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76TH LEGISLATIVE DAY

Perfunctory Session

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1:31 O'CLOCK P.M.

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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:

Annual Lead Poisoning Report pursuant to 410 ILCS 45/12.1, submitted by the Kane County State's Attorney.

2015 Collection Statistics for the Attorney General's Office for cases referred by other agencies for collection, submitted by the Office of the Attorney General.

Fiscal Year 2015 Intergovernmental Law Enforcement Officers In-Service Training Act – Mobile Team Unit Operations, submitted by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board.

2015 Report on Surplus Property Conveyances/Transfers and New Installment/Lease Purchases, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

2015 African-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Office of the Treasurer.

2015 Asian-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Office of the Treasurer.

2015 Hispanic Employment Plan, submitted by the Office of the Treasurer.

2016 African-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

2016 Asian-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

2016 Hispanic Employment Plan, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

City of Chicago School District Block Grant Data (2014-15), submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

2015 African-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

2015 Asian-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

2015 Hispanic Employment Plan, submitted by the Illinois Board of Higher Education.

E-Waste Program Review, submitted by the Illinois Environment Protection Agency.

The Autism Progress Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

2016 African-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

2016 Asian-American Employment Plan, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

2016 Hispanic Employment Plan, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

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

LEGISLATIVE MEASURES FILED

[February 3, 2016]

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

Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2235
Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 2244

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

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

JOHN J. CULLERTON
SENATE PRESIDENT

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

February 1, 2016

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am canceling Session scheduled Thursday, February 22, 2016. Session will reconvene at 12:00pm on Tuesday, February 16, 2016.

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

cc: Senate Minority Leader Christine Radogno
Democrat Caucus Members
Tim Mapes

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STATE OF ILLINOIS**

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SENATE PRESIDENT

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February 3, 2016

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 February 3, 2016.

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

[February 3, 2016]

cc: Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno

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February 3, 2016

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to 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 Donne Trotter to temporarily replace Senator James Clayborne as a member 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 Republican Leader Christine Radogno

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

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

BRUCE RAUNER
GOVERNOR

January 29, 2016

To the Honorable
Members of the Senate
Ninety-Ninth General Assembly

Mr. President,

On November 10, 2015, appointment message 990359 nominating Kris Smith to be Director of the Illinois Department on Aging was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that, the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 4:00 PM on Friday, January 29, 2016.

Sincerely,

[February 3, 2016]

s/Bruce Rauner
Governor

cc: The Honorable Jesse White, Secretary of State

COMMUNICATION

Senator John Sullivan
Assistant Majority Leader
Illinois State Senate · 47th District

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		·Transportation

January 29, 2016

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

Dear Mr. Secretary:

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

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
s/John Sullivan
John Sullivan
State Senator

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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January 29, 2016

Mr. Tim Anderson
Secretary of the Senate
Room 403 State House
Springfield, IL 62706
[February 3, 2016]

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-5(c), please be advised that I have appointed Senator Gary Forby to replace Senator John Sullivan as a member of the Senate Committee on Insurance.

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

cc: Comptroller Leslie Geissler Munger
Senate Republican Leader Christine Radogno
Secretary of State-Index Division
Legislative Research Unit
Legislative Reference Bureau

PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1480

Offered by Senator McConnaughay and all Senators:
Mourns the death of George W. Fitzmaurice.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1481

Offered by Senators McConnaughay - Duffy and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Darlene F. Sass of Barrington.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1482

Offered by Senator McConnaughay and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Werner Ellmann of Geneva.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1483

Offered by Senator Haine and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Eleanor A. Colombara of Collinsville.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1484

Offered by Senator Collins and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Kathleen Steverson "Kathy" Cowan.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1485

Offered by Senator Sullivan and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Doris Arline Edwards of Macomb.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1486

Offered by Senator Sullivan and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Elizabeth Ann "Liz" Dechow of Abingdon.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1487

Offered by Senator T. Cullerton and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Theresa Maria Marks "Teet" Lee.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1488

Offered by Senator Manar and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Lyndal L. Herschelman of Carlinville.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1489

Offered by Senator Murphy and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Debra Sue Johnson of Springfield.

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SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1490

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:
Mourns the death of Elizabeth Marie “Betty” Smith of Canton.

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

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

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1491

WHEREAS, The inability to utilize driving privileges is a hindrance to a person's ability to seek employment; and

WHEREAS, Illinois residents are already offered payment plans on court fines and fees related to a traffic offense; and

WHEREAS, Illinois driver's license reinstatement fees are currently not permitted to be paid off in smaller increments; and

WHEREAS, Illinois continuously studies other states processes to ensure we are serving our constituents in the best possible ways; South Carolina, Ohio, and Tennessee offer payment plans for driver's license reinstatement fees; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we request the Illinois Secretary of State to conduct a study concerning the need and feasibility of a driver's license reinstatement fee payment program with the goal of allowing individuals who only have reinstatement fees preventing them from receiving their driver's licenses being allowed to pay a down payment and pay a monthly percentage until the fees are fully paid; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State study similar programs in South Carolina, Ohio, and Tennessee as possible structures for a program in Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we request a report on the study be submitted to the Chairs of the Illinois Senate Transportation Committee and the Illinois House of Representatives Transportation: Vehicles & Safety Committee by December 31, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be delivered to the Illinois Secretary of State and the Chairs of the Illinois Senate Transportation Committee and the Illinois House of Representatives Transportation: Vehicles & Safety Committee.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

