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**26TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

**Perfunctory Session**

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 2017**

**12:25 O'CLOCK P.M.**

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The Senate met pursuant to the directive of the President.  
Pursuant to Senate Rule 2-5(c)2, the Secretary of the Senate conducted the perfunctory session.  
Silent prayer was observed.

**MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT**

**OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT  
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

JOHN J. CULLERTON  
SENATE PRESIDENT

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

March 17, 2017

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Rule 2-10, I hereby extend the committee deadline to April 7, 2017, for the following Senate bills:

0050, 0056, 0058, 0060, 0063, 0064, 0070, 0071, 0072, 0073, 0074, 0075, 0076, 0082, 0085,  
0194, 0196, 0223, 0224, 0418, 0422, 0445, 0470, 0471, 0508, 0552, 0583, 0585, 0603, 0608,  
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1870, 1871, 1885, 1886, 1888, 1890, 1893, 1894, 1897, 1898, 1906, 1934, 1944, 1945, 1971,  
1972, 1976, 1979, 1993, 1995, 1996, 2011, 2012, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2022, 2024, 2026, 2027,  
2029, 2031, 2032, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2050, 2054, 2055, 2057, 2061, 2068, 2071, 2073,  
2075, 2080, 2085, 2088, 2091, 2172, 2173

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

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

**OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT  
STATE OF ILLINOIS**

[March 22, 2017]

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March 22, 2017

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a Perfunctory Session to convene on March 22, 2017.

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

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

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Mr. Tim Anderson  
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Room 403 State House  
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Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-5(c), I hereby appoint Senator Don Harmon to temporarily replace Senator James Clayborne as Chairman of the Senate Committee on Assignments. In addition, I hereby appoint Senator Donne Trotter to temporarily replace Senator James Clayborne as a member of the Senate Committee on Assignments and I hereby appoint Senator Pat McGuire to temporarily replace Senator Kimberly Lightford as a member of the Senate Committee on Assignments. These appointments will expire upon adjournment of the Senate Committee on Assignments on March 22, 2017.

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

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

**REPORTS RECEIVED**

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

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Annual Flex Time Report pursuant to Public Act 87-552, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Illinois Tollway 2016 Annual Report, submitted the Illinois Tollway.

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

### **LEGISLATIVE MEASURES FILED**

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

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1557  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1843  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1944

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

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 65  
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 262  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 263  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 315  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 316  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 624  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 852  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1040  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1353  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1441  
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1562  
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1688  
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1775  
Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill 1804  
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1811  
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2021

### **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 319**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Larry Gene Mohr of Bunker Hill.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 320**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Ann E. Franklin of Peoria.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 321**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Daniel J. Naert of East Moline.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 324**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Carolyn Rush of Chicago.

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 325**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Robert L. Vojas.

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**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 326**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Ernst Chester Bone, M.D., of Jacksonville.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 327**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Marvin Raymond Siemer of Rockbridge.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 328**

Offered by Senator McCann and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Dr. James C. Forstall of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 329**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Frank J. Bussone of Roanoke.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 330**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Nancy Ann Neumiller of Peoria.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 331**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Rosalie N. "Rosie" Jones of Springfield.

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

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 318**

WHEREAS, There are 7,000 chemicals in secondhand smoke, hundreds of which are toxic and 70 of which are known to cause cancer; and

WHEREAS, Exposure to secondhand smoke has an immediate adverse impact on the cardiovascular system, damaging blood vessels, increasing the likelihood of clots, heart attacks, and strokes; it increases the risk of emphysema, lung cancer, and other chronic diseases and causes premature death in children and adults who do not smoke; and

WHEREAS, Tobacco use is responsible for 18,300 deaths in Illinois annually, including most lung cancer deaths; and

WHEREAS, Each year, the State of Illinois spends \$5.49 billion on health care costs for tobacco-related illnesses and has to manage a Medicaid burden of \$1.9 billion; these health and economic costs are shared by every Illinois resident, regardless of whether or not they smoke; and

WHEREAS, Proactive tobacco control policies can save lives and dollars; grassroots volunteers in Illinois worked for more than 30 years to pass legislation to reduce the harmful effects of smoking and secondhand smoke; and

WHEREAS, The 95th Illinois General Assembly passed Senate Bill 500 - the Smoke Free Illinois Act, prohibiting smoking in all workplaces and public places, including bars and restaurants on March 29, 2007; and

