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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.
 Senator Terry Link, Waukegan, Illinois, presiding.
 Prayer by Pastor Chance Newingham, Lifegate in Africa, Athens, Illinois.
 Senator Cunningham led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Senator Hunter moved that reading and approval of the Journal of Wednesday, January 31, 2018, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.
 The motion prevailed.

REPORTS RECEIVED

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

Illinois Commerce Commission Annual Report on Electricity, Gas, Water and Sewer Utilities 2017, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission.

State Fire Marshal 2017 Annual Report, submitted by the Office of the State Fire Marshal.

Expanding Career Pathway Opportunities in Adult Education, Draft Strategic Five-Year Plan, 2018-2023, submitted by the Illinois Community College Board.

2017 African American, Asian American, and Hispanic Employment Plans, submitted by the Office of the Secretary of State.

2017 African American, Asian American, and Hispanic Employment Plans, submitted by Office of the State Treasurer.

Reports on surplus real property transferred or conveyed and new installment/lease purchase agreements executed in the previous year, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

2017 Annual Debt Collection Report, submitted by the Office of the Attorney General.

2017 Judicial Conference Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Supreme Court.

Department of Corrections Annual Report for Supplemental Sentence Credit, October 1, 2016 – September 30, 2017, submitted by the Department of Corrections .

Department of Insurance Office of Consumer Health Insurance 2017 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Insurance.

City of Chicago School District Block Grant Data Report 2016-17, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Summary of Operating Results vs. Budget for the Six Months Ended December 2017, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

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 2226
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2243
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2286
 Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2317

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Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2330

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 336
Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 456
Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2252

COMMUNICATIONS

**ILLINOIS STATE SENATE
JAMES F. CLAYBORNE, JR.
MAJORITY LEADER
STATE SENATOR · 57TH DISTRICT**

February 2, 2018

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-1(d), effective immediately, I am resigning from my appointed position on the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

s/James F. Clayborne, Jr.
James F. Clayborne, Jr.
Majority Leader
Illinois Senate
57th District

**ILLINOIS STATE SENATE
EMIL JONES III
STATE SENATOR · 14th DISTRICT**

February 2, 2018

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-1(d), effective immediately, I am resigning from my appointed position on the Senate Committee on Local Government.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
s/Emil Jones III
Emil Jones, III
State Senator

[February 6, 2018]

14th District

MICHAEL E. HASTINGS
ILLINOIS STATE SENATOR
19TH DISTRICT

February 2, 2018

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-1(d), effective immediately, I am resigning from my appointed position on the Senate Committee on Criminal Law and the Senate Committee on Telecommunications and Information Technology.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
s/Michael E. Hastings
Senator Michael E. Hastings
State Senator
19th District

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

January 31, 2018

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

Dear Secretary Anderson,

Please be advised that I have appointed the following Senators to fill vacancies in and serve on Senate Democratic Leadership:

Majority Caucus Whip	Senator David Koehler
Majority Caucus Whip	Senator Martin A. Sandoval

These appointments are effective immediately. If you have any questions regarding these appointments, please contact my Chief of Staff Kristin Richards at your convenience.

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

[February 6, 2018]

Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader William Brady

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

JOHN J. CULLERTON
SENATE PRESIDENT

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

February 5, 2018

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 403, State House
Springfield, IL 62704

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-1(b), the number of Democrat and Republican members of the Illinois Senate that may be appointed to the Senate Committee on Gaming for the 100th General Assembly is detailed below.

<u>Committee Name</u>	<u>Democratic Members</u>	<u>Republican Members</u>
Gaming	13	8

The Gaming Committee membership number established by this letter amends my letter of January 18, 2017 which established the number of Democratic Members and Republican Members for all Senate Committees by adding one additional Democratic Member and one additional Republican Member to the Gaming Committee.

For all other Senate Committees, there is no change from the previously established number of allowable appointments.

If you have any questions, please contact my Chief of Staff, Kristin Richards, at 217.782.3920

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

cc: Senate Republican Leader William Brady

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STATE OF ILLINOIS**

JOHN J. CULLERTON
SENATE PRESIDENT

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

February 5, 2018

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

[February 6, 2018]

Dear Secretary Anderson:

Pursuant to Rule 3-1 and Rule 3-2, please be advised that I have made the following changes to the Committee appointments for the 100th General Assembly:

Appropriations I: Due to the resignation of Senator Donne Trotter, Senator Andrew Manar shall replace Senator Donne Trotter as Vice-Chairperson. Senator Elgie Sims shall replace Senator Donne Trotter as a member.

Appropriations II: Due to the resignation of Senator Donne Trotter, Senator Elgie Sims shall replace Senator Donne Trotter as a member.

