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Senate Chamber, Lansing, Tuesday, June 9, 2009.

10:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by the President, Lieutenant Governor John D. Cherry, Jr.

The roll was called by the Secretary of the Senate, who announced that a quorum was present.

Allen—present
Anderson—present
Barcia—present
Basham—present
Birkholz—present
Bishop—present
Brater—present
Brown—present
Cassis—present
Cherry—present
Clark-Coleman—present
Clarke—present
Cropsey—present

Garcia—present
George—present
Gilbert—present
Gleason—present
Hardiman—present
Hunter—present
Jacobs—present
Jansen—present
Jelinek—present
Kahn—present
Kuipers—present
McManus—present

Olshove—present
Pappageorge—present
Patterson—present
Prusi—present
Richardville—present
Sanborn—present
Scott—present
Stamas—present
Switalski—present
Thomas—present
Van Woerkom—present
Whitmer—present

Senator Roger Kahn, M.D., of the 32nd District offered the following invocation:

Our dear Heavenly Father, thank You for the grace, love, and mercy that You have shown to all of us. Thank You for this great nation and for the freedom we enjoy. Thank You for allowing us the privilege of serving the state of Michigan.

Please give us the wisdom as we decide, discernment as we consider, kindness as we debate, and give us gratitude as we serve. Help us to be aware of Your presence and Your love. Amen.

The President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry, led the members of the Senate in recital of the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

Motions and Communications

Recess

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate recess subject to the call of the Chair. The motion prevailed, the time being 10:04 a.m.

10:14 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by the President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry.

During the recess, Senators Jansen, Van Woerkom, Jelinek, Cassis, Stamas, Birkholz, Richardville, George, Brown, Bishop, Gilbert, Kuipers, Hunter, Garcia, Pappageorge, Hardiman, Barcia and Allen entered the Senate Chamber.

Senators Cropsey and Bishop asked and were granted unanimous consent to make statements and moved that the statements be printed in the Journal.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Cropsey's first statement is as follows:

This morning it is my pleasure to recognize three legislative interns who have earned a special honor earlier today. The Frank Fitzgerald Public Service Award recognizes talented young people active in the Michigan Legislature who have shown extraordinary dedication and a willingness to help others.

The award is named for the late Frank Fitzgerald, a state lawmaker in the 1980s and 1990s, with whom I had the pleasure of serving for several years. His father, John Fitzgerald, served in the Michigan Senate and was also chief justice of the Michigan Supreme Court. His grandfather was the Governor of the state of Michigan.

In addition to legislative service, recipients are honored for their excellence as scholars and volunteers. Senator Bishop and I would like to make the announcement of these three people.

The first student is Collan Rosier, who grew up in Grand Ledge, just like Frank Fitzgerald. Collan loves American history and government. This summer, Collan will be working for newspaper columnist George Will in Washington, D.C. This fall, Collan will begin his junior year at Georgetown University. Collan's grandmother, Marie Cantwell, is in the east Gallery. Please join me in welcoming her.

Senator Bishop's statement is as follows:

I want to congratulate all of the winners of this very prestigious Frank M. Fitzgerald Public Service Award. I rise to announce and congratulate the next recipient of the award, Elizabeth Gorz, for her efforts in volunteerism, her academics, and her internship in my office and all that she has done. She is joined today by her family in the east Gallery—a family I know very well. In fact, I just gave a tribute to her grandfather this past week, Dr. James O'Neil in Clarkston.

This is an outstanding family from top to bottom, and Elizabeth is just a reflection of great genetics. I thank her mother Kari, whom I have worked with in the past and her father Leonard, who is a prosecutor in the Oakland County prosecutor's office. He is one of the finest prosecutors I had the chance to work with while serving as an attorney in Oakland County. She also has her brother and sister, Joe and Rebecca, as well. This is a very, very impressive accomplishment for their daughter. I want them to know of my privilege and honor to work with their daughter. I hope that our colleagues help us greet the family of Elizabeth Gorz. I know they are very proud.

Senator Cropsey's second statement is as follows:

Finally, we have Mr. Zachary Weston. Zak has the honor of interning in the Senate Majority Floor Leader's office. It has been a joy to have Zak in our office, especially since we can keep a close eye on him there. He has been a dedicated volunteer who is always willing to help out. He is deeply devoted to helping inner-city children and has reached out to

kids in Highland Park and Philadelphia. Zak is from Grand Rapids and recently completed his high school studies. This fall, he heads to Ohio to attend Cedarville University. His mother and father are in the east Gallery. Please join me in welcoming Mr. and Mrs. Larry Weston.

