive involvement in the world community through strategic partnerships evidence the sorority's potential to significantly contribute to the world community; and

WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated made history and expanded its international presence when it chartered its first chapter, Omega Theta Omega, in the Middle East; the chapter's 37 women, located in Abu Dhabi, Dubai and throughout the United Arab Emirates, are business executives, attorneys, educators, and physicians, among other accomplished professionals; and

WHEREAS, Leadership development is essential to the vitality of the organization, and the sorority's continuing requirements of academic excellence, shared values, and dedication to the mission of Alpha Kappa Alpha ensure a continuous wellspring of quality leaders; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the date of May 11, 2016 as Alpha Kappa Alpha Day in the State of Illinois in honor of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated, and its work; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be provided to Kathy Walker-Steele, Central Regional Director; Dorothy Buckhanan Wilson, International President; Sylvia Blackmon-Roberts, International Connection Committee Chairman; and Bakahia Madison, Central Regional Representative to the International Connection Committee.

Senator Delgado offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 49

WHEREAS, The State Board of Education has filed its Report on Waivers of School Code Mandates, dated February 29, 2016, with the Senate, the House of Representatives, and the Secretary of State as required by Section 2-3.25g of the School Code; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that the General Assembly is encouraged to promptly review and evaluate the Report and determine whether to disapprove, in whole or in part, the Report or any waiver request or appealed request outlined in the Report.

Senator Raoul offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 50

WHEREAS, Interstate 57 is a major thoroughfare in the United States interstate system of roads which, in part, is situated through sections of the south side of Chicago and through the City of Rantoul, tracing along the route of the former Illinois Central railroad line; and

WHEREAS, The "Tuskegee Airmen" is the popular name of a group of African American pilots who fought in World War II; formally, they were the 332nd Fighter Group and the 477th Bombardment Group of the U.S. Army Air Corps; the Tuskegee Airmen were dedicated, determined young men who enlisted to become America's first black military airmen; and

WHEREAS, The Tuskegee Airmen were the first African American military aviators in the United States Armed Forces; during World War II, African Americans in many U.S. states were still subject to racist Jim Crow laws; the American military was no exception, as it too was racially segregated along with much of the federal government; the Tuskegee Airmen were subject to racial discrimination, both within and outside the Army; despite these adversities, they trained and flew with distinction; each of the men possessed a strong personal desire to serve the United States to the best of his ability; and

WHEREAS, By the spring of 1944 the all-black 332nd Fighter Group had been sent overseas with three fighter squadrons: the 100th, 301st and 302nd; these squadrons were moved to mainland Italy, where the 99th Fighter Squadron, assigned to the group on May 1, 1944, joined them on June 6, at Rarnitelli Airfield, near Termoli, on the Adriatic coast; from Rarnitelli, the 332nd Fighter Group escorted the Fifteenth Air Force heavy strategic bombing raids into Czechoslovakia, Austria, Hungary, Poland, and Germany; flying escort for heavy bombers, the 332nd earned an impressive combat record; the Allies called these airmen 'Red Tails' or 'Red-Tail Angels' because of the distinctive crimson paint predominately applied on the tail section of the unit's aircraft; these assignments marked the first aerial combat missions ever carried out by African American pilots; and

WHEREAS, 996 pilots in total were trained in Tuskegee from 1941 to 1946, approximately 445 were deployed overseas, and 150 Airmen lost their lives in accidents or combat; the blood cost included 66 pilots killed in action or accidents, and 32 fallen into captivity as prisoners of war; the Tuskegee Airmen were credited by higher commands with the following accomplishments:

15,533 combat sorties and 1578 missions;

112 German aircraft destroyed in the air and another 150 on the ground;

950 railcars, trucks, and other motor vehicles destroyed;

One destroyer sunk by P-47 machine gun fire;

A nearly perfect record of not losing U.S. bombers; and

WHEREAS, Awards and decorations awarded for valor and performance included:

Three Distinguished Unit Citations (99th Pursuit Squadron: May 30-June 11, 1943 for the capture of Pantelleria, Italy; 99th Fighter Squadron: May 12-14, 1944 for successful air strikes against Monte Cassino, Italy; and 332d Fighter Group: March 24, 1945 for the longest bomber escort mission of World War II);

At least one Silver Star;

An estimated 150 Distinguished Flying Crosses;

14 Bronze Stars:

744 Air Medals;

8 Purple Hearts; and

WHEREAS, After the end of World War II, black airmen returned to the United States and once again faced racism and hatred, despite their outstanding service record; and

