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12:17 O'CLOCK P.M.

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The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Harris in the chair.

Prayer by Lee Crawford, the Pastor of the Cathedral of Praise Christian Center in Springfield..

Representative Buckner led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

By direction of the Speaker, a roll call was taken to ascertain the attendance of Members, as follows:

115 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representative Stephens was excused from attendance.

REPORTS

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

Certification of Projected Contribution to the Community College Health Insurance Security Fund for State FY23, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System on October 26, 2021

Certification of Required State Contribution to State Universities Retirement System for State FY23, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System on October 26, 2021

CIP Contribution Cover Letter FY23, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System on October 26, 2021

Cover Letter, submitted by the State Employees' Retirement System on October 26, 2021

FY22 Q1 Operating Report - Fiscal Year to Date September 30, 2021, submitted by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget on October 26, 2021

Proposed Certification of Required State Contribution to the State Universities Retirement System for State FY23, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System on October 26, 2021

SERS Actuarial Certification 2021, submitted by the State Employees' Retirement System on October 26, 2021

SERS Annual Actuarial Valuation as of June 30, 2021, submitted by the State Employees' Retirement System on October 26, 2021

SERS Valuation Results as of June 30, 2021, submitted by the State Employees' Retirement System on October 26, 2021

SURS 2021 Actuarial Valuation Report as of June 30, 2021, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System on October 26, 2021

Toll Highway Authority - Financial Audit for the Year Ended December 31, 2020, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General on October 26, 2021

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR COMMITTEES NOT REPORTING

Representative Demmer replaced Representative Bourne in the Committee on Redistricting on October 26, 2021.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Rita replaced Representative Harris in the Committee on Rules on October 26, 2021.

REPORTS FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Harris, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on October 26, 2021, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES APPROVED FOR FLOOR CONSIDERATION:

That the bill be reported “approved for consideration” and placed on the order of Second Reading: SENATE BILL 280.

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

Executive: House Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1139; Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 307 and Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 307.

State Government Administration: HOUSE BILL 4160.

Veterans' Affairs: Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 359.

The committee roll call vote on the foregoing Legislative Measure(s) is as follows:
3, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

Y Rita(D), Chairperson(replacing Harris)

N Demmer(R)

Y Hernandez, Elizabeth(D)

A Brady(R), Republican Spokesperson

Y Gordon-Booth(D)

MOTIONS SUBMITTED

Representative Harris submitted the following written motion, which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

MOTION

I move to concur with Senate Amendments numbered 1 and 2 to HOUSE BILL 307.

Representative Kifowit submitted the following written motion, which was referred to the Committee on Rules:

MOTION

I move to concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 359.

CHANGE OF SPONSORSHIP

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Kifowit was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Harris became the new principal sponsor of HOUSE BILL 307.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Williams, Jawaharial was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Flowers became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 1041.

FISCAL NOTE SUPPLIED

A Fiscal Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 828, as amended.

PENSION NOTE SUPPLIED

A Pension Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 828, as amended.

STATE DEBT IMPACT NOTE SUPPLIED

A State Debt Impact Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 828, as amended.

JUDICIAL NOTE SUPPLIED

A Judicial Note has been supplied for SENATE BILL 828, as amended.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION 515

Offered by Representative Hoffman:

Congratulates Shane Huwer on his retirement from the Carpenters Union. Further wishes him the best in his future endeavors.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 518

Offered by Representative Welter:

Commends Deputy Tyler Post of the Grundy County Sheriff's Office for his courageous and selfless acts after being injured in the line of duty.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 519

Offered by Representative Frese:

Mourns the death of Leroy Brinkman of Payson.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 520

Offered by Representative Nichols:

Congratulates the Chicago Sky on winning the 2021 WNBA Championship.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 521

Offered by Representative Didech:

Congratulates Frank Giannamore on his induction into the Lake County High School Sports Hall of Fame. Further commends his lifetime of service to the Mundelein High School community.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 522

Offered by Representative Robinson:

Mourns the passing of Timuel Dixon Black Jr. of Chicago.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 523

Offered by Representative Walsh:
Recognizes the 100th anniversary of the Irving Athletic Club.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 525

Offered by Representative Spain:
Congratulates Jim Ardis on his retirement as the mayor of the City of Peoria.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 526

Offered by Representative Welch:
Congratulates Deputy Majority Leader Mary E. Flowers on her national award from the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network for her contributions in the fight against cancer.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 527

Offered by Representative Hoffman:
Congratulates Michael E. Jackson on being selected as the Grand Master of The Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of the State of Illinois.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 528

Offered by Representative Niemerg:
Mourns the passing of Elizabeth Ann Weidner of Dieterich.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 530

Offered by Representative Welter:
Congratulates Kendall County Sheriff Dwight A. Baird on being named Sheriff of the Year by the Illinois State Crime Commission.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 531

Offered by Representative Walsh:
Congratulates Rocky Donahue on his retirement as executive director of Pace Suburban Bus.

