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**Perfunctory Session**

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**2:08 O'CLOCK P.M.**

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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.  
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:

2014 State Hispanic Employment Plan/Survey, submitted by the Office of the Secretary of State.

2014 State African-American Employment Plan/Survey, submitted by the Office of the Secretary of State.

2014 State Asian American Employment Plan/Survey, submitted by the Office of the Secretary of State.

Psychiatry Practice Incentive Program Annual Report March 2014, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

Personal Information Protection Act Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

Report on the Financial Condition of the Illinois Municipal, Chicago and Cook County Pension Funds of Illinois, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

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

**MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

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

JOHN J. CULLERTON  
SENATE PRESIDENT

327 STATE CAPITOL  
SPRINGFIELD, IL 62706  
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February 11, 2013

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-5(c), I hereby appoint Senator Don Harmon to temporarily replace Senator James Clayborne as chairman of the Senate Committee on Assignments. In addition, I hereby appoint Senator Iris Martinez to temporarily replace Senator Don Harmon and Senator Mattie Hunter to temporarily replace Senator Kimberly Lightford as members of the Senate Committee on Assignments. These appointments will expire upon adjournment of the Senate Committee on Assignments.

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

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno

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**COMMUNICATION FROM THE MINORITY LEADER**

**CHRISTINE RADOGNO**  
SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER · 41st DISTRICT

February 11, 2013

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Rule 3-2 (c), I am hereby appointing Senator Matt Murphy to replace Senator Pamela Althoff to serve as Minority Spokesperson of the Senate Committee on Assignments. This appointment is effective immediately and shall automatically upon adjournment of the Senate Committee on Assignments.

Sincerely,  
s/Christine Radogno  
Christine Radogno  
Senate Republican Leader

cc: Senate President John Cullerton  
Assistant Secretary of the Senate Scott Kaiser

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 907**

Offered by Senator Kotowski and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Barbara Ann “Bobbie” (nee Trainor) McNabola.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 908**

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Patricia Ann (nee Robinson) Irons of Decatur.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 909**

Offered by Senator Oberweis and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of James “Bill” Wyllie of Aurora.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 910**

Offered by Senator Jacobs and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Robert L. Myers of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 911**

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Darlene Robinson of Alton.

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

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

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 912**

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WHEREAS, A reliable and affordable energy supply is vital to Illinois's economic growth, jobs, and the overall interests of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Illinois supports an all-the-above energy strategy because it is in the best interest of Illinois and the nation; and

WHEREAS, The United States has abundant supplies of coal that provides economic and energy security benefits; and

WHEREAS, Coal provides affordable and reliable electricity to the citizens of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Carbon regulations for existing coal-fueled power plants could threaten the affordability and reliability of Illinois's electricity supplies and risk substantial job losses through the premature closure of power plants that have just invested in pollution controls to meet the United States Environmental Protection Agency's recent mercury regulations; and

WHEREAS, Carbon dioxide emissions for United States' coal-fueled power plants represent only 3% of global anthropogenic greenhouse gas emissions; and

WHEREAS, The United States Energy Information Administration projects that U.S. electric sector carbon dioxide emissions will be 14% below 2005 levels in 2020 and that carbon dioxide emissions from U.S. coal-fueled power plants will be 19% below 2005 levels in 2020; and

WHEREAS, On June 25, 2013 the President directed the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency to issue standards, regulations, or guidelines to address carbon dioxide emissions from new, existing, modified, and reconstructed fossil-fueled power plants; and

WHEREAS, The President expressly recognized that states "will play a central role in establishing and implementing carbon standards for existing power plants"; and

WHEREAS, The Clean Air Act requires the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a procedure under which each state shall develop a plan for establishing and implementing standards of performance for existing sources within the state; and

WHEREAS, The Clean Air Act expressly allows states, in developing and applying such standards of performance, "to take into consideration, among other factors, the remaining useful life of the existing source to which such standard applies"; and

WHEREAS, The Environmental Protection Agency's existing regulations provide that states may adopt "less stringent emissions standards or longer compliance schedules" than EPA's guidelines based on factors such as "unreasonable cost of control", "physical impossibility of installing necessary control equipment" or other factors that make less stringent standards or longer compliance times "significantly more reasonable"; and

WHEREAS, It is in the best interest of electricity consumers in Illinois to continue to benefit from reliable, affordable electricity provided by coal-based electricity generating plants; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that urges we urge the United States Environmental Protection Agency, in developing guidelines for regulating carbon dioxide emissions from existing power plants, to respect the primacy of Illinois and other states and to rely on state regulators to develop performance standards for carbon dioxide emissions that take into account the unique policies, energy needs, resource mix, and economic priorities of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Environmental Protection Agency should issue guidelines and approve state-established performance standards that are based on reductions of carbon dioxide emissions achievable by measures undertaken at fossil-fueled power plants; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That the Environmental Protection Agency should allow Illinois and other states to set less stringent performance standards or longer compliance schedules for power plants within their jurisdiction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That Illinois and other states should be given maximum flexibility by the Environmental Protection Agency to implement carbon dioxide performance standards for fossil-fueled power plants within their jurisdiction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Illinois Congressional delegation, the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency Gina McCarthy, and Illinois Governor Pat Quinn.