Criminal Law: Due to the committee resignation of Senator Michael Hastings, Senator Scott Bennett shall replace Senator Michael Hastings as Chairperson. Senator Elgie Sims shall replace Senator Michael Hastings shall as a member.

Energy and Public Utilities: Due to the resignation of Senator Donne Trotter, Senator Michael Hastings shall replace Senator Trotter as a member of the Committee and shall replace Senator Mattie Hunter as Chairperson. Senator Mattie Hunter shall replace Senator Martin Sandoval as Vice-Chairperson.

Executive: Due to the resignation of Senator Donne Trotter, Senator John Mulroe shall replace Senator Donne Trotter as a member. Senator James Clayborne shall replace Senator Silverstein as Vice-Chairperson.

Gaming: Senator Hastings shall be appointed a member.

Judiciary: Due to the committee resignation of Senator James Clayborne, Senator Elgie Sims shall replace Senator James Clayborne as a member and Vice-Chairperson.

Licensed Activities and Pensions: Senator Emil Jones, III shall replace Senator Iris Martinez as Chairperson. Senator Iris Martinez shall replace Senator Emil Jones, III as Vice-Chairperson.

Local Government: Due to the committee resignation of Senator Emil Jones, III, Senator Ira Silverstein shall replace Senator Emil Jones, III as a member and as Chairperson.

Telecommunications and Information Technology: Due to the committee resignation of Senator Michael Hastings, Senator Elgie Sims shall replace Senator Michael Hastings as a member

Special Committee on Oversight of Medicaid Managed Care: Due to the resignation of Senator Donne Trotter, Senator Emil Jones, III shall replace Senator Donne Trotter as a member.

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

cc: Governor Bruce Rauner
Senate Republican Leader William Brady
House Speaker Michael Madigan
House Republican Leader Jim Durkin
Secretary of State-Index Division
Legislative Research Unit
Legislative Reference Bureau
Clerk of the House

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

STATE OF ILLINOIS

[February 6, 2018]

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 2, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On March 28, 2017, appointment message 1000146 nominating Michael Bigger as Member of the Human Rights Commission was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 pm on February 2, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 2, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On March 28, 2017, appointment message 1000147 nominating Eleni Bousis as member of the Human Rights Commission was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 pm on February 2, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
CAPITOL BUILDING, 207 STATE HOUSE
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

BRUCE RAUNER

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GOVERNOR

February 2, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On March 28, 2017, appointment message 1000148 nominating Cheryl Mainor as member of the Human Rights Commission was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 pm on February 2, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 2, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On March 28, 2017, appointment message 1000157 nominating Donald Edwards as Trustee of the University of Illinois Board of Trustees was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 pm on February 2, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 2, 2018

To the Honorable

[February 6, 2018]

Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On April 25, 2017, appointment message 1000167 nominating Bradley Hart as Inspector General of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 pm on February 2, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 2, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On May 9, 2017, appointment message 1000176 nominating Charlene Foss-Eggemann as member of the Human Rights Commission was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 pm on February 2, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 5, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

[February 6, 2018]

On March 28, 2017, appointment message 1000144 nominating Felicia Norwood as Director of the Department of Healthcare and Family Services was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 12:00 pm on February 5, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 5, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On May 2, 2017, appointment message 1000172 nominating John Bambenek as Member of the Community College Board was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 12:00 pm on February 5, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

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**BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR**

February 5, 2018

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
One-Hundredth General Assembly

Mr. President:

On July 21, 2017, appointment message 1000217 nominating Donald Moffitt as Assistant Director of the Illinois Department of Agriculture was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

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Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective immediately on February 5, 2018.

Sincerely,
s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1365

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Leonard Doyle of Champaign.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1366

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Page Johnson Parkhill of Champaign.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1367

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Virginia R. Timpone of Urbana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1368

Offered by Senator Brady and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Katharina Bertha Goldhammer of Lincoln.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1370

Offered by Senator Barickman and all Senators:
Mourns the death of George P. Irick, Jr., of Congerville.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1372

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Roy James Weis, Jr., of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1373

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Deacon Philip Patrick Sailer of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1374

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Darin Douglas Rowe of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1375

Offered by Senator Holmes and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Arthur Velasquez of North Aurora.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1376

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Evelyn M. Hart.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1377

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Karen E. (Spitzbart) Young of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1378

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Aleigra J. Revak of Ashland City, Tennessee, formerly of McHenry.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1379

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Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Glenn Joseph “Joe” Ponitz of Marengo.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1380

Offered by Senator Althoff and all Senators:
Mourns the death of George A. Lechner of McHenry, formerly of Palatine.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1381

Offered by Senator McConchie and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Charles Melville Walsh.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1382

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Timmy “Tim” Lee Nelson of Carrollton.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1383

Offered by Senator Brady and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Albert Lyle Van Ness, M.D.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1384

Offered by Senator Brady and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Richard M. “Dick” Jaffee.