RESOLUTIONS**HOUSE RESOLUTION 520**

Offered by Representative Nichols:

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to congratulate the Chicago Sky on winning the 2021 WNBA Championship; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Sky finished the regular season with an overall record of 16 wins and 16 losses and entered the playoffs as the No. 6 seed; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Sky defeated the Dallas Wings and the Minnesota Lynx in single-elimination games to start the playoffs; they then defeated the No. 1 seed Connecticut Sun in four games in the semifinals to advance to the WNBA Finals for the first time since 2014; and

WHEREAS, In Game 1 of the finals, the Chicago Sky defeated the Phoenix Mercury 91-77; in Game 2, they dropped an overtime thriller to the Mercury; they dominated Game 3 and defeated the Mercury in

front of a sellout crowd by 36 points (80-56), the largest margin of victory in WNBA Finals history; in Game 4, they rallied from a seven-point deficit in the fourth quarter to secure the franchise's first title; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Sky are led by General Manager and Head Coach James Wade; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Sky team members are Kahleah Copper, Candace Parker, Azura Stevens, Allie Quigley, Courtney Vandersloot, Diamond DeShields, Stefanie Dolson, Dana Evans, Astou Ndour-Fall, Lexie Brown, and Ruthy Hebard; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate the Chicago Sky on winning the 2021 WNBA Championship, and we wish them many more successful seasons; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the coaches and players of the Chicago Sky as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

Representative Nichols moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

ACTION ON MOTIONS

Representative Harris moved to Allow Remote Voting for Representative Morrison.

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

107, Yeas; 4, Nays; 1, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 2)

The motion prevailed.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND READING

SENATE BILL 1040. Having been read by title a second time on October 20, 2021, 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 Executive, adopted and reproduced.

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

SENATE BILLS ON THIRD READING

The following bills 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 Harris, SENATE BILL 1040 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:

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

(ROLL CALL 3)

This bill, having received the votes of a constitutional majority of the Members elected, was declared passed.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 515, 518, 519, 521, 522, 523, 525, 526, 527, 530 and 531 were taken up for consideration.

Representative Greenwood moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.
The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

At the hour of 3:29 o'clock p.m., Representative Greenwood moved that the House do now adjourn until Wednesday, October 27, 2021, at 12:00 o'clock p.m., allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.
The motion prevailed.
And the House stood adjourned.

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HOUSE ROLL CALL
QUORUM CALL

October 26, 2021

0 YEAS

0 NAYS

115 PRESENT

P Ammons	P Flowers	P Luft	P Smith
P Andrade	P Ford	P Mah	P Sommer
P Avelar	P Frese	P Manley	P Sosnowski
P Batinick	P Friess	P Marron	P Spain
P Bennett	P Gabel	P Mason	P Stava-Murray
P Bos	P Gong-Gershowitz	P Mayfield	E Stephens
P Bourne	P Gonzalez	P Mazzochi	P Stoneback
P Brady	P Gordon-Booth	P McCombie	P Stuart
P Buckner	P Grant	P McLaughlin	P Swanson
A Burke	P Greenwood	P Meier	P Tarver
P Butler	P Guerrero-Cuellar	P Meyers-Martin	P Ugaste
P Carroll	P Guzzardi	P Miller	P Vella
P Cassidy	P Haas	P Moeller	P Walker
P Caulkins	P Halbrook	P Morgan	P Walsh
P Chesney	P Halpin	R Morrison	P Weber
P Collins	P Hammond	P Moylan	P Welter
P Conroy	P Harper	P Murphy	P West
P Costa Howard	P Harris	P Mussman	P Wheeler
P Crespo	P Hernandez, Barbara	P Ness	P Wilhour
P Croke	P Hernandez, Elizabeth	P Nichols	P Williams, Ann
P D'Amico	P Hirschauer	P Niemerg	P Williams, Jawaharial
P Davidsmeyer	P Hoffman	P Ortiz	P Willis
P Davis	P Hurley	P Ozinga	P Windhorst
P Delgado	P Jacobs	P Ramirez	P Yang Rohr
P DeLuca	P Jones	P Reick	P Yednock
P Demmer	P Keicher	P Rita	P Yingling
P Didech	P Kifowit	P Robinson	P Zalewski
P Durkin	P LaPointe	P Scherer	P Mr. Speaker
P Elik	P Lewis	P Severin	
P Evans	P Lilly	P Slaughter	