On behalf of the Michigan Senate, we'd like to thank all three of these students for their hard work and congratulate them on winning the 2009 Fitzgerald Public Service Award.

Senator Cropsey moved that the rules be suspended and that the following bill, now on Committee Reports, be placed on the General Orders calendar for consideration today:

Senate Bill No. 596

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

Senator Cropsey moved that the Committee on Government Operations and Reform be discharged from further consideration of the following bills:

Senate Bill No. 431, entitled

A bill to amend 1969 PA 306, entitled "Administrative procedures act of 1969," by amending section 39 (MCL 24.239), as amended by 2004 PA 23.

Senate Bill No. 13, entitled

A bill to amend 1969 PA 306, entitled "Administrative procedures act of 1969," by amending section 45 (MCL 24.245), as amended by 2004 PA 491, and by adding section 45b.

The motion prevailed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, and the bills were placed on the order of General Orders.

Senator Cropsey moved that the Committee on Transportation be discharged from further consideration of the following bill:

House Bill No. 4830, entitled

A bill to amend 1909 PA 283, entitled "An act to revise, consolidate, and add to the laws relating to the establishment, opening, discontinuing, vacating, closing, altering, improvement, maintenance, and use of the public highways and private roads; the condemnation of property and gravel therefor; the building, repairing and preservation of bridges; maintaining public access to waterways under certain conditions; setting and protecting shade trees, drainage, and cutting weeds and brush within this state; providing for the election or appointment and defining the powers, duties, and compensation of state, county, township, and district highway officials; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," by amending section 6 of chapter IV (MCL 224.6), as amended by 2006 PA 598.

The motion prevailed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, and the bill was placed on the order of General Orders.

Senator Cropsey moved that the rules be suspended and that the following bill, now on the order of General Orders, be placed on the General Orders calendar for consideration today:

House Bill No. 4830

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

The Secretary announced the enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor on Thursday, June 4, for her approval the following bills:

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 96 at 1:50 p.m.

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 108 at 1:52 p.m.

The Secretary announced that the following official bills were printed on Thursday, June 4, and are available at the legislative website:

House Bill Nos. 5035 5036 5037 5038 5039

The Secretary announced that the following official bills were printed on Friday, June 5, and are available at the legislative website:

Senate Bill Nos. 624 625 626

House Bill Nos. 5040 5041 5042 5043 5044 5045 5046 5047 5048

Messages from the Governor

The following messages from the Governor were received:

Date: June 4, 2009

Time: 9:17 a.m.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 363 (Public Act No. 33), being

An act to regulate recreational vehicle dealers, manufacturers, wholesalers, warrantors, and their representatives; to regulate dealings between recreational vehicle manufacturers, wholesalers, warrantors, and dealers; to regulate dealings between consumers and recreational vehicle manufacturers, wholesalers, warrantors, and dealers; to prohibit certain trade practices; to provide for the powers and duties of certain state and local governmental officers and entities; and to provide remedies.

(Filed with the Secretary of State on June 4, 2009, at 3:02 p.m.)

Date: June 4, 2009

Time: 9:19 a.m.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 409 (Public Act No. 34), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, assessments, and donations; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” by amending section 43542 (MCL 324.43542), as added by 1995 PA 57.

(Filed with the Secretary of State on June 4, 2009, at 3:04 p.m.)

Date: June 4, 2009

Time: 9:25 a.m.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 10 (Public Act No. 36), being

An act to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, assessments, and donations; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 40107b.

(Filed with the Secretary of State on June 4, 2009, at 3:08 p.m.)

Respectfully,
Jennifer M. Granholm
Governor

Messages from the House

Senate Bill No. 280, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending sections 41301, 41305, 41306, 41309, 41311, 41313, and 41323 (MCL 324.41301, 324.41305, 324.41306, 324.41309, 324.41311, 324.41313, and 324.41323), section 41301 as amended by 2005 PA 77, section 41305 as amended and section 41306 as added by 2005 PA 79, section 41309 as amended by 2005 PA 76, sections 41311 and 41313 as added by 2005 PA 80, and section 41323 as added by 2005 PA 75; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

The House of Representatives has substituted (H-2) the bill.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill as substituted (H-2), ordered that it be given immediate effect and amended the title to read as follows:

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, assessments, and donations; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 41301 (MCL 324.41301), as amended by 2005 PA 77; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

Pursuant to rule 3.202, the bill was laid over one day.

