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18TH LEGISLATIVE DAY

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12:03 O'CLOCK P.M.

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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Antonio Muñoz, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

Prayer by Chance Newingham, Athens Christian Church, Athens, Illinois.

Senator Jacobs led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Senator Hunter moved that reading and approval of the Journal of Friday, March 1, 2013, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.

The motion prevailed.

REPORTS RECEIVED

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

Small Business Contracts Act Annual Report, March 1, 2013, submitted by the Chief Procurement Office.

Report Pursuant to Public Act 87-552 (Flex time), submitted by the Department of Human Rights.

FY 2012 Adult Education and Family Literacy Report, submitted by the Illinois Community College Board.

Fiscal Year 2014 Higher Education Budget Recommendations, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority's Financial Statements for the six months ended December 31, 2012, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

The Illinois Report 2013, submitted by the University of Illinois.

2012 Annual MBE/WBE Report, submitted by the Illinois Sports Facilities Authority.

FY 2012 Annual Report for Service Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Businesses and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

Illinois Rx Buying Club 2012 Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

Business Enterprise Program for Minorities, Females, and Persons with Disabilities Annual Report, Fiscal year 2012, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

Report Pursuant to Public Act 87-552 (Flex time), submitted by the Illinois Council on Developmental Disabilities.

Auditor General's 2012 Annual Report, submitted by the Office of the Auditor General.

Mid America Medical District Commission report covering operations for calendar years 2011 and 2012 and a statement of its program for calendar years 2013 and 2014, submitted by the Mid America Medical District Commission.

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:

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 737

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1217 Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1538

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1592

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1630

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1768

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Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1894

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1918

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2144

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2268

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

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1470

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1495

Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1496

Senate Floor Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1496

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 134

Offered by Senator Link and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Lillian C. Shamorian of Waukegan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 136

Offered by Senators Cullerton - Radogno - Harmon and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Justice Mary Ann McMorrow.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 137

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert "Bob" Schanks of Bolingbrook.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 138

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Norma Lee Sholar of Godfrey.

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

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 135

WHEREAS, Nearly 13 million people live in the great State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois has never had a comprehensive statewide reading program for all ages; and

WHEREAS, A key contributor to the literacy effort within the State of Illinois is the Illinois Reading Council; and

WHEREAS, The Illinois Reading Council has taken it upon itself to organize a statewide program, to be known as Illinois Reads; and

WHEREAS, Illinois Reads will promote reading for all Illinois citizens, beginning with read-aloud books for babies to read with and books for senior citizens; and

WHEREAS. Illinois Reads will feature authors with ties to the State of Illinois; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we wholeheartedly support the goals of the Illinois Reads program and urge citizens throughout the State to become involved as Illinois Reads Ambassadors to support the Illinois Reading Council's efforts to promote literacy; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the Illinois Reading Council.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048

A bill for AN ACT concerning business.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing House Bill No. 1048 was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1191

A bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing House Bill No. 1191 was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1209

A bill for AN ACT concerning conservation.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES. Clerk of the House

The foregoing House Bill No. 1209 was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1247

A bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing House Bill No. 1247 was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1311

A bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing House Bill No. 1311 was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327

A bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bill No. 1327** was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, Clerk:

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353

A bill for AN ACT concerning finance.

Passed the House, March 1, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing House Bill No. 1353 was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Mapes, 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. 6

WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General Assembly pays honor and respect to the truly great individuals who have served our country and, in doing so, have gone above and beyond the call of duty to take part in truly heroic tasks; and

WHEREAS, Of the millions of men and women who have served this country with the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, or Coast Guard, only 3,468 have ever been awarded the highest military decoration awarded by the United States government, the Medal of Honor; and

WHEREAS, The Medal of Honor is awarded for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity at the risk of one's life above and beyond the call of duty while engaged in an action against any enemy of the United States, while engaged in military operations involving conflict with an opposing foreign force, or while serving with friendly foreign forces engaged in an armed conflict against an opposing armed force in which the United States is not a belligerent party; and

WHEREAS, It is a true honor for an individual to be awarded the Medal of Honor and serves to distinguish those individuals as true American heroes; and

WHEREAS, Allen J. Lynch was born on October 28, 1945, in Chicago; he grew up in the Lake Eliza area of Indiana, where he attended Union Center Elementary School and Wheeler Junior High School; and