E - Denotes Excused Absence R - Denotes Remote Voting

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HOUSE ROLL CALL
MOTION TO ALLOW REMOTE VOTING
PREVAILED

October 26, 2021

107 YEAS

4 NAYS

1 PRESENT

Y Ammons	Y Flowers	Y Luft	Y Smith
Y Andrade	Y Ford	Y Mah	Y Sommer
Y Avelar	Y Frese	Y Manley	Y Sosnowski
Y Batinick	Y Friess	Y Marron	Y Spain
Y Bennett	Y Gabel	Y Mason	Y Stava-Murray
N Bos	Y Gong-Gershowitz	Y Mayfield	E Stephens
Y Bourne	Y Gonzalez	NV Mazzochi	Y Stoneback
Y Brady	Y Gordon-Booth	Y McCombie	Y Stuart
Y Buckner	Y Grant	Y McLaughlin	Y Swanson
A Burke	Y Greenwood	Y Meier	Y Tarver
N Butler	Y Guerrero-Cuellar	Y Meyers-Martin	Y Ugaste
Y Carroll	Y Guzzardi	Y Miller	Y Vella
Y Cassidy	Y Haas	Y Moeller	Y Walker
N Caulkins	Y Halbrook	Y Morgan	Y Walsh
Y Chesney	P Halpin	NV Morrison	Y Weber
Y Collins	Y Hammond	Y Moylan	Y Welter
Y Conroy	Y Harper	N Murphy	Y West
Y Costa Howard	Y Harris	Y Mussman	Y Wheeler
Y Crespo	Y Hernandez, Barbara	Y Ness	Y Wilhour
Y Croke	Y Hernandez, Elizabeth	Y Nichols	Y Williams, Ann
Y D'Amico	Y Hirschauer	Y Niemerg	Y Williams, Jawaharial
NV Davidsmeyer	Y Hoffman	Y Ortiz	Y Willis
Y Davis	Y Hurley	NV Ozinga	Y Windhorst
Y Delgado	Y Jacobs	Y Ramirez	Y Yang Rohr
Y DeLuca	Y Jones	Y Reick	Y Yednock
Y Demmer	Y Keicher	Y Rita	Y Yingling
Y Didech	Y Kifowit	Y Robinson	Y Zalewski
Y Durkin	Y LaPointe	Y Scherer	Y Mr. Speaker
Y Elik	Y Lewis	Y Severin	
Y Evans	Y Lilly	Y Slaughter	

E - Denotes Excused Absence

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HOUSE ROLL CALL
SENATE BILL 1040
DHFS-VENDOR PAYMENT CLAIMS
SENATE BILLS
THIRD READING
PASSED

October 26, 2021

115 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

Y Ammons	Y Flowers	Y Luft	Y Smith
Y Andrade	Y Ford	Y Mah	Y Sommer
Y Avelar	Y Frese	Y Manley	Y Sosnowski
Y Batinick	Y Friess	Y Marron	Y Spain
Y Bennett	Y Gabel	Y Mason	Y Stava-Murray
Y Bos	Y Gong-Gershowitz	Y Mayfield	E Stephens
Y Bourne	Y Gonzalez	NV Mazzochi	Y Stoneback
Y Brady	Y Gordon-Booth	Y McCombie	Y Stuart
Y Buckner	Y Grant	Y McLaughlin	Y Swanson
A Burke	Y Greenwood	Y Meier	Y Tarver
Y Butler	Y Guerrero-Cuellar	Y Meyers-Martin	Y Ugaste
Y Carroll	Y Guzzardi	Y Miller	Y Vella
Y Cassidy	Y Haas	Y Moeller	Y Walker
Y Caulkins	Y Halbrook	Y Morgan	Y Walsh
Y Chesney	Y Halpin	Y Morrison	Y Weber
Y Collins	Y Hammond	Y Moylan	Y Welter
Y Conroy	Y Harper	Y Murphy	Y West
Y Costa Howard	Y Harris	Y Mussman	Y Wheeler
Y Crespo	Y Hernandez, Barbara	Y Ness	Y Wilhour
Y Croke	Y Hernandez, Elizabeth	Y Nichols	Y Williams, Ann
Y D'Amico	Y Hirschauer	Y Niemerg	Y Williams, Jawaharial
Y Davidsmeyer	Y Hoffman	Y Ortiz	Y Willis
Y Davis	Y Hurley	Y Ozinga	Y Windhorst
Y Delgado	Y Jacobs	Y Ramirez	Y Yang Rohr
Y DeLuca	Y Jones	Y Reick	Y Yednock
Y Demmer	Y Keicher	Y Rita	Y Yingling
Y Didech	Y Kifowit	Y Robinson	Y Zalewski
Y Durkin	Y LaPointe	Y Scherer	Y Mr. Speaker
Y Elik	Y Lewis	Y Severin	
Y Evans	Y Lilly	Y Slaughter	

E - Denotes Excused Absence

At the hour of 6:42 o'clock p.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Costa Howard replaced Representative Walsh in the Committee on Health Care Licenses on October 26, 2021.

