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Perfunctory Session

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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.

REPORTS RECEIVED

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

2021 Mid-Year Report of the Illinois Council on Women and Girls, submitted by the Lieutenant Governor.

FY 2020 In-Car Camera Report, submitted by the Wheaton Police Department.

2020 Office of Mines and Minerals Annual Statistical Report, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

FY21 - IPA Minority Outreach Report, submitted by the Illinois Power Agency.

IPA FY2021 Minority Outreach Report Cover Letter General Assembly, submitted by the Illinois Power Agency.

2021 January - June All Homes Grievance Log, submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

2021 January - June Infection Control Summary, submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

2021 January - June IVH Direct Care Hours and Staffing Report, submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Annual Security Breach Report for FY2021, submitted by the State Board of Education.

Apprenticeship Education Expense Tax Credit Program 2020 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Data Center Investment Program 2020 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Economic Development for a Growing Economy (EDGE) Tax Credit Program 2020 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Illinois Business Exit Report for Calendar Year 2020, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Illinois Finance Authority Fiscal Year 2020 Annual Report Operations and Assets and Liabilities, submitted by the Illinois Finance Authority.

Smart Business Illinois Report FY2020, submitted by the Office of the Comptroller.

Teacher Health Insurance Security (THIS) Fund Recertification for FY 2022, submitted by the Teachers' Retirement System.

2021 State Workers' Compensation Program Advisory Board Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

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4th Quarter Interfund Borrowing FY21, submitted by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget.

Cost Containment Report to the General Assembly 2021, submitted by the Department of Insurance.

FY21 Report of Sole Source Procurement Method, submitted by the Capital Development Board.

FY21 Third Quarter Capital Projects Review, submitted by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget.

Long-Term Care Annual Report July 1, 2021, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

IEPA Materials Management Advisory Committee Final Report, submitted by the Environmental Protection Agency.

Monthly Briefing for the Month Ended: June 2021, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Response to Senate Resolution 303 in regards to Internet Gaming in Illinois - July 2021, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Audited College IL FY20 Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Student Assistance Commission.

Notification of a Potential Data Security Incident, submitted by the Southern Illinois University School of Medicine.

Report of Sole Source Procurement Method, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

ISBE Strategic Plan Update 2021, submitted by the State Board of Education.

Single Prime Delivery Method 2019 Annual Report, submitted by the Capital Development Board.

Report to the GA pursuant to Section 60 of the Quincy Veterans' Home Rehabilitation and Rebuilding Act, submitted by the Capital Development Board.

General Assembly Perinatal Report 2020, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Illinois State Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP), submitted by the Department of Transportation.

Hiring & Employment Monitoring Report - Second Quarter 2021, submitted by the Office of Executive Inspector General.

IDJJ April 2021 Quarterly Report, submitted by the Department of Juvenile Justice.

IDJJ July 2021 Quarterly Report, submitted by the Department of Juvenile Justice.

2020 Body Camera Report to State, submitted by the Centralia Police Department.

2020 In Car Video Report to the State, submitted by the Centralia Police Department.

Body Worn Camera Program 2020, submitted by the Centralia Police Department.

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LEC Activity Summary for the Period 4-1-21 through 6-30-21, submitted by the Legislative Ethics Commission.

USVDA Correspondence for IVHQ Construction Funding, submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

FY 2021 DNA Testing Accountability Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police.

Granite City In-Car Camera Grant Report 2021, submitted by the Granite City Police Department.

State Fiscal Year 2021 Sole Source Procurements by the Office of the Illinois State Treasurer, submitted by the Treasurer, Office of the.

Annual Report to the GA, the Governor, and the IL Commerce Commission, prepared by the ICC's Office of Retail Market Development, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission.

FY21 Expungement Backlog Accountability Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police.

Illinois Educational Labor Relations Board Annual Report FY2020, submitted by the Illinois Educational Labor Relations Board.

Juvenile Justice Reform 2nd Qtr Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police.

FY21 Sole Source Procurements Report, submitted by the Chief Procurement Office for Higher Education.

Illinois Film Production Services Tax Credit Quarterly Report FY21 Q4, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Illinois Live Theater Statutory Quarterly Report FY21 Q4, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

State of Illinois Budget Summary FY2022, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

2021 Administrative Hearings Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

2021 Disabilities Hiring Initiative Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

Financial Condition of the State Retirement Systems for FY 2020, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

IVAC Annual Report 2021, submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

IVAC Annual Report Cover Letter 7-20-21, submitted by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Monthly Briefing for the Month Ended: July 2021, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

2020 ISP Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois State Police.

Feasibility Report for the Coverage Affordability Initiatives in Illinois April 2021, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

Fiscal Year 2021 Quarter 4 Operating Report, submitted by the Governor's Office of Management and Budget.

Impact Incarceration Program FY2021 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

Report of the Executive Director of the Illinois Labor Relations Board for 1-1-2021 to 6-30-2021, submitted by the Labor Relations Board.

Single Prime Delivery Method 2020 Annual Report, submitted by the Capital Development Board.

2020 Consolidated Camera Reports Letter, submitted by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.

Illinois State Board of Education EL Statistical Report, submitted by the State Board of Education.

