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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

The regular Session of the 97th General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks? And will the guests in the galleries please rise? The invocation today will be given by Pastor Mike Dye, Knox Knolls Free Methodist Church, Springfield, Illinois. Pastor.

PASTOR MICHAEL DYE:

(Prayer by Pastor Michael Dye)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Please remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance. Senator Jacobs.

SENATOR JACOBS:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Jacobs)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Mr. Secretary, Reading and Approval of the Journal.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Journal of Tuesday, April 17th, 2012.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Senator Maloney.

SENATOR MALONEY:

Madam President, I move to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal just read by the Secretary, pending arrival of the printed transcript.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Senator Maloney moves to postpone the reading and the approval of the Journal, pending arrival of the printed transcripts. There being no objection, so ordered. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

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Senate Resolution 707, offered by Senator Koehler and all Members.

Senate Resolution 708, offered by Senator Bomke and all Members.

Senate Resolution 709, offered by Senator Haine and all Members.

Senate Resolution 710, offered by Senator Schmidt and all Members.

Senate Resolution 711, offered by Senator Althoff and all Members.

Senate Resolution 712, offered by Senator Koehler and all Members.

Senate Resolution 713, offered by Senator Hunter and all Members.

They are all death resolutions, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Mr. Secretary, Resolutions Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 714, offered by Senator Raoul.

It is substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

...Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Frerichs, Chairperson of the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation, reports House Bills 3888, 4447, 4697, 5145, 5353, 5539, 5540 and 5893 Do Pass; House Bill 404 Do Pass, as Amended; and Senate Resolution 659 Be Adopted.

Senator Silverstein, Chairperson of the Committee on Judiciary, reports House Bills 3887, 3950, 3960, 4663, 4749,

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5062, 5190, 5314 and 5922 Do Pass.

Senator Lightford, Vice-Chairperson of the Committee on Education, reports House Bills 3819, 4043, 4993 Do Pass; and House Bill 4029 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Sandoval, Chairperson of the Committee on Transportation, reports House Bills 4022, 4078, 4440, 4444, 4468, 4691, 4862, 5056, 5101 Do Pass; House Bill 4598 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Joint Resolution 63 Be Adopted.

Senator Noland, Chairperson of the Committee on Criminal Law, reports House Bills 4013, 4063, 4523, 4926, 4937, 5098, 5121, 5122, 5187, 5441, 5749 Do Pass; and House Bill 5330 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Garrett, Chairperson of the Committee on Environment, reports House Bill 5642 Do Pass.

Senator Koehler, Chairperson of the Committee on Local Government, reports House Bills 4514, 4562, 5236, 5319, 5635, 5899 Do Pass.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Mr. Secretary, House Bills 1st Reading.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 3779, offered by Senator Clayborne.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 4995, offered by Senator Holmes.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 5505, offered by Senator Martinez.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 5586, offered by Senator Raoul.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of these House bills.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Senator Cultra, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CULTRA:

Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR CULTRA:

I have a couple of ISU interns with me today: Ashley Souk, actually lives in Champaign, and Nate Byrne. And I'd like you to welcome them to Springfield.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Welcome to the Senate Floor. Senator Harmon, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you -- thank you, Madam President. I, too, have an introduction.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your introduction. Introduce.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Madam President. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I have a special guest on the Floor with me, an old friend, a Commissioner of the Cook County Board of Review, Mike Cabonargi. Please join me in welcoming him to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Welcome to the Senate. Senator Pankau, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR PANKAU:

Thank you, Madam President. Senator Schmidt is not here today. She is out on family business.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Record will so reflect. Thank you. Senator Sullivan, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

Thank you, Madam President. A point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

Thank you. Ladies and Gentlemen, I have some guests here today. They're actually up in the gallery, above me here. We have a -- have a group of students from West Prairie High School, the SADD organization. SADD stands for Students Against Destructive Decisions. And I'd like to introduce them. And as I call your name, if you would, please stand. Meren Anderson, Miranda Hawn, Adam Kerns, Ashley Smith, Carley Foxall, Lacey Day, and their teacher advisor is Angela Salyers. They are here today. I'd like everybody to welcome them. They've been around the Capitol talking about the destructive -- some of the decisions young -- young people make and how those decisions are obviously not healthy, and they're trying to change a trend in their high school. So I'd like everybody to welcome them here today to the Illinois Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Welcome to the Senate. Senator Sandack, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SANDACK:

Good afternoon, Madam President. For a point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

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State your point.

