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1:00 p.m.

The House was called to order by the Clerk.

The roll was called by the Clerk of the House of Representatives, who announced that a quorum was not present.

The Honorable Gary L. Randall, Clerk of the House, offered the following invocation:

"Heavenly Father, we come to You today thankful for the many blessings You have bestowed upon our great state. We give thanks for our beautiful Great Lakes, our majestic forests, and our bountiful farmlands. Lord, it is our prayer that You will provide divine guidance to all of us who meet in this great Chamber, and with Your will and in Your way, seize the opportunity to make Michigan a better place to live, work and play. Amen."

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

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Thursday, July 22:

House Bill Nos. 6083 6084 6085 6086 6087 6088 6089 6090 6091 6092 6093 6094 6095 6096 6097 6098

Messages from the Governor

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:15 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5647 (Public Act No. 219, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and codify the laws relating to criminal procedure and to define the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of courts, judges, and other officers of the court under the provisions of this act; to provide laws relative to the rights of persons accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the arrest of persons charged with or suspected of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for bail of persons arrested for or accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the examination of persons accused of criminal offenses; to regulate the procedure relative to grand juries, indictments, informations, and proceedings before trial; to provide for trials of persons complained of or indicted for criminal

offenses and ordinance violations and to provide for the procedure in those trials; to provide for judgments and sentences of persons convicted of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to establish a sentencing commission and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for procedure relating to new trials and appeals in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to provide a uniform system of probation throughout this state and the appointment of probation officers; to prescribe the powers, duties, and compensation of probation officers; to provide penalties for the violation of the duties of probation officers; to provide for procedure governing proceedings to prevent crime and proceedings for the discovery of crime; to provide for fees of officers, witnesses, and others in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to set forth miscellaneous provisions as to criminal procedure in certain cases; to provide penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this act; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act," by amending sections 1 and 3 of chapter XI (MCL 771.1 and 771.3), section 1 as amended by 2002 PA 666 and section 3 as amended by 2004 PA 116.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:26 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:17 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5674 (Public Act No. 220, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and codify the laws relating to criminal procedure and to define the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of courts, judges, and other officers of the court under the provisions of this act; to provide laws relative to the rights of persons accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the arrest of persons charged with or suspected of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for bail of persons arrested for or accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the examination of persons accused of criminal offenses; to regulate the procedure relative to grand juries, indictments, informations, and proceedings before trial; to provide for trials of persons complained of or indicted for criminal offenses and ordinance violations and to provide for the procedure in those trials; to provide for judgments and sentences of persons convicted of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to establish a sentencing commission and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for procedure relating to new trials and appeals in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to provide a uniform system of probation throughout this state and the appointment of probation officers; to prescribe the powers, duties, and compensation of probation officers; to provide penalties for the violation of the duties of probation officers; to provide for procedure governing proceedings to prevent crime and proceedings for the discovery of crime; to provide for fees of officers, witnesses, and others in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to set forth miscellaneous provisions as to criminal procedure in certain cases; to provide penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this act; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act," by amending sections 4a, 16a, and 31 of chapter IX and section 56 of chapter XVII (MCL 769.4a, 769.16a, 769.31, and 777.56), section 4a of chapter IX as amended by 2001 PA 208, section 16a of chapter IX as amended by 2001 PA 204, section 31 of chapter IX as amended by 2002 PA 31, and section 56 of chapter XVII as added by 1998 PA 317.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:28 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:19 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5716 (Public Act No. 221, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1939 PA 288, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the statutes relating to certain aspects of the family division of circuit court, to the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of the family division of circuit court and its judges and other officers, to the change of name of adults and children, and to the adoption of adults and children; to prescribe certain jurisdiction, powers, and duties of the family division of circuit court and its judges and other officers; to prescribe the manner and time within which certain actions and proceedings may be brought in the family division of the circuit court; to prescribe pleading, evidence, practice, and procedure in certain actions and proceedings in the family division of circuit court; to provide for appeals from certain actions in the family division of circuit court; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, agencies, and officers; to provide for certain immunity from liability; and to provide remedies and penalties," by amending sections 6 and 18 of chapter XIIA (MCL 712A.6 and 712A.18), section 6 as amended by 1996 PA 409 and section 18 as amended by 2004 PA 102.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:30 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:21 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5932 (Public Act No. 222, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1925 PA 289, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, codify and add to the statutes relating to crimes; to define crimes and prescribe the penalties therefor; to provide for restitution under certain circumstances; to provide for the competency of evidence at the trial of persons accused of crime; to provide immunity from prosecution for certain witnesses appearing at such trials; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act," by amending section 3 (MCL 28.243), as amended by 2002 PA 694.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:32 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:23 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5928 (Public Act No. 223, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, codify and add to the statutes relating to crimes; to define crimes and prescribe the penalties therefor; to provide for restitution under certain circumstances; to provide for the competency of evidence at the trial of persons accused of crime; to provide immunity from prosecution for certain witnesses appearing at such trials; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act," by amending sections 350a and 430 (MCL 750.350a and 750.430), section 350a as amended by 1996 PA 14 and section 430 as amended by 2003 PA 235.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:34 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:35 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5742 (Public Act No. 229, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, and assessments; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding part 205.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:46 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:37 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5743 (Public Act No. 230, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, and assessments; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 20513.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:48 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:39 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5969 (Public Act No. 231, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1990 PA 187, entitled "An act to regulate the equipment, maintenance, operation, and use of school buses and pupil transportation vehicles; to prescribe the qualifications of school bus and pupil transportation vehicle drivers; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local governmental agencies; to create an advisory committee and to prescribe its powers and duties; and to prescribe remedies and penalties," by amending sections 15, 17, 19, and 55 (MCL 257.1815, 257.1817, 257.1819, and 257.1855), sections 17, 19, and 55 as amended by 2000 PA 49. (Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:50 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:41 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5376 (Public Act No. 232, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "An act to provide a system of public instruction and elementary and secondary schools; to revise, consolidate, and clarify the laws relating to elementary and secondary education; to provide for the organization, regulation, and maintenance of schools, school districts, public school academies, intermediate school districts, and other public school entities; to prescribe rights, powers, duties, and privileges of schools, school districts, public school academies, intermediate school districts, and other public school entities; to provide for the regulation of school teachers and certain other school employees; to provide for school elections and to prescribe powers and duties with respect thereto; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes; to provide for the borrowing of money and issuance of bonds and other evidences of indebtedness; to establish a fund and provide for expenditures from that fund; to provide for and prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, the state board of education, and certain other boards and officials; to provide for licensure of boarding schools; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 1267 (MCL 380.1267), as amended by 1995 PA 289.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:52 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:43 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 4947 (Public Act No. 233, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "An act to provide a system of public instruction and elementary and secondary schools; to revise, consolidate, and clarify the laws relating to elementary and secondary education; to provide for the organization, regulation, and maintenance of schools, school districts, public school academies, intermediate school districts, and other public school entities; to prescribe rights, powers, duties, and privileges of schools, school districts, public school academies, intermediate school districts, and other public school entities; to provide for the regulation of school teachers and certain other school employees; to provide for school elections and to prescribe powers and duties with respect thereto; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes; to provide for the borrowing of money and issuance of bonds and other evidences of indebtedness; to establish a fund and provide for expenditures from that fund; to provide for and prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, the state board of education, and certain other boards and officials; to provide for licensure of boarding schools; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 614 (MCL 380.614), as amended by 2003 PA 299.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:54 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:45 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 4338 (Public Act No. 234, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "An act to provide a system of public instruction and elementary and secondary schools; to revise, consolidate, and clarify the laws relating to elementary and secondary education; to provide for the organization, regulation, and maintenance of schools, school districts, public school academies,