By unanimous consent, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1369

WHEREAS, Eczema is a set of skin conditions that cause red, itchy, and inflamed skin, and has profound medical, psychosocial, and economic effects on patients, families, and their communities; and

WHEREAS, The prevalence of eczema in the United States is 10.1 percent; and

WHEREAS, Eczema affects over 31.6 million children and adults in the United States alone; and

WHEREAS, Eczema's medical effects include dry, cracked, and scaly skin, incessant itch, chronic pain, and sleep deprivation; and

WHEREAS, 41.5 percent of adult eczema patients report having a co-occurring diagnosis of depression and 47.9 percent report having a co-occurring diagnosis of asthma; and

WHEREAS, Adults and children with eczema also frequently exhibit comorbidities like asthma, allergic rhinitis, food allergies, ADHD, bacterial and viral infections, and hypertension; and

WHEREAS, Eczema's disease burden also includes anxiety, stress on social and intimate relationships, increased suicidal ideation, delayed developmental achievement, reduced self-esteem, restrictions on diet and exercise, extensive caregiver burdens, and challenges with medication adherence; and

WHEREAS, Eczema results in missed days of school and work for patients and caregivers, disability, and reduced ability within a patient's chosen profession, unemployment and underemployment, and other opportunity costs; and

WHEREAS, The direct medical costs of the three most common types of eczema exceed \$2.17 billion, and the indirect medical costs exceed \$927 million; and

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WHEREAS, Two-thirds of eczema patients report experiencing significant access barriers, including high out-of-pocket costs and insurance requirements that delay patients' access to medications; and

WHEREAS, There is no cure for eczema, but emerging technologies and medications promise a much brighter future for eczema patients; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the month of October 2018 is designated as Eczema Awareness Month and residents are encourage to show support for Eczema Awareness.

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1371

WHEREAS, The social work profession is dedicated to enhancing the well-being of others and meeting the basic needs of all people, especially the most vulnerable in our society; and

WHEREAS, Social workers embody this year's Social Work Month theme, "Social Workers: Leaders. Advocates. Champions"; and

WHEREAS, The social work profession is expected to grow faster than average over the next seven years, with more than 649,000 people expected to be employed as social workers by 2024; and

WHEREAS, Over 20,000 licensed social workers are present throughout our State, including in state and local government, schools, universities, social service agencies, the military, health care and mental health organizations, and owning and operating numerous private practice small businesses; and

WHEREAS, Social workers are the largest group of providers of mental health services in Illinois and the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs is one of the largest employers of social workers holding advanced degrees; and

WHEREAS, Social workers are present in times of crisis, helping people overcome issues such as death and grief and helping people and communities recover from natural disasters such as floods and hurricanes; and

WHEREAS, Social workers have pushed for decades to ensure rights for all, including women, African Americans, Latinos, people who are disabled, people who are LGBTQ, and various ethnic, cultural, and religious groups; and

WHEREAS, The social work profession has helped bring about some of the most profound, positive changes in our society over the past century, including voting rights, improved workplace safety, minimum wage increases, and social safety net programs that help prevent poverty and hunger; and

WHEREAS, Social workers continue to engage and bring together individuals, communities, agencies, and government to help society solve some of the most pressing issues of the day, including immigration reform, equal rights for all, affordable and adequate health care, mental health care, and environmental protection; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare the month of March of 2018 as Social Work Month in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the National Association of Social Workers-Illinois Chapter with our sincere appreciation for their efforts.

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Senator Morrison offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments:

**SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NO. 19**

SC0019

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 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 changing Section 6 as follows:

**ARTICLE IV
THE LEGISLATURE**

SECTION 6. ORGANIZATION

(a) A majority of the members elected to each house constitutes a quorum.

(b) On the first day of the January session of the General Assembly in odd-numbered years, the Secretary of State shall convene the House of Representatives to elect from its membership a Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer, and the Governor shall convene the Senate to elect from its membership a President of the Senate as presiding officer. A person may not serve more than a total of 5 General Assemblies in any one of the following offices: Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, or Minority Leader of the Senate; provided that service before the second Wednesday in January of 2019 and service to fill a vacancy in the office of Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, or Minority Leader of the Senate shall not be considered in the calculation of a person's service. For purposes of calculation of a person's service under this subsection, a General Assembly is the 2-year period from the convening of a General Assembly on the second Wednesday of January in an odd-numbered year until the convening of the next General Assembly on the second Wednesday of January in the next odd-numbered year.