English Learners in Illinois Statistical Report SY 2019-2020, submitted by the State Board of Education.

FY21 Small Business Annual Report from the Treasurer's Office, submitted by the Treasurer, Office of the.

Notification Letters - HIB Wind Energy - Heartland Wind, LLC, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

Notification Letters - HIB Wind Energy - Sapphire Sky Wind Energy, LLC, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

General Assembly Report in Correspondence with the United States Department of Veterans Affairs 8.25.21, submitted by the Capital Development Board.

Letter to GA on Acres of IDNR Managed Lands 2021, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

Site Hunting Acreage 2020 Final Report, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

ICC ORMD Annual Report - Revised, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission.

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

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

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August 25, 2021

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 Thursday, August 26th, 2021.

Sincerely,
s/Don Harmon
Don Harmon
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader Dan McConchie

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August 25, 2021

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to the Senate Rule 2-10, I hereby extend the 3rd Reading deadline for the following bills to December 1st, 2021:

HB 0011	HB 1291	HB 3173
HB 0045	HB 1769	HB 3293
HB 0246	HB 1839	HB 3372
HB 0277	HB 1953	HB 3416
HB 0307	HB 1976	HB 3418
HB 0601	HB 2431	HB 3512
HB 0625	HB 2755	HB 3666
HB 0642	HB 2770	HB 3699
HB 0716	HB 2791	HB 3863
HB 0836	HB 2985	HB 3893
HB 0900	HB 3107	HB 3918
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	HB 3138	

Sincerely,
s/Don Harmon
Don Harmon
Senate President

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cc: Senate Republican Leader Dan McConchie

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 373

Offered by Senator Loughran Cappel and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Sister M. Felicity Gaffney, OSF.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 374

Offered by Senator Loughran Cappel and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Cody J. Tietz.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 375

Offered by Senator T. Cullerton and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Glen Earl Wiemerslage.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 376

Offered by Senator Tracy and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of William "Bill" Cassens.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 377

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Roy Arthur Axford, Sc.D.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 378

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Paul Rector of Urbana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 379

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Charles W. "Charlie" Dukes of Georgetown.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 380

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Brent J. Cobb of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 381

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Robert "Bob" Carlson.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 382

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Carl L. "Butch" Eckermann of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 383

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of William Douglas "Doug" Smith.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 384

Offered by Senator Van Pelt and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Aaron Odom.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 386

Offered by Senator DeWitte and all Senators:

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Mourns the passing of Ronald Elmer "Ron" Schumacher.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 387

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Eugene "Gene" McCluskey.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 388

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Christian Wolf.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 389

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Jodie Broniec.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 390

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Gary Lehman.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 391

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Jack May.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 392

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Kermit T. Stevenson Jr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 393

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the death of the death of Robert Lee Burns of Chatham.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 394

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Daniel J. "Dan" Dondanville.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 395

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Carl "Boom Boom" Edward Steinmacher.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 396

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Jeff Lair.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 397

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Nathaniel "Nate" Thomas, Ph.D.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 398

Offered by Senator Connor and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Freddy L. Schramm.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 399

Offered by Senator Johnson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Donald Hacker "Don" Scherwat.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 400

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William "Todd" Werner of South Roxana.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 401

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Kathleen E. "Kathy" Parker.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 402

Offered by Senator Bennett and all Senators:
Mourns the death of David Nolan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 403

Offered by Senator Van Pelt and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Pearline Wiley.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 404

Offered by Senator Loughran Cappel and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Robert Puleo.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 405

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of William Lang.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 406

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of James Mumma.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 407

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Marvin Spohn.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 408

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Ralph Tambaro.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 409

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Richard H. Amy.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 410

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Dale Michael Geiss, MD.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 411

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Jeffrey Gene Givens.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 412

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of The Reverend Dr. Randall Lee "Randy" Saxon of East Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 413

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Neal C. Johnson.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 414

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Thecla M. Keenan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 415

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Thomas Clark "Tom" Jackson Jr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 416

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Carla Sue Sleeter.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 417

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Virginia Ohren.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 418

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Thomas E. "Tom" Williams of Milan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 419

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Roy E. Stottler of Silvis.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 420

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lloyd D. Strohm.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 421

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Ramon "Ray" Sprouse Jr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 422

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Richard DeSmet.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 423

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Bert A. Brown.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 424

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Kenneth F. Fransen of Orion.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 425

Offered by Senator Bailey and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Steve Ballinger of Mattoon.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 426

Offered by Senator Barickman and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gregory C. Schrof of Bloomington, formerly of Forrest.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 427

Offered by Senator D. Turner and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Aydin O. Gonulsen.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 428

Offered by Senator D. Turner and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald E. Dobrino.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 429

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of George L. "Sonny" Roebuck Jr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 430

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Arlene Mabel Hall.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 431

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Lawrence J. "Larry" Biondi.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 432

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Robert J. Towler of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 433

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Donald G. "Don" Farr of Orion.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 434

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Wilbert L. Owens.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 435

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Theodore C. "Ted" Wink.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 436

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Thomas Henry McIntire of East Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 437

Offered by Senator Murphy and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Nanci Steele.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 438

