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House Chamber, Lansing, Tuesday, June 12, 2007.

1:30 p.m.

The House was called to order by the Speaker Pro Tempore.

The roll was called by the Clerk of the House of Representatives, who announced that a quorum was present.

Accavitti—present	Dillon—present	Lahti—present	Pearce—present
Acciavatti—present	Donigan—present	LaJoy—present	Polidori—present
Agema—present	Ebli—present	Law, David—present	Proos—present
Amos—present	Elsenheimer—present	Law, Kathleen—present	Robertson—present
Angerer—present	Emmons—present	LeBlanc—present	Rocca—present
Ball—present	Espinoza—present	Leland—present	Sak—present
Bauer—present	Farrah—present	Lemmons—present	Schuitmaker—present
Bennett—present	Gaffney—present	Lindberg—present	Scott—present
Bieda—present	Garfield—present	Marleau—present	Shaffer—present
Booher—present	Gillard—present	Mayes—present	Sheen—present
Brandenburg—present	Gonzales—present	McDowell—present	Sheltrown—present
Brown—present	Green—present	Meadows—excused	Simpson—present
Byrnes—present	Griffin—present	Meekhof—present	Smith, Alma—present
Byrum—present	Hammel—present	Meisner—present	Smith, Virgil—present
Calley—present	Hammon—present	Melton—present	Spade—present
Casperson—present	Hansen—present	Meltzer—present	Stahl—present
Caswell—present	Hildenbrand—present	Miller—present	Stakoe—present
Caul—present	Hood—present	Moolenaar—present	Steil—present
Cheeks—present	Hoogendyk—present	Moore—present	Tobocman—present
Clack—present	Hopgood—present	Moss—present	Vagnozzi—present
Clemente—present	Horn—present	Nitz—present	Valentine—present
Condino—present	Huizenga—present	Nofs—present	Walker—present
Constan—present	Hune—present	Opsommer—present	Ward—present
Corriveau—present	Jackson—present	Palmer—present	Warren—present
Coulouris—present	Johnson—present	Palsrok—present	Wenke—present
Cushingberry—present	Jones, Rick—present	Pastor—present	Wojno—present
Dean—present	Jones, Robert—present	Pavlov—present	Young—present
DeRoche—excused	Knollenberg—present		

e/d/s = entered during session

Rep. Tim Melton, from the 29th District, offered the following invocation:

“Dear Heavenly Father, I stand before You today as Your humble servant. I ask You for Your guidance as we deliberate the issues that face the state. I also ask that You help guide the members of this body and understand the important responsibility that we have. I also ask You to bless our family members, without them we would not be where we are at today. In Your name we pray, Amen.”

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Rep. Booher moved that Rep. DeRoche be excused from today’s session.  
The motion prevailed.

Rep. Melton moved that Rep. Meadows be excused from today’s session.  
The motion prevailed.

### Second Reading of Bills

#### House Bill No. 4684, entitled

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled “Michigan liquor control code of 1998,” by amending sections 707, 801, 901, 906, 1015, and 1025 (MCL 436.1707, 436.1801, 436.1901, 436.1906, 436.2015, and 436.2025), section 906 as amended by 2000 PA 431 and section 1025 as amended by 2002 PA 725.

The bill was read a second time.

Rep. Accavitti moved that the bill be placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.  
The motion prevailed.

#### House Bill No. 4789, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 81101, 81134, 81136, 81137, 81141, and 81144 (MCL 324.81101, 324.81134, 324.81136, 324.81137, 324.81141, and 324.81144), section 81101 as amended by 2004 PA 587, section 81134 as amended by 2001 PA 12, sections 81136 and 81141 as amended by 1996 PA 175, and sections 81137 and 81144 as added by 1995 PA 58; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-1) previously recommended by the Committee on Judiciary,

The substitute (H-1) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Condino moved to substitute (H-2) the bill.

The motion prevailed and the substitute (H-2) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Scott moved that the bill be placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The motion prevailed.

