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**11:08 O'CLOCK A.M.**

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The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Mautino in the chair.

Prayer by Pastor Duane Surels, who is with Springfield Road Church in East Peoria, IL.

Representative Durkin 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:

110 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representatives Boland, Coladipietro, Dugan, Lyons, Mathias and Mell were excused from attendance.

The membership of the House was temporarily reduced to 117 as a result of the vacancy created by the resignation of Representative Brosnahan on February 11, 2010.

## **REPORTS**

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

The Food Expenditure Report for the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children for 2009, submitted by Illinois Department of Human Services on February 24, 2010.

## **TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS FOR COMMITTEES NOT REPORTING**

Representative Zalewski replaced Representative Ford in the Subcommittee on Finance, on February 25, 2010.

Representative Currie replaced Representative Turner in the Subcommittee on Sales and Other Taxes, on February 25, 2010.

Representative Mautino replaced Representative Careen Gordon in the Subcommittee on Sales and Other Taxes, on February 25, 2010.

Representative Ford replaced Representative Feigenholtz in the Committee on Mass Transit on February 25, 2010.

Representative William Davis replaced Representative Soto in the Committee on Mass Transit on February 25, 2010.

Representative Rita replaced Representative Fritchey in the Committee on Mass Transit on February 25, 2010.

Representative Franks replaced Representative Mell in the Committee on Mass Transit on February 25, 2010.

## **TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

Representative Ford replaced Representative McAsey in the Committee on Judiciary II - Criminal Law on February 25, 2010.

Representative Rita replaced Representative Phelps in the Committee on Veterans' Affairs on February 25, 2010.

Representative Harris replaced Representative Lyons in the Committee on Veterans' Affairs on February 25, 2010.

Representative Reitz replaced Representative Froehlich in the Committee on Environmental Health on February 25, 2010.

Representative Dunkin replaced Representative McCarthy in the Committee on Environmental Health on February 25, 2010.

Representative Bradley replaced Representative Rita in the Committee on Environmental Health on February 25, 2010.

Representative William Davis replaced Representative Nekritz in the Committee on Personnel and Pensions on February 25, 2010.

Representative Chapa LaVia replaced Representative Nekritz in the Committee on Medicaid Reform, Family & Children Services on February 25, 2010.

### **REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES**

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

#### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:**

Elections & Campaign Reform: SENATE BILL 355.

International Trade & Commerce: HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 107.

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

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

Y Currie(D), Chairperson

Y Lang(D)

Y Turner(D)

Y Black(R), Republican Spokesperson

A Schmitz(R)

### **REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES**

Representative Howard, Chairperson, from the Committee on Judiciary II - Criminal Law to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 4598 and 5006.

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Standard Debate: HOUSE BILLS 4969 and 5510.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 4598 is as follows:

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

Y Howard(D), Chairperson

Y Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson

Y Ford(D)(replacing McAsey)

Y Wait(R)

Y Collins(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Golar(D)

Y Sacia(R)

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 5006 is as follows:

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

Y Howard(D), Chairperson

Y Collins(D), Vice-Chairperson

Y Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Golar(D)
Y McAsey(D)	Y Sacia(R)
Y Wait(R)	

The committee roll call vote on House Bills 4969 and 5510 is as follows:  
 4, Yeas; 3, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

N Howard(D), Chairperson	N Collins(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson	N Golar(D)
Y McAsey(D)	Y Sacia(R)
Y Wait(R)	

Representative Verschoore, Chairperson, from the Committee on Counties & Townships to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 4945, 5283 and 5477.

That the bill be reported “do pass as amended” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 6062.

The committee roll call vote on House Bills 4945, 5283 and 5477 is as follows:  
 6, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Verschoore(D), Chairperson	Y Zalewski(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Ramey(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Hatcher(R)
A Mitchell, Bill(R)	Y Moffitt(R)
Y Reitz(D)	A Riley(D)
A Rita(D)	

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 6062 is as follows:  
 7, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y Verschoore(D), Chairperson	Y Zalewski(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Ramey(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Hatcher(R)
A Mitchell, Bill(R)	Y Moffitt(R)
Y Reitz(D)	A Riley(D)
Y Rita(D)	