WHEREAS, After graduating from high school, Allen Lynch joined the United States Army in 1964; he was later sent to Vietnam in the fall of 1966 and was assigned to the 12th Cavalry; he served as a rifleman for several months before becoming his platoon's radiotelephone operator; and

WHEREAS, On December 15, 1967, Allen Lynch was serving as a specialist four in Company D, 1st Battalion (Airmobile), 12th Cavalry Regiment of the 1st Cavalry Division (Airmobile); during a firefight near the Binh Dinh Province of Vietnam, he saw 3 wounded soldiers out in the open who were under intense enemy fire; he quickly dropped his radio and went to help the soldiers; under intense fire, he carried the wounded soldiers to safety and single-handedly defended them against the advancing enemy force for several hours; and

WHEREAS, Following this courageous action, Allen Lynch was subsequently promoted to the rank of sergeant and awarded the Medal of Honor for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action at the risk of his life above and beyond the call of duty; and

WHEREAS, Allen Lynch's quick thinking and disregard for his own safety were vital in saving those lives, but his fight on behalf of his fellow soldiers did not end on the battlefield; after the war, he settled in Gurnee and worked for the Department of Veterans Affairs, where he advocated for increased benefits for disabled veterans; he later served as chief of the Illinois Attorney General's Veterans Rights Bureau until his retirement in 2005; and

WHEREAS, Allen Lynch continues his dedication to our nation as a volunteer with the Vietnam Veterans of America organization; he serves as the liaison for the Congressional Medal of Honor Society and frequently gives speeches at military-related events; he also performs ministry work with the Lake County Jail; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the Grand Avenue Overpass over Interstate 94 in Gurnee as the "Allen J. Lynch Congressional Medal of Honor Overpass"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That upon completion of any unfinished sections of highway, the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to Allen J. Lynch, his family, the Village of Gurnee, the Lake County Board, the Lake County Veterans Assistance Commission, the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation, and the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority.

Adopted by the House, February 27, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES. Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 6 was referred to the Committee on Assignments.

COMMUNICATION

ILLINOIS STATE SENATE DON HARMON PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE 39TH DISTRICT

March 1, 2013

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

Dear Secretary Anderson:

Today the Senate considered several appointments by the Governor to State agencies.

Other lawyers in the law firm that employs me provide legal services from time to time to State agencies or to clients doing business with State agencies. Accordingly, to avoid the appearance of conflict of interest, I abstained from voting on the question of the confirmation of appointees to such agencies, and I hereby disclose that fact to the Senate.

Sincerely, s/Don Harmon

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

March 5, 2013

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 James Clayborne to temporarily replace Senator Toi Hutchinson as a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. This appointment will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

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

Senate President

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

At the hour of 12:09 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stand at ease.

AT EASE

At the hour of 12:20 o'clock p.m., the Senate resumed consideration of business. Senator Muñoz, presiding.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 5, 2013 meeting, reported the following Senate Bills have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture and Conservation: Senate Bills Numbered 1942, 2189, 2281 and 2347.

Appropriations I: Senate Bills Numbered 2219, 2315 and 2317.

Appropriations II: Senate Bills Numbered 1741, 1904, 1905, 1907, 1933 and 2388.

Criminal Law: Senate Bills Numbered 1914, 1915, 1918, 1940, 2188, 2195, 2196, 2231, 2232, 2267, 2270, 2272 and 2380.

Education: Senate Bills Numbered 572, 1931, 1932, 2156, 2157, 2198, 2199, 2213, 2259, 2321, 2340 and 2377.

Energy: Senate Bills Numbered 1952, 2185, 2191, 2253, 2335 and 2365.

Environment: Senate Bills Numbered 1925, 1930, 1961, 2164 and 2183.

Executive: Senate Bills Numbered 923, 1855, 1859, 1902, 1919, 1920, 1922, 1926, 1937, 1954, 1955, 2153, 2203, 2212, 2234, 2239, 2240, 2244, 2246, 2247, 2252, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2275, 2306, 2352, 2356, 2357, 2363, 2367, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2381, 2382, 2387, 2395 and 2402.

Financial Institutions: Senate Bills Numbered 2172 and 2383.

