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1:30 p.m.

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

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

Agema—present	Durhal—present	Lahti—present	Proos—present
Amash—present	Ebli—present	LeBlanc—present	Roberts—present
Angerer—present	Elsenheimer—present	Leland—present	Rocca—present
Ball—present	Espinoza—present	Lemmons—present	Rogers—present
Barnett—present	Geiss—present	Lindberg—present	Schmidt, R.—present
Bauer—present	Genetski—present	Lipton—present	Schmidt, W.—present
Bennett—present	Gonzales—present	Liss—present	Schuitmaker—present
Bledsoe—present	Green—present	Lori—present	Scott, B.—present
Bolger—present	Gregory—present	Lund—present	Scott, P.—present
Booher—present	Griffin—present	Marleau—present	Scripps—present
Brown, L.—present	Haase—present	Mayes—present	Segal—present
Brown, T.—present	Haines—present	McDowell—present	Sheltrown—present
Byrnes—present	Hammel—present	McMillin—present	Simpson—excused
Byrum—present	Hansen—present	Meadows—present	Slavens—present
Calley—present	Haugh—present	Meekhof—present	Slezak—present
Caul—present	Haveman—present	Melton—present	Smith—present
Clemente—present	Hildenbrand—present	Meltzer—present	Spade—present
Constan—present	Horn—present	Miller—present	Stamas—present
Corriveau—present	Huckleberry—present	Moore—present	Stanley—present
Coulouris—present	Jackson—present	Moss—present	Switalski—present
Crawford—present	Johnson—present	Nathan—present	Tlaib—present
Cushingberry—present	Jones, Rick—present	Nerat—present	Tyler—present
Daley—present	Jones, Robert—present	Neumann—present	Valentine—present
Dean—present	Kandrevas—present	Opsommer—present	Walsh—present
Denby—present	Kennedy—present	Pavlov—present	Warren—present
DeShazor—present	Knollenberg—present	Pearce—present	Womack—present
Dillon—present	Kowall—present	Polidori—present	Young—present
Donigan—present	Kurtz—present		

e/d/s = entered during session

Rep. Terry L. Brown, from the 84th District, offered the following invocation:

“Dearest Heavenly Father, we are so thankful that You have joined us here as we gather together this day to do the work of the state. We are mindful of those many needs that are around us. We are mindful of the abilities that You have entrusted in us. Help us to work together, to build Michigan, to build our families, to build a future that people can look forward to. Help us to go forth in all of our duties and deliberations, in a way that would be pleasing to You and pleasing to our constituents. We ask these things in Jesus’ name, Amen.”

Rep. Roberts moved that Rep. Simpson be excused from today’s session.
The motion prevailed.

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4436, entitled

A bill to make appropriations for the department of community health and certain state purposes related to mental health, public health, and medical services for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010; to provide for the expenditure of those appropriations; to create funds; to require and provide for reports; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain local and state agencies and departments; and to provide for disposition of fees and other income received by the various state agencies.

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

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

Rep. McDowell moved to substitute (H-5) the bill.

The motion prevailed and the substitute (H-5) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. McDowell moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 13, line 7, by striking out “5,157,400” and inserting “5,182,400”.
2. Amend page 13, line 16, by striking out “\$6,268,200” and inserting “\$6,293,200” and adjusting the subtotals, totals, and section 201 accordingly.

3. Amend page 71, following line 2, by inserting:

“Sec. 1115. (1) The department shall collaborate with the department of education and the department of human services on the statewide before- or after-school program for elementary school-aged children established under section 32n of the state school aid act of 1979, 1979 PA 94, MCL 388.1632n.

(2) The department shall collaborate with the department of education, the department of human services, the department of energy, labor and economic growth, and the department of history, arts and libraries to extend the duration of the Michigan after-school partnership and oversee its efforts to implement the policy recommendations and strategic next steps identified in the Michigan after-school initiative’s report of December 15, 2003.

(3) From the funds appropriated in part 1 for special projects, \$25,000.00 shall be allocated for the programs described in subsections (1) and (2).”.

The motion prevailed and the amendments were adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Angerer moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 70, line 27, by striking out “Detroit Medical Center for an autism center” and inserting “autism center of Michigan”.

2. Amend page 71, line 1, after “the” by striking out “recipient hospital system” and inserting “autism center of Michigan”.

3. Amend page 71, line 2, after “funding” by striking out “for the autism center”.

The motion prevailed and the amendments were adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4436, entitled

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

Roll Call No. 164

Yeas—65

Angerer	Durhal	LeBlanc	Rocca
Barnett	Ebli	Leland	Schmidt, R.
Bauer	Espinoza	Lemmons	Scott, B.
Bennett	Geiss	Lindberg	Segal
Bledsoe	Gonzales	Lipton	Sheltrown
Brown, L.	Gregory	Liss	Slavens
Brown, T.	Haase	Mayes	Slezak
Byrnes	Hammel	McDowell	Smith
Byrum	Haugh	Meadows	Spade
Clemente	Huckleberry	Melton	Stanley
Constan	Jackson	Miller	Switalski
Corriveau	Johnson	Nathan	Tlaib
Coulouris	Jones, Robert	Nerat	Valentine
Cushingberry	Kandrevas	Neumann	Warren
Dean	Kennedy	Polidori	Womack
Dillon	Lahti	Roberts	Young
Donigan			

Nays—44

Agema	Elsenheimer	Kowall	Pavlov
Amash	Genetski	Kurtz	Pearce
Ball	Green	Lori	Proos
Bolger	Griffin	Lund	Rogers
Booher	Haines	Marleau	Schmidt, W.
Calley	Hansen	McMillin	Schuitmaker
Caul	Haveman	Meekhof	Scott, P.
Crawford	Hildenbrand	Meltzer	Scripps
Daley	Horn	Moore	Stamas
Denby	Jones, Rick	Moss	Tyler
DeShazor	Knollenberg	Opsommer	Walsh

In The Chair: Byrnes

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

Reps. Meekhof, Agema, Hildenbrand and Haines, having reserved the right to explain their protest against the passage of the bill, made the following statement:

“Mr. Speaker and members of the House:

While I support many programs in this budget, I cannot support it because it is based on numbers we already know are faulty.