Representative McAuliffe, Chairperson, from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 5678.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 5678 is as follows:  
 20, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y McAuliffe(R), Chairperson	Y Chapa LaVia(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Bost(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Connelly(R)
A Dugan(D)	Y Farnham(D)
Y Flider(D)	A Franks(D)
Y Gordon, Jehan(D)	Y Joyce(D)
Y Harris(D)(replacing Lyons)	Y McAsey(D)
Y Mitchell, Jerry(R)	A Moffitt(R)
Y Nekritz(D)	Y Osmond(R)
Y Rita(D)(replacing Phelps)	Y Pritchard(R)
Y Reboletti(R)	Y Sacia(R)

Y Verschoore(D)  
Y Walker(D)

Y Wait(R)  
A Watson(R)

Representative Washington, Chairperson, from the Committee on Aging to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 6063.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 6063 is as follows:

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

Y Washington(D), Chairperson	Y Beiser(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Pihos(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Biggins(R)
Y Cavaletto(R)	A Coladipietro(R)
Y D'Amico(D)	Y Farnham(D)
Y Franks(D)	Y Harris(D)
A Hatcher(R)	Y Jefferson(D)
A Lyons(D)	A McAsey(D)
A McGuire(D)	A Mell(D)
Y Mitchell, Bill(R)	Y Saviano(R)
Y Sente(D)	A Tracy(R)

Representative May, Chairperson, from the Committee on Environmental Health to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 5224.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 5224 is as follows:

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

Y May(D), Chairperson	Y Dunkin(D) (replacing McCarthy)
Y Tracy(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Reitz(D) (replacing Froehlich)
Y Hamos(D)	Y Jakobsson(D)
Y Nekritz(D)	Y Bradley(D) (replacing Rita)
Y Rose(R)	Y Schmitz(R)
Y Stephens(R)	A Tryon(R)
Y Winters(R)	Y Yarbrough(D)

Representative Bellock, Chairperson, from the Committee on Medicaid Reform, Family & Children Services to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILL 5086.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 5086 is as follows:

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

Y Bellock(R), Chairperson	Y Hernandez(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Mulligan(R), Republican Spokesperson	Y Beaubien(R)
A Dugan(D)	A Flowers(D)
Y Golar(D)	Y Kosel(R)
Y Chapa LaVia(D) (replacing Nekritz)	Y Watson(R)

Representative McCarthy, Chairperson, from the Committee on Personnel and Pensions to which the following were referred, action taken on February 25, 2010, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported "do pass as amended" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 4644, 5262 and 5511.

That the bill be reported "do pass" and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: HOUSE BILLS 4826, 4827 and 5818.

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 4826 is as follows:

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

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Y McCarthy(D), Chairperson        | Y Colvin(D), Vice-Chairperson     |
| Y Poe(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Acevedo(D)                      |
| Y Brady(R)                        | Y Brauer(R)                       |
| Y Burke(D)                        | Y Graham(D)                       |
| A McAuliffe(R)                    | Y Davis, W(D) (replacing Nekritz) |

The committee roll call vote on House Bill 4827 is as follows:

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

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|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Y McCarthy(D), Chairperson        | Y Colvin(D), Vice-Chairperson     |
| N Poe(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Acevedo(D)                      |
| N Brady(R)                        | N Brauer(R)                       |
| Y Burke(D)                        | Y Graham(D)                       |
| A McAuliffe(R)                    | Y Davis, W(D) (replacing Nekritz) |

The committee roll call vote on House Bills 4644, 5262, 5511 and 5818 is as follows:

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

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Y McCarthy(D), Chairperson        | Y Colvin(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Poe(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Acevedo(D)                  |
| Y Brady(R)                        | Y Brauer(R)                   |
| Y Burke(D)                        | Y Graham(D)                   |
| A McAuliffe(R)                    | Y Nekritz(D)                  |

**MOTIONS SUBMITTED**

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

**MOTION**

Pursuant to Rule 60(b), I move to table HOUSE BILL 5136.

**REQUEST FOR FISCAL NOTE**

Representative Washington requested that a Fiscal Note be supplied for HOUSE BILL 4764.

Representative Osmond requested that a Fiscal Note be supplied for HOUSE BILL 3814.

Representative Black requested that a Fiscal Note be supplied for HOUSE BILL 4795.