intermediate school districts, and other public school entities; to prescribe rights, powers, duties, and privileges of schools, school districts, public school academies, intermediate school districts, and other public school entities; to provide for the regulation of school teachers and certain other school employees; to provide for school elections and to prescribe powers and duties with respect thereto; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes; to provide for the borrowing of money and issuance of bonds and other evidences of indebtedness; to establish a fund and provide for expenditures from that fund; to provide for and prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, the state board of education, and certain other boards and officials; to provide for licensure of boarding schools; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending sections 613 and 624 (MCL 380.613 and 380.624), section 613 as amended by 2003 PA 299 and section 624 as amended by 1995 PA 289, and by adding sections 614a, 619, 621a, and 1107.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:56 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:47 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5021 (Public Act No. 235, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, and assessments; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 1615.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 10:58 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:49 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5931 (Public Act No. 236, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and classify the laws relating to the insurance and surety business; to regulate the incorporation or formation of domestic insurance and surety companies and associations and the admission of foreign and alien companies and associations; to provide their rights, powers, and immunities and to prescribe the conditions on which companies and associations organized, existing, or authorized under this act may exercise their powers; to provide the rights, powers, and immunities and to prescribe the conditions on which other persons, firms, corporations, associations, risk retention groups, and purchasing groups engaged in an insurance or surety business may exercise their powers; to provide for the imposition of a privilege fee on domestic insurance companies and associations and the state accident fund; to provide for the imposition of a tax on the business of foreign and alien companies and associations; to provide for the imposition of a tax on risk retention groups and purchasing groups; to provide for the imposition of a tax on the business of surplus line agents; to provide for the imposition of regulatory fees on certain insurers; to provide for assessment fees on certain health maintenance organizations; to modify tort liability arising out of certain accidents; to provide for limited actions with respect to that modified tort liability and to prescribe certain procedures for maintaining those actions; to require security for losses arising out of certain accidents; to provide for the continued availability and affordability of automobile insurance and homeowners insurance in this state and to facilitate the purchase of that insurance by all residents of this state at fair and reasonable rates; to provide for certain reporting with respect to insurance and with respect to certain claims against uninsured or self-insured persons; to prescribe duties for certain state departments and officers with respect to that reporting; to provide for certain assessments; to establish and continue certain state insurance funds; to modify and clarify the status, rights, powers, duties, and operations of the nonprofit malpractice insurance fund; to provide for the departmental supervision and regulation of the insurance and surety business within this state; to provide for regulation over worker's compensation self-insurers; to provide for the conservation, rehabilitation, or liquidation of unsound or insolvent insurers; to provide for the protection of policyholders, claimants, and creditors of unsound or insolvent insurers; to provide for associations of insurers to protect policyholders and claimants in the event of insurer insolvencies; to prescribe educational requirements for insurance agents and solicitors; to provide for the regulation of multiple employer welfare arrangements; to create an automobile theft prevention authority to reduce the number of automobile thefts in this state; to prescribe the powers and duties of the automobile theft prevention authority; to