#### House Bill No. 4794, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 80101, 80171, 80176, 80177, 80178, 80184, 80186, and 80187 (MCL 324.80101, 324.80171, 324.80176, 324.80177, 324.80178, 324.80184, 324.80186, and 324.80187), section 80101 as amended by 2004 PA 547, sections 80171 and 80186 as added by 1995 PA 58, sections 80176, 80177, and 80178 as amended by 2001 PA 12, and sections 80184 and 80187 as amended by 1996 PA 174.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-1) previously recommended by the Committee on Judiciary,

The substitute (H-1) was not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor.

Rep. Condino moved to substitute (H-2) the bill.

The motion prevailed and the substitute (H-2) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Schuitmaker moved that the bill be placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The motion prevailed.

**House Bill No. 4795, entitled**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 82101, 82127, 82128, 82129, 82136, 82139, 82140, 82142, 82143, 82144, 82146, and 82148 (MCL 324.82101, 324.82127, 324.82128, 324.82129, 324.82136, 324.82139, 324.82140, 324.82142, 324.82143, 324.82144, 324.82146, and 324.82148), sections 82101 and 82148 as amended by 2005 PA 175, section 82127 as amended by 2001 PA 12, sections 82128 and 82129 as amended by 1999 PA 22, sections 82136, 82142, and 82146 as added by 1995 PA 58, and sections 82139, 82140, 82143, and 82144 as amended by 1996 PA 183.

The bill was read a second time.

Rep. Condino moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 13, line 14, after “is” by striking out the balance of the subdivision and inserting “**RESPONSIBLE FOR A STATE CIVIL INFRACTION AND MAY BE FINED NOT MORE THAN \$500.00.**”.

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Corriveau moved that the bill be placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The motion prevailed.

**House Bill No. 4813, entitled**

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled “The code of criminal procedure,” by amending section 13g of chapter XVII (MCL 777.13g), as amended by 2003 PA 232.

The bill was read a second time.

Rep. Condino moved to substitute (H-1) the bill.

The motion prevailed and the substitute (H-1) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Nitz moved that the bill be placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Angerer moved that Rep. Dillon be excused temporarily from today’s session.

The motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

**Messages from the Senate****House Bill No. 4850, entitled**

A bill to amend 2005 PA 226, entitled “Michigan tobacco settlement finance authority act,” by amending section 8 (MCL 129.268).

The Senate has amended the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 2, line 9, after “~~\$400,000,000.00~~” by striking out “~~\$810,000,000.00~~” and inserting “~~\$815,000,000.00~~”.

2. Amend page 2, line 12, after “12.256,” by striking out “~~\$202,800,000.00~~” and inserting “~~\$207,800,000.00~~”.

The Senate has passed the bill as amended, ordered that it be given immediate effect and pursuant to Joint Rule 20, inserted the full title.

The Speaker announced that pursuant to Rule 42, the bill was laid over one day.

Rep. Angerer moved that Rule 42 be suspended.

The motion prevailed, 3/5 of the members present voting therefor.

The question being on concurring in the amendments made to the bill by the Senate,

The amendments were concurred in, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 199****Yeas—78**

Accavitti  
Acciavatti  
Angerer

Cushingberry  
Dean  
Donigan

Jones, Rick  
Jones, Robert  
Lahti

Opsommer  
Pearce  
Polidori

Ball	Ebli	LaJoy	Proos
Bauer	Emmons	Law, David	Robertson
Bieda	Espinoza	Law, Kathleen	Rocca
Booher	Farrah	LeBlanc	Sak
Brown	Gaffney	Leland	Shaffer
Byrum	Gonzales	Lemmons	Sheltrown
Calley	Green	Mayes	Simpson
Casperson	Griffin	McDowell	Smith, Virgil
Caswell	Hammel	Meisner	Spade
Caul	Hammon	Melton	Stahl
Cheeks	Hansen	Meltzer	Stakoe
Clack	Hood	Moolenaar	Steil
Clemente	Hopgood	Moore	Tobocman
Condino	Horn	Moss	Valentine
Constan	Huizenga	Nitz	Wojno
Corriveau	Jackson	Nofs	Young
Coulouris	Johnson		