Representative Gabel replaced Representative Burke in the Committee on Health Care Licenses on October 26, 2021.

Representative Lilly replaced Representative Gabel in the Committee on Human Services on October 26, 2021.

Representative Avelar replaced Representative Andrade in the Committee on Human Services on October 26, 2021.

Representative Mazzochi replaced Representative Butler in the Committee on Executive on October 26, 2021.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Mah, Chairperson, from the Committee on Health Care Licenses to which the following were referred, action taken on October 26, 2021, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Motion be reported “recommends be adopted” and placed on the House Calendar:
Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 3401.
Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 3401.

The committee roll call vote on Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 3401 and Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 3401 is as follows:
8, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Mah(D), Chairperson	Y Gabel(D)(replacing Burke)
Y Frese(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Batinick(R)
Y Jacobs(R)	Y Moeller(D)
Y Morgan(D)	Y Costa Howard(D)(replacing Walsh)

Representative Kifowit, Chairperson, from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to which the following were referred, action taken on October 26, 2021, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Motion be reported “recommends be adopted” and placed on the House Calendar:
Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 359.

The committee roll call vote on Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 359 is as follows:
10, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Kifowit(D), Chairperson	Y Halpin(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Swanson(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Hirschauer(D)
Y Frese(R)	Y Jacobs(R)
Y Severin(R)	Y Vella(D)

Y Yang Rohr(D)

Y Yednock(D)

Representative Mussman, Chairperson, from the Committee on Elementary & Secondary Education: School Curriculum & Policies to which the following were referred, action taken on October 26, 2021, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Motion be reported “recommends be adopted” and placed on the House Calendar: Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 1975.

The committee roll call vote on Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 1975 is as follows:

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

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| Y Mussman(D), Chairperson | Y Crespo(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Bourne(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Bennett(R) |
| Y Conroy(D) | Y Elik(R) |
| Y Friess(R) | Y Harper(D) |
| Y Hirschauer(D) | A Hurley(D) |
| A LaPointe(D) | Y Manley(D) |
| Y Mason(D) | Y Mayfield(D) |
| Y McCombie(R) | Y Morrison(R) |
| Y Reick(R) | Y Severin(R) |
| Y Stuart(D) | Y Swanson(R) |
| Y Vella(D) | Y Willis(D) |
| Y Yang Rohr(D) | |

Representative Moeller, Chairperson, from the Committee on Human Services to which the following were referred, action taken on October 26, 2021, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Floor Amendment be reported “recommends be adopted”: Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL 336.

The committee roll call vote on Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL 336 is as follows: 9, Yeas; 6, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Y Moeller(D), Chairperson | Y LaPointe(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| N Hammond(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Avelar(D)(replacing Andrade) |
| Y Cassidy(D) | Y Collins(D) |
| N Demmer(R) | Y Flowers(D) |
| Y Lilly(D)(replacing Gabel) | N Grant(R) |
| N Haas(R) | N Meier(R) |
| Y Morgan(D) | Y Ness(D) |
| N Weber(R) | |

Representative Rita, Chairperson, from the Committee on Executive to which the following were referred, action taken on October 26, 2021, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the Floor Amendment be reported “recommends be adopted”: Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1139. Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1169. Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1784.

That the Motion be reported “recommends be adopted” and placed on the House Calendar:

Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 307.
 Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 307.

The committee roll call vote on House Floor Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1139 Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL 307 and Motion to concur with Senate Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL 307 is as follows:

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

Y Rita(D), Chairperson	Y Davis(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Wheeler(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Andrade(D)
Y Bourne(R)	A Brady(R)
Y Buckner(D)	Y Mazzochi(R)(replacing Butler)
Y Carroll(D)	Y Davidsmeyer(R)
Y Evans(D)	Y Gordon-Booth(D)
Y Hernandez, Elizabeth(D)	Y Ramirez(D)
Y Spain(R)	

The committee roll call vote on House Floor Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL 1169 and House Floor Amendment No. 1784 to SENATE BILL 2 is as follows:

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

Y Rita(D), Chairperson	Y Davis(D), Vice-Chairperson
N Wheeler(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Andrade(D)
N Bourne(R)	N Brady(R)
Y Buckner(D)	N Mazzochi(R)(replacing Butler)
Y Carroll(D)	N Davidsmeyer(R)
Y Evans(D)	Y Gordon-Booth(D)
Y Hernandez, Elizabeth(D)	Y Ramirez(D)
N Spain(R)	

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS

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

HOUSE BILL 4189. Introduced by Representative Flowers, AN ACT to establish the Marshall Plan for Moms Interagency Task Force.

HOUSE BILL 4190. Introduced by Representatives Caulkins, Grant, Butler, Elik, Swanson, Meier, Jacobs, Miller and Halbrook, AN ACT concerning criminal law.

