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The House met pursuant to adjournment.
Representative Lang in the chair.

Prayer by Pastor Wale Akinosun, who is with the Schaumburg Community Church in Schaumburg, Illinois.

Representative Morthland 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:
111 present. (ROLL CALL 1)

By unanimous consent, Representatives Coladipietro, Hatcher, Lyons, McAuliffe, Nybo and Tryon 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 McGuire on April 6, 2012.

TEMPORARY COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative Williams replaced Representative Farnham in the Committee on Environment & Energy on April 18, 2012.

Representative Moffitt replaced Representative Ramey in the Committee on Counties & Townships on April 18, 2012.

Representative Mathias replaced Representative Reis in the Committee on Judiciary II - Criminal Law on April 19, 2012.

REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE ON RULES

Representative Currie, Chairperson, from the Committee on Rules to which the following were referred, action taken on April 19, 2012, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE:

- Agriculture & Conservation: SENATE BILL 3533.
- Elections & Campaign Reform: SENATE BILLS 3338 and 3743.
- Higher Education: SENATE BILL 3800.
- Human Services: SENATE BILLS 3517 and 3614.
- Judiciary I - Civil Law: SENATE BILLS 3593, 3594, 3638 and 3823.
- Judiciary II - Criminal Law: SENATE BILL 3824.
- Public Utilities: SENATE BILL 3765.
- Revenue & Finance: SENATE BILLS 3479 and 3689.
- State Government Administration: SENATE BILL 967.
- Transportation: Regulation, Roads & Bridges: SENATE BILL 2822.

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 Mautino(D)

A Schmitz(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Leitch(R)

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Representative Verschoore, Chairperson, from the Committee on Counties & Townships to which the following were referred, action taken on April 18, 2012, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 3324 and 3809.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 3324 and 3809 is as follows:

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

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| Y Verschoore(D), Chairperson | A Riley(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Moffitt(R) (replacing Ramey) | A Hatcher(R) |
| Y Mayfield(D) | Y Morthland(R) |
| A Phelps(D) | |

Representative Franks, Chairperson, from the Committee on State Government Administration to which the following were referred, action taken on April 18, 2012, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 2844, 3452 and 3508.

That the resolutions be reported “recommends be adopted” and be placed on the House Calendar: HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 849 and 920.

The committee roll call vote on House Resolutions 849 and 920 is as follows:

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

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| Y Franks(D), Chairperson | Y Dugan(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Ramey(R), Republican Spokesperson | A Acevedo(D) |
| A Barickman(R) | A Brown(R) |
| A Davis, Monique(D) | A Dunkin(D) |
| Y Farnham(D) | Y Harris, David(R) |
| Y Hays(R) | A Mathias(R) |
| Y McAsey(D) | Y Moffitt(R) |
| Y Mussman(D) | A Pritchard(R) |
| Y Sente(D) | Y Smith(D) |

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bills 2844 and 3452 is as follows:

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

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| Y Franks(D), Chairperson | Y Dugan(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Ramey(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Acevedo(D) |
| A Barickman(R) | Y Brown(R) |
| A Davis, Monique(D) | A Dunkin(D) |
| Y Farnham(D) | Y Harris, David(R) |
| Y Hays(R) | A Mathias(R) |
| Y McAsey(D) | Y Moffitt(R) |
| Y Mussman(D) | A Pritchard(R) |
| Y Sente(D) | Y Smith(D) |

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 3508 is as follows:

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

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| Y Franks(D), Chairperson | Y Dugan(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| Y Ramey(R), Republican Spokesperson | Y Acevedo(D) |
| Y Barickman(R) | Y Brown(R) |
| A Davis, Monique(D) | Y Dunkin(D) |
| Y Farnham(D) | Y Harris, David(R) |

Y Hays(R)
Y McAsey(D)
Y Mussman(D)
Y Sente(D)

A Mathias(R)
Y Moffitt(R)
A Pritchard(R)
Y Smith(D)

Representative May, Chairperson, from the Committee on Environment & Energy to which the following were referred, action taken on April 18, 2012, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILL 2947.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 2947 is as follows:
13, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

Y May(D), Chairperson
A Tryon(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Brown(R)
Y Williams(D) (replacing Farnham)
Y Gabel(D)
Y Nybo(R)
Y Poe(R)
A Rose(R)
Y Soto(D)
A Winters(R)

Y Chapa LaVia(D), Vice-Chairperson
Y Beiser(D)
A Durkin(R)
A Feigenholtz(D)
Y Jackson(D)
Y Phelps(D)
A Reboletti(R)
Y Rosenthal(R)
Y Verschoore(D)

Representative Howard, Chairperson, from the Committee on Judiciary II - Criminal Law to which the following were referred, action taken on April 19, 2012, reported the same back with the following recommendations:

That the bill be reported “do pass” and be placed on the order of Second Reading-- Short Debate: SENATE BILLS 2520, 2819, 3423 and 3579.