provide certain powers and duties upon certain officials, departments, and authorities of this state; to provide for an appropriation; to repeal acts and parts of acts; and to provide penalties for the violation of this act," by amending sections 834 and 4060 (MCL 500.834 and 500.4060), section 834 as amended by 2000 PA 378 and section 4060 as amended by 1993 PA 349, and by adding section 838.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 11:00 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:53 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5195 (Public Act No. 238, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 295, entitled "An act to require persons convicted of certain offenses to register; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain departments and agencies in connection with that registration; and to prescribe penalties and sanctions," by amending section 8 (MCL 28.728), as amended by 2002 PA 542.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 11:04 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:55 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5240 (Public Act No. 239, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and codify the laws relating to criminal procedure and to define the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of courts, judges, and other officers of the court under the provisions of this act; to provide laws relative to the rights of persons accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the arrest of persons charged with or suspected of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for bail of persons arrested for or accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the examination of persons accused of criminal offenses; to regulate the procedure relative to grand juries, indictments, informations, and proceedings before trial; to provide for trials of persons complained of or indicted for criminal offenses and ordinance violations and to provide for the procedure in those trials; to provide for judgments and sentences of persons convicted of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to establish a sentencing commission and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for procedure relating to new trials and appeals in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to provide a uniform system of probation throughout this state and the appointment of probation officers; to prescribe the powers, duties, and compensation of probation officers; to provide penalties for the violation of the duties of probation officers; to provide for procedure governing proceedings to prevent crime and proceedings for the discovery of crime; to provide for fees of officers, witnesses, and others in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to set forth miscellaneous provisions as to criminal procedure in certain cases; to provide penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this act; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act," by amending sections 11, 13, and 14 of chapter II (MCL 762.11, 762.13, and 762.14), section 11 as amended by 1993 PA 293, section 13 as amended by 2002 PA 483, and section 14 as amended by 1994 PA 286.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 11:06 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 7:57 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 4920 (Public Act No. 240, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 295, entitled "An act to require persons convicted of certain offenses to register; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain departments and agencies in connection with that registration; and to prescribe penalties and sanctions," by amending sections 2, 4, 5, 5a, 8, and 10 (MCL 28.722, 28.724, 28.725, 28.725a, 28.728, and 28.730), sections 2, 5, 5a, 8, and 10 as amended by 2002 PA 542 and section 4 as amended by 1999 PA 85, and by adding sections 8c and 8d; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 11:08 a.m.)