HOUSE BILL 4191. Introduced by Representatives Caulkins, Grant, Butler, Elik, Swanson, Meier, Jacobs, Miller and Halbrook, AN ACT concerning finance.

HOUSE BILL 4192. Introduced by Representative Williams, Ann, AN ACT concerning civil law.

HOUSE BILL 4193. Introduced by Representative Guerrero-Cuellar, AN ACT concerning finance.

HOUSE BILL 4194. Introduced by Representative Ford, AN ACT concerning health.

HOUSE BILL 4195. Introduced by Representative Ford, AN ACT concerning health.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION 516

Offered by Representative Harris:

WHEREAS, Forty-five percent of Americans have used a prescription drug in the past 30 days in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Millions of Americans rely on copay assistance programs to afford their prescription drugs; and

WHEREAS, On average, cost-sharing assistance helped patients taking HIV or oncology medicines with more than \$1,600 toward their out-of-pocket cost in 2019 and helped patients taking multiple sclerosis medicines with more than \$2,200; and

WHEREAS, When copay accumulator adjustment programs prevent any copayment assistance from counting toward a member's deductible or maximum out-of-pocket requirements, the result is that patients may be left with insurmountably high out-of-pocket expenses for their medications; and

WHEREAS, Patients with chronic and rare diseases are particularly impacted and struggle to afford their specialty medications; and

WHEREAS, Copay accumulator adjustment programs coupled with the rise of patient out-of-pocket expenses resulting from increased deductibles and co-insurance, accounting for up to 95 percent of patients costs for brand medicines, leads to patient medication nonadherence; and

WHEREAS, Medication nonadherence has led to between \$100 and \$300 billion of avoidable health care costs in the United States annually, due to avoidable hospitalizations and medical visits; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois passed Public Act 101-0452 (215 ILCS 134/30(d)) to eliminate the burden patients face due to copay accumulator programs; and

WHEREAS, Public Act 101-0452 passed the Illinois General Assembly with unanimous support; and

WHEREAS, The law ensures that a health care plan shall apply any third-party payments, financial assistance, discount, product vouchers, or any other reduction in out-of-pocket expenses made by or on behalf of such insured for prescription drugs toward a covered individual's deductible, copay, or cost-sharing responsibility or out-of-pocket maximum associated with the individual's health insurance; and

WHEREAS, The lack of clarity between federal and state laws and regulations has left consumers in a vulnerable position; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare our commitment to ensuring access to quality health care for patients and healthcare consumers in Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the Illinois Congressional Delegation to support federal legislation to ensure all copays count and urge the federal regulators to specifically clarify that all copays count in the 2023 Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters and tri-agency guidance; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Governor, the Director of the Illinois Department of Insurance, all Illinois constitutional officers, and all members of the Illinois Congressional Delegation in order to bring further awareness to the importance of access to healthcare for our residents of the State of Illinois and to be a model state for the rest of the country.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 517

Offered by Representative Mussman:

WHEREAS, Children and youth learn best when they are healthy, supported, and receive an education that enables them to thrive academically, socially, and emotionally; and

WHEREAS, Schools can more effectively ensure that all students are able to learn when they meet the needs of the whole child and provide integrated, multitiered supports; and

WHEREAS, Children's mental health is directly linked to their learning and development, and the learning environment provides an optimal context to promote good mental health through connectedness within the school and community; and

WHEREAS, Sound psychological principles are integral to instruction and learning, school safety, social and emotional development, prevention, early intervention, and support of culturally diverse student populations; and

WHEREAS, School psychology has more than 60 years of well established, widely recognized, and highly effective practices and standards that are clearly articulated in the Model for Comprehensive and Integrated School Psychological Services by the National Association of School Psychologists; and

WHEREAS, School psychologists are specially trained to foster and deliver, in the school and community, a continuum of mental health services and academic supports that lower barriers to teaching and learning; and

WHEREAS, School psychologists help children thrive by nurturing their individual strengths across both personal and academic endeavors; and

WHEREAS, School psychologists are trained to assess student and school-based barriers to learning and individual strengths, utilize data-based decision-making, implement research-driven prevention and intervention strategies, and evaluate outcomes and improve accountability; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois should recognize the vital role that school psychologists play in the personal and academic development of our State's children; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare November 8 to November 12, 2021 as School Psychology Awareness Week in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Illinois School Psychologists Association with our sincere appreciation for their efforts.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 524

Offered by Representative Niemerg:

WHEREAS, Proposed U.S. Internal Revenue Service-related federal legislation is rapidly moving through Congress that could endanger the privacy of middle-class Americans; and

WHEREAS, With the proclaimed goal of "taxing the rich," the proponents of this legislation are calling for new federal law that would order all banks and financial institutions in the United States to open their books to tax inspectors with respect to any account where either the total value of the account or the aggregate size of the account's transactions exceed \$600; and