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WHEREAS, Since the passage of the Smoke Free Illinois Act, there has been a nearly 20.5% decrease in hospitalizations from asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), and acute myocardial infarction (heart attack) among Illinois adults; the drop in asthma and heart attacks has resulted in savings of more than \$1 billion for Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The adult smoking rate in Illinois in 2007 was 20.7%; as of 2017, the rate has fallen to 15.1%; the 2007 high school smoking rate was 21.7%; as of 2017, the rate has fallen to 15.1%; the 2007 middle school smoking rate was 8.8%; as of 2017, the rate has fallen to 2%; and

WHEREAS, Illinois children are growing up in a smoke-free public indoor environment, and do not remember, or have never heard the question "do you want to sit in the smoking or non-smoking section"; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare March 29, 2017 as "Smoke-Free Illinois Day" in recognition of the improved health benefits by Illinois going smoke-free ten years ago; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the American Lung Association as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

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

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 322**

WHEREAS, Distracted driving occurs when motorists engage in activities that divert their attention from driving safely; these can include texting, talking on a cell phone, adjusting the radio, and interacting with passengers; and

WHEREAS, Safe driving and public awareness of the dangers associated with distracted driving will result in fewer traffic crashes, fewer injuries, and fewer fatalities; and

WHEREAS, In 2015, distracted driving was a factor in motor vehicle crashes that killed 3,459 people, nationally; and

WHEREAS, Educating and informing the public about distracted driving, enhancing public awareness of the dangers associated with driving while distracted, ensuring younger drivers understand the consequences of driving distracted, and obeying established distracted driving traffic laws will reduce the number of fatalities and injuries; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police (ILACP), partnering with the American Automobile Association and supported by the Illinois Truck Enforcement Association, the Illinois State Police, the Illinois Department of Transportation, Safety Serve, local law enforcement agencies, and the State's first responders are committed to educate Illinois residents on all aspects of distracted driving, to enforce applicable State laws and to support Illinois Distracted Driving Awareness Week; and

WHEREAS, The ILACP continues to develop partnerships designed to create and enhance a strong, supportive traffic safety culture throughout Illinois; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare April 24 to 28, 2017 as the inaugural, "Illinois Distracted Driving Awareness Week"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police, the American Automobile Association, the Illinois Truck Enforcement Association, the Illinois State Police, the Illinois Department of Transportation, and Safety Serve.

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 323**

WHEREAS, 44 Ill. Admin. Part 650.240 of the Illinois Administrative Code requires that a Performance Factor is to be utilized when considering contractors that may be employed by the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The Performance Factor is a numerical value which is determined by the contractor's performance evaluation in a work category during the previous year; at the close of each construction season, the Department, other State agencies or authorities using contractors based on the prequalification decisions of the Department and officials of a unit of local government administering a contract approved for award by the Department will evaluate each contractor who performed work for them during the previous year either as a prime contractor or as a subcontractor; this information is submitted on the Contractor's Annual Performance Report (BC-1777), and is held confidential from disclosure in accordance with Section 7(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act [5 ILCS 140/7(1)(a)]; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we urge the Auditor General to conduct an audit of the Illinois Department of Transportation's compliance with 44 Ill. Admin. Part 650.240 of the Illinois Administrative Code over the past three years in the cities of Chicago, East St. Louis, and Peoria; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Auditor General and the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation.

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

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 23**

WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General Assembly pays honor and respect to truly great individuals; and

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Neary was born to Edwin and Marilyn Neary of Morris on July 11, 1950; he attended Morris schools and Joliet Junior College; and

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Neary began his career in law enforcement with the Grundy County Sheriff's Department; and

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Neary was hired as a police officer in Coal City on October 23, 1972 and went on to serve as Chief of Police in Coal City for 30 years; and

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Neary also served 35 years with the Coal City Volunteer Fire Department, many of those years as Captain; he was also an EMT for six years; and

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Neary received the Coal City Community Service Award in 2002; and

WHEREAS, Dennis M. Neary passed away on October 2, 2016, leaving behind his wife of 43 years, Cathy, two sons, and three grandchildren; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate Route 113 from Carbon Hill Road to Virginia Street in Coal City as the "Dennis M. Neary Memorial Highway"; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name the "Dennis M. Neary Memorial Highway"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the family of Dennis M. Neary, Coal City Village President Terry Halliday, and the Secretary of the Department of Transportation.