WHEREAS, These brave men deserve to be recognized by the State of Illinois for their service to their country during wartime; and

WHEREAS, Kentucky became the first state to honor the Tuskegee Airmen when it named U.S. Interstate 75 the "Tuskegee Airmen Memorial Trail" in 2010; and

WHEREAS, Rantoul is the location of Chanute Field, where the first unit of the Tuskegee Airmen, the 99th Pursuit Squadron, was activated on March 19, 1941; over 250 enlisted men were trained at Chanute in aircraft ground support trades before all operations were moved to Tuskegee, Alabama; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the section of Interstate 57 between Exit 250 at U.S. Route 136 in Rantoul and Exit 358 at Wentworth Avenue in Chicago as the Tuskegee Airmen Memorial Trail; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name of the Tuskegee Airmen Memorial Trail; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation and the Chicago "DODO" Chapter of the Tuskegee Airmen, Incorporated.

INTRODUCTION OF BILL

SENATE BILL NO. 3413. Introduced by Senator Cunningham, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

Appointment Message No. 990444

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: March 21, 2016

End Date: January 31, 2019

Name: Amy Kurson

Residence: 1259 Walters Ave., Northbrook, IL 60062

Annual Compensation: \$46,960

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Daniel Biss

Most Recent Holder of Office: Rozanne Ronen

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990445

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Liquor Control Commission

Start Date: March 21, 2016

End Date: February 1, 2022

Name: Tom Gibbons

Residence: 10024 S. Leavitt St., Chicago, IL 60643

Annual Compensation: \$34,053

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Bill Cunningham

Most Recent Holder of Office: Amy Kurson

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990446

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member (Employer)

Agency or Other Body: State Mining Board

Start Date: March 21, 2016

End Date: January 16, 2017

Name: John Duty

Residence: 15251 Corinth Rd., Marion, IL 62959

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Gary Forby

Most Recent Holder of Office: Timothy Kirkpatrick

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990447

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member (Physician - Non Specified)

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Board of Health

Start Date: March 21, 2016

End Date: November 1, 2018

Name: Vincent Bufalino

Residence: 583 Hill Ave., Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Chris Nybo

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990448

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member (Veterinarian)

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Board of Health

Start Date: March 21, 2016

End Date: November 1, 2018

Name: John Herrmann

Residence: 665 W. Fairview Rd., Freeport, IL 61032

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Tim Bivins

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990449

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member and Chair

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Student Assistance Commission

Start Date: March 28, 2016

End Date: June 30, 2021

Name: Kevin Huber

Residence: 1012 Ashley Lane, Libertyville, IL 60048

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Dan Duffy

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990450

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Department of Innovation and Technology

Start Date: April 4, 2016

End Date: January 16, 2017

Name: Hardik Bhatt

Residence: 6821 N. Algonquin Ave., Chicago, IL 60646

Annual Compensation: \$150,228

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Ira I. Silverstein

Most Recent Holder of Office: New Position

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990451

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Chair

Agency or Other Body: Property Tax Appeal Board

Start Date: April 4, 2016

End Date: January 21, 2019

Name: Mauro Glorioso

Residence: 2917 Becket Ave., Westchester, IL 60154

Annual Compensation: \$64,703

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kimberly A. Lightford

Most Recent Holder of Office: Robert J. Steffen

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 990452

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Ninth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Board of Higher Education

Start Date: April 4, 2016

End Date: January 31, 2021

Name: Jack Thomas

Residence: 2001 Wigwam Hollow Rd., Macomb, IL 61455

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator John M. Sullivan

Most Recent Holder of Office: Mary Richardson-Lowry

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Under the rules, the foregoing Appointment Messages were referred to the Committee on Assignments.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Bush offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1719

WHEREAS, Zion Nuclear Power Station was a dual reactor nuclear power plant built in 1973 along the shore of Lake Michigan on 257 acres in the City of Zion; and

WHEREAS, The two Zion reactor units, each with a generating capacity of 1,040 MW, remained operational for approximately 23 years from 1973 to 1997; and

WHEREAS, The construction of the Zion Nuclear Power Station was funded by utility ratepayers throughout the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The people of Zion cooperated with utilities in the construction and placement of the Zion Nuclear Power Station in their city; and

WHEREAS, Zion Nuclear Power Station paid \$19.8 million in local taxes in 1996, and those taxes represented approximately 55% of the local tax base; and