SENATOR SANDACK:

Thank you. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I have a Page for the Day, from Darien, Illinois, Angela -- Calabria, excuse me. Angela is from Darien. She's in the eighth grade. She is an equestrian extraordinaire. She also enjoys social studies. She doesn't like math so much, although she's an excellent student. Her dad is the CFO of a local company, so obviously she has to know math. She has two sisters. She likes the theater, speech. She's going to go to Nazareth Academy next year. She is a fine representative of a fine community in Darien. Her mother, Mary Ann, is up there. Would you please welcome Angela and Mary Ann, please, to the Senate?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Will our guests in the gallery please rise? And welcome to the Senate. Will the Members of the Senate please come to the Senate Floor? Jeff Freeman, with WLS-TV Chicago, requests permission to videotape the Session. There being no objection, so granted. Senator Jones, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR E. JONES:

Thank you, Madam President. Personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR E. JONES:

According to the CDT {sic} (CDC), autism affects one in eighty-eight children in the United States, a seventy-eight percent increase from the year 2000. That means that nearly everyone you know most likely knows someone who is affected with autism or has been diagnosed or living with autism disorder.

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Although these -- although these statistics are quite alarming, not all cases have a bleak outcome. Today I have with me Laura Pedro, a family friend and my executive assistant in my district office, who has worked in my office for the past thirteen years, along with her son Geordon, who has autism. Geordon's story is quite amazing. He gives us all hope in the fight to better understand the mystery of autism and the importance of early intervention. Geordon Isaiah White was born in Washington, D.C., on April 21st, 1995. When he was almost two years old, his grandfather, Dr. Donald Pedro, recognized something was different due to his lack of eye contact and verbal communication. After many tests and evaluations, Geordon was diagnosed with persuasive {sic} (pervasive) developmental disorder, and eventually, autism. Due to the importance of early intervention, he has participated in the zero to three program provided by the Chicago Easter Seals and Blue Cap in Blue Island, Illinois, which is located in my district. He's -- he has -- he has been in the Chicago Public School System since the age of three. He now attends the Chicago International Charter School-Ralph Ellison Campus on the South Side of Chicago. He is a junior and will be seventeen this Saturday, and has a grade point average of 3.5 out of a 4 point scale. He was recently inducted into the National Honor Society this past Friday, and I couldn't be more proud of him for that accomplishment. In addition to -- Geordon is a member of the Upward Bound Program and is looking forward to attending a college of his choice next year. He is a wonderful son, grandson, brother, and a friend to many. Please give a warm Senate welcome to Geordon and his mother, Laura, who's -- this

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is Geordon's first time down to Springfield. So, please stand, Geordon, and be recognized. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Welcome to Springfield. And, Geordon, congratulations on doing so well. ...McCann, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR McCANN:

For a point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR McCANN:

I have here with me, as well, a guest today -- or several guests. I have Marybeth Lauderdale, Superintendent of your Illinois School for the Deaf in Jacksonville. She's joined by Carolyn Eilering and six members of the student government, including its president, and two of their advisors have joined them as well. Marybeth Lauderdale is also Superintendent of your Illinois School for the Visually Impaired, and I was privileged to have them here earlier and take some photos on the Floor. And they join us here in the President's Gallery on the Republican side. And let's give them a warm Springfield welcome, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Will our guests in the galleries please rise? Welcome to Springfield. Senator Sullivan, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

Thank you, Madam President. A point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