Higher Education: Senate Bills Numbered 1252, 1944, 2163, 2167, 2202, 2229 and 2245.

Human Services: Senate Bills Numbered 2165, 2217, 2311 and 2319.

Insurance: Senate Bills Numbered 2178, 2207, 2339, 2344 and 2366.

Judiciary: Senate Bills Numbered 1901, 1912, 1913, 1923, 1941, 1945, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2159, 2160, 2179, 2186, 2190, 2193, 2222, 2235, 2269, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2318, 2325, 2342, 2359, 2360, 2364, 2384 and 2403.

Labor and Commerce: Senate Bills Numbered 1302, 2161, 2307, 2330 and 2393.

Licensed Activities and Pensions: Senate Bills Numbered 1841, 1906, 1916, 1921, 2218, 2236, 2248 and 2400.

Local Government: Senate Bills Numbered 1908, 1917, 1950, 2155, 2251, 2268, 2304 and 2396.

Public Health: Senate Bills Numbered 2187, 2249, 2312, 2314, 2353 and 2354.

Revenue: Senate Bills Numbered 1633, 1924, 1936, 1951, 1953, 2168, 2169, 2182, 2194, 2206, 2209, 2230, 2243, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2326, 2337, 2345, 2373 and 2378.

State Government and Veterans Affairs: Senate Bills Numbered 114, 1909, 1910, 1911, 2162, 2197, 2221, 2226, 2228, 2233 and 2320.

Transportation: Senate Bills Numbered 922, 1929, 2139, 2140, 2154, 2224, 2332 and 2386.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 5, 2013 meeting, reported the following Appointment Messages have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committee of the Senate:

Executive Appointments: Appointment Messages Numbered 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95 and 96.

Senator Clayborne, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its March 5, 2013 meeting, reported the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture and Conservation: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1329; Senate Floor Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1470; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1538.

Criminal Law: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1275; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1587; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1872.

Executive: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 35.

Higher Education: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1592.

Human Services: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1567; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1744.

Judiciary: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1602; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1612; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1846; Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1935.

Local Government: Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 492.

At the hour of 12:26 o'clock p.m., Honorable John J. Cullerton, President of the Senate, presiding, for the purpose of an introduction.

COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT

The Chair announced the following committee to meet at 1:30 o'clock p.m.:

Agriculture and Conservation in Room 212

At the hour of 12:34 o'clock p.m., the Senate resumed consideration of business. Senator Muñoz, presiding.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION ON SECRETARY'S DESK

Senator Sullivan moved that **Senate Joint Resolution No. 3**, on the Secretary's Desk, be taken up for immediate consideration.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Sullivan moved that Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 be adopted.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

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

APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

Appointment Message No. 0097

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Commerce Commission

Start Date: March 19, 2013

End Date: January 15, 2018

Name: Sherina Maye

Residence: 520 S. State Street, Unit 1508, Chicago, IL 60605

Annual Compensation: \$117,043

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Erin M. O'Connell-Diaz

Superseded Appointment Message: Appointment Message 96 of the 98th General Assembly

Appointment Message No. 0098

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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: Joliet Regional Port District Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: June 1, 2013

Name: Joseph Strong

Residence: 1211 Betty Drive, Plainfield, IL 60586

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Jennifer Bertino-Tarrant

Most Recent Holder of Office: George J. Michas

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 0099

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Mining Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: January 19, 2015

Name: Jerry R. Cross

Residence: 417 E. Hall, Marissa, IL 62257

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator David S. Luechtefeld

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 0100

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Mining Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: January 19, 2015

Name: Timothy I. Kirkpatrick

Residence: 20680 Hen Lane, Macedonia, IL 62860

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Gary Forby

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 0101

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Mining Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: January 19, 2015

Name: Donald E. Stewart

Residence: 1100 3rd Street, Gillespie, IL 62033

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Andy Manar

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 0102

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Mining Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: January 19, 2015

Name: George Teegarden

Residence: 113 Southwest Drive, Harrisburg, IL 62946

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Gary Forby

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 0103

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Mining Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: January 19, 2015

Name: David L. Webb

Residence: 105 Violet Street, Raymond, IL 62560

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Andy Manar

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Appointment Message No. 0104

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, Ninety-Eighth General Assembly:

I, Pat Quinn, 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 Mining Board

Start Date: March 4, 2013

End Date: January 19, 2015

Name: Frederick D. Frederking

Residence: 10660 State Rte. 153, Coulterville, IL 62237

Annual Compensation: \$15,651

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator David S. Luechtefeld

Most Recent Holder of Office: Reappointment

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A FIRST TIME

House Bill No. 984, sponsored by Senator Martinez, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 986, sponsored by Senator Althoff, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 991, sponsored by Senator Haine, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1009, sponsored by Senator Sandoval, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1010, sponsored by Senator Hastings, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1013, sponsored by Senator Harmon, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1020, sponsored by Senator Link, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1045, sponsored by Senator Holmes, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1048, sponsored by Senator Cunningham, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1209, sponsored by Senator Frerichs, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1247, sponsored by Senator Mulroe, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1353, sponsored by Senator Holmes, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

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

March 5, 2013

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 William Haine to temporarily replace Senator Michael Noland as a member of the Senate Education Committee. This appointment will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Education Committee.

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

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

At the hour of 12:47 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Wednesday, March 6, 2013, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

PERFUNCTORY SESSION 5:38 O'CLOCK P.M.

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.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT STATE OF ILLINOIS

JOHN J. CULLERTON SENATE PRESIDENT

327 STATE CAPITOL SPRINGFIELD, IL 62706

March 5, 2013

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a Perfunctory Session to convene on Tuesday, March 5, 2013.

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

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 139

Offered by Senator McGuire and all Senators: Mourns the death of Joseph G. Rojek.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 140

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators: Mourns the death of John A. Roggi.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 141

Offered by Senator Mulroe and all Senators: Mourns the death of Thomas S. Melzl of Edison Park.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 142

Offered by Senator J. Cullerton and all Senators: Mourns the death of Freda Aron.

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

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 143

WHEREAS, March 3, 2013 marks the 90th anniversary of the birth of Private First Class (PFC) Manuel Perez Jr.; and

WHEREAS, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. was a World War II paratrooper of Mexican heritage and a resident of Chicago; he was a naturally gifted athlete, whose peers gave him the nickname of "Bullet"; and

WHEREAS, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. was a co-founder of the Cyclistas Bicycle Club and a member of the Benito Juarez Social Club; he was also a 1941 graduate of Crane Technical High School and an employee of the Best Foods Company in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. was drafted into the United States Army on January 9, 1943; after completing infantry training, he volunteered for paratrooper training and was assigned to the 511th Parachute Infantry Regiment of the 11th Airborne Division (The Angels); he subsequently served in the Pacific Theater during the war; and

WHEREAS, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. fought in the Battle of Luzon in the Philippines, where he accomplished a feat which is still unparalleled in American warfare; and

WHEREAS, On February 13, 1945, while his company was pinned down by ferocious enemy fire, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. as lead scout for Company A, made a one-man charge against the enemy; his action is credited with single-handedly neutralizing 11 of 12 concrete Japanese pillboxes, one of which maintained twin-mounted 50 caliber machineguns, that held up the advancement of his company at Fort McKinley, which was under enemy control; in the course of the reduction of these enemy strongholds, he was able to kill at least 75 of the enemy, 18 in hand-to-hand combat, as described in a letter he personally wrote home informing family members of his heroic actions and in recommendation for a medal; and

WHEREAS, On March 14, 1945, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. was shot by an enemy sniper while covering the withdrawal of his fellow Paratroopers during the Battle of Manila; for going above and beyond the call of duty during this action, he was recommended for the nation's highest military decoration for valor, the Medal of Honor, along with the Purple Heart, the Combat Infantry Badge, and the Parachutist Badge; unfortunately, he would not live to receive the Medal of Honor; and

WHEREAS, The Medal of Honor was presented to PFC Manuel Perez Jr.'s father, Manuel Perez, Sr. of Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, Mexico, on the Mexican side of the International Bridge between the United States and Mexico; and

WHEREAS, PFC Manuel Perez Jr. along with Edward (Butch) O'Hare and Frank T. Witek, were the only Medal of Honor recipients from Chicago to be killed in action during World War II in the Pacific Theater and on June 22, 1946; and