WHEREAS, The loss of tax revenue has shifted the local tax burden onto the people of Zion, and negatively impacted the local taxing bodies including the City of Zion, Zion Township, Zion Elementary School District 6, Zion-Benton High School District 126, Zion Benton Library District, and Zion Park District; and

WHEREAS, Decontamination and dismantlement of the Zion Nuclear Power Station began in 2011 and continues with an estimated 2020 final closure date; and

WHEREAS, The 1982 federal Nuclear Waste Policy Act was enacted to provide for the development of repositories for the disposal of high-level radioactive waste and spent nuclear fuel, including creation of the Interim Storage Fund; and

WHEREAS, The previously approved spent nuclear fuel repository at Yucca Mountain remains incomplete and unfunded and no alternative permanent fuel repository has been designated; and

WHEREAS, The Interim Storage Fund was created using ratepayer funds to make payments to a state or local government to mitigate social or economic impacts arising from the operation of an interim storage facility; and

WHEREAS, Upon completion of the dismantlement process, due to the lack of a permanent fuel repository, 2.2 million pounds of spent nuclear fuel rods will remain at the Zion Nuclear Power Station, rendering the area a de facto interim nuclear storage facility; and

WHEREAS, The storage of this nuclear material will render a large portion of Zion's Lake Michigan shoreline unusable and valued at a fraction of its fair market value, resulting in a massive negative economic impact on the community; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge Congress to pass legislation to allocate funds from the Interim Storage Fund to the local authorities in Zion and other similarly situated communities to mitigate social and economic impacts arising from the storage of nuclear material; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives Paul Ryan, U.S. Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell, and all members of the Illinois Congressional Delegation.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1720

Offered by Senator Syverson and all Senators: Mourns the death of Steven Browning Sample.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1721

Offered by Senator Syverson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Albert Denis McCoy.

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

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 Assignments:

Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2155 Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2527

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

Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2356 Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2570 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2781 Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3021

Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3340

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

Committee Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 2459

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its April 5, 2016 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2910; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3130.

Appropriations II: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2966.

Criminal Law: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2191; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2221; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2344; Committee Amendment

No. 1 to Senate Bill 2347; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2588; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2947; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3096; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3119; Committee Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 2459.

Education: Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 230; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2264; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2970.

Energy and Public Utilities: Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 461; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2785.

Environment and Conservation: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2587; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2914; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2920; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3289.

Executive: Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 399; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 572; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2233; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2256; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2370; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2747; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2804; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3109.

Financial Institutions: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2432; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2879.

Higher Education: Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2155; Floor Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill 2157; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2174; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3301; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3343.

Human Services: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2306; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2321; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2331; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2734; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2781; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2006; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3032.

Insurance: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2355; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2609; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2771.

Judiciary: Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 391; Floor Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill 2138; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2186; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2213; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2333; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2435; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2506; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2805; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2839; Floor Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill 2845; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2956; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3031; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3030; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3033; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 3036; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 30333.

Licensed Activities and Pensions: Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 460; Committee Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 2433; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2537; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2900; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2900; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2925; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3274.

Local Government: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2287; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2288; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2289; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2323; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2412; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2816; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2905; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2922; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2924; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3076.

Public Health: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2301; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2416; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2460; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2519; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2795; Committee Amendment

No. 1 to Senate Bill 2837; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 3011; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3027.

Revenue: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1525; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2593

Special Committee on Restorative Justice: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2282.

State Government and Veterans Affairs: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2271; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2368; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2884; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3010; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3311.

Transportation: Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 630; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2261; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2570; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3020; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3177; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3313.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2289; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2370; Committee Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 2459

READING BILLS OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME

On motion of Senator Syverson, **Senate Bill No. 2459** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 48; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Delgado	McCarter	Silverstein
Anderson	Forby	McGuire	Stadelman
Barickman	Haine	Morrison	Steans
Bennett	Harmon	Mulroe	Sullivan
Bertino-Tarrant	Hastings	Muñoz	Syverson
Biss	Holmes	Murphy, L.	Trotter
Brady	Hunter	Murphy, M.	Van Pelt
Bush	Hutchinson	Noland	Weaver
Clayborne	Lightford	Radogno	Mr. President
Collins	Link	Raoul	
Connelly	Manar	Rezin	
Cullerton, T.	Martinez	Rose	
Cunningham	McCann	Sandoval	

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

On motion of Senator Biss, **Senate Bill No. 2465** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