WHEREAS, The vast majority of financial accounts are of sizes, or activities, that fall over this limit; this \$600 "bright line" would make life a lot darker for tens of millions of Americans who live in households that are not close to being considered well-off; and

WHEREAS, Nothing in this proposal would forbid the use of artificial-intelligence (AI) snoop software to trawl through millions of transactions looking for statistical anomalies that could be used to spark IRS enforcement actions; and

WHEREAS, This federal proposal, which is described as moving through Congress, would encompass not only accounts and transactions in banks but also accounts and transactions carried out by nonbank financial institutions; money transfers carried out through platforms such as PayPal, Venmo, and Cash App could be subjected to AI snooping; and

WHEREAS, With particular respect to the allegation that a policy change of this type would help "tax the rich," a major family of cash-transfer applications (apps) are specifically and deliberately oriented towards servicing the needs of working-class persons and households of modest means; electronically targeting these apps with AI software is not only irrelevant to the proclaimed goal of the proponents of this fast-moving congressional proposal but would be directly hostile to a very different group of Americans in very different circumstances; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge opposition to any change in federal law that would increase the accessibility of the financial transactions of Americans, including middle-class and working-class Americans, to electronic surveillance and AI snoop software; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we affirm all Americans should pay their taxes and affirm the adequacy of existing state and federal enforcement powers toward this goal; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we stand behind the financial privacy of all Americans as an element of the essential liberties of the people of this country; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Illinois Congressional Delegation.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 529

Offered by Representative Hammond:

WHEREAS, The U.S. Congress passed a law that transferred the requirement of the railroads to operate passenger trains to the federally-owned National Railroad Passenger Corporation in 1970; and

WHEREAS, When the U.S. Department of Transportation drew maps defining where these Amtrak trains would go, they did not include local service in Illinois between Quincy and Chicago, which included Macomb, Galesburg, Kewanee, Princeton, Mendota, Plano, and the Chicago suburbs, and the service ended on May 11, 1971; and

WHEREAS, When interested parties in Macomb and Quincy lost their fight against the law in federal court, they then asked the State of Illinois to sponsor the service, worked with communities along the route, and convinced the Illinois General Assembly and Governor to sponsor daily local Amtrak service under the Illinois Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, The morning eastbound and evening westbound Illinois Zephyr trains have operated since November 4, 1971; and

WHEREAS, This region of Illinois has benefited from being the longest continuously operated state-supported train in the Amtrak network for 50 years; and

WHEREAS, These same communities banded together to create the Amtrak Carl Sandberg train in 2006, with departures westbound in the morning and eastbound in the evening, doubling local service on the route; this route is marking its 15th anniversary this year; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare November 3, 2021 as Amtrak Anniversary Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we recognize the work in 1971 and again in 2006 that resulted in this region of Illinois having vital passenger train connections to and from Chicago and cities in Western and North-Central Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the cities on the route to continue to work with each other, Amtrak, the Illinois Department of Transportation, and others to maintain and improve the local Amtrak service that is such an asset to the communities it serves; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the mayors of Quincy, Macomb, Galesburg, Kewanee, Princeton, Mendota, Plano, Naperville, and LaGrange.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 54

Offered by Representative Harris:

WHEREAS, Forty-five percent of Americans have used a prescription drug in the past 30 days in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Millions of Americans rely on copay assistance programs to afford their prescription drugs; and

WHEREAS, On average, cost-sharing assistance helped patients taking HIV or oncology medicines with more than \$1,600 toward their out-of-pocket cost in 2019 and helped patients taking multiple sclerosis medicines with more than \$2,200; and

WHEREAS, When copay accumulator adjustment programs prevent any copayment assistance from counting toward a member's deductible or maximum out-of-pocket requirements, the result is that patients may be left with insurmountably high out-of-pocket expenses for their medications; and

WHEREAS, Patients with chronic and rare diseases are particularly impacted and struggle to afford their specialty medications; and

WHEREAS, Copay accumulator adjustment programs coupled with the rise of patient out-of-pocket expenses resulting from increased deductibles and co-insurance, accounting for up to 95 percent of patients costs for brand medicines, leads to patient medication nonadherence; and

WHEREAS, Medication nonadherence has led to between \$100 and \$300 billion of avoidable health care costs in the United States annually, due to avoidable hospitalizations and medical visits; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois passed Public Act 101-0452 (215 ILCS 134/30(d)) to eliminate the burden patients face due to copay accumulator programs; and

WHEREAS, Public Act 101-0452 passed the Illinois General Assembly with unanimous support; and

