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10:00 a.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—present	Simpson—present
Byrnes—present	Griffin—present	Meekhof—present	Smith, Alma—present
Byrum—present	Hammel—present	Meisner—present	Smith, Virgil—excused
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—excused
Cheeks—e/d/s	Hoogendyk—present	Moore—present	Tobocman—excused
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—excused
Corriveau—present	Jackson—present	Palmer—excused	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—present	Knollenberg—present		

e/d/s = entered during session

Rep. Tim Moore, from the 97th District, offered the following invocation:

“Dear Heavenly Father, thank You for bringing us together today to serve. Please bless our troops and those they protect. We also ask for Your blessings upon our families and friends especially those who are ill and those who are in need of Your salvation. May we keep our faith as we represent our constituencies today. Amen.”

Rep. Booher moved that Reps. Palmer, Steil and Ward be excused from today’s session.
The motion prevailed.

Rep. Angerer moved that Reps. Virgil Smith and Tobocman be excused from today’s session.
The motion prevailed.

Rep. Angerer moved that House Committees be given leave to meet during the balance of today’s session.
The motion prevailed.

The Speaker Pro Tempore called Associate Speaker Pro Tempore Byrnes to the Chair.

Quorum Call

Rep. LeBlanc questioned the presence of a quorum and moved that the roll be called and printed in the Journal.
The motion prevailed.

The roll was called and the Clerk announced that a quorum was present.
The following is the roll call:

Roll Call No. 222

Yeas—100

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

Cushingberry
Dean

Jackson
Johnson

Nofs
Opsommer

Wojno
Young

In The Chair: Byrnes

Rep. Angerer moved that Rep. Accavitti be excused temporarily from today's session.
The motion prevailed.

Reports of Standing Committees

The Speaker laid before the House

House Resolution No. 121.

A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to encourage expansion of existing or the construction of new petroleum refineries in the United States to meet our increasing energy needs.

(For text of resolution, see House Journal No. 52, p. 781.)

(The resolution was reported by the Committee on Energy and Technology on June 6, consideration of which, under the rules, was postponed until June 7.)

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The Speaker laid before the House

House Resolution No. 78.

A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact H.R. 1619 or S. 587, to direct the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins to commemorate the Model T Ford.

(For text of resolution, see House Journal No. 39, p. 549.)

(The resolution was reported by the Committee on Government Operations on June 19, consideration of which, under the rules, was postponed until June 20.)

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

The Speaker laid before the House

House Resolution No. 101.

A resolution to urge the United States Congress to oppose the South Korea Free Trade Agreement.

(For text of resolution, see House Journal No. 45, p. 677.)

(The resolution was reported by the Committee on Government Operations on June 19, consideration of which, under the rules, was postponed until June 20.)

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4609, entitled

A bill to amend 1986 PA 268, entitled "Legislative council act," (MCL 4.1101 to 4.1901) by adding section 703.

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

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

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Angerer moved that the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

The motion prevailed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Cheeks entered the House Chambers.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4609, entitled

A bill to amend 1986 PA 268, entitled "Legislative council act," (MCL 4.1101 to 4.1901) by adding section 703.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

Roll Call No. 223

Yeas—101

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

Nays—3

Agema

Garfield

Meltzer

In The Chair: Byrnes

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

Rep. Angerer moved that the bill be given immediate effect.

The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4610, entitled

A bill to amend 1984 PA 431, entitled "The management and budget act," by amending section 442 (MCL 18.1442), as added by 1991 PA 72.

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

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

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Angerer moved that the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

The motion prevailed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4610, entitled

A bill to amend 1984 PA 431, entitled "The management and budget act," by amending section 442 (MCL 18.1442), as added by 1991 PA 72.

Was read a third time and passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

Roll Call No. 224

Yeas—100

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

Nays—4

Agema	Amos	Garfield	Meltzer
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In The Chair: Byrnes

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

Rep. Angerer moved that the bill be given immediate effect.

The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Motions and Resolutions

Rep. Angerer moved to suspend that portion of Rule 41 requiring bills to be handed to the Clerk three hours prior to calling the House to order.

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

Rep. Angerer moved that when the House adjourns today it stand adjourned until Tuesday, June 26, at 10:00 a.m.

The motion prevailed.

Reps. Rick Jones, Agema, Ball, Bauer, Bieda, Booher, Brown, Byrnes, Casperson, Caswell, Clemente, Constan, Cushingberry, Dean, Elsenheimer, Espinoza, Farrah, Garfield, Gillard, Gonzales, Green, Hammel, Hammon, Hansen, Horn, Robert Jones, Lahti, LaJoy, LeBlanc, Leland, Lemmons, Marleau, Mayes, McDowell, Nitz, Pastor, Pavlov, Pearce, Polidori, Proos, Rocca, Scott, Shaffer, Sheltroun, Stahl, Vagnozzi, Valentine and Wojno offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 142.