Date: July 21, 2004 Time: 8:01 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5979 (Public Act No. 242, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1979 PA 53, entitled "An act to prohibit access to computers, computer systems, and computer networks for certain fraudulent purposes; to prohibit intentional and unauthorized access, alteration, damage, and destruction of computers, computer systems, computer networks, computer software programs, and data; and to prescribe penalties," (MCL 752.791 to 752.797) by amending the title and by adding sections 5a, 6a, and 6b.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 21, 2004, at 11:12 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 7:34 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5598 (Public Act No. 243, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1936 (Ex Sess) PA 1, entitled "An act to protect the welfare of the people of this state through the establishment of an unemployment compensation fund, and to provide for the disbursement thereof; to create certain other funds; to create the Michigan employment security commission, and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for the protection of the people of this state from the hazards of unemployment; to levy and provide for contributions from employers; to provide for the collection of such contributions; to enter into reciprocal agreements and to cooperate with agencies of the United States and of other states charged with the administration of any unemployment insurance law; to furnish certain information to certain governmental agencies for use in administering public benefit and child support programs and investigating and prosecuting fraud; to provide for the payment of benefits; to provide for appeals from redeterminations, decisions and notices of assessments; and for referees and a board of review to hear and decide the issues arising from redeterminations, decisions and notices of assessment; to provide for the cooperation of this state and compliance with the provisions of the social security act and the Wagner-Peyser act passed by the Congress of the United States of America; to provide for the establishment and maintenance of free public employment offices; to provide for the transfer of funds; to make appropriations for carrying out the provisions of this act; to prescribe remedies and penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act," by amending section 43 (MCL 421.43), as amended by 2000 PA 490.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:10 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 1:50 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5824 (Public Act No. 244, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of rights and interests, including leasehold interests, in property and the levy and collection of taxes on property, and for the collection of taxes levied; making those taxes a lien on the property taxed, establishing and continuing the lien, providing for the sale or forfeiture and conveyance of property delinquent for taxes, and for the inspection and disposition of lands bid off to the state and not redeemed or purchased; to provide for the establishment of a delinquent tax revolving fund and the borrowing of money by counties and the issuance of notes; to define and limit the jurisdiction of the courts in proceedings in connection with property delinquent for taxes; to limit the time within which actions may be brought; to prescribe certain limitations with respect to rates of taxation; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain officers, departments, agencies, and political subdivisions of this state; to provide for certain reimbursements of certain expenses incurred by units of local government; to provide penalties for the violation of this act; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," (MCL 211.1 to 211.157) by adding section 9j.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:12 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 1:52 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5823 (Public Act No. 245, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of rights and interests, including leasehold interests, in property and the levy and collection of taxes on property, and for the collection of taxes levied;

making those taxes a lien on the property taxed, establishing and continuing the lien, providing for the sale or forfeiture and conveyance of property delinquent for taxes, and for the inspection and disposition of lands bid off to the state and not redeemed or purchased; to provide for the establishment of a delinquent tax revolving fund and the borrowing of money by counties and the issuance of notes; to define and limit the jurisdiction of the courts in proceedings in connection with property delinquent for taxes; to limit the time within which actions may be brought; to prescribe certain limitations with respect to rates of taxation; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain officers, departments, agencies, and political subdivisions of this state; to provide for certain reimbursements of certain expenses incurred by units of local government; to provide penalties for the violation of this act; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," (MCL 211.1 to 211.157) by adding section 7ii.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:14 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 1:54 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 4730 (Public Act No. 246, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, and assessments; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," by amending section 30113 (MCL 324.30113), as amended by 1995 PA 171, and by adding part 33; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:16 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 1:56 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 4729 (Public Act No. 247, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, and assessments; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 3313.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:18 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:29 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5665 (Public Act No. 249), being

An act to amend 1984 PA 431, entitled "An act to prescribe the powers and duties of the department of management and budget; to define the authority and functions of its director and its organizational entities; to authorize the department to issue directives; to provide for the capital outlay program; to provide for the leasing, planning, constructing, maintaining, altering, renovating, demolishing, conveying of lands and facilities; to provide for centralized administrative services such as purchasing, payroll, record retention, data processing, and publishing and for access to certain services; to provide for a system of internal accounting and administrative control for certain principal departments; to provide for an internal auditor in certain principal departments; to provide for certain powers and duties of certain state officers and agencies; to codify, revise, consolidate, classify, and add to the powers, duties, and laws relative to budgeting, accounting, and the regulating of appropriations; to provide for the implementation of certain constitutional provisions; to create funds and accounts; to make appropriations; to prescribe remedies and penalties; to rescind certain executive reorganization orders; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," (MCL 18.1101 to 18.1594) by adding section 261c.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:22 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:33 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 6026 (Public Act No. 251, I.E.), being

An act to amend 2000 PA 146, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of obsolete property rehabilitation districts in certain local governmental units; to provide for the exemption from certain taxes; to levy and collect a specific tax upon the owners of certain facilities; to provide for the disposition of the tax; to provide for the obtaining and transferring of an exemption certificate and to prescribe the contents of those certificates; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain local government officials; and to provide penalties," by amending section 10 (MCL 125.2790).