Offered by Senator Crowe and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Laura Ann (Flatt) Childs.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 439

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Glenn L. Medhus of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 440

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Louie Fisher.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 441

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of William Neumann.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 442

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lester Moyer of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 443

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Harry Loucks of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 444

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Robert L. "Bob" Dowdal Sr.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 445

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Ellen Whitney of Springfield.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 446

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the death of William Irvine Jr. O.D.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 447

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Susan Marilyn (Strom) Mogerman.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 448

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the death of William L. "Bill" Boyd of Chesterfield, Missouri, formerly of Springfield.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 450

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Ronald McGee of East Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 451

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourn the death of Darell Nicke of Milan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 452

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of James "Jim" Ribbeck.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 453

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Charles Stoudt of Orion.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 454

Offered by Senator Wilcox and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Jamie L. Rieke of Woodstock.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 455

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Barbara Ann Weitekamp.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 456

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Lester Eugene "Gene" Rubley.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 457

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:

Mourns the death of David Juelich of Springfield.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 458

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Jerry Lee Hoyle.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 459

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Leon Corkery of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 460

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Larry Feaster of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 461

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Bruce Pieper of Rock Island.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 462

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald James "Don" Sproul of East Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 463

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Donald E. "Don" Johnston of Moline.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 464

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Rudolph Kauzlarich of Colona.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 465

Offered by Senator Murphy and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Elizabeth Anne "Betty" Hull, Ph.D., of Palatine.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 466

Offered by Senator Murphy and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William E. "Bill" Shannon of Elk Grove Village.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 467

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Vincent L. "Vince" Looby of Springfield.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 468

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Robert J. "Bob" Cassidy of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 469

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dr. Paul Schmidt of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 470

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Peter John Pasquel of Peoria.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 471

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Joseph Archie Lyons of Washington.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 472

Offered by Senator D. Turner and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of Stacy Lynn Phillips of Decatur.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 474

Offered by Senator Loughran Cappel and all Senators:
Mourns the passing of the Honorable Raymond Alan Bolden of Joliet.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 475

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:
Mourns the death of James Casey of Algonquin.

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

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 385

WHEREAS, Pancreatic cancer is the third leading cause of cancer-related deaths in the U.S. and is projected to be the second leading cause of cancer-related deaths by 2030; and

WHEREAS, Pancreatic cancer is one of the deadliest cancers and has the lowest five-year survival rate at just 10%; and

WHEREAS, In 2021, an estimated 60,430 U.S. residents will be diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, and more than 48,220 will die from the disease; and

WHEREAS, Due to increased awareness, pancreatic cancer survival rates have been improving; however, the disease is still considered largely incurable; with all stages of pancreatic cancer combined, the one-year relative survival rate is 20% and the five-year rate is 9%; and

WHEREAS, The problem is that high-risk people are not being screened in the early and potentially curable stages of pancreatic cancer; and

WHEREAS, Risk factors can include chronic or hereditary pancreatitis, obesity, regular consumption of high dietary fats, alcohol abuse, smoking, family history, age, and long-standing diabetes; and

WHEREAS, Symptoms can include abdominal pain, mid-to-upper back pain, weight loss, jaundice that is yellowing of the skin and eyes, nausea, loss of appetite, changes in stool, and new-onset diabetes; and

WHEREAS, Early screening will save lives; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare the month of November 2021 as Pancreatic Cancer Awareness Month in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCAN), the American Cancer Society, and Dr. Paul Grippo of the University of Illinois at Chicago with our sincere appreciation for their efforts to address pancreatic cancer.

[August 26, 2021]

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 449

WHEREAS, A new coronavirus known as SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) was discovered in China at the end of 2019 and rapidly spread around the globe; and

WHEREAS, The Trump Administration declared a public health emergency on January 31, 2020 in response to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization characterized the outbreak of the COVID-19 as a pandemic on March 11, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Governmental efforts to contain and restrict the spread of COVID-19 led to widespread economic dislocation and unemployment; and

WHEREAS, President Trump signed the Families First Coronavirus Response Act on March 18, 2020, providing \$1 billion to the states to use in the administration and processing of their unemployment claims; and

WHEREAS, President Trump signed into law the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act on March 27, 2020, providing \$250 billion to expand unemployment benefits, extending benefits to more workers, increasing weekly payments, and prolonging eligibility for unemployed workers; and

WHEREAS, The CARES Act also created a \$150 billion Coronavirus Relief Fund for state, local, and tribal governments; these funds could be used by states for unemployment costs caused by COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, President Trump took executive action to bolster unemployment benefits in August, authorizing the expenditure of up to an additional \$44 billion; and

WHEREAS, The federal government provided states additional flexibility in the administration of many programs, including the unemployment insurance program; and

WHEREAS, The American Rescue Plan Act provided additional federal aid and extended a number of unemployment programs, including the Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) Program through September 6, 2021; and

WHEREAS, States, while receiving federal financial assistance, are ultimately responsible to run their own unemployment programs; and