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Thank you. Ladies and Gentlemen, I have some other guests here today. Actually, we all have some guests here today because these young people are from across the State of Illinois, and we have members of the Illinois 4-H Legislative Connection. They're actually behind the President up in the -- up in the gallery, behind Madam President there. Twenty-two 4-H members from the Illinois 4-H Youth Leadership Team and they are -- Speaking for Illinois 4-H program. And they're going to be -- if they haven't -- you haven't already seen 'em around the Capitol, they're going to be visiting your offices throughout the day. They're represented from twelve different counties throughout the State, but they are representing all two hundred thousand plus 4-H participants from all one hundred and two counties from around the State of Illinois. I'd like everybody to welcome them to the Illinois State Senate. They are just an outstanding -- they came up to my office earlier. I spoke to two or three of 'em, and just really outstanding young people who understand what's going on in Springfield here. They're down lobbying for Ag education and other things like that in our budget. But would like everybody to welcome them to the Illinois State Senate here today.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Will our guests in the galleries please rise? Welcome to Springfield. Senator Frerichs, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR FRERICHS:

For a point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR FRERICHS:

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I'd like the Members of the Senate to join me in welcoming some guests who have traveled from a great distance to come here today. We're joined by government officials who are doing a yearlong program at the University of Illinois at Chicago for Master of Public Administration. They come from Ningxia Province in China. How about -- if they could stand up. They're both in the -- in the Senate President's Gallery on both the Republican and the Democratic sides. They're fellow government officials. And just want to ask the Senate to join me in giving a warm Springfield welcome to our guests from Ningxia Province.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Will our guests in the galleries please rise? And welcome to Springfield. Senator Sullivan, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

Thank you, Madam President. Another point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

This is Western Illinois Day here in the State Senate, folks. I have another group that I would like to introduce, up in the gallery, over here to my right. It's students from the -- from Monmouth College. They are here under the guidance of Robin Johnson. Robin, stand up, if you would, please. Robin's the professor there at the college, and every year, at least once or twice a year, he brings a group from his government class -- political science class down to Springfield and they get a change to go around and meet different officials and

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understand what we're doing here. I'd like to introduce the folks. And of -- I hope this list is accurate, Robin. I have - as I mention your name, if you would stand up - Josh Del Valle, Matt Wright, Corey Bishop, Alex Holt, Ashley Reynoso, Mike Fenton, and Andy Drea. These are the folks that are here with us today. I'd like the Illinois Senate to welcome these good folks here to the Illinois Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

We welcome the guests up in the gallery. Senator McGuire, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MCGUIRE:

Madam President, point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR MCGUIRE:

I'm fortunate to have two Pages with me today. On my right is Aleena Albert, who is twelve years old. She attends Herrick School in Downers Grove. Her parents and grandmother are up in the galley {sic}. Her parents are Chris and Yen Albert. Her grandmother, with whom I served on the Joliet Township High School Board for thirteen years, is Arlene Albert. And Aleena's hobbies are swimming, playing the violin, and beekeeping. On my left - and you'll recognize this young man's name - is Frank Walsh. Frank is fourteen -- thirteen years old, attends Elwood School in Elwood, Illinois. His parents are Frank and Mickey. His grandparents are Irene Walsh, who's above us, and your former colleague, State Senator, now Will County Executive, Larry Walsh. Please give them a warm welcome. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

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Welcome to the Senate Floor. And will our galleries in -- will our guests in the galleries rise? And welcome. Senator Maloney, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MALONEY:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR MALONEY:

Thank you. I would like everybody in the Senate to please welcome a group of people who are here advocating on behalf of clean air and lung health, the volunteers. We had a wonderful dinner last night and we were educated very much on a very important issue. And also some student nurses from Rush, who are in the gallery behind me, advocating for those same causes. Please welcome 'em to the Illinois Senate. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Will our guests in the gallery please rise? And welcome to Springfield. Senator Collins, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR J. COLLINS:

Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR J. COLLINS:

Thank you. Ladies and Gentlemen, in the gallery behind me, we also have guests from JPMorgan and Chase {sic} (JPMorgan Chase). As Chair of the Senate Financial Institutions, I'm very proud and honored to recognize them as they sit in the gallery to witness our proceedings today.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

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Will our guests in the galleries please rise, be recognized? And welcome to Springfield. Senator Cultra, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CULTRA:

Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR CULTRA:

Got a couple of friends here from Champaign, Illinois: Norm Stack {sic} (Ron Strack), who is the preacher at the Meadowbrook Community Church, and also, Jim McGuire, who I've known for many years, from Champaign. Give 'em a warm welcome, here visiting in Champaign -- or...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Welcome to Springfield. Senator Mulroe, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President and Members of the Senate. I have a point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

State your point.