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 2520 is as follows:
7, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

Y Howard(D), Chairperson
Y Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Cunningham(D)
Y Mathias(R) (replacing Reis)
Y Tracy(R)

Y McAsey(D), Vice-Chairperson
A Carli(D)
N Golar(D)
Y Sacia(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 2819 is as follows:
6, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

Y Howard(D), Chairperson
A Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Cunningham(D)
Y Mathias(R) (replacing Reis)
Y Tracy(R)

N McAsey(D), Vice-Chairperson
A Carli(D)
Y Golar(D)
Y Sacia(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 3423 is as follows:
7, Yeas; 1, Nay; 0, Answering Present.

Y Howard(D), Chairperson
Y Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson
Y Cunningham(D)

N McAsey(D), Vice-Chairperson
A Carli(D)
Y Golar(D)

Y Reis (R)
Y Tracy(R)

Y Sacia(R)

The committee roll call vote on Senate Bill 3579 is as follows:
7, Yeas; 0, Nays; 0, Answering Present.

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| Y Howard(D), Chairperson | Y McAsey(D), Vice-Chairperson |
| A Reboletti(R), Republican Spokesperson | A Carli(D) |
| Y Cunningham(D) | Y Golar(D) |
| Y Mathias(R) (replacing Reis) | Y Sacia(R) |
| Y Tracy(R) | |

CHANGE OF SPONSORSHIP

With the consent of the affected members, Representative Chapa LaVia was removed as principal sponsor, and Representative Marcus Evans became the new principal sponsor of SENATE BILL 3484.

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION 948

Offered by Representative Osmond:

WHEREAS, Nurses throughout the State of Illinois and the world at large perform vital duties in the field of medicine and provide life-saving services to millions of patients worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Busch, a Registered Nurse who tragically passed away on November 6, 2011, devoted her life to helping others; she earned her Registered Nurse degree in 1985, her Master of Business Administration degree in 2003, and her Master's Degree in Nursing in October of 2011; she was employed as both a nurse and an instructor; and

WHEREAS, Rachel Busch was well known among her fellow nurses as a knowledgeable and hard-working nurse who strove for excellence and expected no less from those around her; and

WHEREAS, Advocate Condell will be establishing a scholarship in honor of Rachel Busch and her great work in the field of nursing; the scholarship will be announced during National Nurses Week in 2012; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the week of May 6-12, 2012 as Illinois Nurses Week in the State of Illinois in honor of Rachel Busch and all of the hard-working nurses throughout the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Illinois Nurses Association and the family of Rachel Busch.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 954

Offered by Representative du Buclet:

WHEREAS, Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) is an umbrella term used to describe airflow obstruction that is associated mainly with emphysema and chronic bronchitis; and

WHEREAS, COPD affects an estimated 24 million individuals in the United States, and kills more than 120,000 Americans a year; on average, one person dies from COPD every 4 minutes; and

WHEREAS, In 2010, the National Center for Health Statistics releases a report stating that, in 2008, COPD became the third leading cause of death in the United States; 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 detrimental to the United States economy; COPD costs the nation an estimated \$42.6 billion in direct and indirect medical costs annually; and

WHEREAS, The 2010 Illinois Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey revealed that over 440,000 Illinoisans have been diagnosed with COPD; it is estimated that another 440,000 have yet to be diagnosed; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois COPD Coalition, convened by the Respiratory Health Association, continues to implement the State Plan for Addressing COPD, a plan that outlines sustainable solutions to improve care and treatment and to prevent and reduce the prevalence of the disease in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Research has identified a hereditary protein deficiency called Alpha-1 Antitrypsin; people with this deficiency tend to develop COPD, despite the lack of exposure to smoking and 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 to develop this irreversible disease, due in large part to the equalization of opportunity for men and women to smoke over the past several generations; and

WHEREAS, There is currently no cure for COPD; spirometry testing and medical treatments, such as pulmonary rehabilitation, exist to address symptom relief and possibly slow progression of the disease; and

WHEREAS, Until there is a cure, the best approaches to preventing COPD and its considerable health, societal, and mortality impacts lie in education, awareness, and expanded delivery of detection and management protocols; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the month of November as COPD Awareness Month in the State of Illinois and urge the citizens of this State to become more aware of COPD and its effects.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 960

Offered by Representative Chapa LaVia:

WHEREAS, The Junior Leagues of Champaign-Urbana and Kane & DuPage Counties Inc., in conjunction with the Chicago Metro AEYC, the Illinois AEYC, the National Association for the Education of Young Children, and other local organizations focused on early childhood literacy, are celebrating the Week of the Young Child from April 22-28, 2012; and

WHEREAS, These organizations are working to improve early learning opportunities, including early literacy programs, that can provide a foundation of learning for children in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Teachers and others who make a difference in the lives of young children in Illinois deserve thanks and recognition; and

WHEREAS, Public policies that support early learning for all young children are crucial to young children's futures; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the week of April 22-28, 2012 as the Week of the Young Child in the State of Illinois and encourage all citizens to work to make a good investment in early childhood in Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be delivered to each school district in this State.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

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

HOUSE RESOLUTION 945

Offered by Representative Connelly:
Congratulates Barbara Thomas on her retirement as an educator.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 946

Offered by Representative Osmond:
Mourns the death of Lois M. Haines of Northbrook.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 947

Offered by Representative Osmond:
Mourns the death of Janet Riess Brook of Antioch.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 949

Offered by Representative Osmond:
Mourns the death of Milton C. "Milt" Jensen of Beach Park.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 950

Offered by Representative Osmond:
Congratulates Martin Buehler on the occasion of his retirement from the Lake County Division of Transportation.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 951

Offered by Representative Osmond:
Congratulates the people of Wadsworth on the 50th anniversary of the incorporation of the Village.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 952

Offered by Representative Osmond:
Congratulates Rev. Fr. John A. Jamnicky on the occasion of his 40th anniversary in the priesthood.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 953

Offered by Representative Cole:
Congratulates Mike Pruitt, co-owner of the Vine Restaurant in Grayslake, on being named one of the 10 outstanding young people of the year by the Illinois Junior Chamber of Commerce.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 955

Offered by Representative Turner:
Mourns the death of Theodis R. Leonard, Sr.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 956

Offered by Representative Mathias:

Congratulates the members of the Northern Illinois Regional Group of the Early Ford V-8 Club on the 45th anniversary of the Club.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 957

Offered by Representative Mathias:

Congratulates Robert Heer of Wheeling on the occasion of his retirement from the Buffalo Grove Police Department.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 958

Offered by Representative Mathias:

Congratulates Gary Mical on the occasion of his retirement as Superintendent of Wheeling Township Elementary District 21.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 959

Offered by Representative Mathias:

Congratulates Rick Kahen on the occasion of his retirement from the Buffalo Grove Commission for Residents with Disabilities.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 961

Offered by Representative Lyons:

Congratulates the board and employees of Hoyne Savings Bank on the occasion of the 125th anniversary of the institution.

HOUSE RESOLUTION 962

Offered by Representative Madigan:

Commends the American Heart Association for its efforts to save lives through education and training and thanks the Association and its volunteers for providing CPR and AED training for General Assembly employees.

DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CALENDAR

Supplemental Calendar No. 1 was distributed to the Members at 10:06 o'clock a.m.

Supplemental Calendar No. 2 was distributed to the Members at 10:16 o'clock a.m.

**ADJOURNMENT RESOLUTION
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 80**

Representative Currie offered the following resolution:

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that when the two houses adjourn on Thursday, April 19, 2012, the House of Representatives

stands adjourned until Tuesday, April 24, 2012 at 12:00 o'clock noon, or until the call of the Speaker; and the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, April 24 2012 at 12:00 o'clock noon, or until the call of the President.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 80 was taken up.
Representative Currie moved the adoption of the resolution.
The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.
Ordered that the Clerk inform the Senate and ask their concurrence.

AGREED RESOLUTIONS

HOUSE RESOLUTIONS 945, 946, 947, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 961 and 962 were taken up for consideration.
Representative Currie moved the adoption of the agreed resolutions.
The motion prevailed and the agreed resolutions were adopted.

RESOLUTIONS

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on April 18, 2012, HOUSE RESOLUTION 920 was taken up for consideration.
Representative Currie moved the adoption of the resolution.
The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

Having been reported out of the Committee on State Government Administration on April 18, 2012, HOUSE RESOLUTION 849 was taken up for consideration.
Representative Gordon moved the adoption of the resolution.
The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

At the hour of 10:39 o'clock a.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 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 80, the House stood adjourned until Tuesday, April 24, 2012, at 12:00 o'clock p.m.

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

April 19, 2012

0 YEAS

0 NAYS

111 PRESENT

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

E - Denotes Excused Absence

125TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**Perfunctory Session****THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 2012**

At the hour of 12:19 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 6156. Introduced by Representative Franks, AN ACT concerning revenue.

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 3479 (M. Evans).

At the hour of 12:19 o'clock p.m., the House Perfunctory Session adjourned.