We are facing a \$1.6 billion budget shortfall next year and a nearly \$800 million shortfall this year, and the problem is growing larger all the time because the state is taking in \$5 million-a-day less than expected.

This budget not only fails to address our structural budget shortfall, it actually adds to it by spending nearly \$300 million more than the governor’s recommendation for new and expanded programs.

There are many lawmakers who want to take the easy way out by using federal stimulus funds to fill our budget hole, but this is a bad idea because a year or two from now when the money is gone, all we will have to show for it is another budget deficit and more national debt. Stimulus funds must be used to create jobs.

We need to make real reforms now and reduce spending now. If we don’t get our budget mess under control, we can’t do the things we need to do to attract jobs to our state and fix our economy.

For these reasons, I cannot support this bill at this time.”

Rep. Genetski, having reserved the right to explain his protest against the passage of the bill, made the following statement:

“Mr. Speaker and members of the House:

I respectfully can not vote for a budget that is \$300 million dollars more in spending than the governor asked for in a year during which the state has almost an \$800 deficit.”

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4277, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 11503, 11514, and 11539 (MCL 324.11503, 324.11514, and 324.11539), section 11503 as amended by 2007 PA 212 and section 11514 as amended by 2008 PA 394.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-2) previously recommended by the Committee on Great Lakes and Environment,

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

Rep. Meekhof moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 5, line 21, after “not” by inserting “**KNOWINGLY**”.
2. Amend page 5, line 22, after “landfill,” by inserting “**KNOWINGLY**”.
3. Amend page 7, line 4, after “**NOT**” by inserting “**KNOWINGLY**”.
4. Amend page 7, line 6, after “**INCINERATOR,**” by inserting “**KNOWINGLY**”.
5. Amend page 7, line 9, after “**NOT**” by inserting “**KNOWINGLY**”.
6. Amend page 7, line 11, after “**INCINERATOR,**” by inserting “**KNOWINGLY**”.

The motion did not prevail and the amendments were not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor.

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4277, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 11503, 11514, and 11539 (MCL 324.11503, 324.11514, and 324.11539), section 11503 as amended by 2007 PA 212 and section 11514 as amended by 2008 PA 394.

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

Roll Call No. 165**Yeas—66**

Angerer	Donigan	LeBlanc	Schmidt, R.
Barnett	Durhal	Leland	Scott, B.
Bauer	Ebli	Lemmons	Scripps
Bennett	Espinoza	Lindberg	Segal
Bledsoe	Geiss	Lipton	Sheltrown
Brown, L.	Gonzales	Liss	Slavens
Brown, T.	Gregory	Mayes	Slezak
Byrnes	Haase	McDowell	Smith
Byrum	Hammel	Meadows	Spade
Clemente	Haugh	Melton	Stanley
Constan	Huckleberry	Miller	Switalski
Corriveau	Jackson	Nathan	Tlaib
Coulouris	Johnson	Nerat	Valentine
Cushingberry	Jones, Robert	Neumann	Warren
Dean	Kandrevas	Polidori	Womack
DeShazor	Kennedy	Roberts	Young
Dillon	Lahti		

Nays—43

Agema	Genetski	Kurtz	Pearce
Amash	Green	Lori	Proos
Ball	Griffin	Lund	Rocca
Bolger	Haines	Marleau	Rogers
Booher	Hansen	McMillin	Schmidt, W.
Calley	Haveman	Meekhof	Schuitmaker
Caul	Hildenbrand	Meltzer	Scott, P.
Crawford	Horn	Moore	Stamas
Daley	Jones, Rick	Moss	Tyler
Denby	Knollenberg	Opsommer	Walsh
Elsenheimer	Kowall	Pavlov	

In The Chair: Byrnes

The question being on agreeing to the title of the bill,

Rep. Roberts moved to amend the title to read as follows:

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 11503, 11514, 11527a, and 11539 (MCL 324.11503, 324.11514, 324.11527a, and 324.11539), section 11503 as amended by 2007 PA 212, section 11514 as amended by 2008 PA 394, and section 11527a as added by 2004 PA 42.

The motion prevailed.

The House agreed to the title as amended.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4278, entitled**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending section 17201 (MCL 324.17201), as amended by 2006 PA 494, and by adding section 17208.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-2) previously recommended by the Committee on Great Lakes and Environment,

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

Rep. Meekhof moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 1, line 1, after "17201." by inserting "(1)".
2. Amend page 3, following line 25, by inserting:

"(2) THE LEGISLATURE FINDS THAT MERCURY CAN BE A HARMFUL SUBSTANCE WHEN ABUSED AND DISPOSED OF IMPROPERLY. HOWEVER, IT MUST BE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT MERCURY IS ALSO A BENEFICIAL COMPONENT IN CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTALLY CONSCIOUS ITEMS, LIKE COMPACT FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS. BECAUSE OF THIS FINDING, FUTURE MERCURY USE AND REGULATION MUST BE BALANCED IN A WAY THAT ALLOWS FOR ITS BENEFICIAL USES, WHILE AT THE SAME TIME PROTECTING THIS STATE'S NATURAL RESOURCES."

The motion did not prevail and the amendments were not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor.

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4278, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 17201 (MCL 324.17201), as amended by 2006 PA 494, and by adding section 17208.