Senate Bill No. 416, entitled

A bill to amend 2005 PA 92, entitled "School bond qualification, approval, and loan act," by amending section 9 (MCL 388.1929), as amended by 2006 PA 71.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill, ordered that it be given immediate effect and pursuant to Joint Rule 20, inserted the full title.

The question being on concurring in the committee recommendation to give the bill immediate effect,

The recommendation was concurred in, 2/3 of the members serving voting therefor.

The Senate agreed to the full title.

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

By unanimous consent the Senate proceeded to the order of

General Orders

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole for consideration of the General Orders calendar.

The motion prevailed, and the President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry, designated Senator Jansen as Chairperson.

After some time spent therein, the Committee arose; and, the President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry, having resumed the Chair, the Committee reported back to the Senate, favorably and without amendment, the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 483, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 43523, 43528, and 43531 (MCL 324.43523, 324.43528, and 324.43531), as amended by 2008 PA 347.

The bill was placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The Committee of the Whole reported back to the Senate, favorably and with a substitute therefor, the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 596, entitled

A bill to authorize the state administrative board to convey certain state owned property in Delta county; to prescribe conditions for the conveyance; to provide for certain powers and duties of the department of management and budget; and to provide for disposition of the revenue from the conveyance.

Substitute (S-1).

The Senate agreed to the substitute recommended by the Committee of the Whole, and the bill as substituted was placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The Committee of the Whole reported back to the Senate, favorably and with a substitute therefor, the following bill:

Senate Bill No. 334, entitled

A bill to make, supplement, and adjust appropriations for various state departments and agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009; and to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations.

Substitute (S-1).

The following are the amendments to the substitute recommended by the Committee of the Whole:

1. Amend page 3, line 14, by striking out all of line 14.
2. Amend page 3, line 15, by striking out "0" and inserting "16,700,000".
3. Amend page 4, line 1, by striking out "Federal child support incentive revenues (ARRA)" and inserting "Total federal revenues".

4. Amend page 4, line 8, by striking out “Federal child support incentive revenues (ARRA)” and inserting “Total federal revenues”.

The Senate agreed to the substitute, as amended, recommended by the Committee of the Whole, and the bill as substituted was placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

The Committee of the Whole reported back to the Senate, favorably and with a substitute therefor, the following bill:
House Bill No. 4830, entitled

A bill to amend 1909 PA 283, entitled “An act to revise, consolidate, and add to the laws relating to the establishment, opening, discontinuing, vacating, closing, altering, improvement, maintenance, and use of the public highways and private roads; the condemnation of property and gravel therefor; the building, repairing and preservation of bridges; maintaining public access to waterways under certain conditions; setting and protecting shade trees, drainage, and cutting weeds and brush within this state; providing for the election or appointment and defining the powers, duties, and compensation of state, county, township, and district highway officials; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies,” by amending section 6 of chapter IV (MCL 224.6), as amended by 2006 PA 598.

Substitute (S-5).

The following is the amendment to the substitute recommended by the Committee of the Whole:

1. Amend page 3, line 18, after “**COMMISSION**” by striking out “**CONCERNING THE REORGANIZATION OF**” and inserting “**TO REORGANIZE**”.

The Senate agreed to the substitute, as amended, recommended by the Committee of the Whole, and the bill as substituted was placed on the order of Third Reading of Bills.

By unanimous consent the Senate returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

Senator Cropsey moved that the rules be suspended and that the following bill, now on the order of Third Reading of Bills, be placed on its immediate passage:

House Bill No. 4830

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

Senator Cropsey moved that the following bills be placed at the head of the Third Reading of Bills calendar:

Senate Bill No. 583

House Bill No. 4830

The motion prevailed.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 583, entitled

A bill to amend 1966 PA 331, entitled “Community college act of 1966,” by amending section 142 (MCL 389.142), as amended by 2008 PA 237.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, as follows:

Roll Call No. 224

Yeas—37

Allen	Clark-Coleman	Jacobs	Prusi
Anderson	Clarke	Jansen	Richardville
Barcia	Cropsey	Jelinek	Sanborn
Basham	Garcia	Kahn	Scott
Birkholz	George	Kuipers	Stamas
Bishop	Gilbert	McManus	Switalski
Brater	Gleason	Olshove	Thomas
Brown	Hardiman	Pappageorge	Van Woerkom
Cassis	Hunter	Patterson	Whitmer
Cherry			

By unanimous consent the Senate proceeded to the order of

Introduction and Referral of Bills

Senator Jelinek introduced

Senate Bill No. 627, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 81133 (MCL 324.81133), as amended by 2008 PA 365.