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

### **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 54**

WHEREAS, Use of the most efficient and environmentally friendly means of transportation lends to economic growth and positions the State of Illinois to successfully compete in a global marketplace; and

WHEREAS, Practical, science-based solutions that preserve waterborne commerce between the Great Lakes and the Mississippi River system is critical to our State; and

WHEREAS, The United States saves an estimated \$200 million in air pollution abatements by moving bulk commodities by barge on the Upper Mississippi River System; and

WHEREAS, Commodity transportation diversions away from these river systems can increase delays at railroad crossings, amplify congestion on highways, and deteriorate State roadways; and

WHEREAS, Opening the expanded locks in the Panama Canal by 2016 will dramatically affect the United States and global trade patterns; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois is one of our nation's key agricultural states; one acre of corn can produce enough kilocalories to feed 10 people for an entire year and our Upper Mississippi and Illinois River levees protect over 750,000 acres of prime farm land; and

WHEREAS, Sixty percent of the grain exported from the United States travels part of its journey by barge on inland waterways; trade growth on the Mississippi River is projected to increase by 40% over the next 20 years; and

WHEREAS, One 15-barge tow can move 787,500 bushels of grain, equal to 870 semi-trailer loads or two 100-unit trains, barges can also accommodate product that is too heavy or too large to be handled by other modes of transport; and

WHEREAS, The State of Illinois encompasses more miles of rivers and levee systems than any other state; in its Comprehensive Plan, the Illinois Department of Transportation has recognized the importance of barge transportation on inland waterways as a critical part of the Illinois freight transportation system; and

WHEREAS, The Governor has recognized the importance of Illinois' waterways as a critical part of the freight transportation system by the formation of a multi-department Illinois Interagency Port Working Group; and

WHEREAS, The majority of levees along the Upper Mississippi and Illinois River are classified as federal levees with operation and maintenance provided by the local drainage and levee district sponsors

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as political subdivisions of the State; these levees provide the sideboard for our navigation channel that helps create our waterway system; and

WHEREAS, The federal levees in this State are seeing changes to both safety and performance standards under the discretion of the United States Army Corps of Engineers' new Levee Safety Classification, which is causing increased costs to the local sponsors; and

WHEREAS, Illinois levees along the Upper Mississippi and Illinois River protect many acres of prime farmland, 13 Illinois river ports, 18 Mississippi river ports, 139 miles of United States Highways and Interstates, 770 miles of railroads, 7,300 acres of State Conservation Areas, 4,100 acres of State Parks, and 4,000 acres of State Fish and Wildlife areas; and

WHEREAS, According to the Upper Mississippi River Comprehensive Plan, the United States Army Corps of Engineers, and a Tennessee Valley Authority study, improving our flood control system in Illinois can return 5 dollars for every one dollar invested in Regional Economic Development; and

WHEREAS, Effective flood control infrastructure and management are critical to commercial navigation on these inland waterways; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we support the United States Department of Transportation's designation of the M-35 from St. Louis, Missouri to St. Paul, Minnesota and the M-55 from Chicago via St. Louis, Missouri to New Orleans, Louisiana as Marine Highway Corridors; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage support for the local drainage sponsors and the United States Army Corps of Engineers' Upper Mississippi River Comprehensive Plan, as approved by the Mississippi River Commission, for systemic flood control planning and implementation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we support the streamlining of the State Levee Permitting process to encourage and facilitate both flood control and navigation improvements to Illinois levee systems.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

**SENATE BILL NO. 3134.** Introduced by Senator Delgado, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government, which may be known as Leslie's Law.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3135.** Introduced by Senator Muñoz, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3136.** Introduced by Senator McCarter, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3137.** Introduced by Senator E. Jones III, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3138.** Introduced by Senator Rezin, a bill for AN ACT concerning animals. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3139.** Introduced by Senator McCann, a bill for AN ACT concerning transportation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3140.** Introduced by Senator McCarter, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3141.** Introduced by Senator McCarter, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3142.** Introduced by Senator McCarter, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3143.** Introduced by Senator McCarter, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3144.** Introduced by Senator Syverson, a bill for AN ACT concerning gaming.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3145.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning children.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3146.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning children.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3147.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3148.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT in relation to public employee benefits.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3149.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning public health.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3150.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning aging.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3151.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3152.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3153.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning children. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3154.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3155.** Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3156.** Introduced by Senator Collins, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3157.** Introduced by Senator Koehler, a bill for AN ACT concerning public health.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3158.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3159.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3160.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 3161.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3162.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3163.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3164.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3165.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning health. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3166.** Introduced by Senator Delgado, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3167.** Introduced by Senator Haine, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3168.** Introduced by Senator Haine, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3169.** Introduced by Senator Haine, a bill for AN ACT concerning business. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 3170.** Introduced by Senator Silverstein, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3171.** Introduced by Senator Trotter, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3172.** Introduced by Senator Trotter, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3173.** Introduced by Senator Trotter, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 3175.** Introduced by Senator Trotter, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3176.** Introduced by Senator Trotter, a bill for AN ACT concerning safety.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3177.** Introduced by Senator Murphy, a bill for AN ACT concerning police reports.