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:26 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:35 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 6025 (Public Act No. 252, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "An act to provide for the assessment of rights and interests, including leasehold interests, in property and the levy and collection of taxes on property, and for the collection of taxes levied; making those taxes a lien on the property taxed, establishing and continuing the lien, providing for the sale or forfeiture and conveyance of property delinquent for taxes, and for the inspection and disposition of lands bid off to the state and not redeemed or purchased; to provide for the establishment of a delinquent tax revolving fund and the borrowing of money by counties and the issuance of notes; to define and limit the jurisdiction of the courts in proceedings in connection with property delinquent for taxes; to limit the time within which actions may be brought; to prescribe certain limitations with respect to rates of taxation; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain officers, departments, agencies, and political subdivisions of this state; to provide for certain reimbursements of certain expenses incurred by units of local government; to provide penalties for the violation of this act; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," (MCL 211.1 to 211.157) by adding section 7hh.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 10:28 a.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:45 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 4013 (Public Act No. 253, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1956 PA 205, entitled "An act to confer upon circuit courts jurisdiction over proceedings to compel and provide support of children born out of wedlock; to prescribe the procedure for determination of such liability; to authorize agreements providing for furnishing of such support and to provide for the enforcement thereof; and to prescribe penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this act," by amending section 2 (MCL 722.712), as amended by 1998 PA 113.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 11:44 a.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:47 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5698 (Public Act No. 254, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1927 PA 372, entitled "An act to regulate and license the selling, purchasing, possessing, and carrying of certain firearms and gas ejecting devices; to prohibit the buying, selling, or carrying of certain firearms and gas ejecting devices without a license or other authorization; to provide for the forfeiture of firearms under certain circumstances; to provide for penalties and remedies; to provide immunity from civil liability under certain circumstances; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies; to prohibit certain conduct against individuals who apply for or receive a license to carry a concealed pistol; to make appropriations; to prescribe certain conditions for the appropriations; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 5j (MCL 28.425j), as amended by 2002 PA 719.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 11:46 a.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 7:30 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 4260 (Public Act No. 255, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, codify and add to the statutes relating to crimes; to define crimes and prescribe the penalties therefor; to provide for restitution under certain circumstances; to provide for the competency of evidence at the trial of persons accused of crime; to provide immunity from prosecution for certain witnesses appearing at such trials; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act," by amending section 174a (MCL 750.174a), as added by 2000 PA 222. (Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 1:38 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 7:32 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5482 (Public Act No. 256, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," (MCL 168.1 to 168.992) by adding section 679a.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 1:40 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 1:58 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5994 (Public Act No. 257, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," (MCL 168.1 to 168.992) by adding section 316.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 1:42 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:51 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5878 (Public Act No. 266, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled "An act to create a commission for the control of the alcoholic beverage traffic within this state, and to prescribe its powers, duties, and limitations; to provide for powers and duties for certain state departments and agencies; to impose certain taxes for certain purposes; to provide for the control of the alcoholic liquor traffic within this state and to provide for the power to establish state liquor stores; to provide for the care and treatment of alcoholics; to provide for the incorporation of farmer cooperative wineries and the granting of certain rights and privileges to those cooperatives; to provide for the licensing and taxation of activities regulated under this act and the disposition of the money received under this act; to prescribe liability for retail licensees under certain circumstances and to require security for that liability; to provide procedures, defenses, and remedies regarding violations of this act; to provide for the enforcement and to prescribe penalties for violations of this act; to provide for

allocation of certain funds for certain purposes; to provide for the confiscation and disposition of property seized under this act; to provide referenda under certain circumstances; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 525 (MCL 436.1525), as amended by 2002 PA 76.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 1:58 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:53 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5879 (Public Act No. 267, I.E.), being

An act to amend 2000 PA 92, entitled "An act to codify the licensure and regulation of certain persons engaged in processing, manufacturing, production, packing, preparing, repacking, canning, preserving, freezing, fabricating, storing, selling, serving, or offering for sale food or drink for human consumption; to prescribe powers and duties of the department of agriculture; to provide for delegation of certain powers and duties to certain local units of government; to provide exemptions; to regulate the labeling, manufacture, distribution, and sale of food for protection of the consuming public and to prevent fraud and deception by prohibiting the misbranding, adulteration, manufacture, distribution, and sale of foods in violation of this act; to provide standards for food products and food establishments; to provide for enforcement of the act; to provide penalties and remedies for violation of the act; to provide for fees; to provide for promulgation of rules; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," (MCL 289.1101 to 289.8111) by adding section 4116.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:00 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:55 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5889 (Public Act No. 268, I.E.), being

An act to amend 2002 PA 733, entitled "An act to regulate the installation, alteration, maintenance, improvement, and inspection of plumbing; to provide certain powers and duties for certain state agencies and departments; to create a plumbing board; to define plumbing, plumbing contractors, and the classification of plumbers and to set standards for those classifications; to provide for the licensing and regulation of classes of plumbers and plumbing contractors; to prescribe fees and the disposition of money derived from those fees; to provide for the promulgation of rules; to prescribe remedies and penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 31 (MCL 338.3541).