**REQUEST FOR STATE MANDATES FISCAL NOTE**

Representative Black requested that a State Mandates Fiscal Note be supplied for HOUSE BILL 4795.



**STATE DEBT IMPACT NOTE SUPPLIED**

A State Debt Impact Note has been supplied for HOUSE BILL 5975.

**PENSION NOTE SUPPLIED**

A Pension Note has been supplied for HOUSE BILL 5975.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

A message from the Senate by  
Ms. Rock, Secretary:

Mr. Speaker -- I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit:

SENATE BILL NO. 355

A bill for AN ACT concerning elections.

SENATE BILL NO. 365

A bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

Passed by the Senate, February 24, 2010.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of the Senate

The foregoing SENATE BILLS 355 and 365 were ordered reproduced and placed on the appropriate order of business.

**CHANGE OF SPONSORSHIP**

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Madigan was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Nekritz became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 355.

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Smith was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Froehlich became the new principal sponsor of HOUSE BILL 6033.

**SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING**

Having been reproduced, the following bill was taken up, read by title a first time and placed in the Committee on Rules: SENATE BILL 355(Nekritz).

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following resolution was offered and placed in the Committee on Rules.

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 107**

Offered by Representative Mendoza:

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that the Joint Task Force on Turkish and Illinois Relations is created; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall consist of the following members:

- (1) one co-chair appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;
- (2) one co-chair appointed by the President of the Senate; and
- (3) any other member of the General Assembly who wishes to participate, to be appointed by the presiding officer of that member's chamber; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force is charged with strengthening and continuing the State's friendship, business, and cultural ties with the Republic of Turkey.

### HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING

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

On motion of Representative Watson, HOUSE BILL 4863 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: 110, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 2)

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

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

On motion of Representative Cole, HOUSE BILL 4864 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: 110, 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 and ask their concurrence.

On motion of Representative Holbrook, HOUSE BILL 4865 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: 110, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 4)

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

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

On motion of Representative Poe, HOUSE BILL 4895 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: 110, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 5)

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

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

On motion of Representative Poe, HOUSE BILL 4896 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: 110, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 6)

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

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

On motion of Representative Poe, HOUSE BILL 4961 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: 110, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 7)

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

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

On motion of Representative Rose, HOUSE BILL 4966 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: 102, Yeas; 7, Nays; 1, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 8)

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

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

#### **ACTION ON MOTIONS**

Representative Colvin moved to table HOUSE BILL 5349.

The motion prevailed.

#### **HOUSE BILLS ON THIRD READING**

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

On motion of Representative Rose, HOUSE BILL 5120 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: 108, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 9)

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

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

On motion of Representative Pihos, HOUSE BILL 5125 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: 108, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 10)

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

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

On motion of Representative Hoffman, HOUSE BILL 5130 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 11)

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

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

On motion of Representative Reboletti, HOUSE BILL 5150 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: 107, Yeas; 2, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 12)

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

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

On motion of Representative Lang, HOUSE BILL 5219 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 13)

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

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

On motion of Representative Brady, HOUSE BILL 5206 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 14)

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

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

On motion of Representative Moffitt, HOUSE BILL 5412 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 15)

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

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

On motion of Representative Currie, HOUSE BILL 5463 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 16)

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

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

On motion of Representative Kosel, HOUSE BILL 5481 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 17)

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

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

On motion of Representative Kosel, HOUSE BILL 5486 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: 109, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

(ROLL CALL 18)

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

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

### RESOLUTION

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on February 9, 2010, HOUSE RESOLUTION 825 was taken up for consideration.

Representative Sacia moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

### ADJOURNMENT RESOLUTION MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by

Ms. Rock, Secretary:

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

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 108

**RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN**, that when the two Houses adjourn on Thursday, February 25, 2010, the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, March 02, 2010 at 12:30 p.m.; and the House of Representatives stands adjourned until Tuesday, March 02, 2010, at 12:00 o'clock noon.

Adopted by the Senate, February 25, 2010.

Jillayne Rock, Secretary of the Senate

Representative Currie moved the adoption of the resolution.

The motion prevailed and SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 108 was adopted.

Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate.

At the hour of 1:07 o'clock p.m., Representative Currie moved that the House do now adjourn, allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk.

The motion prevailed.

And in accordance therewith and pursuant to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 108, the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, March 2, 2010, at 12:00 o'clock noon.