WHEREAS, Illinois experienced significant unemployment due to the pandemic and the resultant governmental actions; after an initial spike in unemployment claims to over 970,000 in April 2020, the number of unemployment claims declined through October 2020 and have remained through June 2021 within a band of 430,000 and 480,000 per month, approximately double the pre-pandemic rate; and

WHEREAS, Illinois has had consistently higher unemployment rates during the pandemic than any of its neighboring states; in June 2021, Illinois's unemployment rate was 7.2%, Indiana's was 4.1%, Iowa's was 4.0%, Kentucky's was 4.4%, Missouri's was 4.3%, and Wisconsin's was 3.9%, according to data released by the federal Bureau of Labor Statistics; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Employment Security had 1,041 employees in April 2020, according to the Better Government Association, a decline from January 2019 when Governor Pritzker assumed office; and

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WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Employment Security, using federal funds, initially contracted with Deloitte to hire an additional 500 individuals to assist with the increased call volume; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Employment Security, in conjunction with Deloitte, took two months to set up the Pandemic Employment Assistance Program provided for by the CARES Act; the implementation of the Pandemic Unemployment Assistance program in Illinois lagged most other states; and

WHEREAS, From March 21, 2020 through June 13, 2020, the Illinois Department of Employment Security received an average of 200,000 unique callers per week but, on average, only answered 10% of them; at its lowest point during that period, only 5% of calls were answered; and

WHEREAS, Many Illinois residents have been targeted and victimized by fraudulent unemployment claims made in their names; and

WHEREAS, It has proven extremely difficult for claimants and fraud victims alike to contact the Illinois Department of Employment Security; many waited months to receive a call back, leaving them in financial limbo and accentuating the challenges of navigating the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, According to the Better Government Association, the Illinois Department of Employment Security had only been issuing approximately 1% of its unemployment checks within seven days of the application for benefits through September, resulting in Illinois being the slowest state in the nation and one of only ten states that fell below 10%; and

WHEREAS, The Better Government Association further reported that Illinois failed to achieve federal standards for its unemployment program in five out of 10 performance measures; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Tribune reported that, despite the federal government in April 2020 "strongly" recommending that the state use additional fraud-prevention tools, the Illinois Department of Employment Security failed to implement the recommended anti-fraud tools; and

WHEREAS, The Auditor General released a financial audit of the Illinois Department of Employment Security on July 28, 2021; and

WHEREAS, The financial audit of the Illinois Department of Employment Security only covered fiscal year 2021, from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, and only overlapped with the Pandemic Unemployment Assistance Program for seven weeks, from May 11, 2020, through June 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, The Pandemic Unemployment Assistance Program has been repeatedly extended and now continues through September 6, 2021; and

WHEREAS, The financial audit released by the Auditor General only examined approximately 10% of the time period covered by the Pandemic Unemployment Assistance Program; and

WHEREAS, The financial audit stated that, during these seven weeks, the Illinois Department of Employment Security failed to accurately document eligibility, resulting in potentially ineligible claimants receiving benefits totaling \$154,906,354, which included:

- (1) Failing to validate the identities of 4,579 claimants before paying them \$41,697,272;
- (2) Paying both Pandemic Unemployment Assistance and regular unemployment insurance benefits to 638 claimants, resulting in the claimants receiving benefits under both programs;
- (3) Paying benefits to 266 claimants that had birthdays the same day as or after the date of the claim submission with at least one claimant with a recorded birth date in 2029; and
- (4) Paying benefits to 35 deceased claimants; and

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WHEREAS, The financial audit additionally found that the Illinois Department of Employment Security had, prior to July 1, 2020:

- (1) Paid Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits to 63 claimants who were 90 years old or older;
- (2) Paid Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits to 164 claimants who were between the ages of birth and 13 years of age; and
- (3) Paid Pandemic Unemployment Assistance benefits to 31 claimants who submitted multiple Social Security numbers and multiple claimant IDs; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Employment Security has acknowledged paying out \$14.8 million in fraudulent claims to individuals who had either failed to report or underreported earnings; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Department of Employment Security has refused to release any numbers pertaining to identity theft-related unemployment fraud; and

WHEREAS, An official with LexisNexis Risk Solutions testified at a hearing of the House Cybersecurity Committee that Illinois had lost an estimated \$1 billion to unemployment insurance fraud; and

WHEREAS, Illinois' Unemployment Trust Fund faces a multibillion dollar deficit, which will fall on small business owners across the state; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that the Auditor General is directed to conduct a full financial and performance audit of the Illinois Department of Employment Security's administration of the state's unemployment programs for the period between March 1, 2020 and September 6, 2021; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the audit include, but not be limited to, the following determinations:

(1) A review of the application and review processes and the payment of benefits to individuals; it shall focus on any fraud or inefficiencies that could be eliminated to contain costs and improve the delivery of benefits to eligible individuals;

(2) A detailed account of the funds wrongfully disbursed to ineligible and fraudulent claimants;

(3) The types of unemployment fraud schemes the Illinois Department of Employment Security has experienced and what steps and procedures it has taken to detect and respond to fraudulent unemployment claims and whether it has cooperated with the Illinois Attorney General or federal authorities to detect, counter, and prosecute fraud;

(4) Whether the Illinois Department of Employment Security has complied with all state and federal statutory and administrative requirements for processing and auditing unemployment claims;