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:02 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:57 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5890 (Public Act No. 269, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1967 PA 227, entitled "An act to regulate the inspection, construction, installation, alteration, maintenance, repair and operation of elevators and the licensing of elevator contractors; to prescribe the functions of the director of labor; to create, and prescribe the functions of, the elevator safety board; to provide penalties for violations of the act; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," by amending sections 15 and 16 (MCL 408.815 and

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:04 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 2:59 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5893 (Public Act No. 270, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1968 PA 330, entitled "An act to license and regulate private security guards, private security police, private security guard agencies and security alarm systems servicing, installing, operating, and monitoring; to provide penalties for violations; to protect the general public against unauthorized, unlicensed and unethical operations by individuals engaged in private security activity or security alarm systems sales, installations, service, maintenance,

and operations; to establish minimum qualifications for individuals as well as private agencies engaged in the security business and security alarm systems and operations; to impose certain fees; to create certain funds; and to prescribe the powers and duties of the departments of state police and consumer and industry services," by amending sections 9, 11, and 25 (MCL 338.1059, 338.1061, and 338.1075), sections 9 and 25 as amended by 2002 PA 473 and section 11 as amended by 2000 PA 411.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:06 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 3:01 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5894 (Public Act No. 271, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1984 PA 192, entitled "An act to regulate the use, installation, alteration, and servicing of specified heating, cooling, ventilating, and refrigerating equipment and systems; to create a board of mechanical rules; to provide for the licensing of installing contractors and of servicing contractors of heating, cooling, ventilating, and refrigerating equipment and systems; to prescribe fees; to provide for the promulgation of rules; and to prescribe penalties," by amending sections 6 and 10 (MCL 338.976 and 338.980), section 10 as amended by 1997 PA 119.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:08 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 3:03 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5896 (Public Act No. 272, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1972 PA 239, entitled "An act to establish and operate a state lottery and to allow state participation in certain lottery-related joint enterprises with other sovereignties; to create a bureau of state lottery and to prescribe its powers and duties; to prescribe certain powers and duties of other state departments and agencies; to license and regulate certain sales agents; to create the state lottery fund; to provide for the distribution of lottery revenues and earnings for certain purposes; to provide for an appropriation; and to provide for remedies and penalties," by amending sections 11 and 23 (MCL 432.11 and 432.23), as amended by 1996 PA 167.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:10 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 3:05 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5897 (Public Act No. 273, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1931 PA 189, entitled "An act to regulate the sale and distribution of nursery stock, plants, and plant products; to prevent the introduction into and the dissemination within this state of insect pests and plant diseases; to provide for the destruction and control of insect pests and plant diseases; to provide for the destruction of certain plants by owners of certain fruit trees; to provide for license and to provide for inspection; and imposing certain powers and duties on the director of agriculture; to provide for the promulgation of rules; and to prescribe penalties," by amending section 9 (MCL 286.209), as amended by 2003 PA 104.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:12 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:00 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5899 (Public Act No. 274, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1939 PA 141, entitled "An act to regulate the storage, warehousing, buying, and selling of farm produce within this state; to provide for the licensing, regulation, and bonding of grain dealers; to provide for warehouse receipts, acknowledgment forms, and price later agreements and their use and priority; to provide for the creation of security interests; to provide for certain powers and duties of the department of agriculture and its director; to impose certain duties on insurance companies and sureties; and to provide administrative remedies and penalties for the violation of this act," by amending section 7 (MCL 285.67), as amended by 2002 PA 80.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:14 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:02 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5900 (Public Act No. 275, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1956 PA 217, entitled "An act to safeguard persons and property; to provide for licensing and regulation of electricians and electrical contractors concerning the construction, alteration, installation of electrical wiring and equipment and for the inspection of electrical wiring; to create an electrical administrative board; to create certain committees for certain purposes; to provide certain powers and duties for certain departments; to provide for the assessment of certain fees and for the promulgation of rules; and to prescribe penalties for violations of this act," by amending section 3 (MCL 338.883), as amended by 1997 PA 120.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:16 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:04 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5887 (Public Act No. 276, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1972 PA 295, entitled "An act to license and regulate persons who purport to be able to detect deception, verify truthfulness, or provide a diagnostic opinion of either through the use of any device or instrumentation as lie detectors, forensic polygraphs, deceptographs, emotional stress meters or similar or related devices and instruments; to create a state board of forensic polygraph examiners with licensing and regulatory powers over all such persons and instruments; to provide for administrative proceedings and court review; to establish minimum standards and requirements for all such instrumentation or devices and to prohibit the use of instruments or devices which do not meet minimum standards and requirements; and to provide for injunctions and penalties," by amending sections 7 and 15 (MCL 338.1707 and 338.1715).