Steans

Sullivan

Van Pelt

Mr. President

Trotter

YEAS 32; NAYS 19; Present 1.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bennett Morrison Hastings Bertino-Tarrant Holmes Mulroe Biss Hunter Muñoz Hutchinson Bush Murphy, L. Clavborne Lightford Noland Collins Link Raou1 Delgado Manar Sandoval Harmon Silverstein Martinez Harris McGuire Stadelman

The following voted in the negative:

Althoff Cullerton, T. Murphy, M. Righter Anderson Cunningham Nybo Rose Barickman Luechtefeld Oberweis Syverson Brady McCann Radogno Weaver Connelly McCarter Rezin

The following voted present:

Haine

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

On motion of Senator Steans, **Senate Bill No. 2512** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 52; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Martinez

McCann

Althoff Forby McCarter Rose Anderson Haine McGuire Sandoval Morrison Barickman Harmon Silverstein Bennett Harris Mulroe Stadelman Bertino-Tarrant Hastings Muñoz Steans Biss Holmes Murphy, L. Sullivan Brady Hunter Murphy, M. Trotter Van Pelt Bush Hutchinson Noland Clayborne Lightford Nvbo Weaver Collins Link Oberweis Mr. President Connelly Luechtefeld Radogno Cullerton, T. Manar Raou1

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Rezin

Righter

Cunningham

Delgado

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

On motion of Senator Barickman, **Senate Bill No. 2521** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 53; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	McCarter	Rose
Anderson	Haine	McGuire	Sandoval
Barickman	Harmon	Morrison	Silverstein
Bennett	Harris	Mulroe	Stadelman
Bertino-Tarrant	Hastings	Muñoz	Steans
Biss	Holmes	Murphy, L.	Sullivan
Brady	Hunter	Murphy, M.	Syverson
Bush	Hutchinson	Noland	Trotter
Clayborne	Lightford	Nybo	Van Pelt
Collins	Link	Oberweis	Weaver
Connelly	Luechtefeld	Radogno	Mr. President
Cullerton, T.	Manar	Raoul	
Cunningham	Martinez	Rezin	
Delgado	McCann	Righter	

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

On motion of Senator Harmon, **Senate Bill No. 2522** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 52; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	McCarter	Rose
Anderson	Haine	McGuire	Sandoval
Barickman	Harmon	Morrison	Silverstein
Bennett	Harris	Mulroe	Stadelman
Bertino-Tarrant	Hastings	Muñoz	Steans
Biss	Holmes	Murphy, L.	Sullivan
Brady	Hunter	Murphy, M.	Trotter
Bush	Hutchinson	Noland	Van Pelt
Clayborne	Lightford	Nybo	Weaver
Collins	Link	Oberweis	Mr. President
Connelly	Luechtefeld	Radogno	
Cullerton, T.	Manar	Raoul	
Cunningham	Martinez	Rezin	
Delgado	McCann	Righter	

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

On motion of Senator Morrison, **Senate Bill No. 2524** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 52; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff Haine McGuire Sar	ndoval
Anderson Harmon Morrison Silv	verstein
Bennett Harris Mulroe Sta	delman
Bertino-Tarrant Hastings Muñoz Ste	ans
Biss Holmes Murphy, L. Sul	llivan
Brady Hunter Murphy, M. Syv	verson
Bush Hutchinson Noland Tro	otter
Clayborne Lightford Nybo Var	n Pelt
Collins Link Oberweis We	eaver
Connelly Luechtefeld Radogno Mr.	. President
Cullerton, T. Manar Raoul	
Cunningham Martinez Rezin	
Delgado McCann Righter	
Forby McCarter Rose	

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

On motion of Senator Hastings, **Senate Bill No. 2532** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 51; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff	Forby	McCarter	Righter
Anderson	Haine	McGuire	Rose
Bennett	Harmon	Morrison	Sandoval
Bertino-Tarrant	Harris	Mulroe	Silverstein
Biss	Hastings	Muñoz	Stadelman
Brady	Holmes	Murphy, L.	Steans
Bush	Hunter	Murphy, M.	Sullivan
Clayborne	Hutchinson	Noland	Syverson
Collins	Lightford	Nybo	Trotter
Connelly	Link	Oberweis	Van Pelt
Cullerton, T.	Manar	Radogno	Weaver
Cunningham	Martinez	Raoul	Mr. President
Delgado	McCann	Rezin	

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

On motion of Senator Hunter, **Senate Bill No. 2601** having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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

YEAS 52; NAYS None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Althoff Haine McGuire Anderson Harmon Morrison Barickman Harris Mulroe Hastings Muñoz Bennett Biss Holmes Murphy, L. Brady Hunter Murphy, M. Bush Hutchinson Noland Clayborne Lightford Nybo Collins Link Oberweis Connelly Luechtefeld Radogno Cullerton, T. Manar Raoul Cunningham Martinez Rezin Delgado McCann Righter Forby McCarter Rose

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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

At the hour of 1:10 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at 12:00 o'clock noon.