(5) An examination of the Illinois Department of Employment Security's decision not to implement additional fraud-prevention tools in April 2021 as recommended by the federal government and a report on whether the state has, since that time, come into compliance with federal recommendations;

(6) What factors caused and continue to cause delays in the Illinois Department of Employment Security's processing of unemployment claims, looking particularly at administrative decisions, technology, and staffing, and what steps it has taken to alleviate these delays;

(7) What third-party contractors did the Illinois Department of Employment Security utilize during this time period and were any of these contracts no-bid contracts; did a third-party contractor calculate weekly benefit amounts for Pandemic Unemployment Assistance claimants and, if so, were there any procedures to verify the accuracy of their calculations; did third-party contractors meet the performance measure established by the Department prior to the issuance of the contracts; and

(8) A detailed report that includes a full summary of the average case processing time, the timeliness of benefit payments, and the accuracy of these payments; and be it further

RESOLVED, That that the Auditor General commence this audit as soon as possible and report his findings and recommendations upon completion in accordance with the provisions of Section 3-14 of the Illinois State Auditing Act; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Employment Security and the Office of the Governor cooperate fully and promptly with the Auditor General in the conduct of this audit; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Auditor General, the Illinois Department of Employment Security, the Office of the Governor, and the Legislative Audit Commission.

Senator T. Cullerton offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 473

WHEREAS, Lake Michigan is the only Great Lake located entirely in the United States; and

WHEREAS, When measured by water surface, Lake Michigan is the third largest of the Great Lakes; and

WHEREAS, Lake Michigan is the second largest of the Great Lakes by volume; and

WHEREAS, Approximately 12 million people live along Lake Michigan's shore, including the 2.7 million residents of the City of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Lake Michigan serves as a source of drinking water, as a place for swimming and fishing, and as a scenic wonderland; and

WHEREAS, Lake Michigan is a magnificent resource that provides an essential home for all kinds of wildlife; and

WHEREAS, In 2008, Illinois, along with Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin, adopted a compact banning diversions without concurrence of all signatories, which President George W. Bush signed; and

WHEREAS, The declining water levels could negatively impact industries such as commercial shipping, hydroelectric power generation, and recreational boating and fishing, which in turn would hinder the economic growth of the region; and

WHEREAS, The Great Lakes are large bodies of water that would not replenish easily; and

WHEREAS, Experts have already seen environmental changes created by the diversion of water; the Great Lakes ice cover has been decreasing while air and water temperatures have been rising, which clearly illustrates global climate change in the region; and

WHEREAS, Removing water from this vital body of water sets a bad precedent for the protection of this finite resource and will put a strain on its water supply; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we strongly support the Great Lakes Basin Compact and adamantly oppose any effort to divert water from Lake Michigan, or the other Great Lakes, to the southwestern states.

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

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 33

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Frieda "Fritzie" (Weiss) Fritzshall, who passed away on June 19, 2021; and

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WHEREAS, Fritzie Fritزشall was born in Klucarky, Czechoslovakia on August 21, 1929; when the Nazis invaded her country in 1944, her family was forced into a ghetto before being deported to the Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camp, and the Nazis murdered her mother, two younger brothers, and other family members; she endured torture at Auschwitz and a related forced labor camp for one year; after escaping during a death march, she was finally freed by the Soviet Army in 1945; and

WHEREAS, Fritzie Fritزشall immigrated to the United States after the war, where she was reunited with her father; she married Norman Fritزشall, a World War II veteran who had been a prisoner of war in the Pacific theater, and he preceded her in death in 2003; she worked as a hairdresser; and

WHEREAS, Fritzie Fritزشall was a longtime advocate for preserving the stories and legacy of Holocaust survivors; she served as president of the Illinois Holocaust Museum & Education Center, the third largest Holocaust museum in the world; and

WHEREAS, Fritzie Fritزشall spent her life fighting against hatred and prejudice and encouraging people to become upstanders rather than bystanders; she was relentless in combatting hatred by sharing her story as a survivor of the Holocaust and her insights on anti-Semitism and the refugee crisis; and

WHEREAS, Fritzie Fritزشall was the wife of the late Norman; the mother of Steven (Hinda Meadow) Fritزشall; the grandmother of Scott and Andy Fritزشall; the sister of two late brothers; the daughter of the late Herman and Sarah; and the aunt, cousin, and friend of many; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we mourn the passing of Frieda "Fritzie" (Weiss) Fritزشall and honor her service to the people of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Fritzie Fritزشall as an expression of our deepest sympathy and in gratitude for her work and her lifetime of public service.