### Nays—29

Agema	Hildenbrand	Miller	Sheen
Amos	Hoogendyk	Palmer	Smith, Alma
Bennett	Hune	Palsrok	Vagnozzi
Brandenburg	Knollenberg	Pastor	Walker
Byrnes	Lindberg	Pavlov	Ward
Elsenheimer	Marleau	Schuitmaker	Warren
Garfield	Meekhof	Scott	Wenke
Gillard			

In The Chair: Sak

The House agreed to the full title.

The bill was referred to the Clerk for enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor.

Rep. Cushingberry asked and obtained an excuse from Thursday's session.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

### Motions and Resolutions

Reps. Young, Knollenberg, Alma Smith, Cushingberry, Vagnozzi, David Law, Hildenbrand, LaJoy, Pearce, Pastor, Hune, Moss, Miller, Ward, Marleau, Calley, Green, DeRoche, Elsenheimer, Pavlov, Hoogendyk, Amos, Moore, Agema, Palsrok, Garfield, Shaffer, Melton, Horn, Dean, Schuitmaker, Rick Jones, Moolenaar, Stahl, Steil, Opsommer, Brandenburg, Stakoe, Booher, Meisner, Wojno, Leland, Tobocman, Hansen, Ball, Nitz, Johnson, Huizenga, Brown, Kathleen Law, Warren, Donigan, Meadows, Espinoza, Bennett, Jackson, Byrnes, Clack, Corriveau, LeBlanc, Hammel, Condino, Emmons, Casperson, Bieda, Farrah, Gillard, Gonzales, Robert Jones, Lemmons, Mayes, Nofs, Polidori, Rocca, Scott, Sheltrown, Spade and Valentine offered the following resolution:

#### House Resolution No. 130.

A resolution to urge Michigan's public universities to adopt policies to prohibit investment in nations identified by the United States State Department as state sponsors of terrorism.

Whereas, The effort to safeguard our country and its citizens from terrorism will be most effective when it is comprehensive in nature. In addition to the obvious components of national defense and homeland protection and public safety measures, attention to investments made in countries sponsoring terrorism should be part of this effort. Given the nature of the threats to our safety, minimizing access to financial resources is clearly a significant part of the issue of dealing with those who would harm innocent people; and

Whereas, Many states, communities, and institutions have taken or are considering actions to restrict investment in countries that are known to support terrorism. This movement is a most appropriate step to encourage. Divestiture initiatives have proven effective in the past; and

Whereas, Michigan's universities carry out a host of worthwhile activities all around the world. These activities, which range from health care to agriculture and education, enrich many lives. They also represent a significant investment of resources, which can be misused. Programs with the best of intentions can make it easier for a murderous government to remain in power; and

Whereas, All steps must be taken to join the community of nations in isolating regimes that advance terrorism. The costs of not taking every possible action are far too high; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we urge Michigan's public universities to adopt policies to prohibit investment in nations identified by the United States State Department as state sponsors of terrorism; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the governing boards of each of the state's public universities.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Reps. Brown, Ball, Bieda, Brandenburg, Byrnes, Clack, Constan, Dean, Farrah, Garfield, Gillard, Gonzales, Hammel, Hammon, Hansen, Robert Jones, Kathleen Law, LeBlanc, Leland, Lemmons, Marleau, Mayes, Melton, Nitz, Nofs, Palmer, Pearce, Polidori, Sak, Scott, Sheltroun, Spade, Stahl, Tobocman, Vagnozzi and Valentine offered the following resolution:

**House Resolution No. 131.**

A resolution recognizing the Cooperative Elevator Company of Pigeon, Michigan as the 2006 Agricultural Exporter of the Year.