WHEREAS, The law ensures that a health care plan shall apply any third-party payments, financial assistance, discount, product vouchers, or any other reduction in out-of-pocket expenses made by or on behalf of such insured for prescription drugs toward a covered individual's deductible, copay, or cost-sharing responsibility or out-of-pocket maximum associated with the individual's health insurance; and

WHEREAS, The lack of clarity between federal and state laws and regulations has left consumers in a vulnerable position; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we declare our commitment to ensuring access to quality health care for patients and healthcare consumers in Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the Illinois congressional delegation to support federal legislation to ensure all copays count and urge the federal regulators to specifically clarify that all copays count in the 2023 Notice of Benefit and Payment Parameters and tri-agency guidance; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Governor, the Director of the Illinois Department of Insurance, all Illinois constitutional officers, and all members of the Illinois congressional delegation in order to bring further awareness to the importance of access to healthcare for our residents of the State of Illinois and to be a model state for the rest of the country.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 55

Offered by Representative Buckner:

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois is in great need of a state conviction integrity unit, run by the Attorney General's Office, to identify and overturn wrongful convictions, and to set free those falsely imprisoned; and

WHEREAS, A conviction integrity unit investigates claims of innocence to determine whether new evidence gives rise to a substantial probability that the convicted defendant was not the person who committed the offense of conviction; a conviction integrity unit can also make recommendations about the appropriate remedy, if any, that should result from its findings; and

WHEREAS, The Attorney General's Office is best positioned to run a conviction integrity unit because its resources far exceed those of local prosecutors; and

WHEREAS, According to the National Registry of Exonerations, 78 prosecutors and attorneys general have created conviction integrity or review units in the past decade; 461 people have been freed due in part to work by these prosecutors; and

WHEREAS, Attorneys general in Washington D.C. and in eight states, including Connecticut, Delaware, Michigan, Minnesota, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, and Virginia, have launched conviction review units; and

WHEREAS, Since 2018, the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office, under Larry Krasner, has exonerated 17 people wrongly convicted of murder; Baltimore State's Attorney Marilyn Mosby has cleared 10 people serving murder or attempted murder sentences since 2016; and

WHEREAS, A convictions integrity unit will aid in achieving and ensuring justice by investigating claims of innocence, remedying identified wrongful convictions, and providing proactive support and recommendations to the Attorney General's Office; and

WHEREAS, Conviction integrity units can assist in addressing racial inequity in the criminal justice system and mass incarceration; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois' goal should be for justice and truth instead of preserving convictions in defiance of logic, facts, or new evidence; to wrongly convict a person is to deny them untold opportunities and the chance to live their life in freedom; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we urge the Office of the Attorney General to establish a task force to examine the creation of a statewide conviction integrity unit within its office; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to Attorney General Kwame Raoul and Governor JB Pritzker.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 56

Offered by Representative Haas:

WHEREAS, It is necessary to recognize those who are dedicated to the betterment of the State of Illinois and their communities; and

WHEREAS, Jack Wayne Sikma was born in Kankakee to Grace and Clarence Sikma; he lived in rural Wichert while growing up and attended St. Anne High School; and

WHEREAS, Jack Sikma was a guard his first three years of high school, before his height reached 6'10" as he entered his senior season; with the nickname "the Wichert Wonder", he led the St. Anne High School Cardinals to a fourth-place finish in the 1974 Illinois High School Association (IHSA) Class A boys basketball tournament, scoring 100 points in his four tournament games; and

WHEREAS, Jack Sikma played collegiate basketball at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington; he majored in accounting and graduated in 1977; after being heavily recruited by many Division I schools, he decided to enroll at Illinois Wesleyan, swayed by his close relationship with Illinois Wesleyan Coach Dennie Bridges and being able to immediately play as a freshman; he also liked that Illinois Wesleyan had several Division I schools on their schedule; and

WHEREAS, At Illinois Wesleyan University, Jack Sikma was a three-time National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA Division III) All-American and averaged 27.0 points and 15.4 rebounds as a senior; he was chosen as the College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin (CCIW) Most Outstanding Player for three straight years; he was later inducted into the D3 Hall of Fame (2012) and the Small Schools Basketball Hall of Fame (2017) and was a member of the D3 50th & 75th All-Anniversary Teams; he was also a two-time Academic All-American and was selected to the CoSIDA Academic All-American Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, Jack Sikma remains Illinois Wesleyan University's all-time leading scorer and rebounder; he averaged 21.2 points (2,272 career points) and 13.1 rebounds (1,405 career rebounds); in each of his last three seasons, the Titans won College Conference of Illinois and Wisconsin Conference Championships and advanced to the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics Tournament; and

WHEREAS, Jack Sikma was a first round pick, drafted with the eighth overall selection in the 1977 NBA draft by the Seattle SuperSonics; due to the relatively small size of his alma mater, he was considered an unknown quantity compared to the "established, well-publicized stars" taken before him; and