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

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 34

WHEREAS, The Korean War began on June 25, 1950 and raged for three bloody years; 1.5 million members of the United States Armed Forces, including thousands from the State of Illinois, answered the call to arms during the war; and

WHEREAS, The President of the United States may present Congressional Gold Medals to Korean War veterans in recognition of their contributions while serving under the United Nations Command (UNC), which was the first international unified command in history; and

WHEREAS, The purpose of the medals are to express recognition of the exemplary contributions made by all Korean War veterans, both U.S. and allied forces, who demonstrated selfless acts during the conflict; and

WHEREAS, The Empire of Japan occupied the entire country of Korea from 1910 until the end of World War II; prior to the official Japanese surrender on August 15, 1945, the U.S. and its allies prepared an arrangement to divide Korea horizontally into two regions, North and South; and

WHEREAS, On June 25, 1950, the North Korea Peoples' Army and their allies invaded South Korea; the U.N. Security Council adopted a resolution to send U.N. Forces into Korea; on June 27, 1950, President Truman sent U.S. troops as aid under the aegis of the United Nations; in October 1950, the Peoples Volunteer Army of China entered the conflict by encroaching into North Korea; in response, China's ruling

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party ordered the immediate destruction of the entire 1st Marine Division, the Republic of Korea Army Divisions, and the U.S. Army's 7th Infantry Division, which led to the struggle to defend the Pusan Perimeter; and

WHEREAS, A series of battles against the Chinese forces took place throughout autumn 1950, including the Battle of Inchon, the Battle of Nakdong breakout, the Battle of Seoul-Second, and the Battle of Changjin Reservoir, which tested the capacity of U.S. and allied forces against both the enemy and the elements; and

WHEREAS, On November 25, 1950, Chinese communist forces launched an all-out assault, swiftly overtaking the UNC forces and forcing U.S. and UNC allied troops to withdraw south; battles against the communist forces continued throughout 1951, including the Battle of Seoul-Fourth, by far the largest artillery operation of the Korean conflict; during this time, U.N. allied forces from countries such as Australia, the Philippines, and parts of the United Kingdom assisted in combatting the Chinese communist forces; and

WHEREAS, By 1953, at least another dozen battles took place in an attempt to retake South Korea; the ground action was led by U.S. and allied forces; and

WHEREAS, On July 27, 1953, the United States, North Korea, and China signed an armistice agreement that ended the conflict and created the demilitarized zone (DMZ), again dividing Korea but failing to bring about peace; to date, the Republic of Korea (South Korea) and the Democratic Peoples' Republic of Korea (North Korea) have not signed a peace treaty that would officially end the war; and

WHEREAS, One of two principle objectives was to not lose the war to the aggressors and the other was to keep Seoul, South Korea from occupation by the Democratic Peoples' Republic of Korea to the north; American combat troops and allied forces from 16 nations helped secure this mission; today, Seoul's vibrancy is possible because of those who served and sacrificed; and

WHEREAS, It is the appropriate time for America to honor the troops, including all United Nations allied forces during the Korean conflict, and to award them the Congressional Gold Medal; it is appropriate that these medals stand as evidence that The Forgotten War is no longer forgotten, but forever remembered; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we urge Congress to authorize the President to present Congressional Gold Medals to Korean War Veterans in recognition of their service and sacrifice; and be it further

RESOLVED, That following the awarding of the medals, we urge that one Congressional Gold Medal be given to the Smithsonian Institution and one Congressional Silver Medal be given to the War Memorial of Korea, Seoul, where they shall be available for display as appropriate and made available for research; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we recognize and honor the service and sacrifice of all Korean War veterans, the brave men and women who served honorably and those who paid the ultimate price defending our freedom; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to President Joe Biden, U.S. Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer, U.S. Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, U.S. Speaker of the House Nancy Pelosi, U.S. House of Representatives Minority Leader Kevin McCarthy, and all members of the Illinois Congressional Delegation.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 2908. 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. 2909. 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. 2910. Introduced by Senator Fine, 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.

APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

Appointment Message No. 1020202

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Trustee

Agency or Other Body: State Universities Retirement System Board of Trustees

Start Date: June 29, 2021

End Date: July 1, 2027

Name: Richard Figueroa

Residence: 1503 E. 56th St., Chicago, IL 60637

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Richard Figueroa

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020203

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Trustee

Agency or Other Body: State Universities Retirement System Board of Trustees

Start Date: June 29, 2021

End Date: July 1, 2027

Name: Scott Hendrie

Residence: 411 Preston St., Savoy, IL 61874

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Chapin Rose

Most Recent Holder of Office: Scott Hendrie

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020204

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Arbitrator

Agency or Other Body: Workers' Compensation Commission

Start Date: July 1, 2021

End Date: July 1, 2022

Name: Roma Parikh Dalal

Residence: 739 S. Saylor Ave., Elmhurst, IL 60126

Annual Compensation: \$143,872 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Suzy Glowiak Hilton

Most Recent Holder of Office: Deborah Baker

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020205

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Arbitrator

Agency or Other Body: Workers' Compensation Commission

Start Date: July 1, 2021

End Date: July 1, 2024

Name: Antara Nath Rivera

Residence: 12945 Waterford Dr., Lemont, IL 60439

Annual Compensation: \$143,872 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator John F. Curran

Most Recent Holder of Office: Christopher Harris

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020206

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Arbitrator

Agency or Other Body: Workers' Compensation Commission

Start Date: July 1, 2021

End Date: July 1, 2024

Name: Ana Diaz Vazquez

Residence: 7738 W. Sunset Dr., Elmwood Park, IL 60707

Annual Compensation: \$143,872 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

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Most Recent Holder of Office: Christine Ory