A resolution to memorialize the United States Congress to investigate issues regarding the high price of gasoline nationally and in Michigan; to identify long-term solutions to sustain lower gasoline prices; and to encourage the development and use of ethanol and biodiesel fuels as well as other emerging alternative energy technologies to lower the market price of gasoline.

Whereas, For the past two years, major oil companies have been racking up record-breaking profits while this nation's motoring public have been paying painfully at the pump. The tremendous profits were widely expected by drivers who have seen the price of gasoline soar in recent months. If gasoline prices continue to rise, then the household budgets of Americans across the nation will be seriously impacted; and

Whereas, The ongoing reports of highly volatile gasoline prices make it difficult for Michigan families to live within a budget. This spring, Michigan had the dubious distinction of having the highest gasoline prices in the country. These gasoline prices make it even harder for Michigan's citizens, already hit by a deteriorating economy, to budget commuting expenses for getting to work or school, or to plan a summer vacation or weekend trip. Tourism is an essential component to Michigan's economy and the price of gasoline directly affects our state's tourism industry. Identifying the reasons that gasoline prices rise so quickly and fall much more slowly is critical to assisting citizens in meeting their energy needs; and

Whereas, Oil industry experts point to a number of factors that cause gasoline prices to rise: increased global demand and lower supplies, refineries having to manufacture more bouquet fuels, and insufficient refinery capacity. Nonetheless, many citizens question the extent of the price increases and suggest the possibility that oil companies are engaging in price fixing or profiteering activities. Citizens are demanding an investigation of the reasons for these extreme prices while asserting that long-term solutions must be found to prevent future recurrences of these price spikes; and

Whereas, One approach to solving this country's energy problems is to invest in alternative forms of energy. Federal energy legislation was adopted in 2005 authorizing the investment of billions of dollars in the production and use of alternative fuels such as ethanol and biodiesel. By supporting the domestic production and use of these alternative fuels, and promoting investment in research for other emerging alternative energy technologies, we can make vehicle fuels more affordable and reduce our reliance on foreign oil supplies; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we memorialize the United States Congress to investigate issues regarding the high price of gasoline nationally and in Michigan; to identify long-term solutions to lower gasoline prices; and to encourage the development and use of ethanol and biodiesel fuels as well as other emerging alternative energy technologies to lower the market price of gasoline; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and the members of the Michigan Congressional delegation.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Reps. Sheltroun, Stahl, Bieda, Accavitti, Ball, Booher, Brown, Byrnes, Clack, Constan, Cushingberry, Dean, Elsenheimer, Espinoza, Farrah, Garfield, Gillard, Gonzales, Green, Hammel, Hammon, Hansen, Horn, Rick Jones, Robert Jones, Lahti, LeBlanc, Leland, Lemmons, Marleau, Mayes, McDowell, Melton, Nitz, Pearce, Polidori, Proos, Sak, Shaffer, Spade, Vagnozzi and Wojno offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 143.

A resolution recognizing July 1 - 7, 2007, as Dietary Manager's Association Week in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, Certified Dietary Managers (CDMs) work in hundreds of healthcare facilities across the state and in thousands across the entire nation; and

Whereas, CDMs provide foodservice safety and sanitation protection for all types of facilities. They work in hospitals, Veterans Administration facilities, nursing homes, schools and other non-commercial foodservice settings; and

Whereas, CDMs are a diverse group of professionals. There are CDMs from around the globe and of all ethnic backgrounds. They are of all different ages, ranging from the young, students with proctors, to the elder baby boomers now beginning retirement; and

Whereas, CDMs are certified by, to name a few, the University of Florida in Gainesville, University of North Dakota, University of California and Lansing Community College; and

Whereas, CDMs attend seminars throughout the year to keep them updated with the latest foodservice industry changes. They receive an additional certification of "CFPP" (Certified Food Protection Professionals) which expands on the safety and sanitation aspects of the entire foodservice industry. CDMs are also certified in ServSafe, a program designed to provide additional safety and protection to the thousands of residents that they support in foodservice areas; and

Whereas, CDMs have continual online communication with the networks of the foodservice industry. This provides them with information regarding state regulations and any changes that need to be addressed; and

Whereas, CDMs have been a growing industry for decades and it is time that they are congratulated for all the dedication they have shown every day of the year in all of the facilities where they monitor the safety of foodservice; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body recognize July 1 - 7, 2007, as Dietary Manager's Association Week in the state of Michigan.