Whereas, The agricultural industry is Michigan's second largest industry and contributes \$60.1 billion annually to Michigan's economy; and

Whereas, Encouraging the exportation of Michigan's agricultural products is important to expand trade markets available to Michigan producers; and

Whereas, Michigan is second in the nation for agricultural diversity and exports one-third of its agricultural commodities every year. Recent studies show these exports generated \$961 million in 2005 and contributed to the employment of more than 12,877 residents; and

Whereas, The Michigan Department of Agriculture annually recognizes one exporter as the Michigan Agriculture Exporter of the Year; and

Whereas, A committee representing Michigan's agriculture industry recommends to the Department of Agriculture one applicant to receive the award who grows, manufacturers or produces at least 50 percent of their product in Michigan. The winner is chosen based upon their marketing plans, ability to expand to new markets, alliances with other organizations and export sales growth over the last three years; and

Whereas, The Cooperative Elevator Company headquartered in Pigeon, Michigan, with nine plants in other Michigan cities throughout the thumb area, has been in business since 1915 and owned by more than 900 Michigan farmers, was recognized as the 2006 Michigan Agriculture Exporter of the Year; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body recognize the Cooperative Elevator Company of Pigeon, Michigan as the 2006 Agricultural Exporter of the Year.

Pending the reference of the resolution to a committee,

Rep. Tobocman moved that Rule 71 be suspended and the resolution be considered at this time.

The motion prevailed, 3/5 of the members present voting therefor.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

**Announcement by the Clerk of Printing and Enrollment**

The Clerk announced the enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor on Thursday, June 7, for her approval of the following bill:

**Enrolled House Bill No. 4207 at 10:35 a.m.**

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Thursday, June 7:

**House Bill Nos. 4883 4884**

The Clerk announced that the following bills and joint resolutions had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Friday, June 8:

**House Bill Nos. 4881 4882 4885 4886 4887 4888 4889 4890 4891 4892 4893**

**House Joint Resolutions N O**

**Senate Bill Nos. 572 573 574 575 576 577**

The Clerk announced the enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor on Tuesday, June 12, for her approval of the following bill:

**Enrolled House Bill No. 4850 at 3:10 p.m.**

The Clerk announced that the following Senate bill had been received on Tuesday, June 12:

**Senate Bill No. 486**

### **Reports of Standing Committees**

#### **COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT**

The following report, submitted by Rep. Miller, Chair, of the Committee on Labor, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Tuesday, June 12, 2007

Present: Reps. Miller, Bieda, Constan, Farrah, Hopgood, Lindberg, Wenke, LaJoy, Steil and Rick Jones

Absent: Rep. Meadows

Excused: Rep. Meadows

#### **COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT**

The following report, submitted by Rep. Meisner, Chair, of the Committee on Commerce, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Tuesday, June 12, 2007

Present: Reps. Meisner, Robert Jones, Accavitti, Byrum, Clemente, Coulouris, Dean, Griffin, Sheltroun, Simpson, Valentine, Hildenbrand, Huizenga, Palsrok, Stakoe, Rick Jones, Knollenberg and Meltzer

Absent: Rep. Johnson

Excused: Rep. Johnson

#### **COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT**

The following report, submitted by Rep. Sheltroun, Chair, of the Committee on Tourism, Outdoor Recreation and Natural Resources, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Tuesday, June 12, 2007

Present: Reps. Sheltroun, Ebli, Brown, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Simpson, Casperson, Walker, Stakoe and Horn

Absent: Rep. Lindberg

Excused: Rep. Lindberg

#### **COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT**

The following report, submitted by Rep. Melton, Chair, of the Committee on Education, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Tuesday, June 12, 2007

Present: Reps. Melton, Valentine, Angerer, Brown, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Dean, Hopgood, Lindberg, Meisner, Miller, Polidori, Scott, Moolenaar, Emmons, Hoogendyk, Steil, Pearce, Hildenbrand, Schuitmaker, Knollenberg and Opsommer

### Communications from State Officers

The following communication from the Auditor General was received and read:

June 8, 2007

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary:  
Follow-up report on the performance audit of the Automated Information Systems,  
Department of State and Department of Information Technology  
June 2007

Sincerely,  
Thomas H. McTavish, C.P.A.  
Auditor General

The communication was referred to the Clerk and the accompanying report referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

### Introduction of Bills

Reps. Hammon, Johnson, Melton, Constan, Hammel, Sheltroun, Meisner, Bennett, Hopgood, Vagnozzi, Miller, Warren, Meekhof, Gonzales and Dean introduced

**House Bill No. 4894, entitled**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 73105 (MCL 324.73105), as added by 1995 PA 58.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Tourism, Outdoor Recreation and Natural Resources.

