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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.
Senator Miguel del Valle, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.
Prayer by Father John Ossola, Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Springfield, Illinois.
Senator Obama led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE
JESSE WHITE • Secretary of State

July 1, 2004

Honorable Linda Hawker
Secretary of the Senate
Room 401
Capitol Building
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Secretary Hawker:

Enclosed please find a copy of Proclamation No. 2004-196, filed in my office on July 1, 2004, by Governor Rod R. Blagojevich, calling for a Special Session of the 93rd General Assembly, to begin at 12:00 p.m. on Friday, July 2, 2004.

A notice and accompanying Proclamation has been mailed today to each Member's Springfield office.

Sincerely,
s/Jesse White
Secretary of State

STATE OF ILLINOIS
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION

04-196

WHEREAS, the Department of Human Services has proposed the transition of payment methodology for certain health care and social service providers from a grant methodology to a fee-for-service methodology; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly has proposed legislative action addressing this issue;

THEREFORE, pursuant to Article IV, Section 5 (b) of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, I hereby call and convene the 93rd General Assembly in a special session to commence on July 2, 2004, at 12:00 p.m., to consider any legislation (new or pending), which will address directly any fee-for-service initiatives proposed to be implemented by the Department of Human Services.

s/Rod R. Blagojevich
Governor

Dated: July 1, 2004

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

Senator Collins offered the following Senate Resolution and, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for its immediate consideration, moved its adoption:

[July 2, 2004]

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, AT THE SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION THEREOF, that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives that a majority of the members of the Senate has assembled, pursuant to the proclamation of the Governor, convening a Sixth Special Session of the General Assembly, and are now ready for the transaction of business.

The Motion prevailed.
And the resolution was adopted.

Senator Collins offered the following Senate Resolution and, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for its immediate consideration, moved its adoption:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, AT THE SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION THEREOF, that the President appoint a committee of five to wait upon his Excellency, the Governor, and inform him that the Sixth Special Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly is now duly in session in pursuance of his proclamation, and is ready to receive any message he may desire to submit.

The Motion prevailed.
And the resolution was adopted.

Senator Collins offered the following Senate Resolution and, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for its immediate consideration, moved its adoption:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, AT THE SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION THEREOF, that a Committee of three (3) members of the Senate be appointed, two (2) members to be appointed by the President and one (1) member to be appointed by the Minority Leader, to approve any and all Journals of the Senate for all days of the Sixth Special Session of the Ninety-Third General Assembly where such Journals, prior to adjournment SINE DIE, have not been approved by the body as a whole.

The Motion prevailed.
And the resolution was adopted.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

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

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following resolution, to-wit:

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2

RESOLVED, that the Clerk inform the Senate that a majority of the House of Representatives has assembled, pursuant to the proclamation of the Governor, convening a Sixth Special Session of the General Assembly, and are now ready for the transaction of business.

Adopted by the House, July 2, 2004, Sixth Special Session.

MARK MAHONEY, Clerk of the House

[July 2, 2004]

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION

Senator Harmon offered the following Senate Joint Resolution and, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for its immediate consideration, moved its adoption:

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, AT THE SIXTH SPECIAL SESSION THEREOF, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, July 02, 2004, the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, July 06, 2004 at 2:05 o'clock p.m.; and the House of Representatives stands adjourned until Monday, July 05, 2004, in perfunctory session.

The Motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

At the hour of 12:37 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution No. 1**, the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Tuesday, July 6, 2004, at 2:05 o'clock p.m.