SENATOR MULROE:

I'd like to introduce a very special young man that I have today, who's my Page for the Day, Kyle Gordon. Kyle is twelve years old. He attends Edison Regional Gifted School in Chicago. He's in sixth grade. That's in the 10th District. His hobbies and interests are to -- he likes to read. He wants to improve {sic} theatre. He enjoys video games and gymnastics, and his favorite subject is recess. There's one thing that I have to

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tell you that he didn't tell me, though, or I did not write down - I brought him to the Secretary of State's Office and the Secretary of State was not in, but his -- the piano was there, and he -- he's a very talented man. He's -- and he -- he's only been playing piano for about three years, but he did a really great job. And when he grows up, he wants to be an actor/comedian. So he'll fit well in the Senate. So I'd like to -- if everyone can join hands and give him a nice warm welcome. In addition, his -- his father, Gary; his twin brother, Dillon; also, brother Tyler; mom, Ellen, are with us today in the -- the President's Gallery. So please give 'em a warm welcome.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Will our guests in the galleries please rise? And welcome to the Senate Floor. Will the Members please take their seats? We have a guest. If I can have your attention, we have a guest that's going to come out and address us. Please take your seats. Senator Sandoval, could you please take your seat? Senator Maloney. Thank you very much. Senator McGuire, if you could just sit down for a few minutes. Today I'm pleased to introduce to our august Body the Consulate General of the Commonwealth of Australia, Roger Price. The Consul General is relatively new to this post. He was appointed in November of 2011, but has built a distinguished record in public service. He also understands the legislative process. He served in the Australian Parliament in a number of capacities, including as a member and Chair of the Joint Foreign Affairs, Defense and Trade Committee and as a permanent member of the Inter-Parliamentary Union. Mr. Price also served as Parliamentary Secretary to

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Prime Minister Bob Hawke and later as Parliamentary Secretary for Defense. The Australian Consulate General in Chicago supports Australian business in identifying and developing trade and investment opportunities in the important Midwest region of the United States. To that end, it's worth noting that Illinois ranks first in the Midwest as a destination for foreign investment. As it stands, we've already attracted one thousand five hundred and ninety-seven foreign firms with six thousand four hundred and sixteen locations, which employ three hundred and twenty-three thousand three hundred and sixty-two Illinois residents. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, the Consulate General of the Commonwealth of Australia, Roger Price.

AUSTRALIAN CONSULATE GENERAL ROGER PRICE:

(Remarks by Australian Consulate General Roger Price)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Committee Report Correction: The following correction was made on the report from the Senate Committee on Transportation, which reported House Bill 4468 Do Pass and should have reported House Bill 4468 as having been held in committee.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

The Senate will stand at ease for a few minutes to allow the Committee on Assignments to meet. The members of the Committee on Assignments will come to the President's Anteroom immediately. The Senate will stand at ease. (at ease) Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Clayborne, Chairman of the Committee on

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Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Agriculture and Conservation Committee - House Bill 3611; refer to Criminal Law Committee - House Bills 2582 and 3366; refer to Executive Committee - Floor Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 275, Floor Amendment 2 to House Bill 1084, House Bill 3779, Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 4674; refer to Financial Institutions Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 3935; refer to Human Services Committee - House Bill 4609; refer to Insurance Committee - Floor Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 679; refer to Judiciary Committee - House Bill 5016; refer to Licensed Activities Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 5359; refer to Local Government Committee - House Bill 3892; re-refer from Executive Committee to -- Environment Committee - Floor Amendment 4 to Senate Bill 3280; re-refer from Licensed Activities Committee to Assignments Committee - House Bill 4479; re-refer from Local Government Committee to Assignments Committee - House Bill 4545 and 4715; re-refer from Revenue Committee to Assignments Committee - House Bill 5283; re-refer from Transportation Committee to Assignments Committee - House Bill 4468.