PERFUNCTORY SESSION 5:55 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Senate met pursuant to the directive of the President.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 2-5(c)2, the Secretary of the Senate conducted the perfunctory session.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT STATE OF ILLINOIS

JOHN J. CULLERTON SENATE PRESIDENT

327 STATE CAPITOL SPRINGFIELD, IL 62706 217-782-2728

Sandoval

Silverstein

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Sullivan

Syverson

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Weaver Mr. President

Trotter

April 5, 2016

Mr. Tim Anderson Secretary of the Senate Room 403 State House Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a Perfunctory Session to convene on April 5, 2016.

Sincerely, s/John J. Cullerton John J. Cullerton Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1722

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators: Mourns the death of Antonio W. "Tony" Ferris of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1723

Offered by Senator Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Geraldine A. "Gerri" Brauneis of Oak Park.

By direction of the Secretary, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

Senator T. Cullerton offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

SC0029

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article V of the Illinois Constitution by changing Sections 1, 2, 3, 6, and 7 and by repealing Sections 4 and 14 as follows:

ARTICLE V THE EXECUTIVE

SECTION 1. OFFICERS

The Executive Branch shall include a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Comptroller and Treasurer elected by the electors of the State. They shall keep the public records and maintain a residence at the seat of government during their terms of office.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 2. TERMS

These elected officers of the Executive Branch shall hold office for four years beginning on the second Monday of January after their election and, except in the case of the Lieutenant Governor, until their successors are qualified. They shall be elected at the general election in 1978 and every four years thereafter.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 3. ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to hold the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Secretary of State, Comptroller or Treasurer, a person must be a United States citizen, at least 25 years old, and a resident of this State for the three years preceding his <u>or her</u> election.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 4. JOINT ELECTION (REP.)

In the general election for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, one vote shall be cast jointly for the candidates nominated by the same political party or petition. The General Assembly may provide by law for the joint nomination of candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 6. GUBERNATORIAL SUCCESSION

- (a) In the event of a vacancy, the order of succession to the office of Governor or to the position of Acting Governor shall be the Lieutenant Governor, the elected Attorney General, the elected Secretary of State, and then as provided by law.
- (b) If the Governor is unable to serve because of death, conviction on impeachment, failure to qualify, resignation or other disability, the office of Governor shall be filled by the officer next in line of succession for the remainder of the term or until the disability is removed.
- (c) Whenever the Governor determines that he may be seriously impeded in the exercise of his or her powers, he or she shall so notify the Secretary of State and the officer next in line of succession. The latter shall thereafter become Acting Governor with the duties and powers of Governor. When the Governor is prepared to resume office, he or she shall do so by notifying the Secretary of State and the Acting Governor.
- (d) The General Assembly by law shall specify by whom and by what procedures the ability of the Governor to serve or to resume office may be questioned and determined. The Supreme Court shall have original and exclusive jurisdiction to review such a law and any such determination and, in the absence of such a law, shall make the determination under such rules as it may adopt.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 7. VACANCIES IN OTHER ELECTIVE OFFICES

If the Attorney General, Secretary of State, Comptroller or Treasurer fails to qualify or if his or her office becomes vacant, the Governor shall fill the office by appointment. The appointee shall hold office until the elected officer qualifies or until a successor is elected and qualified as may be provided by law and shall not be subject to removal by the Governor. If the Lieutenant Governor fails to qualify or if his office becomes vacant, it shall remain vacant until the end of the term.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SECTION 14. LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR - DUTIES (REP.)

The Lieutenant Governor shall perform the duties and exercise the powers in the Executive Branch that may be delegated to him by the Governor and that may be prescribed by law.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act and applies beginning with the term of office otherwise commencing in 2019.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its April 5, 2016 meeting, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 231 on April 21, 2015, reported that the Committee recommends that the bill be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in its former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And Senate Bill No. 231 was returned to the order of third reading.

At the hour of 5:56 o'clock p.m., the perfunctory session stood adjourned, and the Senate will reconvene Wednesday, April 6, 2016, at 12:00 o'clock noon.