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

February 25, 2010

0 YEAS

0 NAYS

110 PRESENT

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

E - Denotes Excused Absence

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 4863  
 LOCAL HEALTH INS RESERVE FUND  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

110 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-SIXTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE BILL 4864  
PROF COUNSELOR-EDUCATION  
THIRD READING  
PASSED

February 25, 2010

110 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-SIXTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE BILL 4865  
CREDIT UNIONS-PROXY REVOCATION  
THIRD READING  
PASSED

February 25, 2010

110 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 4895  
 CRIM CD-TATTOO&BODY PIERCING  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

110 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 4896  
 FINANCE-METABOLIC SCREEN FUND  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

110 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-SIXTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE BILL 4961  
HISTORIC SITES-NO FUND SWEEPS  
THIRD READING  
PASSED

February 25, 2010

110 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 4966  
 VEH CD-SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

102 YEAS

7 NAYS

1 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5120  
 VEH CD-SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

108 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5125  
 CONDOS-BYLAW-RENT PROHIBITIONS  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

108 YEAS

1 NAY

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5130  
 MONEY LAUNDERING-FUND  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

109 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5150  
 CD CORR-PAROLE&MAND SUP REL  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

107 YEAS

2 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5219  
 PUB AID-MDS COMPLIANCE REVIEW  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

109 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-SIXTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE BILL 5206  
ELECTIONS-DECEASED VOTERS  
THIRD READING  
PASSED

February 25, 2010

109 YEAS

0 NAYS

0 PRESENT

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

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-SIXTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE BILL 5412  
FIRE PREVENTION FUND-USES  
THIRD READING  
PASSED

February 25, 2010

109 YEAS

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Y Bassi	E Dugan	Y Lang	Y Rita
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Y Bellock	Y Eddy	E Mathias	Y Saviano
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Y Biggins	Y Feigenholtz	Y May	Y Senger
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Y Brady	Y Franks	E Mell	Y Stephens
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Y Burke	Y Froehlich	Y Miller	Y Thapedi
Y Burns	Y Golar	Y Mitchell, Bill	Y Tracy
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Y Crespo	Y Hoffman	Y Pihos	Y Yarbrough
Y Cross	Y Holbrook	Y Poe	Y Zalewski
Y Cultra	Y Howard	Y Pritchard	Y Mr. Speaker
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Y D'Amico	Y Jakobsson	Y Reboletti	
Y Davis, Monique	Y Jefferson	Y Reis	

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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5463  
 EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION WEEK  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

109 YEAS

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Y Acevedo	Y Davis, William	Y Joyce	Y Reitz
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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
NINETY-SIXTH  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE ROLL CALL  
HOUSE BILL 5481  
SCH CD-GIFTED EDUC FUNDING  
THIRD READING  
PASSED

February 25, 2010

109 YEAS

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Y Acevedo	Y Davis, William	Y Joyce	Y Reitz
Y Arroyo	Y DeLuca	Y Kosel	Y Riley
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STATE OF ILLINOIS  
 NINETY-SIXTH  
 GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
 HOUSE ROLL CALL  
 HOUSE BILL 5486  
 TAXI SAFETY-DRIVER REQUIREMENT  
 THIRD READING  
 PASSED

February 25, 2010

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**104TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

**Perfunctory Session**

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2010**

At the hour of 1:16 o'clock p.m., the House convened perfunctory session.

**INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING OF BILLS**

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

HOUSE BILL 6621. Introduced by Representative Coulson, AN ACT concerning the legislature.

**HOUSE RESOLUTIONS**

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

**HOUSE RESOLUTION 954**

Offered by Representative Monique Davis:

WHEREAS, State Representative Monique D. Davis and the members of the Illinois House of Representatives are pleased to welcome the 4-H community to the Illinois State Capitol; and

WHEREAS, 4-H is the largest youth organization in the State of Illinois, challenging nearly 300,000 Illinois youth to "learn by doing" with fun, hands-on activities teaching skills for living; and

WHEREAS, 4-H is the premier youth educational program of the United States Department of Agriculture and supported by the latest research from Illinois' land grant university, the University of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, 4-H is part of the University of Illinois Extension and is available to all youth in every county in the State; and