The bill was read a first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs.

Senators Kahn, McManus and Brown introduced

Senate Bill No. 628, entitled

A bill to create the motorcycle safety and training act; to provide for the approval and certification of motorcycle training programs and instructors; to establish training requirements and standards; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments and agencies and other persons; to provide funding for program grants; to provide for distribution from certain funds; and to provide sanctions, remedies, and penalties.

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

Senators Switalski, McManus and Brown introduced

Senate Bill No. 629, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending sections 306, 309, and 312b (MCL 257.306, 257.309, and 257.312b), section 306 as amended by 2006 PA 298 and sections 309 and 312b as amended by 2004 PA 362.

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

Statements

Senators Scott, Basham, Brown and Garcia asked and were granted unanimous consent to make statements and moved that the statements be printed in the Journal.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Scott's statement is as follows:

Another summer is upon us with the construction season in full swing and more people on the roads. Summer motivates us to get our jobs done so we can just enjoy being outside basking in the sun. The great musician Lionel Hampton said, "I'm motivated. The spirit hits me and I just keep going and don't stop."

Well, colleagues, I am motivated also. I am motivated to keep fighting for fair auto insurance rates in Michigan so Michigan drivers don't have to park their cars in their driveways and not enjoy driving to the pool or to see friends or to the park for a picnic this summer. I'm motivated to do what is right for Michigan. I won't stop until we have debated auto insurance rates and have passed legislation that creates fair auto insurance rates for all of Michigan's drivers.

Senator Basham's statement is as follows:

The American Cancer Society, the Smoke-free Coalition, and others are up here today wanting the Michigan Legislature to move a smoke-free package of bills that they can live with. Thirty-seven other states have gone smoke-free. Michigan needs to do its part to protect public health. There is no excuse for not having clean indoor air quality to work with.

I have a bill in this chamber that has had no hearings, and I will be requesting that we do a discharge vote on my piece of legislation tomorrow. So I just wanted the members to know that I will be asking for a discharge vote tomorrow, unless there is some plan to move some comprehensive smoke-free legislation in this chamber.

Senator Brown's statement is as follows:

On the news today, it was reported that Michigan State University released the results of a study that indicated Michigan residents have a greater trust in our federal government than our state government. If we could create a plan for Michigan's recovery, we can turn that sense of confidence and trust around; a plan that addresses our budget, yes, but a plan that goes beyond, and a plan that would include an emergency response component. Mr. President, we need a plan.

Senator Garcia's statement is as follows:

Last week, I rose to speak on the need to set priorities in this chamber and in our government, and I stand by those statements. I was dismayed, though, that there are some who take opportunity to perhaps to shed a different perspective on this. While I agree with my colleague from the same county that we ought to make law enforcement a very real priority—the top priority—I'm not sure that this is the time to be talking about shifting budgets in terms of the idea that she spoke of last week.

I have been reluctant to say anything because I was afraid that someone, in my opinion, would try and be political about it. I am not here to disparage anyone; everyone is entitled to their opinion, but the fact remains that the clock is ticking. We have just a few more days before we have to lay off troopers. Again, I remind this body that we are going to lay off 100 troopers to save \$1.7 million, when we had investment in 82 of those of \$8 million.

We are getting ready to close prisons down and let more prisoners out onto the streets. I, again, implore this body, this administration, and the other chamber to make public safety a priority. That is all I am asking. If someone else has a different idea about how to do that, I am more than willing to work with them about that.

So, again, Mr. Lieutenant Governor, members of this chamber, I ask and remind folks that the clock is ticking, and we need to set some real priorities.

Committee Reports

The Committee on Appropriations reported

Senate Bill No. 48, entitled

A bill to amend 1911 PA 209, entitled "An act to adopt and prescribe the design of a state coat-of-arms and state flag, and their use, and to prohibit the use of the same for advertising purposes, and to provide a punishment for such forbidden use," (MCL 2.21 to 2.27) by adding section 2a.

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

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Ron Jelinek
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Jelinek, Pappageorge, Hardiman, Kahn, Cropsey, Garcia, Jansen, Brown, McManus, Stamas, Switalski, Anderson, Barcia, Brater, Cherry, Clark-Coleman and Scott

Nays: None

The bill and the substitute recommended by the committee were referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Appropriations reported

Senate Bill No. 596, entitled

A bill to authorize the state administrative board to convey certain state owned property in Delta county; to prescribe conditions for the conveyance; to provide for certain powers and duties of the department of management and budget; and to provide for disposition of the revenue from the conveyance.