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

Roll Call No. 166

Yeas—79

Angerer	Durhal	Kennedy	Schmidt, W.
Ball	Ebli	Lahti	Schuitmaker
Barnett	Espinoza	LeBlanc	Scott, B.
Bauer	Geiss	Leland	Scott, P.
Bennett	Gonzales	Lemmons	Scripps
Bledsoe	Gregory	Lindberg	Segal
Bolger	Griffin	Lipton	Sheltrown
Brown, L.	Haase	Liss	Slavens
Brown, T.	Haines	Mayes	Slezak
Byrnes	Hammel	McDowell	Smith
Byrum	Hansen	Meadows	Spade
Clemente	Haugh	Melton	Stanley
Constan	Hildenbrand	Miller	Switalski
Corriveau	Horn	Nathan	Tlaib
Coulouris	Huckleberry	Nerat	Tyler
Cushingberry	Jackson	Neumann	Valentine
Dean	Johnson	Polidori	Warren
DeShazor	Jones, Rick	Roberts	Womack
Dillon	Jones, Robert	Rocca	Young
Donigan	Kandrevas	Schmidt, R.	

Nays—30

Agema	Elsenheimer	Lund	Opsommer
Amash	Genetski	Marleau	Pavlov
Booher	Green	McMillin	Pearce
Calley	Haveman	Meekhof	Proos
Caul	Knollenberg	Meltzer	Rogers

Crawford
Daley
Denby

Kowall
Kurtz
Lori

Moore
Moss

Stamas
Walsh

In The Chair: Byrnes

The House agreed to the title of the bill.
Rep. Roberts moved that the bill be given immediate effect.
The motion prevailed, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Agema, having reserved the right to explain his protest against the passage of the bill, made the following statement:

“Mr. Speaker and members of the House:

Protecting our environment must be a top priority, but current law has already widely eliminated mercury use and the hazards it presents.

The evidence offered in committee that this legislation will do anything more to protect our environment is inconclusive; I have severe doubts that these burdensome regulations will have any affect on the little remaining mercury that is out there.

More to the point, I am disappointed that the Democrat majority is grandstanding on non-issues for the publicity they provide rather than focusing on the most pressing issues facing our state.

Michigan has had the highest unemployment rate in the nation for 18 out of the past 19 months. Families are looking to the Capitol for real solutions - we need to focus on fixing our economy and getting our state back on track.

For these reasons I cannot support this bill at this time.”

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4279, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 17209.

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

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

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4279, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 17209.

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

Roll Call No. 167

Yeas—85

Angerer
Ball
Barnett

Elsenheimer
Espinoza
Geiss

Leland
Lemmons
Lindberg

Schmidt, R.
Schmidt, W.
Schuitmaker

Bauer	Gonzales	Lipton	Scott, B.
Bennett	Gregory	Liss	Scott, P.
Bledsoe	Griffin	Marleau	Scripps
Bolger	Haase	Mayes	Segal
Brown, L.	Haines	McDowell	Sheltrown
Brown, T.	Hammel	Meadows	Slavens
Byrnes	Hansen	Melton	Slezak
Byrum	Haugh	Meltzer	Smith
Clemente	Hildenbrand	Miller	Spade
Constan	Huckleberry	Moore	Stanley
Corriveau	Jackson	Moss	Switalski
Coulouris	Johnson	Nathan	Tlaib
Cushingberry	Jones, Rick	Nerat	Tyler
Dean	Jones, Robert	Neumann	Valentine
DeShazor	Kandrevas	Polidori	Walsh
Dillon	Kennedy	Proos	Warren
Donigan	Lahti	Roberts	Womack
Durhal	LeBlanc	Rocca	Young
Ebli			

Nays—24

Agema	Daley	Knollenberg	Meekhof
Amash	Denby	Kowall	Opsommer
Booher	Genetski	Kurtz	Pavlov
Calley	Green	Lori	Pearce
Caul	Haveman	Lund	Rogers
Crawford	Horn	McMillin	Stamas

In The Chair: Byrnes

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

Rep. Agema, having reserved the right to explain his protest against the passage of the bill, made the following statement:

“Mr. Speaker and members of the House:

This bill was tie barred to another bill that was not necessary. While this bill is not bad, the other was.”

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4280, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 17211.

The bill was read a second time.

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4280, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 17211.

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

Roll Call No. 168

Yeas—80

Angerer	Durhal	Lahti	Rocca
Ball	Ebli	LeBlanc	Schmidt, R.
Barnett	Espinoza	Leland	Schuitmaker
Bauer	Geiss	Lemmons	Scott, B.
Bennett	Gonzales	Lindberg	Scott, P.
Bledsoe	Gregory	Lipton	Scripps
Bolger	Griffin	Liss	Segal
Brown, L.	Haase	Mayes	Sheltrown
Brown, T.	Haines	McDowell	Slavens
Byrnes	Hammel	Meadows	Slezak
Byrum	Hansen	Melton	Smith
Clemente	Haugh	Miller	Spade
Constan	Hildenbrand	Moss	Stanley
Corriveau	Huckleberry	Nathan	Switalski
Coulouris	Jackson	Nerat	Tlaib
Cushingberry	Johnson	Neumann	Tyler
Dean	Jones, Rick	Opsommer	Valentine
DeShazor	Jones, Robert	Polidori	Warren
Dillon	Kandrevas	Proos	Womack
Donigan	Kennedy	Roberts	Young

Nays—29

Agema	Elsenheimer	Kurtz	Moore
Amash	Genetski	Lori	Pavlov
Booher	Green	Lund	Pearce
Calley	Haveman	Marleau	Rogers
Caul	Horn	McMillin	Schmidt, W.
Crawford	Knollenberg	Meekhof	Stamas
Daley	Kowall	Meltzer	Walsh
Denby			

In The Chair: Byrnes

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4281, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending section 17201 (MCL 324.17201), as amended by 2006 PA 494, and by adding sections 17210, 17215, and 17217.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-2) previously recommended by the Committee on Great Lakes and Environment,

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

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Roberts 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. 4281, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 17201 (MCL 324.17201), as amended by 2006 PA 494, and by adding sections 17210, 17215, and 17217.