(c) For purposes of powers of appointment conferred by this Constitution, the Minority Leader of either house is a member of the numerically strongest political party other than the party to which the Speaker or the President belongs, as the case may be.

(d) Each house shall determine the rules of its proceedings, judge the elections, returns and qualifications of its members and choose its officers. No member shall be expelled by either house, except by a vote of two-thirds of the members elected to that house. A member may be expelled only once for the same offense. Each house may punish by imprisonment any person, not a member, guilty of disrespect to the house by disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence. Imprisonment shall not extend beyond twenty-four hours at one time unless the person persists in disorderly or contemptuous behavior.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

**STATE OF ILLINOIS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS**

EXECUTIVE ORDER

2018-02

**EXECUTIVE ORDER STRENGTHENING THE STATE'S ETHICS LAWS AND
COMPLIANCE**

[February 6, 2018]

WHEREAS, the integrity of the Illinois government and State employees and officers and the confidence of the people of Illinois in their State government is of paramount importance; and

WHEREAS, effectively and properly performing government business and maintaining the confidence of the people of Illinois require employees and officers of the State of Illinois to adhere to the highest standards of honesty, integrity, respect and impartiality in their conduct and the performance of their official duties; and

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois has adopted various laws and regulations intended to promote the honesty, integrity and impartiality of the employees, including but not limited to the State Officials and Employees Ethics Act (“Ethics Act”), 5 ILCS § 430/1-1 *et seq.* and various Executive Orders issued by the governors of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 2016-04 directed the creation of the first State of Illinois Code of Personal Conduct (“Code of Personal Conduct”) for all State Employees and updated and strengthened the policies and procedures for investigating and reporting allegations of misconduct by State officeholders, appointees, employees, and vendors, as well as incidents at State facilities; and

WHEREAS, in November 2017, Governor Rauner signed into law HB127 and SB402, which amended the Ethics Act to strengthen State laws and policies against sexual harassment; and

WHEREAS, on December 15, 2017, CMS updated the Code of Personal Conduct to be consistent with the Ethics Act laws regarding sexual harassment; and

WHEREAS, faithfully executing and ensuring compliance with the ethical laws and policies of the State is critical to maintaining the standards of integrity, honesty, respect and impartiality that the people of Illinois deserve; and

WHEREAS, there is no state statute, charter, ordinance, rule, regulation, executive order, or agreement that should preempt the duty of any State officer or employee to act ethically and refrain from sexual harassment under the Ethics Act and Code of Personal Conduct, including collective bargaining agreements.

WHEREAS, the State of Illinois should look to best practices to coordinate sexual harassment training and awareness, as well as all other ethics compliance; and

WHEREAS, focusing resources and attention on compliance as a critical government function aligns with the Ethics Act and Code of Personal Conduct and borrows from private sector compliance models; and

WHEREAS, strengthening sexual harassment investigation requirements and training at State Agencies and creating a Chief Compliance Office within the Office of the Governor is timely and will significantly aid the State’s critical interest in preventing sexual harassment;

THEREFORE, I, Bruce Rauner, Governor of Illinois, by virtue of my executive authority to establish and enforce ethical standards for the executive branch and reassign functions among or reorganize executive agencies, vested in me by Section 8 and Section 11 of Article V and Section 2 of Article XIII of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, do hereby order as follows:

I. DEFINITIONS

“Ethics Officer” means the individual designated under 5 ILCS 420/20-23 by the head of each State agency under the jurisdiction of the Executive Ethics Commission to provide guidance to officers and employees in the interpretation and implementation of the Ethics Act.

“Sexual Harassment” means any unwelcome sexual advances or requests for sexual favors or any conduct of a sexual nature when: (i) submission to such conduct is made either explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of an individual’s employment; (ii) submission to or rejection of such conduct by an individual is used as the basis for employment decisions affecting such individual; or (iii) such conduct has the

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purpose or effect of substantially interfering with an individual's work performance or creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive working environment. For purposes of this definition, the phrase "working environment" is not limited to a physical location an employee is assigned to perform his or her duties and does not require an employment relationship.

"State Employees" means all officers, employees (including without limitation full-time, part-time, and contractual employees), appointees (including without limitation paid and unpaid appointees), and persons holding similar positions in the Executive Branch of the State of Illinois under the jurisdiction of the Governor.

"State Agencies" means any office, department, agency, board, commission, or authority of the Executive Branch of the State of Illinois under the jurisdiction of the Governor.