WHEREAS, PFC Manuel Perez Jr.'s childhood friends, now veterans themselves, with the assistance of Father Patrick McPolin of Saint Francis of Assisi Church in Chicago, formed the American Legion, Manuel Perez Jr. Post 1017; and

WHEREAS, The United States Department of the Army dedicated the Manuel Perez Jr. Army Reserve Center, 221st Army Reserve Hospital in Oklahoma in his honor; in 1980, the City of Chicago dedicated the Manuel Perez Jr. Memorial Plaza at Kolin and 26th Streets in Little Village; in 1990, a veterans task force designated a newly constructed school as the Manuel Perez Jr. Elementary School, where Medal of Honor recipients Roy Benavidez and Al Lynch were joint keynote speakers at the dedication; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we designate the date of March 14, 2013 as Manuel Perez Jr. Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Manuel Perez Jr. as a symbol of our great respect and esteem.

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

Senator Mulroe, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Health, to which was referred **Senate Bill No. 1191**, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass.

Under the rules, the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senator Frerichs, Chairperson of the Committee on Higher Education, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 1688 and 1763**, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

Under the rules, the bills were ordered to a second reading.

Senator Koehler, Chairperson of the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 1589**, **1620 and 1715**, reported the same back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

Under the rules, the bills were ordered to a second reading.

Senator Koehler, Chairperson of the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 1329 and 1538**, reported the same back with amendments having been adopted thereto, with the recommendation that the bills, as amended, do pass.

Under the rules, the bills were ordered to a second reading.

Senator Koehler, Chairperson of the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation, to which was referred the following Senate floor amendment, reported that the Committee recommends do adopt:

Senate Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1470

Under the rules, the foregoing floor amendment is eligible for consideration on second reading.

Senator Koehler, Chairperson of the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation, to which was referred **Senate Resolution No. 83**, reported the same back with the recommendation that the resolution be adopted.

Under the rules, **Senate Resolution No. 83** was placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Senator Delgado, Chairperson of the Committee on Education, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 1703, 1845 and 1880,** reported the same back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

Under the rules, the bills were ordered to a second reading.

Senator Hunter, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 1567, 1599 and 1600,** reported the same back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

Under the rules, the bills were ordered to a second reading.

Senator Raoul, Chairperson of the Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **Senate Bill No. 1846**, reported the same back with amendments having been adopted thereto, with the recommendation that the bill, as amended, do pass.

Under the rules, the bill was ordered to a second reading.

Senator Sandoval, Chairperson of the Committee on Transportation, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 1383, 1439, 1757 and 1784,** reported the same back with the recommendation that the bills do pass.

Under the rules, the bills were ordered to a second reading.

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 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. 17

WHEREAS, Under subsection (b) of Section 2 of Article VIII of the Illinois Constitution, appropriations for a fiscal year shall not exceed funds estimated by the General Assembly to be available during that year; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that the House of Representatives estimates the general funds to be available during State fiscal year 2014 as follows:

Revenue Sources	House Estimate
State Taxes	
Personal Income Tax (net of refunds)	\$15,986
Corporate Income Tax (net of refunds)	\$2,916
Sales Tax	\$7,348
Public Utility (regular)	\$1,032
Cigarette Tax	\$355
Liquor Gallonage Taxes	\$165
Vehicle Use Tax	\$27
Inheritance Tax (gross)	\$210
Insurance Taxes & Fees	\$350
Corporate Franchise Tax & Fees	\$203
Interest on State Funds & Investments	\$20
Cook County Intergovernmental Transfer	\$244
Other Sources	<u>\$410</u>
Subtotal	\$29,266
Transfers	
Lottery	\$669
Riverboat transfers and receipts	\$366
Other	<u>\$780</u>
Total State Sources	\$31,081
Federal Sources	\$4,000
Total Federal & State Sources	\$35,081

Adopted by the House, March 5, 2013.

TIMOTHY D. MAPES, Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives reporting House Joint Resolution No. 17 was referred to the Committee on Assignments.

READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A FIRST TIME

House Bill No. 1002, sponsored by Senator Delgado, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1191, sponsored by Senator Delgado, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

House Bill No. 1327, sponsored by Senator Delgado, was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

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:

Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1674 Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1825 Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2197 Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2342 Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2384

At the hour of 5:41 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Wednesday, March 6, 2013, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.