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

Roll Call No. 169

Yeas—80

Angerer	Durhal	Lahti	Schmidt, R.
Ball	Ebli	LeBlanc	Schmidt, W.
Barnett	Espinoza	Leland	Schuitmaker
Bauer	Geiss	Lemmons	Scott, B.
Bennett	Gonzales	Lindberg	Scott, P.
Bledsoe	Gregory	Lipton	Scripps
Bolger	Griffin	Liss	Segal
Brown, L.	Haase	Marleau	Sheltrown
Brown, T.	Haines	Mayes	Slavens
Byrnes	Hammel	McDowell	Slezak
Byrum	Hansen	Meadows	Smith
Clemente	Haugh	Melton	Spade
Constan	Hildenbrand	Miller	Stanley
Corriveau	Huckleberry	Nathan	Switalski
Coulouris	Jackson	Nerat	Tlaib
Cushingberry	Johnson	Neumann	Tyler
Dean	Jones, Rick	Polidori	Valentine
DeShazor	Jones, Robert	Proos	Warren
Dillon	Kandreas	Roberts	Womack
Donigan	Kennedy	Rocca	Young

Nays—29

Agema	Elsenheimer	Kurtz	Moss
Amash	Genetski	Lori	Opsommer
Booher	Green	Lund	Pavlov
Calley	Haveman	McMillin	Pearce
Caul	Horn	Meekhof	Rogers
Crawford	Knollenberg	Meltzer	Stamas
Daley	Kowall	Moore	Walsh
Denby			

In The Chair: Byrnes

The question being on agreeing to the title of the bill,

Rep. Roberts moved to amend the title to read as follows:

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding sections 17210, 17215, and 17217.

The motion prevailed.

The House agreed to the title as amended.

Rep. Roberts 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

Reps. Slavens, Switalski, Roberts, Tlaib, Lisa Brown, Huckleberry, Barnett, Constan, Liss, Haugh, Haase, Cushingberry, Geiss, Kennedy, Womack, Slezak, Kandrevas, Scripps, Robert Jones, Griffin, Byrum, Coulouris, Corriveau, Donigan, Terry Brown, Dean, Durhal, Gonzales, Gregory, Lemmons, Lipton, Meadows, Miller, Opsommer, Rogers, Spade, Valentine, Warren and Espinoza offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 73.

A resolution recognizing April 16, 2009, as World Voice Day in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, It is estimated that nearly seven million Americans suffer from some form of voice disorder; and

Whereas, Voice disorders can impact the everyday lives of those affected by inhibiting their ability to effectively express themselves; and

Whereas, There are many ways in which people can conserve their voice and prevent the development of voice disorders, including keeping hydrated, minimizing activities causing vocal strain such as yelling, warming up before heavy vocal use, using appropriate breath support, using amplification, and paying attention to voice cues; and

Whereas, It is important to draw state, national, and international awareness to the existence of voice disorders and the availability of services provided by otolaryngologist- head and neck surgeons - the only medical doctor specifically trained to treat the ear, nose, throat, head and neck - as well as other specialized providers for the amelioration of these disorders; and

Whereas, Every year on April 16, otolaryngologists, who are head and neck surgeons, and other voice health professionals worldwide join together to recognize World Voice Day, an international celebration of the human voice established to help raise public and professional awareness about voice disorders; and

Whereas, World Voice Day, sponsored in the U.S. by the American Academy of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery, encourages men and women, young and old, to assess their vocal health and take action to improve or maintain good voice habits; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body recognize April 16, 2009, as World Voice Day in the state of Michigan; and be it further

Resolved, That we encourage all citizens to practice techniques that may help prevent the onset of a voice disorder or to visit an otolaryngologist if they are suffering from a voice disorder.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Warren, Smith, Meadows, Scripps, Roberts, Geiss, Segal, Ebli, Lipton, Lisa Brown, Bauer, Terry Brown, Constan, Dean, Durhal, Gonzales, Gregory, Rick Jones, Robert Jones, Lemmons, Miller, Opsommer, Rogers, Slavens, Valentine, Espinoza and Marleau offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 74.

A resolution to memorialize Congress to rewrite the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).

Whereas, Global chemical production is expected to increase four-fold by the year 2050. The chemical industry in the United States currently produces or imports 42 billion pounds of chemical substances per day for use in industrial processes and commercial products. As an industrial center, chemical manufacturers and industrial users of chemicals are important contributors to Michigan's economy; and

Whereas, Many of these useful substances can be hazardous to human health or the environment in certain instances. A study conducted by the United States Centers for Disease Control regularly documents the presence of countless hazardous chemicals in the blood, tissues, and other body fluids of children and adults living in every corner of the United States. Workplace exposures to hazardous chemicals are known to cause chronic disease and shorten life expectancy. Minority, immigrant, and low-income populations are often at greater risk from hazardous chemical exposures because of where they work and live; and

Whereas, Congress enacted the Toxic Substances Control Act in 1976 to regulate chemicals with the intention of preventing new hazards and mitigating existing hazards. Critical analyses conducted by the National Academy of Sciences, U.S. General Accounting Office, U.S. Government Accountability Office, and other entities have found that the federal law has fallen short of its objectives to assess chemical hazards and control those of greatest concern. Critics conclude the federal law needs to be updated to make more effective use of market and regulatory forces that drive investment, research, and education in green chemistry. The update is also needed to keep pace with actions by individual states and members of the European Union that are driving global interest in green chemistry; and

Whereas, The United States has an opportunity to address longstanding weaknesses in federal law and modernize the regulatory approach to position the nation and Michigan to capitalize on green chemistry initiatives. Requirements to generate and disclose information used in hazard assessments should be strengthened. Hazard assessments should identify chemicals that may be safer substitutes for other chemicals and identify chemicals with the greatest potential or actual risks to public health, particularly vulnerable populations, and the environment. Mechanisms to motivate investment in industrial and commercial application of green chemistry, including technology development and transfer, education, and technical assistance, should also be included in a rewrite of the federal law; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we memorialize Congress to rewrite the Toxic Substances Control Act; 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 Great Lakes and Environment.

