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Clerk Mahoney: "The House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Introduction and reading of House Bills-First Reading. House Bill 562, offered by Representative Mendoza, a Bill for an Act concerning abuse. House Bill 563, offered by Representative Beiser, a Bill for an Act concerning professional regulation. House Bill 564, offered by Representative Osmond, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 565, offered by Representative Ford, a Bill for an Act concerning public aid. House Bill 566, offered by Representative Gordon, Careen, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 567, offered by Representative Gordon, Careen, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 568, offered by Representative Gordon, Careen, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. House Bill 569, offered by Representative Bradley, John, a Bill for an Act concerning land. House Bill 570, offered by Representative Mulligan, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 571, offered by Representative Mulligan, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 572, offered by Representative Mulligan, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 573, offered by Representative Mulligan, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 574, offered by Representative Turner, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 575, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act concerning professional regulation. House Bill 576, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 577, offered by

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Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 578, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 579, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 580, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 581, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 582, offered by Representative Davis, Monique, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 583, offered by Representative Sacia, a Bill for an Act concerning animals. House Bill 584, offered by Representative Sacia, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 585, offered by Representative Sacia, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 586, offered by Representative Harris, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 587, offered by Representative Bost, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 588, offered by Representative Hannig, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 589, offered by Representative Hannig, a Bill for an Act concerning health. House Bill 590, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 591, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning wildlife. House Bill 592, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning business. House Bill 593, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act

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concerning local government. House Bill 594, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 595, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 596, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 597, offered by Representative Nekritz, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 598, offered by Representative Gordon, Careen, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 599, offered by Representative Gordon, Careen, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 600, offered by Representative Reitz, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 601, offered by Representative Reitz, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 602, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 603, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 604, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning tobacco. House Bill 605, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 606, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 607, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 608, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 609, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 610, offered by Representative

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Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 611, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 612, offered by Representative Chapa LaVia, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 613, offered by Representative Eddy, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 614, offered by Representative Hernandez, a Bill for an Act concerning public aid. House Bill 615, offered by Representative Coulson, a Bill for an Act concerning professional regulation. House Bill 616, offered by Representative Coulson, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. House Bill 617, offered by Representative Poe, a Bill for an Act concerning business. House Bill 618, offered by Representative Ford, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 619, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 620, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 621, offered by Representative Fortner, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 622, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 623, offered by Representative Crespo, a Bill for an Act making appropriations. House Bill 624, offered by Representative Crespo, a Bill for an Act concerning government. House Bill 625, offered by Representative Reboletti, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 626, offered by Representative Flowers, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill 627, offered by Representative

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Watson, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 628, offered by Representative Osterman, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 629, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning safety. House Bill 630, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 631, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill 632, offered by Representative Brosnahan, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 633, offered by Representative Brosnahan, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 634, offered by Representative Brady, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 635, offered by Representative Pritchard, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 636, offered by Representative Black, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 637, offered by Representative Black, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 638, offered by Representative Black, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 639, offered by Representative Black, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 640, offered by Representative Black, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 641, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 642, offered by Representative Rose, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 643, offered by Representative McCarthy, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 644, offered by Representative Verschoore, a Bill for an

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Act concerning local government. House Bill 645, offered by Representative Burke, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 646, offered by Representative Beaubien, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 647, offered by Representative Davis, Monique, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 648, offered by Representative Davis, Monique, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 649, offered by Representative Flowers, a Bill for an Act concerning business. House Bill 650, offered by Representative Lang, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill 651, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 652, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 653, offered by Representative McGuire, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 654, offered by Representative Schmitz, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 655, offered by Representative Golar, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 656, offered by Representative Crespo, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 657, offered by Representative Jefferson, a Bill for an Act concerning utilities. House Bill 658, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning safety. House Bill 659, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 660, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 661, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning

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appropriations. House Bill 662, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning health. House Bill 663, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 664, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning public aid. House Bill 665, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 666, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 667, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 668, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 669, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 670, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 671, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 672, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning safety. House Bill 673, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 674, offered by Representative Reis, a Bill for an Act concerning wildlife. House Bill 675, offered by Representative D'Amico, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 676, offered by Representative Lyons, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 677, offered by Representative Lyons, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 678, offered by Representative Osmond, a Bill

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for an Act concerning animals. House Bill 679, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 680, offered by Representative Moffitt, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 681, offered by Representative Dugan, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 682, offered by Representative Burns, a Bill for an Act concerning juveniles. House Bill 683, offered by Representative Burns, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 684, offered by Representative Burns, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 685, offered by Representative Burns, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 686, offered by Representative Dunkin, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 687, offered by Representative Dunkin, a Bill for an Act concerning firearms. House Bill 688, offered by Representative Colvin, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 689, offered by Representative Miller, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 690, offered by Representative Riley, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 691, offered by Representative Riley, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 692, offered by Representative Crespo, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 693, offered by Representative Crespo, a Bill for an Act in relation to stalking. House Bill 694, offered by Representative Crespo, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 695, offered by Representative Beiser, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill



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696, offered by Representative Beiser, a Bill for an Act concerning business. House Bill 697, offered by Representative Black, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 698, offered by Representative Lyons, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 699, offered by Representative Brosnahan, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 700, offered by Representative Bost, a Bill for an Act concerning public health. House Bill 701, offered by Representative Reboletti, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 702, offered by Representative Golar, a Bill for an Act concerning liquor. House Bill 703, offered by Representative Golar, a Bill for an Act concerning business. House Bill 704, offered by Representative Phelps, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 705, offered by Representative Farnham, a Bill for an Act concerning property. House Bill 706, offered by Representative Farnham, a Bill for an Act concerning veterans. House Bill 707, offered by Representative Joyce, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 708, offered by Representative Joyce, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 709, offered by Representative Joyce, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 710, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 711, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 712, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act

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concerning regulation. House Bill 713, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning health. House Bill 714, offered by Representative Froehlich, a Bill for an Act concerning health. House Bill 715, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 716, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 717, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 718, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill 719, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 720, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 721, offered by Representative Fortner, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 722, offered by Representative Fortner, a Bill for an Act concerning utilities. House Bill 723, offered by Representative Fortner, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 724, offered by Representative Watson, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. House Bill 725, offered by Representative Watson, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 726, offered by Representative Currie, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 727, offered by Representative Ford, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 728, offered by Representative Joyce, a Bill for an Act concerning utilities. House Bill 729, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning public

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employee benefits. House Bill 730, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 731, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill 732, offered by Representative Jakobsson, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 733, offered by Representative Boland, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 734, offered by Representative Yarbrough, a Bill for an Act concerning cigarettes and tobacco products. House Bill 735, offered by Representative Bradley, John, a Bill for an Act concerning renewable fuels. House Bill 736, offered by Representative Fritchey, a Bill for an Act concerning ethics. House Bill 737, offered by Representative Smith, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 738, offered by Representative Smith, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 739, offered by Representative Smith, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 740, offered by Representative Smith, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 741, offered by Representative Smith, a Bill for an Act concerning government. House Bill 742, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 743, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 744, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 745, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning public aid. House Bill 746, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a

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Bill for an Act concerning public aid. House Bill 747, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 748, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning regulation. House Bill 749, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. House Bill 750, offered by Representative Cultra, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 751, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning health. House Bill 752, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning aging. House Bill 753, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 754, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 755, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. House Bill 756, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning adoption. House Bill 757, offered by Representative Thapedi, a Bill for an Act concerning courts. House Bill 758, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. House Bill 759, offered by Representative Ryg, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 760, offered by Representative Kosel, a Bill for an Act concerning government. House Bill 761, offered by Representative Howard, a Bill for an Act concerning courts. House Bill 762, offered by Representative Howard, a Bill for an Act concerning professional regulation. House Bill 763, offered by Representative Cultra, a Bill for an Act

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concerning elections. House Bill 764, offered by Representative Cultra, a Bill for an Act concerning wildlife. First Reading of these House Bills. Introduction and First Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 11, offered by Representative Mulligan.

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article IV of the Illinois Constitution by adding Section 16 as follows:

ARTICLE IV

THE LEGISLATURE

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATIONS VOTE

The General Assembly may not vote on final passage of any appropriations bill unless the bill has been filed or last amended, whichever is later, at least 7 calendar days prior to the vote.

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act. This has been First Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 11, offered by Representative Mulligan. First Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 12, offered by Representative Mathias.

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RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Article V of the Illinois Constitution by changing Sections 1, 3, 7, and 18 and by repealing Section 17 as follows:

ARTICLE V  
THE EXECUTIVE

SECTION 1. OFFICERS

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

SECTION 3. ELIGIBILITY

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

SECTION 7. VACANCIES IN OTHER ELECTIVE OFFICES

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

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by the Governor. If the Lieutenant Governor fails to qualify or if the office becomes vacant, it shall remain vacant until the end of the term.

SECTION 17. COMPTROLLER - DUTIES (REPEALED)

SECTION 18. TREASURER - DUTIES

The Treasurer, in accordance with law, shall (i) maintain the State's central fiscal accounts, and order payments into and out of the funds held by him or her, (ii) be responsible for the safekeeping and investment of monies and securities deposited with him or her, and for their disbursement upon his or her order, and (iii) have the duties and powers that may be prescribed by law.

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act. This Constitutional Amendment applies upon the conclusion of the terms of the Comptroller and the Treasurer elected in 2006, regardless of the election of a Comptroller in 2010. This was been First Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 12, offered by Representative Mathias. There being no further business, the House Perfunctory Session will stand adjourned."