Reps. Sheltroun, Hansen, Mayes, Byrnes, Young, Rick Jones, Farrah, Pearce, Stahl, Gillard, Pastor, Scott, Caswell, Polidori, Hune, Steil, Horn, Ball, Gaffney, Nofs, Moore, Acciavatti, Cushingberry, Clack, Accavitti and Johnson introduced

**House Bill No. 4895, entitled**

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," by amending sections 78a, 78e, 78f, and 78g (MCL 211.78a, 211.78e, 211.78f, and 211.78g), sections 78a and 78e as added by 1999 PA 123 and sections 78f and 78g as amended by 2003 PA 263.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

Reps. Wojno, Accavitti, Miller and Meisner introduced

**House Bill No. 4896, entitled**

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending section 2832 (MCL 333.2832), as amended by 1996 PA 307, and by adding section 2832a.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Families and Children's Services.

Reps. Wojno, Accavitti, Miller, Polidori and Bieda introduced

**House Bill No. 4897, entitled**

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 17775.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

Reps. Wojno, Accavitti, Miller and Polidori introduced

**House Bill No. 4898, entitled**

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 3406s.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Reps. Wojno, Accavitti, Miller and Polidori introduced

**House Bill No. 4899, entitled**

A bill to amend 1980 PA 350, entitled "The nonprofit health care corporation reform act," by amending section 415 (MCL 550.1415) and by adding section 415a.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

Reps. Miller, Kathleen Law, Espinoza, Vagnozzi, Polidori, Meisner, Alma Smith and Accavitti introduced

**House Bill No. 4900, entitled**

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967," (MCL 206.1 to 206.532) by adding section 278.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

Reps. Moolenaar, Caul, Sheen, Palmer, Agema, Calley, Moss, Meltzer, Hoogendyk, Hansen, Acciavatti, Moore, Casperson, Huizenga, Hildenbrand, Stahl, Meekhof, Pavlov, Pastor, Booher, Horn and Stakoe introduced

**House Bill No. 4901, entitled**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 30104b, 30301, 30302, 30304, 30305, 30307, 30308, 30309, 30310, 30311, 30313, 30317, 30321, and 30323 (MCL 324.30104b, 324.30301, 324.30302, 324.30304, 324.30305, 324.30307, 324.30308, 324.30309, 324.30310, 324.30311, 324.30313, 324.30317, 324.30321, and 324.30323), section 30104b as added by 2006 PA 592, sections 30301 and 30305 as amended by 2003 PA 14, sections 30302, 30308, 30309, 30310, 30311, 30313, and 30323 as added by 1995 PA 59, section 30304 as amended by 2004 PA 325, section 30307 as amended by 2006 PA 430, section 30317 as amended by 1998 PA 228, and section 30321 as amended by 1996 PA 530; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Reps. Nofs, Gaffney, Stahl, Virgil Smith, Mayes, Rick Jones, Farrah, Kathleen Law, Pearce, Cheeks, Scott, Clack, Gillard, Lemmons, Bennett, Espinoza, Vagnozzi, Meadows, Polidori, Robert Jones, Young, Griffin, Donigan, Gonzales, LeBlanc, Alma Smith, Simpson, Constan, Cushingberry, Johnson, Bauer, Ball, Clemente, Melton, Hammel, Condino, Jackson, Caswell, Booher, Proos, Hoogendyk, David Law, LaJoy, Wenke, Tobocman, Hildenbrand, Accavitti, Schuitmaker, Marleau, Stakoe, Valentine, Angerer, Sak, Meisner, Green, Miller, Brown, Leland, Byrnes, Pastor, Sheen and Spade introduced

**House Bill No. 4902, entitled**

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," (MCL 380.1 to 380.1852) by adding section 1164b.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Education.