Reps. Neumann, Terry Brown, Espinoza, Polidori, Bauer, Lisa Brown, Calley, Constan, Dean, Durhal, Geiss, Gonzales, Green, Gregory, Rick Jones, Robert Jones, Lemmons, Lipton, Mayes, Meadows, Miller, Opsommer, Pearce, Proos, Rogers, Scripps, Segal, Slavens, Spade, Stanley, Switalski, Valentine, Warren, Booher and Marleau offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 75.

A resolution commemorating May 2009 as Children's Mental Health Month in Michigan.

Whereas, Healthy Michigan families and children are two of our state's most valuable resources; and

Whereas, Mental health is a key component in a child's healthy development; and

Whereas, Emotional and mental disorders in children are real and treatable; and

Whereas, There are effective treatments, services, and supports that can help children and youth with mental health problems and those at risk to thrive and live successfully; and

Whereas, Children and youth with mental health challenges are best assisted by communities pulling together to form a system of care using the principles of family-driven, youth-guided, and culturally-appropriate supports; and

Whereas, Stigma associated with mental illness should no longer exist; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body commemorate May 2009 as Children's Mental Health Month in Michigan. We express our support for the proactive leadership of the Michigan Department of Community Health, the Association for Children's Mental Health, Michigan health care providers, quality improvement partners, and consumer advocates in the delivery of effective mental health services in Michigan; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Michigan Department of Community Health and the Association for Children's Mental Health as a token of our highest esteem.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Polidori, Meadows, Spade, Hammel, Constan, Lipton, Paul Scott, Gonzales, Ball, Rick Jones, Ebli, Geiss, Slavens, LeBlanc, Bennett, Clemente, Terry Brown, Neumann, Booher, Hansen, Proos, Rocca, McDowell, Scripps, Bauer, Byrum, Womack, Cushingberry, Dean, Genetski, Valentine, Espinoza, Moore, Haveman, Lahti, Nerat, Sheltroun, Lindberg, Melton, Haugh, Angerer, Dillon, Leland, Lemmons, Roy Schmidt, Smith, Warren, Griffin, Corriveau, Kandreas, Tlaib, Segal, Gregory, Liss, Durhal, Young, Robert Jones, Nathan, Roberts, Lisa Brown, Donigan, Kennedy, Bettie Scott, Calley, Green, Horn, Kurtz, Lori, Mayes, Meltzer, Miller, Opsommer, Pearce, Rogers, Stanley, Switalski, Tyler, Knollenberg and Marleau offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 76.

A resolution recognizing May 2009 as Relay For Life Month in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, More than 51,000 Michigan residents are likely to be diagnosed with cancer in 2009, and more than 20,000 Michigan residents are expected to die from cancer this year. One in three Americans will be diagnosed with cancer in their lifetimes; and

Whereas, The American Cancer Society is the nationwide community-based voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives and diminishing suffering from cancer through research, education, advocacy and service; and

Whereas, Relay For Life, sponsored by the American Cancer Society, will celebrate and honor Michigan residents and their families who have been touched by cancer; and

Whereas, Relay For Life began in 1985 when Dr. Gordon Klatt, a Tacoma, Washington surgeon and American Cancer Society volunteer, ran and walked on a local track for 24 hours; and

Whereas, This signature event of the American Cancer Society has raised more than \$2.5 billion since 1985; and

Whereas, Held throughout the state of Michigan, Relay For Life is a community affair that presents an opportunity for residents to join with family and friends to fight cancer; and

Whereas, This year, scores of Relay For Life events will take place throughout the state of Michigan, with thousands of Michiganders running and walking in teams for 24 consecutive hours, which will raise both money and public awareness; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body recognize and celebrate May 2009 as Relay For Life Month in the state of Michigan; and be it further,

Resolved, That we thank the participants and organizers of Relay For Life and encourage them to continue their efforts to combat cancer.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Meltzer, Denby, Moss, Lund, Lori, DeShazor, Calley, Leland, Genetski, Agema, Terry Brown, Constan, Crawford, Dean, Durhal, Gonzales, Green, Haines, Horn, Rick Jones, Robert Jones, Lemmons, Mayes, McMillin, Meadows, Miller, Opsommer, Pearce, Proos, Rocca, Rogers, Scripps, Slavens, Booher, Espinoza, Knollenberg, LeBlanc and Marleau offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 77.

A resolution to memorialize Congress to incorporate into federal road funding distribution formulas appropriate consideration of the impact that climate has on highways.