"Supervisor" means an officer, a member, or a State employee who has the authority to direct the work performance of a State employee or who has authority to take corrective action regarding any violation of a law, rule, or regulation of which the State employee complains.

II. APPLICABILITY OF ETHICS AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT LAWS

All State Employees and State Agencies are subject to and bound by the Ethics Act. The Ethics Act shall hereby be supreme above all other laws of the State and shall prevail and control in the case of any conflict with other statutes, charters, ordinances, rules, regulations, executive orders or agreements, including collective bargaining agreements.

III. CREATION OF THE CHIEF COMPLIANCE OFFICE, OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

A Chief Compliance Office is hereby created within the Office of the Governor. The Chief Compliance Office shall be led by a Chief Compliance Officer ("CCO") who shall be a licensed attorney. In addition to any other duties and responsibilities requested by the Governor, the CCO will aim to foster a culture of ethics and compliance within State Agencies by providing clear policies, procedures and trainings for employees; detect, report and address allegations of misconduct; and work with Ethics Officers to provide State Agencies and State Employees with the tools and guidance to comply with applicable laws and regulations.

The Governor shall name a Chief Ethics Officer and Chief Diversity Officer, who, in addition to any other duties and responsibilities requested by the Governor, shall be a part of the Chief Compliance Office. The Chief Compliance Office may also include any other individual that the CCO determines would aid in the execution of the duties and obligations of the Chief Compliance Office and the Ethics Act. The CCO and Chief Ethics Officer shall have the rights, duties and obligations granted to Ethics Officers under 5 ILCS 420/20-23. The Chief Ethics Officer shall also act as liaison and advisor to Ethics Officers of State Agencies. The Chief Diversity Officer shall advise the CCO and Chief Ethics Officer on sexual harassment allegations and investigations that involve issues of diversity.

IV. REASSIGNMENT OF INVESTIGATIVE FUNCTIONS FOR SEXUAL HARASSMENT ALLEGATIONS

The Ethics Act and Code of Personal Conduct state that State Employees should immediately report allegations of sexual harassment to a supervisor, ethics officer, the Office of Executive Inspector General for the Agencies of the Illinois Governor ("OEIG") or the Department of Human Rights ("DHR"). To ensure allegations of sexual harassment are thoroughly investigated, repeat offenders are identified, and victims are not subject to continued sexual harassment, Supervisors and Ethics Officers must adhere to the following procedures and assignment of functions.

1. Sexual Harassment Investigations. Supervisors shall immediately report all allegations of sexual harassment received, directly or indirectly, to the State Agency's Ethics Officer. In addition, to the extent any State Agency permits employees to report sexual harassment allegations to State Agency

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Equal Employment Opportunity-Affirmative Action Officers, such Officers shall also immediately report all allegations of sexual harassment received, directly or indirectly, to the State Agency's Ethics Officer. Unless the allegation is immediately referred to the OEIG and the OEIG specifically instructs the Ethics Officer to not investigate the matter until further instruction from the OEIG, the Ethics Officers shall ensure the State Agency completes an initial review of each allegation of sexual harassment within ten (10) business days of receipt of the allegation to determine whether further investigation or action is warranted. If further investigation is warranted, the Ethics Officer shall ensure the State Agency completes its investigation and make any referrals for management action or disciplinary proceedings within thirty (30) days of receipt of the allegation. Investigations may be conducted by Ethics Officers, Supervisors or other agents as the Ethics Officer determines appropriate, but all investigations must be conducted in coordination with the State Agency representative who received sexual harassment investigation training as provided in Section IV(3) of this Executive Order.

2. Reporting to the Chief Compliance Office. Ethics Officers shall notify the Chief Compliance Office of all sexual harassment allegations that are reported to the Ethics Officer and Supervisors within his/her State Agency and any related findings and remedial or disciplinary measures recommended or taken. All communications or reports shared among and between the State Agency representatives and the Chief Compliance Office regarding sexual harassment allegations and investigations shall remain confidential between the parties directly involved unless otherwise required by law, consistent with the Freedom of Information Act. Nothing in this Executive Order may be construed to modify the rights or obligations of State Employees and Ethics Officers under Executive Order 2016-04 to report misconduct to the OEIG.
3. Sexual Harassment Investigation Training. By December 31, 2018, and every two years thereafter, at least one representative from each State Agency shall complete training on best practices for investigations of alleged sexual harassment. Training programs shall be overseen and approved by the CCO. Ethics Officers must file a certificate of compliance with this requirement to the Chief Compliance Office by December 31, 2018 and every two years thereafter.
4. Reports made to DHR, OEIG and law enforcement. Victims shall continue to have the independent right to report allegations of sexual harassment to the DHR or the OEIG. Nothing in this Executive Order may be construed to modify the OEIG's or the DHR's rules, policies, procedures, rights or obligations relating to allegations of sexual harassment filed before those bodies. This Executive Order is intended to strengthen sexual harassment investigation and training requirements at the agency level. In addition, nothing in this Executive Order shall be construed to modify any individual's rights and obligations to report criminal activity, including but not limited to assault, to state or local law enforcement.