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020207

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Assistant Director

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

Start Date: April 16, 2021

End Date: January 16, 2023

Name: Jenny Aguirre

Residence: 9034 Palisades Rd., Burr Ridge, IL 60527

Annual Compensation: \$142,523 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Senator John F. Curran

Most Recent Holder of Office: Kimberly McCullough

Superseded Appointment Message: AM 102-0146

Appointment Message No. 1020208

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Chief Administrative Law Judge

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Independent Tax Tribunal

Start Date: July 30, 2021

End Date: February 13, 2024

Name: James Conway

Residence: 2112 Washington Ave., Wilmette, IL 60091

Annual Compensation: \$185,468 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura Fine

Most Recent Holder of Office: James Conway

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020209

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Administrative Law Judge

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Independent Tax Tribunal

Start Date: July 22, 2021

End Date: January 2, 2022

Name: Brian Barov

Residence: 7923 Tripp Ave., Skokie, IL 60076

Annual Compensation: \$170,468 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Ram Villivalam

Most Recent Holder of Office: Brian Barov

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020210

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Racing Board

Start Date: July 22, 2021

End Date: June 30, 2022

Name: Beth Doria

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Residence: 10646 Golf Rd., Orland Park, IL 60462

Annual Compensation: \$13,045 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Bill Cunningham

Most Recent Holder of Office: Thomas McCauley

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020211

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Chicago State University Board of Trustees

Start Date: July 30, 2021

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Angelique David

Residence: 2319 Snapdragon Rd., Naperville, IL 60564

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Meg Loughran Cappel

Most Recent Holder of Office: Miriam Mobley Smith

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020212

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: July 30, 2021

End Date: July 15, 2024

Name: William Hobert

Residence: 2037 W. Bradley Pl., Chicago, IL 60618

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sara Feigenholtz

Most Recent Holder of Office: William Hobert

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020213

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: July 30, 2021

End Date: July 18, 2022

Name: Arlene Juracek

Residence: 602 S. Edward St., Mount Prospect, IL 60056

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Ann Gillespie

Most Recent Holder of Office: Arlene Juracek

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020214

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Public Administrator and Public Guardian

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Agency or Other Body: McLean County

Start Date: December 4, 2021

End Date: December 1, 2025

Name: Robert William Porter

Residence: 2018 Macon St., Mahomet, IL 61853

Annual Compensation: Unsalariated

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Chapin Rose

Most Recent Holder of Office: Daniel Deneen

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020215

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: August 10, 2021

End Date: July 15, 2024

Name: Jeffrey Wright

Residence: 1735 West Julian Unit 1, Chicago, Illinois 60622

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Patricia Van Pelt

Most Recent Holder of Office: Jeffrey Wright

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020216

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Southwestern Illinois Development Authority

Start Date: August 10, 2021

End Date: January 17, 2022

Name: Vicky McElroy

Residence: 11724 Libbra Rd., New Douglas, IL 62074

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: John Hipskind

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 1020217

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Central Management Services

Start Date: September 7, 2021

End Date: January 16, 2023

Name: Raven DeVaughn

Residence: 3443 South Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60616

Annual Compensation: \$144,946

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Benjamin Jones

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Second General Assembly:

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

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Southwestern Illinois Development Authority

Start Date: January 17, 2022

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Vicky McElroy

Residence: 11724 Libbra Rd., New Douglas, IL 62074

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: Vicky McElroy

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House by

Mr. Hollman, 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. 1091

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

Passed the House, June 16, 2021.

JOHN W. HOLLMAN, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bill No. 1091** was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Hollman, Clerk:

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

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 44

WHEREAS, The year 2021 marks 104 years since the Bolshevik Revolution in Russia, which resulted in the world's first communist regime under Vladimir Lenin; this led to decades of oppression and violence under communist regimes throughout the world; and

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WHEREAS, Based on the philosophy of Karl Marx, communism has proven incompatible with the ideals of liberty, prosperity, and dignity of human life and has given rise to such infamous totalitarian dictators as Joseph Stalin, Mao Zedong, Ho Chi Minh, Pol Pot, Nicolae Ceausescu, the Castro brothers, and the Kim dynasty; and

WHEREAS, Communist regimes worldwide have killed over 100 million people and subjected countless others to the worst and most widespread human rights abuses known to history, with victims representing many different ethnicities, creeds, and backgrounds; and

WHEREAS, Communist regimes have, as a matter of government policy, robbed their own citizens of the rights of freedom of religion, freedom of speech, and freedom of association through coercion, brutality, and fear; and

WHEREAS, Many victims of communism were persecuted as political prisoners for speaking out against these regimes, and others were killed in genocidal state-sponsored purges; and

WHEREAS, In addition to violating basic human rights, communist regimes have suppressed freedom of conscience, cultural life, and self-determination movements in over 40 nations; and

WHEREAS, A National Day for the Victims of Communism was declared on November 7, 2017, condemning communism as a political philosophy incompatible with liberty, prosperity, and the dignity of human life; and

WHEREAS, The Victims of Communism Memorial Foundation in Washington, D.C. is a nonprofit organization, authorized by a unanimous Act of the United States Congress, that educates people about the ideology, history, and legacy of communism and honors the people who have suffered and died under communist regimes; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we declare November 7, 2021 as Victims of Communism Memorial Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Victims of Communism Memorial Foundation as a symbol of our respect and esteem.