Whereas, The climate in Michigan, and in other upper Midwest and Northeast states, is extremely hard on state highways and local roads. Potholes and other road damage are sustained by the freeze/thaw cycle that comes with late winter and early spring each year. The resulting poor condition of many roads can be enough to cause damage to automobile alignment, tires, and suspension. Repairing and maintaining roads in a safe and passable condition strain state and county budgets in Michigan. Road damage is often more prevalent after a harsh winter when the road budget has been exhausted on road clearing and deicing; and

Whereas, The federal motor fuel tax collects for the Federal Highway Trust Fund about 18 cents of the price of every gallon of gas sold in Michigan. A complicated formula administered by the U.S. Department of Transportation and congressional earmarks allocates this money to the states as federal aid for highways. Michigan has received only between 87 and 92 percent of the share of the tax revenue that it has generated for the fund in recent years, while some states receive more than their proportionate share. Michigan has been a "donor" state, in effect subsidizing transportation projects in other states to the detriment of our own pot-holed highways and crumbling bridges; and

Whereas, While federal funding cannot be used for routine or reactive maintenance, the annual destruction of Michigan roads from repeatedly freezing and thawing makes capital improvement projects on federal-aid eligible highways necessary more often. Each state has different road conditions which weather affects. Climate should be a factor in the allocation of federal road funding; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we memorialize Congress to incorporate into federal road funding distribution formulas appropriate consideration of the impact that climate has on highways; 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 Transportation.

Reps. Leland, Cushingberry, Donigan, Haase, Meadows, Barnett, Liss, Slavens, Coulouris, Scripps, Tlaib, Robert Jones, Lisa Brown, Segal, Clemente, Lipton, Knollenberg, Walsh, Elsenheimer, Hildenbrand, Young, Schuitmaker, Kowall, Meltzer, Bauer, Agema, Terry Brown, Calley, Constan, Crawford, Dean, Durhal, Geiss, Gonzales, Green, Gregory, Haugh, Horn, Rick Jones, Kandrevas, Kurtz, Lemmons, Lori, Mayes, McMillin, Miller, Neumann, Opsommer, Pearce, Proos, Rogers, Spade, Stanley, Switalski, Valentine, Warren, Espinoza, LeBlanc and Marleau offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 78.

A resolution declaring April 19-26, 2009, as Holocaust Remembrance Week and April 21, 2009, as Holocaust Remembrance Day in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, The horror of the Holocaust should never be forgotten; and

Whereas, The Holocaust was the state-sponsored, systematic persecution and annihilation of European Jewry by Nazi Germany and its collaborators during the years 1933 through 1945. Six million Jews were murdered and millions more,

including Gypsies, the handicapped, Poles, Jehovah's Witnesses, Soviet prisoners of war, and political dissidents, suffered grievous oppression and death under Nazi tyranny; and

Whereas, The history of the Holocaust offers an opportunity to reflect on the moral responsibilities of individuals, societies, and governments; and serves as an important reminder of what can happen to civilized people when bigotry, hatred, and indifference reign; and

Whereas, When the goodness of mankind was in question, there were individuals who selflessly risked their lives in order to save others from the evils of Nazi Germany; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare April 19-26, 2009, as Holocaust Remembrance Week and April 21, 2009, as Holocaust Remembrance Day in the state of Michigan; and be it further

Resolved, That in honor of the victims of the Holocaust, the survivors, and their liberators, the citizens of Michigan should reflect upon the terrible events of the Holocaust and strive to overcome intolerance and indifference through learning and remembrance.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Rep. Mayes offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 79.

A resolution to recognize the importance of pollinators to ecosystem health and agriculture in Michigan and the value of partnership efforts that increase awareness about pollinators and build support for protecting and sustaining pollinators by designating June 21-27, 2009, as Michigan Pollinator Week in Michigan.

Whereas, Bees, butterflies, and other pollinator species have a critically important role in agriculture in Michigan and help to produce a healthy and affordable food supply and sustain ecosystem health; and

Whereas, Pollinators help to produce an estimated one out of every three bites of food consumed in the United States and to reproduce at least 80 percent of flowering plants; and

Whereas, Commodities produced in partnership with animal pollinators generate significant income for agricultural producers, with domestic honeybees alone pollinating an estimated \$14.6 billion worth of crops in the United States each year produced on more than 2 million acres; and

Whereas, It is in the strong economic interest of agricultural producers and consumers in Michigan as well as the United States to help ensure a healthy, sustainable pollinator population; and

Whereas, Possible declines in the health and population of pollinators pose what could be a significant threat to global food webs, the integrity of biodiversity, and human health; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body designate the week of June 21-27, 2009, as Michigan Pollinator Week in the state of Michigan; and be it further,

Resolved, That we recognize the partnership role that pollinators play in agriculture and healthy ecosystems and applaud the cooperative and collaborative conservation efforts that increase awareness about the important role of pollinators and build support for protecting and sustaining pollinators.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Announcement by the Clerk of Printing and Enrollment

The Clerk announced the enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor on Tuesday, April 21, for her approval of the following bill:

Enrolled House Bill No. 4397 at 3:28 p.m.

The Clerk announced that the following bills and joint resolution had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Wednesday, April 22:

House Bill Nos.	4800	4801	4802	4803	4804	4805	4806	4807	4808	4809	4810	4811	4812	4813
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House Joint Resolution R

Senate Bill Nos.	441	442	443	444	445	446	447	448	449	450
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The Clerk announced that the following Senate bills had been received on Wednesday, April 22:

Senate Bill Nos.	409	411	412
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Reports of Standing Committees

The Committee on Tax Policy, by Rep. Ebli, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4191, entitled

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967," by amending section 30 (MCL 206.30), as amended by 2007 PA 154.

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. Ebli, Melton, Barnett, Robert Jones, Kandrevas, Lipton, Mayes, Slezak, Warren, Calley, Kowall, Lund, Meekhof, Stamas and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Tax Policy, by Rep. Ebli, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4629, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled "Michigan business tax act," by amending section 201 (MCL 208.1201), as amended by 2008 PA 168.