Pending the reference of the resolution to a committee,

Rep. Angerer 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 that the following bills and joint resolution had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Thursday, June 21:

House Bill Nos. 4956 4957 4958 4959 4960 4961 4962

House Joint Resolution Q

Senate Bill Nos. 595 596 597 598 599 600

The Clerk announced that the following Senate bill had been received on Thursday, June 21:

Senate Bill No. 561

Reports of Standing Committees

The Committee on Appropriations, by Rep. Cushingberry, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4501, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending sections 321 and 2543 (MCL 600.321 and 600.2543), section 321 as amended by 2005 PA 326 and section 2543 as amended by 2004 PA 328.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Cushingberry, Gillard, Bauer, Bennett, Byrnes, Cheeks, Espinoza, Gonzales, Hammel, Jackson, Lahti, LeBlanc, McDowell, Alma Smith, Spade, Vagnozzi and Nofs

Nays: Reps. Acciavatti, Shaffer, Amos, Booher, Caul, Hansen, Proos, Agema and Moss

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Wednesday, June 20, 2007

Present: Reps. Cushingberry, Gillard, Bauer, Bennett, Byrnes, Cheeks, Espinoza, Gonzales, Hammel, Hood, Jackson, Lahti, LeBlanc, McDowell, Sak, Alma Smith, Spade, Vagnozzi, Acciavatti, Shaffer, Brandenburg, Amos, Booher, Caul, Hansen, Proos, Agema, Moss and Nofs

Absent: Rep. Caswell

Excused: Rep. Caswell

The Committee on Health Policy, by Rep. Angerer, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4132, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding part 54B.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-3) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Hune, Marleau, Green and Calley

Nays: None

The Committee on Health Policy, by Rep. Angerer, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4240, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding part 54B.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-2) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Hune, Marleau, Green and Calley

Nays: None

The Committee on Health Policy, by Rep. Angerer, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4399, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 5480.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Hune, Marleau, Green and Calley

Nays: None

The Committee on Health Policy, by Rep. Angerer, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4936, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending section 5474a (MCL 333.5474a), as added by 2004 PA 431.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-3) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Hune, Marleau, Green and Calley

Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Angerer, Chair, of the Committee on Health Policy, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Thursday, June 21, 2007

Present: Reps. Angerer, Simpson, Byrum, Clack, Corriveau, Coulouris, Donigan, Hammon, Robert Jones, Valentine, Wojno, Gaffney, Hune, Marleau, Green, Ball and Calley

Absent: Rep. Ward

Excused: Rep. Ward

The Committee on Transportation, by Rep. Hopgood, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4536, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 710e (MCL 257.710e), as amended by 1999 PA 29.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl and Knollenberg

Nays: None

The Committee on Transportation, by Rep. Hopgood, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4537, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 909 (MCL 257.909), as amended by 2000 PA 94, and by adding section 710h.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl and Knollenberg

Nays: None

The Committee on Transportation, by Rep. Hopgood, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4538, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 907 (MCL 257.907), as amended by 2006 PA 298.

Without amendment and with the recommendation that the bill pass.

The bill was referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl and Knollenberg

Nays: None

The Committee on Transportation, by Rep. Hopgood, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4939, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 710d (MCL 257.710d), as amended by 1999 PA 29.

Without amendment and with the recommendation that the bill pass.

The bill was referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl and Knollenberg

Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Thursday, June 21, 2007

Present: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl and Knollenberg

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Thursday, June 21, 2007

Present: Reps. Mayes, Brown, Kathleen Law, Leland, Sheltrown, Walker, Nitz, Ball and Meekhof

Absent: Reps. Byrum and Angerer

Excused: Reps. Byrum and Angerer

Messages from the Senate

House Bill No. 4851, entitled

A bill to amend 1975 PA 222, entitled "Higher education loan authority act," by amending section 4 (MCL 390.1154), as amended by 1989 PA 127.

The Senate has substituted (S-1) the bill.

The Senate has passed the bill as substituted (S-1), 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.

Senate Bill No. 561, entitled

A bill to amend 1971 PA 140, entitled "Glenn Steil state revenue sharing act of 1971," by amending section 12a (MCL 141.912a), as amended by 1998 PA 532.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of
Announcement by the Clerk of Printing and Enrollment

The Clerk announced the enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor on Thursday, June 21, for her approval of the following bills:

Enrolled House Bill No. 4261 at 3:05 p.m.

Enrolled House Bill No. 4556 at 3:07 p.m.

Introduction of Bills

Reps. Sheltroun and Condino introduced

House Bill No. 4963, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 299, entitled "Occupational code," by amending section 2505 (MCL 339.2505), as amended by 2003 PA 196.

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

Reps. Condino, Kathleen Law, Tobocman, Byrnes, Vagnozzi, Miller, Alma Smith, Leland, Angerer, Donigan, Bieda, Scott, Warren, Polidori, Dean and Meadows introduced

House Bill No. 4964, entitled

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," (MCL 760.1 to 777.69) by adding sections 32 and 33 to chapter IX.