Reps. Knollenberg, Alma Smith, Young, Cushingberry, Vagnozzi, David Law, Hildenbrand, LaJoy, Pearce, Pastor, Hune, Moss, Miller, Ward, Marleau, Calley, Green, DeRoche, Elsenheimer, Pavlov, Meltzer, Hoogendyk, Amos, Moore, Agema, Palsrok, Melton, Horn, Dean, Schuitmaker, Rick Jones, Moolenaar, Stahl, Opsommer, Brandenburg, Stakoe, Booher, Meisner, Wojno, Leland, Tobocman, Hansen, Ball, Nitz, Garfield, Johnson, Huizenga, Brown, Kathleen Law, Warren, Donigan, Meadows, Espinoza, Bennett, Jackson, Shaffer, Byrnes, Clack, Corriveau, LeBlanc, Hammel, Condino, Emmons and Casperson introduced

**House Bill No. 4903, entitled**

A bill to amend 1965 PA 314, entitled "Public employee retirement system investment act," (MCL 38.1132 to 38.1140m) by adding section 13c.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Reps. Vagnozzi, Knollenberg, Alma Smith, Young, Cushingberry, David Law, Hildenbrand, LaJoy, Pearce, Pastor, Hune, Moss, Miller, Ward, Marleau, Calley, Green, DeRoche, Elsenheimer, Pavlov, Hoogendyk, Amos, Moore, Agema, Palsrok, Garfield, Shaffer, Melton, Horn, Dean, Schuitmaker, Rick Jones, Moolenaar, Stahl, Steil, Opsommer, Brandenburg, Stakoe, Booher, Meisner, Wojno, Leland, Tobocman, Hansen, Ball, Nitz, Johnson, Huizenga, Brown, Kathleen Law, Warren, Donigan, Meadows, Bennett, Jackson, Byrnes, LeBlanc, Hammel, Condino, Emmons, Casperson, Clack and Corriveau introduced

**House Bill No. 4904, entitled**

A bill to amend 1855 PA 105, entitled "An act to regulate the disposition of the surplus funds in the state treasury; to provide for the deposit of surplus funds in certain financial institutions; to lend surplus funds pursuant to loan



agreements secured by certain commercial, agricultural, or industrial real and personal property; to authorize the loan of surplus funds to certain municipalities; to authorize the participation in certain loan programs; to authorize an appropriation; and to prescribe the duties of certain state agencies,” (MCL 21.141 to 21.147) by adding section 5.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Reps. Meekhof, Ball, Agema, Pavlov, Calley, Emmons, Huizenga, Nitz, Hammel, Hammon, Hune, Brown and Mayes introduced

**House Bill No. 4905, entitled**

A bill to amend 1982 PA 239, entitled “An act to license and regulate animal food manufacturing plants, transfer stations, dead animal dealers, rendering plants, and certain vehicles; to regulate the disposal of dead animals and to provide for poultry and livestock composting; to prescribe powers and duties of certain state departments; to impose fees; to provide for remedies and to prescribe penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” by amending sections 3, 4, and 15 (MCL 287.653, 287.654, and 287.665), as amended by 2005 PA 66.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Reps. Meekhof, Opsommer, Hammel, Marleau, Agema, Green, Nitz, Meadows, Hammon, Hune, Huizenga, Stahl and Dean introduced

**House Bill No. 4906, entitled**

A bill to amend 1951 PA 33, entitled “An act to provide police and fire protection for townships and for certain areas in townships, certain incorporated villages, and certain cities; to authorize contracting for fire and police protection; to authorize the purchase of fire and police equipment, and the maintenance and operation of the equipment; to provide for defraying the cost of the equipment; to authorize the creation of special assessment districts and the levying and collecting of special assessments; to authorize the issuance of special assessment bonds in anticipation of the collection of special assessments and the advancement of the amount necessary to pay such bonds, and to provide for reimbursement for such advances by reassessment if necessary; to authorize the collection of fees for certain emergency services in townships and other municipalities; to authorize the creation of administrative boards and to prescribe their powers and duties; to provide for the appointment of traffic officers and to prescribe their powers and duties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” by amending section 6a (MCL 41.806a), as added by 1990 PA 102.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs.