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. Ebli, Melton, Barnett, Robert Jones, Kandrevas, Lipton, Mayes, Slezak, Warren, Calley, Kowall, Lund, Meekhof, Stamas and Walsh

Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Ebli, Melton, Barnett, Robert Jones, Kandrevas, Lipton, Mayes, Slezak, Warren, Calley, Kowall, Lund, Meekhof, Stamas and Walsh

Absent: Reps. Coulouris and Meltzer

Excused: Reps. Coulouris and Meltzer

The Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life, by Rep. Clemente, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4523, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled "Michigan business tax act," by amending section 430 (MCL 208.1430), as added by 2008 PA 270.

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. Clemente, Stanley, Byrnes, Geiss, Griffin, Leland, Segal, Knollenberg, Bolger, Denby and Tyler

Nays: None

The Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life, by Rep. Clemente, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4674, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled "Michigan business tax act," by amending section 431a (MCL 208.1431a), as added by 2008 PA 92.

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. Clemente, Stanley, Byrnes, Geiss, Griffin, Leland, Segal, Knollenberg, Bolger, Denby and Tyler

Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Clemente, Chair, of the Committee on New Economy and Quality of Life, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Clemente, Stanley, Byrnes, Geiss, Griffin, Leland, Segal, Knollenberg, Bolger, Denby and Tyler

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4683, entitled

A bill to amend 1962 PA 192, entitled "Professional service corporation act," by amending section 8 (MCL 450.228), as amended by 1998 PA 48.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltrown, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4684, entitled

A bill to amend 1986 PA 157, entitled "Michigan export development act," by amending section 10 (MCL 447.160), as amended by 2002 PA 302.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltrown, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4685, entitled

A bill to amend 1971 PA 227, entitled "An act to prescribe the rights and duties of parties to home solicitation sales; to regulate certain telephone solicitation; to provide for the powers and duties of certain state officers and entities; and to prescribe penalties and remedies," by amending section 1 (MCL 445.111), as amended by 2002 PA 612.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4686, entitled

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending sections 159g and 411j (MCL 750.159g and 750.411j), section 159g as amended by 2002 PA 124 and section 411j as amended by 2002 PA 136.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4687, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judiciary act of 1961," by amending section 4701 (MCL 600.4701), as amended by 2007 PA 156.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4688, entitled

A bill to amend 1987 PA 173, entitled "Mortgage brokers, lenders, and servicers licensing act," by amending sections 1a and 29 (MCL 445.1651a and 445.1679), section 1a as amended by 2008 PA 66 and section 29 as amended by 2008 PA 529.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4689, entitled

A bill to amend 1986 PA 316, entitled "Michigan education trust act," by amending section 19 (MCL 390.1439).

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4690, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 307, entitled "Savings and loan act of 1980," by amending section 515 (MCL 491.515), as added by 1987 PA 106.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4691, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 162, entitled "Nonprofit corporation act," by amending section 1137 (MCL 450.3137), as added by 1984 PA 209.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4692, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 160, entitled "Credit services protection act," by amending section 2 (MCL 445.1822).

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4693, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 331, entitled "Michigan consumer protection act," by amending section 20 (MCL 445.920).

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4694, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 21528 and 50510 (MCL 324.21528 and 324.50510), section 21528 as amended by 1996 PA 181 and section 50510 as amended by 2002 PA 387.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4695, entitled

A bill to amend 1965 PA 314, entitled "Public employee retirement system investment act," by amending section 13 (MCL 38.1133), as amended by 2008 PA 425.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

The Committee on Commerce, by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4696, entitled

A bill to amend 1984 PA 270, entitled "Michigan strategic fund act," by amending section 23 (MCL 125.2023), as amended by 2002 PA 556.

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. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltroun, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Robert Jones, Chair, of the Committee on Commerce, was received and read:
Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Robert Jones, Roy Schmidt, Byrum, Clemente, Haase, Haugh, Huckleberry, Lemmons, Nathan, Nerat, Sheltrown, Womack, DeShazor, Knollenberg, Meekhof, Meltzer, Opsommer and Walsh

Absent: Rep. Hansen

Excused: Rep. Hansen

The Committee on Labor, by Rep. Lindberg, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4245, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled "Michigan campaign finance act," by amending section 57 (MCL 169.257), as amended by 2001 PA 250.

With the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Lindberg, Kandrevas, Liss, Bettie Scott, Slezak, Young, Amash, Daley and McMillin

Nays: None

The recommendation was concurred in and the bill was referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

The Committee on Labor, by Rep. Lindberg, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4284, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled "Michigan campaign finance act," by amending section 55 (MCL 169.255), as amended by 1995 PA 264.

With the recommendation that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Lindberg, Kandrevas, Liss, Bettie Scott, Slezak, Young, Amash, Daley, Haveman and McMillin

Nays: None

The recommendation was concurred in and the bill was referred to the Committee on Ethics and Elections.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Lindberg, Chair, of the Committee on Labor, was received and read:
Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Lindberg, Kandrevas, Liss, Bettie Scott, Slezak, Young, Amash, Daley, Haveman and McMillin

Absent: Rep. Kennedy

Excused: Rep. Kennedy

The Committee on Ethics and Elections, by Rep. Angerer, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4097, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 758, 759, and 759b (MCL 168.758, 168.759, and 168.759b), section 758 as amended by 1996 PA 207 and section 759 as amended by 1995 PA 261.

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, Haase, Lisa Brown, Donigan, Scripps and Slavens
Nays: Reps. Kurtz and Pearce

The Committee on Ethics and Elections, by Rep. Angerer, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4367, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 758, 759, and 759b (MCL 168.758, 168.759, and 168.759b), section 758 as amended by 1996 PA 207 and section 759 as amended by 1995 PA 261.