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

Reps. Walker, Palsrok, Casperson, Elsenheimer, McDowell, Lahti, Sheltroun and Moolenaar introduced

House Bill No. 4965, entitled

A bill to authorize the state administrative board to convey certain interests in property in Kalkaska county; and to provide for disposition of the revenue derived from the conveyance.

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

Rep. LeBlanc introduced

House Bill No. 4966, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 803b (MCL 257.803b), as amended by 2004 PA 426.

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

Reps. Garfield, Meltzer, Robertson, Sheen, Rick Jones, Nofs and Hoogendyk introduced

House Bill No. 4967, entitled

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," by amending section 24f (MCL 211.24f), as amended by 2000 PA 244.

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

Reps. Garfield, Meltzer, Palsrok, Casperson, LaJoy, Horn, Robertson, Sheen, Rick Jones, Farrah, Mayes, Accavitti, Nofs, Gaffney, Moolenaar, Caul and Hoogendyk introduced

House Bill No. 4968, entitled

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967," by amending section 30 (MCL 206.30), as amended by 2005 PA 214.

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

Rep. Young introduced

House Bill No. 4969, entitled

A bill to amend 1984 PA 431, entitled "The management and budget act," by amending section 261 (MCL 18.1261), as amended by 2006 PA 622.

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

Reps. Lemmons and Cushingberry introduced

House Bill No. 4970, entitled

A bill to amend 2000 PA 92, entitled "Food law of 2000," (MCL 289.1101 to 289.8111) by adding section 6150.

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

Reps. Bieda, Condino and Warren introduced

House Bill No. 4971, entitled

A bill to amend 2000 PA 92, entitled "Food law of 2000," (MCL 289.1101 to 289.8111) by adding section 4116a.

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

Reps. Bieda, Condino and Warren introduced

House Bill No. 4972, entitled

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled "Michigan liquor control code of 1998," (MCL 436.1101 to 436.2303) by adding section 916a.

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

Reps. Miller, Accavitti, Kathleen Law and Constan introduced

House Bill No. 4973, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 267, entitled "Open meetings act," by amending section 3 (MCL 15.263), as amended by 1988 PA 278.

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

Reps. Sheltroun and Caswell introduced

House Bill No. 4974, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending sections 722 and 724 (MCL 257.722 and 257.724), section 722 as amended by 2006 PA 658 and section 724 as amended by 2005 PA 179.

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

Rep. Ball introduced

House Bill No. 4975, entitled

A bill to amend 1943 PA 240, entitled "State employees' retirement act," by amending sections 17m and 20d (MCL 38.17m and 38.20d), section 17m as added by 1998 PA 205 and section 20d as amended by 2002 PA 93.

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

Rep. Ball introduced

House Bill No. 4976, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 300, entitled "The public school employees retirement act of 1979," by amending sections 69, 69c, 69f, 75, and 91 (MCL 38.1369, 38.1369c, 38.1369f, 38.1375, and 38.1391), sections 69, 69c, and 75 as amended and section 69f as added by 1989 PA 194 and section 91 as amended by 2004 PA 117.

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

Rep. Polidori introduced

House Bill No. 4977, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 300, entitled "The public school employees retirement act of 1979," by amending section 73 (MCL 38.1373), as amended by 1989 PA 194.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs and Homeland Security.

Reps. Calley and Elsenheimer introduced

House Joint Resolution R, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending section 54 of article IV and section 30 of article V, to modify term limits for certain elected state offices.

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

Reps. Caul, Moore, Gaffney, Booher, Nofs, Ball, Sheen, Stakoe, Sheltroun, Meadows and Hansen introduced

House Joint Resolution S, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending section 1 of article II, to provide that at a primary election a citizen who will be 18 years of age on or before the date of the next November election and who is otherwise qualified to vote may vote at that primary election.

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

Reps. LeBlanc, Alma Smith, Griffin, Miller, Tobocman, Corriveau, Johnson, Hammel, Meadows, Hammon, Kathleen Law, Simpson, Clack, Vagnozzi, Polidori, Gonzales, Meisner, Angerer, Sak, Bieda, Condino, Donigan, Wojno, Byrnes, Lindberg, Brown, Bennett, Valentine, Espinoza, Cushingberry, Ebli, Lemmons, Sheltroun, Bauer, Gillard and Mayes introduced

House Joint Resolution T, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending sections 2, 3, and 6 of article IV, to modify congressional and legislative apportionment and districting.

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

Rep. Hopgood moved that the House adjourn.
The motion prevailed, the time being 4:50 p.m.

Associate Speaker Pro Tempore Byrnes declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, June 26, at 10:00 a.m.

RICHARD J. BROWN
Clerk of the House of Representatives