V. INCONSISTENT ACTS

From the effective date of this Executive Order, and as long as such Executive Order remains in effect, the operation of any prior act of the General Assembly inconsistent with this reorganization is suspended to the extent of the inconsistency.

VI. SAVINGS CLAUSE

This Executive Order does not contravene any rules, regulation or other agency actions, except as may be provided by Sections II, III and IV.

VII. PRIOR EXECUTIVE ORDERS

This Executive Order supersedes any contrary provision of any other prior Executive Order.

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VIII. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any part of this Executive Order is found invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect. The provisions of this Executive Order are severable.

IX. FILINGS

This Executive Order shall be filed with the Secretary of State. A copy of this Executive Order shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Senate and to the Clerk of the House of Representatives and, for the purpose of preparing a revisory bill, to the Legislative Reference Bureau.

X. EFFECTIVE DATE

Provided that neither house of the General Assembly disapproves of this Executive Order by the record vote of a majority of the members elected, this Executive Order shall take effect 60 days after its delivery to the General Assembly.

s/Bruce Rauner

Bruce Rauner, Governor

Issued by Governor: January 31, 2018

Filed with Secretary of State: January 31, 2018

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 2496. Introduced by Senator Brady, a bill for AN ACT concerning government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2497. Introduced by Senator Weaver, a bill for AN ACT concerning government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2498. Introduced by Senator Connelly, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2499. Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2500. Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2501. Introduced by Senator Bertino-Tarrant, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2502. Introduced by Senator Bertino-Tarrant, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2503. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2504. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2505. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2506. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2507. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2508. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2509. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2510. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2511. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2512. Introduced by Senator Castro, a bill for AN ACT concerning courts.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2513. Introduced by Senator Hastings, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2514. Introduced by Senator Mulroe, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2515. Introduced by Senator Rezin, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2516. Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning children.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2517. Introduced by Senator McConchie, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2518. Introduced by Senator Rose, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2519. Introduced by Senator Rose, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2520. Introduced by Senator Rose, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2521. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning business.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2522. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2523. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2524. Introduced by Senator Rose, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2525. Introduced by Senator Cunningham, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2526. Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2527. Introduced by Senator Weaver, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2528. Introduced by Senator Murphy, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2529. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2530. Introduced by Senator T. Cullerton, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2531. Introduced by Senator Murphy, a bill for AN ACT concerning conservation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2532. Introduced by Senator Sandoval, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2533. Introduced by Senator Sandoval, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2534. Introduced by Senator Sandoval, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2535. Introduced by Senator Sandoval, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2536. Introduced by Senator Mulroe, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2537. Introduced by Senator Bush, a bill for AN ACT concerning human rights.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2538. Introduced by Senator Van Pelt, a bill for AN ACT concerning employment.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2539. Introduced by Senator Bennett, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2540. Introduced by Senator Barickman, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2541. Introduced by Senator Lightford, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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SENATE BILL NO. 2542. Introduced by Senator Lightford, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2543. Introduced by Senator T. Cullerton, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2544. Introduced by Senator T. Cullerton, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2545. Introduced by Senator Manar, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2546. Introduced by Senator Biss, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2547. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2548. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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SENATE BILL NO. 2550. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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SENATE BILL NO. 2551. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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SENATE BILL NO. 2552. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2553. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning courts.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2554. Introduced by Senator Rose, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2555. Introduced by Senator Althoff, a bill for AN ACT concerning agriculture.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2556. Introduced by Senator Murphy, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2557. Introduced by Senator Murphy, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2558. Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2559. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2560. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning business.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2561. Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2562. Introduced by Senator Sandoval, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

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SENATE BILL NO. 2563. Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2564. Introduced by Senator Althoff, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2565. Introduced by Senator Althoff, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2566. Introduced by Senator Althoff, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2567. Introduced by Senator Althoff, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2568. Introduced by Senator McGuire, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2569. Introduced by Senator Manar, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2570. Introduced by Senator Connelly, a bill for AN ACT concerning juvenile offenders.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2571. Introduced by Senator Steans, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2572. Introduced by Senator Holmes, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

Appointment Message No. 1000328

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

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Title of Office: Commissioner