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

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**SENATE BILL NO. 3178.** Introduced by Senator Harmon, a bill for AN ACT concerning elections.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3179.** Introduced by Senator Harmon, a bill for AN ACT concerning business.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3180.** Introduced by Senator Delgado, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3181.** Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3182.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning military service.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3183.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

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

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

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3188.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3189.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3190.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3191.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3192.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3193.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3194.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3195.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3196.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3197.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3198.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3199.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning agriculture.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3200.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT concerning agriculture.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3201.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT making appropriations.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3202.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT making appropriations.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3203.** Introduced by Senator Kotowski, a bill for AN ACT making appropriations.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3204.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning finance.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3205.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning finance.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3206.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3207.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning finance.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3208.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning finance.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3209.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3210.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3211.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3212.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, 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.

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**SENATE BILL NO. 3213.** Introduced by Senator Radogno, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3214.** Introduced by Senator Syverson, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3215.** Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3216.** Introduced by Senator Lightford, a bill for AN ACT concerning public aid.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3217.** Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning children.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3218.** Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning children.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3219.** Introduced by Senator Jacobs, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3220.** Introduced by Senator Noland, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3221.** Introduced by Senator Link, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3222.** Introduced by Senator Manar, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3223.** Introduced by Senator Manar, a bill for AN ACT concerning children.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3224.** Introduced by Senator Hutchinson, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3225.** Introduced by Senator Morrison, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3226.** Introduced by Senator Haine, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3227.** Introduced by Senator Haine, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3228.** Introduced by Senator Haine, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3229.** Introduced by Senator Harmon, a bill for AN ACT concerning handgun regulation.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3230.** Introduced by Senator Silverstein, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3231.** Introduced by Senator Silverstein, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3232.** Introduced by Senator McConnaughay, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

**SENATE BILL NO. 3233.** Introduced by Senator Landek, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

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

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 11, 2014 meeting, reported the following Senate Bills have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture and Conservation: **Senate Bill No. 2903.**

Criminal Law: **Senate Bills Numbered 2694, 2695, 2709, 2771, 2783, 2786, 2798, 2800, 2801, 2806, 2808, 2852 and 2912.**

Education: **Senate Bills Numbered 2710, 2711, 2760, 2775, 2793 and 2870.**

Environment: **Senate Bills Numbered 2770 and 2780.**

Executive: **Senate Bills Numbered 2722, 2761, 2777, 2788, 2797, 2805, 2834, 2838, 2901, 2902 and 2926.**

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Higher Education: **Senate Bills Numbered 2699, 2728, 2729 and 2846.**

Human Services: **Senate Bills Numbered 2692, 2735, 2773, 2815, 2866, 2909 and 2929.**

Insurance: **Senate Bills Numbered 2869 and 2922.**

Judiciary: **Senate Bills Numbered 2686, 2730, 2782, 2785, 2791, 2829, 2892 and 2904.**

Labor and Commerce: **Senate Bill No. 2789.**

Licensed Activities and Pensions: **Senate Bills Numbered 2736, 2774, 2809, 2811, 2835, 2847, 2849 and 2933.**

Local Government: **Senate Bills Numbered 2721, 2814 and 2841.**

Public Health: **Senate Bills Numbered 2763, 2915 and 2928.**

Revenue: **Senate Bills Numbered 2685, 2690, 2698, 2772, 2778, 2833, 2837, 2848, 2854, 2865 and 2905, 2927.**

Special Committee on Watercraft Safety: **Senate Bills Numbered 2665, 2731 and 2733.**

State Government and Veterans Affairs: **Senate Bills Numbered 2769, 2776, 2799, 2803, 2839, 2863, 2931 and 2934.**

Transportation: **Senate Bills Numbered 2598, 2802, 2900, 2930 and 2932.**

Transportation: **Senate Joint Resolution No. 50.**

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 11, 2014 meeting, reported the following Appointment Messages have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committee of the Senate:

Executive Appointments: **Appointment Messages Numbered 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 445, 447, 448, 451, 494, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572 and 573.**

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 11, 2014 meeting, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 215, 343, 498, 499 and 583** on April 16, 2013, pursuant to Rule 3-9(b), reported that the Committee recommends that the bills be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in their former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And **Senate Bills Numbered 215, 343, 498, 499 and 583** were returned to the order of third reading.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILL

**SENATE BILL NO. 3234.** Introduced by Senator Biss, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

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

At the hour of 2:24 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **House Joint Resolution No. 70**, the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Tuesday, February 18, 2014, at 12:00 o'clock noon, or until the call of the President.

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