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, Haase, Lisa Brown, Donigan, Scripps and Slavens
Nays: Reps. Kurtz and Pearce

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Angerer, Haase, Lisa Brown, Donigan, Scripps, Slavens, Kurtz and Pearce

Absent: Rep. Meltzer

Excused: Rep. Meltzer

The Committee on Regulatory Reform, by Rep. Johnson, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4565, entitled

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled "Michigan liquor control code of 1998," (MCL 436.1101 to 436.2303) by adding section 1029.

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. Johnson, Haugh, Byrnes, Melton, Bettie Scott, Stanley, Crawford, Rick Jones and Stamas
Nays: None

The Committee on Regulatory Reform, by Rep. Johnson, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4715, entitled

A bill to amend 1972 PA 239, entitled "McCauley-Traxler-Law-Bowman-McNeely lottery act," by amending section 41 (MCL 432.41), as amended by 2008 PA 274.

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. Johnson, Haugh, Byrnes, Griffin, Melton, Bettie Scott, Stanley, Rocca, Crawford, Rick Jones and Stamas
Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Johnson, Chair, of the Committee on Regulatory Reform, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Johnson, Haugh, Byrnes, Griffin, Melton, Bettie Scott, Stanley, Rocca, Crawford, Rick Jones and Stamas

The Committee on Judiciary, by Rep. Meadows, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4131, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 288, entitled "Probate code of 1939," by amending sections 24 and 51 (MCL 710.24 and 710.51), section 24 as amended by 2004 PA 487 and section 51 as amended by 1996 PA 409.

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. Meadows, Lipton, Lisa Brown, Constan, Coulouris, Kandrevas, Bettie Scott and Warren

Nays: Reps. Schuitmaker, Amash, Haveman, Rick Jones, Kowall and Rocca

The Committee on Judiciary, by Rep. Meadows, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4535, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 288, entitled "Probate code of 1939," by amending section 19b of chapter XIIA (MCL 712A.19b), as amended by 2008 PA 199.

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. Meadows, Lipton, Lisa Brown, Constan, Kandrevas, Bettie Scott, Warren, Schuitmaker, Amash, Haveman, Rick Jones, Kowall and Rocca

Nays: None

The Committee on Judiciary, by Rep. Meadows, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4820, entitled

A bill to amend 1975 PA 238, entitled "Child protection law," by amending section 18 (MCL 722.638), as amended by 1998 PA 428.

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. Meadows, Lipton, Lisa Brown, Constan, Kandrevas, Bettie Scott, Warren, Schuitmaker, Amash, Haveman, Rick Jones, Kowall and Rocca

Nays: None

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Meadows, Lipton, Lisa Brown, Constan, Coulouris, Kandrevas, Bettie Scott, Warren, Schuitmaker, Amash, Haveman, Rick Jones, Kowall and Rocca

Absent: Rep. Corriveau

Excused: Rep. Corriveau

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Warren, Chair, of the Committee on Great Lakes and Environment, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Wednesday, April 22, 2009

Present: Reps. Warren, Nerat, Bledsoe, Ebli, Kennedy, Roberts, Scripps, Meekhof, Daley, Haveman, Rick Jones, Pavlov and Wayne Schmidt

Absent: Reps. Leland and Meadows

Excused: Reps. Leland and Meadows

Messages from the Senate**Senate Bill No. 409, entitled**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 43542 (MCL 324.43542), as added by 1995 PA 57.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 411, entitled

A bill to establish duties and obligations of nonprofit, charitable institutions in the management and use of funds held for charitable purposes; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 412, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 162, entitled "Nonprofit corporation act," by amending sections 124, 261, 501, and 541 (MCL 450.2124, 450.2261, 450.2501, and 450.2541), section 124 as amended by 2002 PA 33 and section 541 as amended by 1987 PA 170.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Introduction of Bills

Reps. Scripps and Tlaib introduced

House Bill No. 4821, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 867 and 881 (MCL 168.867 and 168.881), section 867 as amended by 1980 PA 200 and section 881 as amended by 1995 PA 261.

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

Reps. Knollenberg, Meadows, Leland and Hildenbrand introduced

House Bill No. 4822, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled "Michigan campaign finance act," by amending sections 12 and 52 (MCL 169.212 and 169.252), as amended by 2001 PA 250.

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

Reps. Proos, Horn, Opsommer, Lori, Calley, Tyler, Bolger, Pearce, Schuitmaker and Griffin introduced

House Bill No. 4823, entitled

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

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

Reps. Meltzer, Lund, Lori, Calley and Genetski introduced

House Bill No. 4824, entitled

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," (MCL 211.1 to 211.155) by adding section 7pp. The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

Reps. Meltzer, Denby, Moss, Lund, Lori, DeShazor, Calley and Genetski introduced

House Bill No. 4825, entitled

A bill to amend 1933 PA 167, entitled "General sales tax act," (MCL 205.51 to 205.78) by adding section 4ff. The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Tax Policy.

Reps. Tlaib, Kandrevas, Switalski, Scripps, Leland, Liss, Spade, Haase, Slavens, Barnett, Meadows, Robert Jones, Geiss, Gregory, Bettie Scott, Donigan, Lipton, Bennett, Durhal, Young, Dean, Valentine, Cushingberry, Constan and Womack introduced

House Bill No. 4826, entitled

A bill to amend 1979 PA 218, entitled "Adult foster care facility licensing act," (MCL 400.701 to 400.737) by adding section 27a.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Senior Health, Security, and Retirement.

Rep. Stamas introduced

House Joint Resolution S, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending sections 5 and 6 of article VIII, to require public universities to consider certain veterans of the armed forces residents of this state for determining their tuition rates.

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

Rep. Pearce moved that the House adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 3:15 p.m.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House adjourned until Thursday, April 23, at 12:00 Noon.

RICHARD J. BROWN
Clerk of the House of Representatives