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Commerce Commission

Start Date: January 19, 2018

End Date: January 16, 2023

Name: Douglas Ethan Kimbrel

Residence: 5521 S. Everett Ave., Apt. 3S, Chicago, IL 60637

Annual Compensation: \$117, 043 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kwame Raoul

Most Recent Holder of Office: Miguel Del Valle

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000329

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Commissioner

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Commerce Commission

Start Date: January 19, 2018

End Date: January 16, 2023

Name: Anastasia Palivos

Residence: 33 W. Hubbard St. Apt. 520, Chicago, IL 60654

Annual Compensation: \$117, 043 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Sherina Maye

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000330

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

[February 6, 2018]

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: State Board of Education

Start Date: January 19, 2018

End Date: January 13, 2021

Name: Mitchell Holzrichter

Residence: 931 W. Wolfram St. Apt. 3, Chicago, IL 60657

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator John J. Cullerton

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jason Barclay

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000331

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member, Public

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Medical Disciplinary Board

Start Date: January 19, 2018

End Date: January 1, 2022

Name: Garrick Hodge

Residence: 37107 N. Black Velvet Ln., Wadsworth, IL 60083

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Melinda Bush

Most Recent Holder of Office: Albert Tracy

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000332

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

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I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member, Public

Agency or Other Body: Illinois State Medical Disciplinary Board

Start Date: January 19, 2018

End Date: January 1, 2019

Name: Henry Krasnow

Residence: 200 E. Delaware Pl. Apt. 26C, Chicago, IL 60611

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Kwame Raoul

Most Recent Holder of Office: Marian Perkins

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000333

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Inspector General

Agency or Other Body: Department of Children and Family Services

Start Date: January 30, 2018

End Date: January 30, 2022

Name: Meryl Paniak

Residence: 806 Piper Dr., New Lenox, IL 60451

Annual Compensation: Determined by the Agency

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Michael E. Hastings

Most Recent Holder of Office: Denise Kane

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000334

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To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Central Management

Start Date: February 1, 2018

End Date: January 21, 2019

Name: Sarah Kerley

Residence: 3913 Destiny Dr., Springfield, IL 62712

Annual Compensation: \$121,029 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Andy Manar

Most Recent Holder of Office: Markus Veile

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000335

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Judge

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Court of Claims

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 15, 2024

Name: Peter Karahalios

Residence: 23 Polo Dr., South Barrington, IL 60010

Annual Compensation: \$59,918 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Dan McConchie

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000336

[February 6, 2018]

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Gaming Board

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: July 1, 2019

Name: Michael Hansen

Residence: 3013 Sanctuary Ct., Joliet, IL 60435

Annual Compensation: \$300 per diem plus expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Pat McGuire

Most Recent Holder of Office: Thomas Dunn

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000337

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Inspector General

Agency or Other Body: Department of Healthcare and Family Services

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 17, 2021

Name: Bradley Hart

Residence: 11105 Walshville Trl., Hillsboro, IL 62049

Annual Compensation: Determined by the Agency

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Andy Manar

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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Appointment Message No. 1000338

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 17, 2021

Name: Michael Bigger

Residence: 110 W. Butler St., Wyoming, IL 61491

Annual Compensation: \$46,960 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Chuck Weaver

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000339

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 17, 2021

Name: Eleni Bousis

Residence: 2119 Post Rd., Northbrook, IL 60062

Annual Compensation: \$46,960 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Julie A. Morrison

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

[February 6, 2018]

Appointment Message No. 1000340

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 17, 2021

Name: Charlene Foss-Eggemann

Residence: 1117 Harrison St., Park Ridge, IL 60068

Annual Compensation: \$46,960 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura M. Murphy

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000341

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 17, 2021

Name: Cheryl Mainor

Residence: 1601 S. Indiana Ave., Apt. 406, Chicago, IL 60616

Annual Compensation: \$46,960 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

[February 6, 2018]

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000342

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Public Administrator and Public Guardian

Agency or Other Body: Will County

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: December 4, 2021

Name: Colleen Wengler

Residence: 6213 Clifton Ct., Plainfield, IL 60586

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Jennifer Bertino-Tarrant

Most Recent Holder of Office: Joseph Cernugel

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000343

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Trustee

Agency or Other Body: University of Illinois Board of Trustees

Start Date: February 2, 2018

End Date: January 15, 2023

Name: Donald Edwards

Residence: 1827 N. Fremont St., Chicago, IL 60614

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Patricia Van Pelt

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

[February 6, 2018]

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000344

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services

Start Date: February 5, 2018

End Date: January 20, 2019

Name: Felicia Norwood

Residence: 1302 N. Ritchie Ct., Chicago, IL 60610

Annual Compensation: \$142,339 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator John J. Cullerton