SENATE BILL NO. 2371. Introduced by Senator Rezin, 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. 2372. Introduced by Senator Bennett, 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. 2373. Introduced by Senator Bennett, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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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. 2374. Introduced by Senator Bennett, 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. 2375. Introduced by Senator Bennett, 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. 2376. Introduced by Senator Steans, 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. 2377. Introduced by Senator Martinez, 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. 2378. Introduced by Senator Haine, 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. 2379. 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. 2380. Introduced by Senator Lightford, 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. 2381. Introduced by Senator E. Jones III, 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. 2382. Introduced by Senator Barickman, 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. 2383. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, 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. 2384. Introduced by Senator Stadelman, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2385. Introduced by Senator Harris, 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. 2386. 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. 2387. 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. 2388. Introduced by Senator Hunter, 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. 2389. Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2390. 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. 2391. Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning conservation.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2392. Introduced by Senator Hunter, a bill for AN ACT concerning law enforcement.

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2393. Introduced by Senator Harmon, 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. 2394. Introduced by Senator Clayborne, 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. 2395. Introduced by Senator Clayborne, 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. 2396. Introduced by Senator Mulroe, 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. 2397. Introduced by Senator Collins, a bill for AN ACT concerning the lottery.

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. 2398. Introduced by Senator Biss, 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. 2399. Introduced by Senator Martinez, 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. 2400. Introduced by Senator Althoff, 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. 2401. Introduced by Senator Rose, 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. 2402. Introduced by Senator Rose, 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. 2403. Introduced by Senator Rose, 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. 2404. Introduced by Senator Rose, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

SENATE BILL NO. 2405. Introduced by Senator Rose, 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. 2406. Introduced by Senator Hutchinson, 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. 2407. 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. 2408. Introduced by Senators Rose - Righter - Rezin, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

SENATE BILL NO. 2409. 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. 2410. Introduced by Senator Anderson, a bill for AN ACT concerning wildlife. The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

SENATE BILL NO. 2411. Introduced by Senator Weaver, 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. 2412. Introduced by Senator Althoff, 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. 2413. Introduced by Senator Oberweis, 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. 2414. Introduced by Senator Nybo, 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.

APPOINTMENT MESSAGES

Appointment Message No. 990405

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

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

Title of Office: Member and Chair

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Gaming Board

Start Date: January 25, 2016

End Date: June 30, 2016

Name: Donald Tracy

Residence: 1429 E. Lake Shore Dr., Springfield, IL 62712

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Andy Manar

Most Recent Holder of Office: Aaron Jaffe

Superseded Appointment Message: Appointment Message 404 of the 99th General Assembly

Appointment Message No. 990406

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

[February 3, 2016]

We, the Executive Ethics Commission, are 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: Chief Procurement Officer for procurements committed by law to the jurisdiction or responsibility of the Capital Development Board

Agency or Other Body: Not Applicable

Start Date: February 1, 2016

End Date: June 30, 2020

Name: Margaret L. van Dijk

Residence: 2845 Leach Rd., Rochester, IL 62563

Annual Compensation: \$100,000

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator William E. Brady

Most Recent Holder of Office: Lorri L. Lawton

Superseded Appointment Message: Appointment Message 231 of the 99th General Assembly

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

At the hour of 1:39 o'clock p.m., the Chair announced that the Senate stand at ease.

AT EASE

At the hour of 1:58 o'clock p.m., perfunctory session resumed.

REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, during its February 3, 2016 meeting, reported the following Bills have been assigned to the indicated Standing Committees of the Senate:

Agriculture: **Senate Bill No. 2342.**

Appropriations I: **Senate Bill No. 2273.**

Commerce and Economic Development: **Senate Bill No. 2143.**

Criminal Law: **Senate Bills Numbered 2201, 2294, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347 and 2370.**

Education: **Senate Bill No. 2274.**

Energy and Public Utilities: **Senate Bill No. 2283.**

Executive: **Senate Bills Numbered 2135, 2216 and 2339.**

Higher Education: **Senate Bills Numbered 2279 and 2356.**

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Human Services: **Senate Bills Numbered 2321 and 2340.**

Insurance: **Senate Bills Numbered 2314, 2355 and 2363.**

Judiciary: **Senate Bills Numbered 2164, 2310, 2333, 2334, 2343 and 2361.**

Licensed Activities and Pensions: **Senate Bills Numbered 2362 and 2369.**

Local Government: **Senate Bill No. 2270.**

Revenue: **Senate Bills Numbered 2319, 2322 and 2341.**

State Government and Veterans Affairs: **Senate Bills Numbered 2268, 2271, 2303 and 2368.**

At the hour of 2:00 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **House Joint Resolution No. 118**, the Chair announced the Senate stand adjourned until Wednesday, February 10, 2016, at 12:00 o'clock noon, or until the call of the President.