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

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 24**

WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General Assembly pays honor and respect to truly great individuals; and

WHEREAS, James A. Jones was born to Harry and Ruth Jones on August 14, 1944; they later moved to Seneca; and

WHEREAS, James A. Jones enlisted in the United States Marine Corps on April 6, 1966; he graduated from Western Illinois University in June of 1966 and a began basic training that August; and

WHEREAS, James A. Jones was deployed to Vietnam, arriving on March 30, 1967; and

WHEREAS, From March to August of 1967, James A. Jones was a part of six operations; during that time, he was promoted to Lance Corporal; he was wounded during his sixth operation and was awarded the Purple Heart; and

WHEREAS, James A. Jones was killed in action in Vietnam on September 7, 1967, during the seventh operation in which he was involved; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate Route 171 from Route 6 to River Road in Seneca as the "James A. Jones Memorial Highway"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name the "James A. Jones Memorial Highway"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the family of James A. Jones, Seneca Mayor David M. Spicer, and the Secretary of the Department of Transportation.

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

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 25**

WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General Assembly pays honor and respect to truly great individuals; and

WHEREAS, Six brothers of the Kaszynski Family of Peru served in World War II; and

WHEREAS, Five of the brothers served in the United States Army: Bernard, Florian, Thaddeus, Alex Jr., and Richard; and

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WHEREAS, One brother, Chester, served with the United States Merchant Marine during World War II and with the United States Army during the Korean War; and

WHEREAS, The Kaszynski brothers served all over the world during World War II in places such as Guadalcanal, Tangal, the Panama Canal Zone, New Guinea, the Philippines, and Iceland; and

WHEREAS, Alex Jr. was the only brother who was seriously wounded in action on Luzon and was awarded the Purple Heart; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate Route 6 from Mary Street in Spring Valley to Harrison Street in Peru as the "Kaszynski Brothers Memorial Highway"; and be it further

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

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Kaszynski Family, Peru Mayor Scott J. Harl, Spring Valley Mayor Walt Marini, and the Secretary of the Department of Transportation.

#### **REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS**

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 22, 2017 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measure has been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 312.**

Criminal Law: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 680; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1402; Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2021; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2062.**

Education: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 446; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 918; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1426; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1557.**

Environment and Conservation: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1774.**

Executive: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 31; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 315.**

Financial Institutions: **SENATE BILL 748.**

Gaming: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 620.**

Higher Education: **SENATE BILL 222; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 222; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 518.**

Human Services: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 624; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1353.**

Insurance: **Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1723.**

Judiciary: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1518.**

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Licensed Activities and Pensions: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1335; Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1335; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1391; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1811.**

Public Health: **Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1586.**

Revenue: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 852; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1871.**

State Government: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 262; Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1266; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1936.**

Transportation: **Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 508; Committee Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 691; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1580; Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1600; SENATE BILL 1340.**

Veterans Affairs: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 838.**

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 22, 2017 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture: **Senate Resolution No. 231.**

Environment and Conservation: **Senate Resolution No. 170.**

Public Health: **Senate Resolutions Numbered 217 and 270.**

Veterans Affairs: **Senate Resolution No. 212.**

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 22, 2017 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measures have been approved for consideration:

**Floor Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 16  
Floor Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill 16**

The foregoing floor amendments were placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 22, 2017 meeting, reported that the following Legislative Measure has been approved for consideration:

**Senate Joint Resolution 2.**

The foregoing resolution was placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 262.**

#### **INTRODUCTION OF BILL**

**SENATE BILL NO. 2175.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.

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

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**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

A message from the House by  
Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 238

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.  
Passed the House, March 21, 2017.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bill No. 238** was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

**READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A FIRST TIME**

**House Bill No. 238**, sponsored by Senator Aquino, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**House Bill No. 547**, sponsored by Senator Landek, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**House Bill No. 823**, sponsored by Senator Hunter, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**House Bill No. 2909**, sponsored by Senator Morrison, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**House Bill No. 2957**, sponsored by Senator Mulroe, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

At the hour of 12:31 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **House Joint Resolution No. 41**, the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Tuesday, March 28, 2017, at 12:00 o'clock noon, or until the call of the President.

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