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1000345

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundredth General Assembly:

I, Bruce Rauner, Governor, am nominating and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The advice and consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Community College Board

Start Date: February 5, 2018

End Date: June 29, 2019

Name: John Bambenek

Residence: 715 Erin Dr., Champaign, IL 61822

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Scott M. Bennett

[February 6, 2018]

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Under the rules, the foregoing Appointment Messages were referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 6, 2018 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Executive: **SENATE BILLS 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417 and 2418.**

Judiciary: **Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2226; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2317; Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2330.**

Public Health: **Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 456.**

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 6, 2018 meeting, reported that the Committee recommends that **Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 1021** be re-referred from the Committee on Judiciary to the Committee on Assignments.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 6, 2018 meeting, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 21, 22, 33, 34, 35, 43, 44, 226, 227, 558, 559 and 573** on August 4, 2017, pursuant to Rule 3-9(b), reported that the Committee recommends that the bills be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in their former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And **Senate Bills Numbered 21, 22, 33, 34, 35, 43, 44, 226, 227, 558, 559 and 573** were returned to the order of third reading.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 6, 2018 meeting, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 337, 338, 425, 426, 454, 486, 487, 560, 561, 574, 575 and 576** on April 25, 2017, reported that the Committee recommends that the bills be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in their former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And **Senate Bills Numbered 337, 338, 425, 426, 454, 486, 487, 560, 561, 574, 575 and 576** were returned to the order of third reading.

At the hour of 1:09 o'clock p.m., President John J. Cullerton, presiding, for the purpose of an introduction.

At the hour of 1:21 o'clock p.m., Senator Link, presiding.

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION

[February 6, 2018]

Senator Koehler and all Senators offered the following Senate Resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1385

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of State Senator George P. Shadid, who passed away on February 3, 2018; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid was born in Clinton, Iowa to Edna Massad and Philip A Shadid, the first generation of proud Lebanese immigrants on May 15, 1929; he married Lorraine K. Unes on May 30, 1953; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid began his career in public service when he became a Peoria Police Officer in 1953; he rose to the rank of lieutenant by 1976; he was elected to his first public office when he was elected Peoria County Sheriff in 1976; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid served as the state senator from the 46th District of Illinois from 1993 to 2006; his most notable seatmate in the time that he served was then-State Senator Barack Obama; this led to a lifelong friendship between him and President Barack Obama; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid was known to many in Peoria and throughout the State as a selfless public servant; he listened to his constituents and was always there to offer a helping hand; he prided himself on voting the way he thought was best for his constituency and not along party lines; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid worked hard in the Illinois State Senate for the people of the 46th Senate District; he and Rep. David Leitch joined forces in 2002 to secure a \$10 million state loan to keep Bartonville's Keystone Steel and Wire from closing its doors; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid was a husband, brother, father, grandfather, and uncle; he always made time for his family throughout his career and never lost sight of what was important; he always supported his family in every endeavor in their lives; he loved both his sons, Jim and George Jr., very much; he supported his son, Jim Shadid, on becoming the U.S. district judge for central Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid was proceeded in death by his son, George Shadid Jr.; and his siblings, Gladys Abraham, Louise Shadid, Joan Petit, Jeannette Harris, Mitchell Shadid, and William Shadid; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid is survived by his wife, Lorraine K. Unes; his son, Jim (Jane) Shadid; his daughter-in-law, Mikie Shadid; his grandchildren, James E. (Anne) Shadid, Joseph G. Shadid, Margaret L. Shadid, and Lauren E. Shadid; his sister, Pauline Unes; and his brother, Fred (Jean) Shadid; and

WHEREAS, Senator Shadid will be remembered for his public service, family values, friendship, and above all else, his compassion for his fellow man; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of State Senator George P. Shadid and extend our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Senator Shadid as an expression of our deepest sympathy.

Senator Koehler, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for the immediate consideration of the foregoing resolution, moved its adoption.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The Chair announced that 1:30 o'clock p.m. committees shall meet immediately upon adjournment.

[February 6, 2018]

MESSAGE 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

February 6th, 2018

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-2(c), I hereby appoint Senator Julie Morrison to temporarily replace Senator Kwame Raoul as a member of the Senate Public Health Committee. This appointment is effective immediately and will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Public Health Committee.

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

cc: Senate Minority Leader William Brady

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 concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 53

Concurred in by the House, January 31, 2018.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

At the hour of 1:40 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced the Senate stands adjourned until Wednesday, February 7, 2018, at 12:00 o'clock noon.

[February 6, 2018]