WHEREAS, More than 24,000 caring, nurturing adults volunteer with 4-H youth by creating learning laboratories to practice real world skills needed today and in the future; and

WHEREAS, 4-H enriches the lives of Illinois youth while focusing on the mission mandates of science, engineering, and technology, healthy living, and citizenship/leadership; and

WHEREAS, 4-H is committed nationally to engage One Million New Scientists and One Million New Ideas by the year 2012 through promoting the concepts of science, engineering, and technology in 4-H programs and activities; and

WHEREAS, Research by Tufts University has shown that 4-H members do better in school, are more likely to see themselves going to college, are less likely to engage in risky behaviors, and contribute more to their communities; and

WHEREAS, 4-H offers youth supervised independence, a sense of belonging, a spirit of generosity towards others, and an opportunity to master life challenges; and

WHEREAS, 4-H members pledge their head, heart, hands, and health to making the best better in their clubs, communities, country, and world; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that Tuesday, March 9, 2010 is 4-H Day at the Illinois State Capitol, saluting the rich traditions of Illinois 4-H, the outstanding accomplishments of Illinois 4-H members and leaders and the commitment to science education for our future generations.



## HOUSE RESOLUTION 955

Offered by Representative Rose:

WHEREAS, Eastern Illinois University proposes the establishment of a rural campus designation program in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The American Association of State Colleges and Universities supported federal legislation to create a new grant program for rural colleges and universities; and

WHEREAS, Funding will come through the U.S. Department of Education's Fund for the Improvement of Postsecondary Education (FIPSE) program, which made it through in an omnibus bill; and

WHEREAS, At this time, the federal government is working to define the scope and goals of the program; and

WHEREAS, The main points include partnerships between universities and local education authorities, regional employers, or workforce investment boards; and

WHEREAS, In addition, there is an emphasis on economic development through partner-based initiatives; and

WHEREAS, By being given a State designation as "rural", universities may benefit when soliciting grant funding from private or federal entities; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Higher Education has the capability within its rules to establish a partnership with the federal grant program upon its official inception; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we direct the Board of Higher Education to establish a foundation to implement the rural campus designation program in this State in correlation with the federal program; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to the Board of Higher Education.

## HOUSE RESOLUTION 961

Offered by Representative Phelps:

WHEREAS, Energy policy and regulation are vital to Illinois' economy and have a direct impact on Illinois families, farmers, businesses, and employees; and

WHEREAS, H.R. 2454, the American Clean Energy and Security Act of 2009, also known as the "Waxman-Markey" and "Cap and Trade", passed by the United States House of Representatives and now pending before the United States Senate, will have a dramatic effect on every American, increase the cost of supplying homes and businesses with electricity, cause job losses, and impose burdensome costs on the poor and families with incomes of less than \$10,000 annually for whom energy costs today make up 60% of their average family expenses, and for families with incomes of \$10,000 to \$25,000 annually, such costs make up 25% of their average family expenses; and

WHEREAS, On December 7, 2009, the Administrator for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) signed 2 distinct findings regarding greenhouse gases under Section 202(c) of the federal Clean Air Act:

(1) Endangerment Finding: the Administrator finds that the current and projected concentrations of the 6 key well-mixed greenhouse gases, carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), methane (CH<sub>4</sub>), nitrous oxide (N<sub>2</sub>O), hydrofluorocarbons (HFCs), perfluorocarbons (PFCs), and sulfur hexafluoride (SF<sub>6</sub>), in the atmosphere threaten the public health and welfare of current and future generations; and

(2) Cause and Contribute Finding: the Administrator finds that the combined emissions of these well-mixed greenhouse gases from new motor vehicles and new motor vehicle engines contribute to the greenhouse gas pollution which threatens public health and welfare; and

WHEREAS, This finding by the EPA, if implemented, will cost Illinois jobs and raise electric rates on families, farmers, businesses, and employees; and

WHEREAS, The people of Illinois are dependent on coal for their electricity, obtaining approximately 50% of electrical energy from coal for their homes, farms, and businesses; this heavy dependence on coal is common throughout the Midwestern states; and