WHEREAS, As a rookie in 1977-1978, Jack Sikma averaged 10.7 points and 8.3 rebounds, as the SuperSonics played in the NBA Finals, losing to the Washington Bullets in seven games; he was named to the NBA All-Rookie Team in 1978; and

WHEREAS, The next season, 1978-1979, Jack Sikma averaged 15.6 points and 12.4 rebounds and became an All-Star; he averaged a double-double of 14.8 points and 11.7 rebounds in the playoffs and, along with teammates Dennis Johnson, Gus Williams, and Paul Silas, defeated the Washington Bullets and Wes Unseld in an NBA Finals rematch; his final free throws were the last points scored by the SuperSonics to win the series; and

WHEREAS, In 1984, Jack Sikma signed a five-year contract with the SuperSonics; General Manager Les Habegger remarked, "After careful consideration, we concluded that we could look far and wide and never obtain another center of his caliber."; he continued his All-Star caliber play but was forced to undergo finger surgery in 1985; and

WHEREAS, In 1986, Jack Sikma and Seattle's 1988 second round draft pick were traded to the Milwaukee Bucks in exchange for Alton Lister and Milwaukee's first-round draft picks in 1987 and 1989;

Milwaukee Coach Don Nelson felt that with this trade he gained the missing piece of a team that had frequently dominated the regular season before being exposed at the center position in the playoffs; Milwaukee struggled with injuries leading to the playoffs; and

WHEREAS, In the initial playoff series, Jack Sikma scored 11 points in the fourth quarter to get past Charles Barkley and the Philadelphia 76ers; in the next series, the Bucks were defeated by the Boston Celtics in a seven-game series, in which he was one of eight players fined for fighting or leaving the bench to join the brawl; and

WHEREAS, During the pre-season, Jack Sikma and the Bucks participated in the diplomatically-oriented Basketball Open, a round-robin, exhibition tournament that included a match with the U.S.S.R. national team and the Italian national team; and

WHEREAS, With the Bucks, Jack Sikma showed his superb shooting skills and made the playoffs every year for the remainder of his career; despite being the team's center, he was one of the most effective free throw shooters in the league and would shoot technical free throws for the team; he set a then-record of 51 games without a free throw miss; his late-career three point shooting was cited as a sign of league-wide adoption; and

WHEREAS, In 1989, Jack Sikma faced his former team in what was then the longest game in the shot clock era, winning in the fifth overtime; he remained an effective big man into his final season, playing 77 regular season games and three playoff games, including twice grabbing 14 rebounds in a game; and

WHEREAS, In five seasons and 392 games with the Bucks, Jack Sikma averaged 13.4 points, 7.9 rebounds, and 2.9 assists, shooting 45% from the floor and 88% from the line; and

WHEREAS, With the SuperSonics, Jack Sikma was selected to seven consecutive All-Star Games, from 1979 to 1985; in nine seasons and 715 games with Seattle, he averaged a double-double of 16.8 points, 10.8 rebounds, along with 3.3 assists, 1.1 steals, and 1.0 blocks, shooting 47% from the field and 83% from the line; and

WHEREAS, Jack Sikma was a pioneer as one of the earliest sharp-shooting big men, a role that would become common after the turn of the 21st century; as a center, his distinct shot and uncharacteristic accuracy allowed him to play a role outside of the paint; his signature Sikma-1/Sikma-2 moves were key to future agile centers; instructional coach Pete Newell wrote on Sikma's signature move in his 2008 book, "Playing Big" as "baseline moves for loose defenses"; towards the end of his career, where his lack of athleticism prevented him from using his eponymous move and no other big men appeared to be able to replicate it, he stated that coaches were inquiring about the technique even though he believed it would be defunct upon his retirement; and

WHEREAS, Jack Sikma's overall strength and height, combined with his shooting ability and rebounding, became a more common prototype long after his retirement, with protegees like Yao Ming and Kevin Love becoming quality players in the NBA; on a January 2019 NBA TV segment, former players Chris Webber, Isaiah Thomas, and Kevin McHale discussed his unexpected influence on modern-day basketball play with a segment entitled "Jack Sikma's moves still being used today" and focused on common moves taller players have since adopted to utilize their shooting and passing abilities; the "stretch 5" has since become common in the NBA, with the number of three pointers made by centers sharply increasing; his moves remain widely taught in amateur basketball, including being one of College Basketball Hall of Fame coach Bo Ryan's five required skills for his team's big men, being cited by local girls' basketball coaches in 2019, and being strongly touted by college players born well after his retirement; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the portion of Illinois Route 1 from Wichert Road to St. Anne as the "Honorary Jack Sikma Road"; 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 "Honorary Jack Sikma Road"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to Jack Skima and the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation.

At the hour of 6:46 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.