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

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Ron Jelinek
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Jelinek, Pappageorge, Hardiman, Kahn, Cropsey, Garcia, George, Jansen, Brown, McManus, Stamas, Switalski, Anderson, Barcia, Brater, Cherry, Clark-Coleman and Scott

Nays: None

The bill and the substitute recommended by the committee were referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Appropriations submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, June 3, 2009, at 2:00 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building

Present: Senators Jelinek (C), Pappageorge, Hardiman, Kahn, Cropsey, Garcia, George, Jansen, Brown, McManus, Stamas, Switalski, Anderson, Barcia, Brater, Cherry, Clark-Coleman and Scott

The Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform reported

Senate Bill No. 435, entitled

A bill to amend 1969 PA 306, entitled "Administrative procedures act of 1969," by amending section 53 (MCL 24.253), as amended by 2004 PA 23.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Alan Sanborn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Sanborn, Richardville, Allen and Gilbert

Nays: Senators Hunter and Jacobs

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform reported

Senate Bill No. 436, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 1307 and 1311 (MCL 324.1307 and 324.1311), as added by 2004 PA 325, and by adding section 1313.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Alan Sanborn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Sanborn, Richardville, Allen and Gilbert

Nays: Senators Hunter and Jacobs

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform reported

Senate Bill No. 470, 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 (S-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Alan Sanborn
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Sanborn, Richardville, Allen, Hunter and Jacobs

Nays: None

The bill and the substitute recommended by the committee were referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Economic Development and Regulatory Reform submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, June 3, 2009, at 1:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building

Present: Senators Sanborn (C), Richardville, Allen, Gilbert, Hunter and Jacobs

Excused: Senator Thomas

The Committee on Finance reported

Senate Bill No. 219, 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.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Nancy Cassis
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Cassis, Gilbert, Pappageorge, Jansen, Jacobs, Cherry and Whitmer

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee on Finance reported

House Bill No. 4514, entitled

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967," by amending section 272 (MCL 206.272), as added by 2006 PA 372.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The committee further recommends that the bill be given immediate effect.

Nancy Cassis
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Cassis, Gilbert, Jansen, Jacobs, Cherry and Whitmer

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Finance submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, June 4, 2009, at 11:40 a.m., Room 110, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Cassis (C), Gilbert, Pappageorge, Jansen, Jacobs, Cherry and Whitmer

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Health Policy submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, June 3, 2009, at 3:07 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower

Present: Senators George (C), Sanborn, Patterson, Allen, Clarke, Gleason and Jacobs

Scheduled Meetings**Appropriations -****Subcommittees -**

Community Colleges - Thursday, June 11, 9:00 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Environmental Quality Department - Wednesday, June 10, 3:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Higher Education - Tuesday, June 16, 1:30 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Judiciary and Corrections - Tuesday, June 16, 3:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower (373-2768)

K-12, School Aid, Education - Tuesday, June 16, 2:00 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Natural Resources Department - Tuesday, June 16, 12:00 noon or later immediately following session, Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Economic Development and Regulatory Reform - Wednesday, June 10, 1:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-7670)

Energy Policy and Public Utilities - Thursday, June 11, 1:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building (373-7350)

Finance - Wednesday, June 10, 12:00 noon, Room 210, Farnum Building (373-1758)

Health Policy - Wednesday, June 10, 3:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower (373-0793)

Legislative Commission on Statutory Mandates - Thursday, June 25, 9:00 a.m., Oakland County Executive Office Building, Waterford Room, 1st Floor, Building 41-West, 2100 Pontiac Lake Road, Waterford (373-0212)

Legislative Retirement Board of Trustees - Thursdays, June 11, 2:00 p.m., Room H-65, Capitol Building; and September 10 and December 3, 2:00 p.m., Room H-252, Capitol Building (373-0575)

Subcommittee -

Investment - Thursday, June 11, 10:30 a.m., Room S-927, South Tower, House Office Building (373-0575)

Michigan Law Revision Commission - Wednesday, June 24, 11:30 a.m., Legislative Council Conference Room, 3rd Floor, Boji Tower (373-0212)

Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs - Wednesday, June 10, 1:00 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-3447)

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate adjourn.
The motion prevailed, the time being 10:49 a.m.

The President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry, declared the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, June 10, 2009, at 10:00 a.m.

CAROL MOREY VIVENTI
Secretary of the Senate