WHEREAS, Illinois is blessed with an abundance of coal, with coal-bearing rocks under 65% of the State, including all or parts of 86 of the 102 counties; the amount of recoverable coal beneath the surface in Illinois is estimated at 100 billion tons, enough to meet the nation's energy needs for the next 100 years;

there is more energy content in the coal in Illinois than the oil in Saudi Arabia and Kuwait combined; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois coal industry is a critical component of the State's economy, currently providing 4,000 direct jobs, thousands more indirect jobs, with an impact of over \$1 billion to the State's economy; and

WHEREAS, The technology of the 21st Century is providing cleaner, yet still affordable, baseload generation from coal, including Super Critical Pulverized Coal at the Prairie State Energy Campus in Washington County now under construction and scheduled to go online in 2011, and will provide low-cost energy to 2.5 million people in 9 states; and

WHEREAS, In 2009 the Clean Coal Portfolio Standard Act became law, which requires utilities to purchase up to 5% of their electricity from clean coal facilities that capture and store 50% of its carbon emissions, thus providing incentives for further development of coal gasification, coal-to-liquid, and carbon sequestration technologies; the Act also establishes a goal that each public utility obtain 25% of its power from clean coal plants by 2025; and

WHEREAS, Illinois' abundance of coal and incentives for coal gasification has made it the world's center for clean coal technology attracting several projects now in the planning phase, including the FutureGen project in Mattoon, the Taylorville Energy Center, the Power Holdings project in Jefferson County, and the Secure Energy project in Decatur; and

WHEREAS, The focus in Illinois and throughout the Midwest should be on developing and deploying clean coal technologies rather than a punitive system that drives up costs, leads to lower baseload energy production, and inhibits or prevents progress on a fuel that the United States has in abundance within its own borders; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge our elected statewide officials to express their opposition to the further acceptance or approval of the Environmental Protection Agency formal endangerment finding on greenhouse gases; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the United States Environmental Protection Agency to rescind their recent formal endangerment finding on greenhouse gases; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the Illinois congressional delegation to vote against H.R. 2454, the American Clean Energy Act of 2009, and urge our elected statewide officials express their respective positions on the passage of H.R. 2454 and send a unified message to our congressional delegation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be sent to Governor Pat Quinn, President Barack Obama, President of the United States Senate, Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, and each member of the Illinois congressional delegation.

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 104

Offered by Representative William Davis:

WHEREAS, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) is a term used to describe airflow obstruction that is associated mainly with emphysema and chronic bronchitis; and

WHEREAS, COPD affects an estimated 24 million people and kills more than 120,000 Americans every year; on average, one person dies from COPD every 4 minutes, an alarming statistic for a disease many have not learned about; and

WHEREAS, Of the top 5 diseases that kill Americans, including heart disease and cancer, all but COPD are on the decline; and

WHEREAS, Pulmonary experts predict that, by the year 2020, COPD will become the 3rd leading cause of death worldwide; and

WHEREAS, COPD currently accounts for 1.5 million emergency room visits, 726,000 hospitalizations, and 8 million physician office and hospital outpatient visits, all of which are a detriment to the U.S. economy; COPD costs the nation an estimated \$42.6 billion in direct and indirect medical costs annually; and

WHEREAS, COPD affects over 550,000 citizens of the State of Illinois; the Illinois COPD Coalition, convened by the Respiratory Health Association, is implementing the State Plan for Addressing COPD in Illinois, a state-wide effort to increase early detection, improve care and treatment, and prevent and reduce the prevalence of the disease; and

WHEREAS, Research has identified a hereditary protein deficiency called Alpha-1 Antitrypsin; people with this deficiency tend to develop COPD, even without exposure to smoking or environmental triggers; and

WHEREAS, Recently, the death rate for women with COPD has surpassed the death rate of men with COPD; women over the age of 40 are the fastest-growing segment of the population developing this irreversible disease, due in large part to the equalization of opportunities for men and women to smoke over the past several generations; and

WHEREAS, There is currently no cure for COPD; modern medical treatments can only address symptom relief and possibly slow the progression of the disease; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the month of November as COPD Awareness Month in the State of Illinois in recognition of this deadly disease and its effects on the citizens of this State.

#### **SENATE BILLS ON FIRST READING**

Having been reproduced, the following bill was taken up, read by title a first time and placed in the Committee on Rules: SENATE BILL 365 (Flider).

#### **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS SECOND READING**

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT 50 was taken up and read in full a second time and held on the order of Second Reading.

At the hour of 1:20 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.