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:18 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:16 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5884 (Public Act No. 282, I.E.), being

An act to amend 2001 PA 267, entitled "An act to define and regulate milk, cream, frozen desserts, and related foods and by-products of those foods under certain circumstances; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain state agencies and officers; to prohibit the sale of unclean and unsanitary milk and manufactured dairy products and their use in the manufacture of food products; to prohibit unclean and unsanitary conditions of milk and milk processing establishments; to establish production and handling standards of sanitary milk and dairy products for manufacturing and manufactured dairy products; to regulate the sale and transportation of milk and dairy products for manufacturing purposes; to issue licenses and permits to certain persons and provide for the revocation or suspension of licenses and permits under certain circumstances; to impose certain fees; to require certain security devices under certain circumstances; to establish inspection requirements; to promulgate rules; to set certain standards for milk and dairy products, processing, and pasteurization; to provide for penalties and remedies; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," (MCL 288.561 to 288.740) by adding section 110a.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:30 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:18 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5888 (Public Act No. 283, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1950 (Ex Sess) PA 27, entitled "An act defining and regulating certain installment sales of motor vehicles; prescribing the conditions under which such sales may be made and regulating the financing thereof; regulating and licensing persons engaged in the business of making or financing such sales; prescribing the form, contents and effect of instruments used in connection with such sales and the financing thereof; prescribing certain rights and obligations of buyers, sellers, persons financing such sales and others; limiting charges in connection with

such instruments and fixing maximum interest rates for delinquencies, extensions and loans; regulating insurance in connection with such sales; regulating repossessions, redemptions, resales and deficiency judgments and the rights of parties with respect thereto; authorizing extensions, loans and forbearances related to such sales; authorizing investigations and examinations of persons engaged in the business of making or financing such sales; transferring certain powers and duties with respect to finance companies to the commissioner of the financial institutions bureau; and prescribing penalties," by amending section 4 (MCL 492.104) and by adding section 6a.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:32 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:20 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5895 (Public Act No. 284, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "An act to protect and promote the public health; to codify, revise, consolidate, classify, and add to the laws relating to public health; to provide for the prevention and control of diseases and disabilities; to provide for the classification, administration, regulation, financing, and maintenance of personal, environmental, and other health services and activities; to create or continue, and prescribe the powers and duties of, departments, boards, commissions, councils, committees, task forces, and other agencies; to prescribe the powers and duties of governmental entities and officials; to regulate occupations, facilities, and agencies affecting the public health; to regulate health maintenance organizations and certain third party administrators and insurers; to provide for the imposition of a regulatory fee; to provide for the levy of taxes against certain health facilities or agencies; to promote the efficient and economical delivery of health care services, to provide for the appropriate utilization of health care facilities and services, and to provide for the closure of hospitals or consolidation of hospitals or services; to provide for the collection and use of data and information; to provide for the transfer of property; to provide certain immunity from liability; to regulate and prohibit the sale and offering for sale of drug paraphernalia under certain circumstances; to provide for the implementation of federal law; to provide for penalties and remedies; to provide for sanctions for violations of this act and local ordinances; to provide for an appropriation and supplements; to repeal certain acts and parts of acts; to repeal certain parts of this act; and to repeal certain parts of this act on specific dates," by amending section 20162 (MCL 333.20162) and by adding section 20935.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:34 p.m.)