Reps. Nitz, Marleau, Meekhof, Rick Jones, LaJoy, David Law, Hoogendyk, Green, Calley, Agema, Knollenberg, Sheen, Garfield, Ward, Amos, Hansen, Pastor, Meltzer, Elsenheimer, Huizenga, Caswell, Hune, Palsrok, Stahl and Hildenbrand introduced

**House Bill No. 4907, entitled**

A bill to amend 1933 PA 167, entitled “General sales tax act,” by amending section 1 (MCL 205.51), as amended by 2004 PA 173.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

Reps. Melton, Alma Smith, Cushingberry, Coulouris and Meadows introduced

**House Bill No. 4908, entitled**

A bill to amend 1964 PA 284, entitled “City income tax act,” by amending section 9 of chapter 1 (MCL 141.509), as added by 1996 PA 478.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental, Urban and Regional Affairs.

Reps. Tobocman, Hammon, Virgil Smith, Scott, Alma Smith, Condino, Espinoza, Johnson, Melton, Bieda, Meisner and David Law introduced

**House Bill No. 4909, entitled**

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled “The code of criminal procedure,” (MCL 760.1 to 777.69) by adding section 7 to chapter III.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Rep. Scott introduced

**House Bill No. 4910, entitled**

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 491, 497, and 497a (MCL 168.491, 168.497, and 168.497a), sections 491 and 497 as amended by 1989 PA 142 and section 497a as amended by 1986 PA 220, and by adding section 499e.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

Rep. Young introduced

**House Bill No. 4911, entitled**

A bill to amend 1995 PA 162, entitled "Credit reform act," by amending section 4 (MCL 445.1854).

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

Reps. Palmer, Ward and Sheen introduced

**House Joint Resolution P, entitled**

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending sections 12 and 13 of article IV, by adding sections 55 and 56 to article IV and section 43 to article IX, and by repealing section 54 of article IV, to limit the legislative session, to reduce salaries and expense allowances of members of the legislature, to reduce compensation of state legislators who have absences from legislative session, to provide for reemployment of legislators on leave of absence from employment, to prohibit state-paid retirement and health care for legislators, to limit spending on the legislative budget, and to repeal term limits for legislators.

The joint resolution was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Oversight and Investigations.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

**Messages from the Senate**

**House Bill No. 4208, entitled**

A bill to amend 1982 PA 204, entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the use of interpreters in administrative and judicial proceedings and in certain other instances; to establish standards for interpreters; and to provide compensation for interpreters, and to provide for the promulgation of rules," by amending sections 2 and 3 (MCL 393.502 and 393.503) and by adding section 3a.

The Senate has amended the House amendment to the Senate substitute (S-3) as follows:

1. Amend the House Amendment, page 5, following line 2, after "MCL 393.508b" by striking out the balance of the enacting section and inserting a comma and "takes effect October 1, 2007 and applies to crimes committed on or after that date."

The Senate has concurred in the House amendment to Senate substitute (S-3) as amended.

The Speaker announced that pursuant to Rule 42, the bill was laid over one day.

**Senate Bill No. 486, entitled**

A bill to amend 1971 PA 22, entitled "An act prescribing the age at which persons may donate their blood," by amending section 1 (MCL 722.41), as amended by 1981 PA 228.

The Senate has passed the bill.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

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Rep. Johnson moved that the House adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 4:05 p.m.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House adjourned until Wednesday, June 13, at 1:30 p.m.