Adopted by the House, May 29, 2021.

JOHN W. HOLLMAN, Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 44 was referred to the Committee on Assignments.

A message from the House by

Mr. Hollman, Clerk:

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

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 45

WHEREAS, On September 1, 1961, just after two in the morning, Trans World Airlines Flight 529 took off from Midway Airport bound for Las Vegas, Los Angeles, and San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, Five minutes into the flight, a two-inch long bolt snapped in the plane's elevator assembly, which caused the plane to crash in what is today Willowbrook, Illinois; and

WHEREAS, TWA Flight 529 crashed into an open field and immediately burst into flames, leaving behind a debris field of 200 by 1,100 feet; and

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WHEREAS, 73 passengers, four of whom were from the Chicago land area, and five crew members were all killed on impact, making the crash of TWA Flight 529 the deadliest single plane crash at the time; and

WHEREAS, The four Chicago area victims were a pharmacist from Evanston who was on his way to visit his parents in Los Angeles, a nurse from MacNeal Hospital in Berwyn departing for a vacation in San Francisco, and two servicemen returning to duty in California; and

WHEREAS, September 1 of 2021 will mark the 60 year anniversary of this tragedy; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we declare September 1, 2021 as Trans World Airlines Flight 529 Memorial Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we remember and mourn those we lost on that tragic day in 1961 and extend our sincere condolences to their families and friends.

Adopted by the House, May 29, 2021.

JOHN W. HOLLMAN, Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 45 was referred to the Committee on Assignments.

A message from the House by

Mr. Hollman, Clerk:

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

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 49

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Sister Thomas Leo Monahan, O.P., who passed away on November 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo was born in Chicago to Roy and Kathryn (Devine) Monahan on September 20, 1929; she was baptized Kathleen Monahan; she graduated from Amundsen High School in Chicago; she received her Bachelor of Philosophy in History from Siena Heights University in Adrian, Michigan; she earned her Master of Arts in History and her Master of Education in Administration/School Supervision from DePaul University in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo entered the Convent of the Adrian Dominican Sisters in Adrian, Michigan on June 24, 1951, and she professed her simple vows on December 28, 1952; and

WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo ministered in elementary education for 61 years in Detroit, Michigan and Toledo, Ohio, in addition to Chicago, Mundelein, and Elmhurst; and

WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo spent 40 years at the Visitation School in Elmhurst, where she served as principal for 38 years; and

WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo established the Sister Thomas Leo Monahan Legacy Fund, providing tuition assistance for families seeking a Catholic education at the Visitation School; and

WHEREAS, For her dedication to the Visitation School and the entire Elmhurst community, Sr. Thomas Leo was named 2013's Friend of the Children by the Elmhurst Children's Assistance Foundation; and

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WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo was respected and loved by her students and their families, numbering in the thousands; she will be remembered for her kindness, her selfless nature, and her special ability to make everyone she met feel comfortable and important; and

WHEREAS, Sr. Thomas Leo lived a life of grace; she exemplified a life of devotion and commitment to her faith and good works; she deserves our thanks, gratitude, and words that say, "Well done, good and faithful servant."; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we mourn the passing of Sister Thomas Leo Monahan, O.P., and extend our sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it further

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

Adopted by the House, May 28, 2021.

JOHN W. HOLLMAN, Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 49 was referred to the Committee on Assignments.

READING BILL FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A FIRST TIME

House Bill No. 1091, sponsored by Senator Harmon, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 26, 2021 meeting, to which was referred **House Bills numbered 642, 3893 and 3918**, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bills be placed on the order of second reading without recommendation to committee.

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 26, 2021 meeting, to which was referred **House Bills Numbered 45, 277, 601 and 716** on May 21, 2021, pursuant to Rule 3-9(a), 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 **House Bills Numbered 45, 277, 601 and 716** were returned to the order of second reading.

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 26, 2021 meeting, to which was referred **House Bills Numbered 11, 246, 307, 625, 836, 1291, 1769, 1839, 1953, 1976, 2431, 2755, 2770, 2791, 2985, 3107, 3136, 3173, 3293, 3416, 3418, 3512, 3666, 3699, 3863 and 3968** on June 15, 2021, pursuant to Rule 3-9(a), 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 **House Bills Numbered 11, 246, 307, 625, 836, 1291, 1769, 1839, 1953, 1976, 2431, 2755, 2770, 2791, 2985, 3107, 3136, 3173, 3293, 3416, 3418, 3512, 3666, 3699, 3863 and 3968** were returned to the order of third reading.

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its August 26, 2021 meeting, to which was referred **House Bill No. 900** on July 16, 2021, pursuant to Rule 3-9(b), reported that the Committee recommends that the bill be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in its former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

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And **House Bill No. 900** was returned to the order of third reading.

At the hour of 10:14 o'clock a.m., pursuant to **House Joint Resolution No. 50**, the Chair announced that the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, August 31, 2021, at 12:00 o'clock p.m., or until the call of the President.