Signed, Senator James F. Clayborne, Chairman.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Messages from the House, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

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 -- a joint -- House joint resolution constitutional amendment of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of

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the Senate, to wit:

House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 49.
Offered by President Cullerton, and adopted by the House, April
18th, 2012. Timothy D. Mapes, Clerk of the House. It is
substantive, Mr. -- Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Ladies and Gentlemen, while we're waiting, the following
committees will be meeting to take up committee or Floor
amendments: Executive will meet in Room 212 at 2:22 p.m. today;
Insurance will meet in Room 400 at 4:02 today; and tomorrow
morning at 9 a.m., Environment will be meeting in Room 409.
Senator Lauzen, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR LAUZEN:

Thank you very much, Madam President. Ladies and Gentlemen
of the Senate, if you wouldn't mind, your attention for a
moment. We have several very important guests with us today.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

One minute, please, Senator. Would everybody please take
their seats? Thank you. Senator -- Senator Lauzen.

SENATOR LAUZEN:

Thank you, Madam President. United -- United States Army
Specialist Christopher Patterson, of Aurora, Illinois, passed
away on January 6th, 2012, while proudly serving his country in
Kandahar Province in Afghanistan. We are joined today by Mary,
Bob, his mom and dad, and his Marine Corps brother, Carl. And
they're with us today in the President's Gallery. Christopher
graduated from West Aurora High School, and has -- was
continuing his studies in music education at Valparaiso
University in Indiana. He was a member of the professional

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music fraternity, Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia, and toured with the school's premiere vocal ensemble, the Chorale. Coming from a strong military family, Chris enlisted with the Indiana National Guard and served as a 12B Combat Engineer with the 713th Engineering Company, the Sappers, based out of the Valparaiso Armory. He didn't have to go to fight terrorism, but he bravely chose to. Every account that I've either read or heard about Christopher at the funeral indicated that Christopher had a gentle and conscientious and loyal spirit. He's much loved and admired and respected by his friends. I would ask Mary, Bob, and Carl to stand up, please. And I would ask the Members of the Senate to welcome and thank them for their family's sacrifice for our country.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

To those guests, we are proud and honored to have you on the Senate side today. The Senate will stand in recess to the call of the Chair. After the committee meetings, the Senate will reconvene to receive committee reports. The Senate stands at recess to the call of the Chair.

(SENATE STANDS IN RECESS/SENATE RECONVENES)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

The Senate will come to order. Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Forby, Chairperson of the Committee on Labor, reports House Bills 411, 5212, 5336 Do Pass.

Senator Jones, Chairperson of the Committee on Commerce,

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reports House Bill 4689 Do Pass; and House Bill 5211 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Raoul, Chairperson of the Committee on Pensions and Investments, reports House Bills 4622, 5210 and 5791 Do Pass.

Senator Harmon, Chairperson of the Committee on Executive, reports House Bills 3923, 4568, 4570, 4966, 4991, 5877 Do Pass; House Bills 4674 and 5288 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Resolution 664 Be Adopted; Senate Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 66 Be Adopted; House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 29 Be Adopted, as Amended; Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 275, and Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 735, and Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 1084, recommended Do Adopt.

Senator Martinez, Chairperson of the Committee on Licensed Activities, reports House Bills 4126, 4496, 4520, 4665, 5548, 5752 Do Pass; House Bills 5359 Do Pass, as Amended; and Senate Resolution 610 Be Adopted.

Senator Hutchinson, Chairperson of the Committee on Revenue, reports House Bill 3934 and 5342 Do Pass.

Senator Haine, Chairperson of the Committee on Insurance, reports House Bills 5047 and 5109 Do Pass; Senate -- Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 2885 recommended Do Adopt.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Mr. Secretary, House Bills 1st Reading.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4819, an -- offered by Senator Forby.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 4096, offered by Senator Martinez.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of these House bills.

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On Supplemental Calendar No. 1 is the Order of the Secretary's Desk, Resolutions to amend the Constitution of the State of Illinois. Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 29, offered by Senator Steans.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

Mr. Secretary, having not been read previously, we will now proceed to the 1st Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 29. Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution in full for the first time.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 29.

(Secretary reads HJRCA No. 29, as amended by SA No. 1) 1st Reading in full, as amended, of this House joint resolution constitutional amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR CROTTY)

2nd Reading. There being no further business to come before the Senate, the Senate stands adjourned until the hour of 12:30 p.m. on the 19th day of April, 2012. The Senate stands adjourned.