Date: July 22, 2004 Time: 5:22 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5882 (Public Act No. 285, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1979 PA 218, entitled "An act to provide for the licensing and regulation of adult foster care facilities; to provide for the establishment of standards of care for adult foster care facilities; to prescribe powers and duties of the department of social services and other departments; to prescribe certain fees; to prescribe penalties; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts," by amending section 13a (MCL 400.713a), as added by 1992 PA 176.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:36 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:49 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5990 (Public Act No. 286, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 301 (MCL 168.301), as added by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:38 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:57 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5991 (Public Act No. 287, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 305 (MCL 168.305), as added by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:40 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:53 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5992 (Public Act No. 288, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," (MCL 168.1 to 168.992) by adding section 309.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:42 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:55 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5993 (Public Act No. 289, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 311 (MCL 168.311), as added by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:44 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:57 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5995 (Public Act No. 290, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 381 (MCL 168.381), as amended by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:46 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 7:59 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5996 (Public Act No. 291, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 500f (MCL 168.500f), as amended by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:48 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:40 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5997 (Public Act No. 292, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 642 (MCL 168.642), as added by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:50 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:42 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 5998 (Public Act No. 293, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 644g (MCL 168.644g), as amended by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:52 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:44 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5999 (Public Act No. 294, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide

appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 642a (MCL 168.642a), as added by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:54 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:46 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 6000 (Public Act No. 295, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 646a (MCL 168.646a), as amended by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:56 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004

Time: 8:48 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 6001 (Public Act No. 296, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 659 (MCL 168.659), as added by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 2:58 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:50 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 6002 (Public Act No. 297, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 699 (MCL 168.699).

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 3:00 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:52 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 6003 (Public Act No. 298, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "An act to reorganize, consolidate, and add to the election laws; to provide for election officials and prescribe their powers and duties; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments, state agencies, and state and local officials and employees; to provide for the nomination and election of

candidates for public office; to provide for the resignation, removal, and recall of certain public officers; to provide for the filling of vacancies in public office; to provide for and regulate primaries and elections; to provide for the purity of elections; to guard against the abuse of the elective franchise; to define violations of this act; to provide appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal certain acts and all other acts inconsistent with this act," by amending section 972 (MCL 168.972), as amended by 2003 PA 302.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 3:02 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:54 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

# Enrolled House Bill No. 6004 (Public Act No. 299, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1909 PA 278, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of villages and for revising and amending their charters; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes, borrowing of money, and issuance of bonds and other evidences of indebtedness; to validate bonds issued and obligations previously incurred; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," by amending section 21 (MCL 78.21), as amended by 2003 PA 304.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 3:04 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 8:56 a.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 6005 (Public Act No. 300, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1895 PA 3, entitled "An act to provide for the government of certain villages; to define their powers and duties; to provide for the levy and collection of taxes, borrowing of money, and issuance of bonds and other evidences of indebtedness by villages subject to this act; to define the powers and duties of certain state and local officers and entities; to define the application of this act and provide for its amendment by villages subject to this act; to validate prior amendments and certain prior actions taken and bonds issued by villages subject to this act; to provide for the disincorporation of villages; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," by amending sections 1 and 5 of chapter II and section 1 of chapter III (MCL 62.1, 62.5, and 63.1), as amended by 2003 PA 305.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 3:06 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 3:26 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5653 (Public Act No. 301, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1933 PA 167, entitled "An act to provide for the raising of additional public revenue by prescribing certain specific taxes, fees, and charges to be paid to the state for the privilege of engaging in certain business activities; to provide, incident to the enforcement thereof, for the issuance of licenses to engage in such occupations; to provide for the ascertainment, assessment and collection thereof; to appropriate the proceeds thereof; and to prescribe penalties for violations of the provisions of this act," (MCL 205.51 to 205.78) by adding section 4bb.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 3:38 p.m.)

Date: July 23, 2004 Time: 3:28 p.m.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

#### Enrolled House Bill No. 5463 (Public Act No. 302, I.E.), being

An act to amend 1975 PA 228, entitled "An act to provide for the imposition, levy, computation, collection, assessment and enforcement, by lien or otherwise, of taxes on certain commercial, business, and financial activities; to prescribe the manner and times of making certain reports and paying taxes; to prescribe the powers and duties of public officers and state departments; to permit the inspection of records of taxpayers; to provide for interest and penalties on unpaid taxes; to provide exemptions, credits, and refunds; to provide penalties; to provide for the disposition of funds; to provide for the interrelation of this act with other acts; and to provide an appropriation," (MCL 208.1 to 208.145) by adding section 37g.

(Filed with the Secretary of State July 23, 2004, at 3:40 p.m.)

# **Communications from State Officers**

The following communications from the Auditor General were received and read:

July 22, 2004

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary: Performance Audit of Mound Correctional Facility, Department of Corrections
July 2004

July 27, 2004

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary: Performance Audit of Human Resources Management Network (HRMN) Self-Service, Department of Civil Service July 2004

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

The communications were referred to the Clerk and the accompanying reports referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

The Clerk declared the House adjourned until Wednesday, July 28, at 1:00 p.m.

GARY L. RANDALL Clerk of the House of Representatives