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Senate Chamber, Lansing, Tuesday, February 12, 2008.

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 not 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—excused
Schauer—present
Scott—present
Stamas—present
Switalski—present
Thomas—present
Van Woerkom—present
Whitmer—present

Pastor Rodney McTaggart of Bread of Life Team Ministries of Saginaw offered the following invocation:

Heavenly Father, I stand before this honored assembly as we seek Your holy presence. Lord, we ask that You would bless this chamber; the assembly of men and women who are gathered here to carry out Your work in serving the citizens of the state of Michigan. Father, we the people of the state of Michigan are grateful to You, Almighty God, for the blessings of the freedoms that we enjoy. And, Lord, we do earnestly desire to secure these blessings undiminished to ourselves and our posterity by obedience to You and to Your word.

Lord, we come before You today to ask Your forgiveness in the areas that we have failed You; and we seek Your directions and guidance in this chamber, that we would not seek our own will but that we would seek Your will to be done. Father, I ask that this Senate chamber would be granted empowerment to discern Your heart concerning good and evil, right and wrong. Father, I pray that the true unity would be birthed within this chamber today; that it would not be based upon party allegiance but upon Your righteousness.

Father, I want to thank You for the men and women who have stood boldly against pornography and the propitiation of aberrant lifestyles and behavior. Lord, I desire to remind You that many in this chamber have stood to protect the rights of the unborn and have honored You and Your word concerning the value You have placed on human life.

Lord, we need Your blessing at this time. Father, I ask that You would give these noble men and women the wisdom to help the poor and needy without rewarding those who have no ambition and no desire to exploit our generosity and genuine concern. Lord, I would ask that this Senate would continue to embrace the advancement and strengthening of the nuclear family based upon the traditional values of those who have come before us. I would ask that Your wisdom would prevail as decisions are being made concerning the family and parental rights.

Lord, I would ask You to search our hearts today so that we would not be found lacking in anything that would keep us from being free to serve You. Lord, with nobility I ask that we would skillfully serve the people of this great state of Michigan.

Finally, Father, I would ask that You would bless and guide these men and women who have been ordained by You to help govern this state. Grant them Your wisdom, and may their decisions be directed by Your divine counsel and judgment. I ask this to be done in Jesus' holy name. Amen.

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

Recess

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate recess subject to the call of the Chair.

The motion prevailed, the time being 10:06 a.m.

10:27 a.m.

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

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

A quorum of the Senate was present.

Motions and Communications

Senator Cropsey moved that Senator Sanborn be excused from today's session.

The motion prevailed.

The following communications were received:

Department of State

Administrative Rules
Notices of Filing

January 31, 2008

In accordance with the provisions of Section 46(1) of Act 306, Public Acts of 1969, as amended, and Executive Order 1995-6, this is to advise you that the Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings

and Rules filed at 4:35 p.m. this date, administrative rule (08-01-01) for the Department of Environmental Quality, “*Part 4. Emission Limitations and Prohibition—Sulfur-Bearing Compounds.*” These rules become effective immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State unless adopted under sections 33, 44, or 45a(6) of 1969 PA 306. Rules adopted under these sections become effective 7 days after filing with the Secretary of State.

January 31, 2008

In accordance with the provisions of Section 46(1) of Act 306, Public Acts of 1969, as amended, and Executive Order 1995-6, this is to advise you that the Michigan Department of Labor & Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 4:37 p.m. this date, administrative rule (08-01-02) for the Department of Natural Resources, Law Enforcement Division, entitled “*Local Snowmobile/Off Road Vehicle Control.*” These rules take effect 7 days after filing with the Secretary of State.

Sincerely,
Terri Lynn Land
Secretary of State
Robin Houston, Office Supervisor
Office of the Great Seal

The communications were referred to the Secretary for record.

The Secretary announced that the following House bills were received in the Senate and filed on Thursday, February 7:
House Bill Nos. 4505 5535 5536 5537

The Secretary announced that the following official bills were printed on Thursday, February 7, and are available at the legislative website:

Senate Bill Nos. 1084 1085
House Bill Nos. 5683 5684 5685 5686 5687 5688 5689 5690 5691 5692 5693 5694 5695 5696

By unanimous consent the Senate proceeded to the order of

Messages from the Governor

Senator Cropsey moved that consideration of the following bills be postponed for today:

Senate Bill No. 436

Senate Bill No. 222

Senate Bill No. 229

Senate Bill No. 232

Senate Bill No. 238

Senate Bill No. 240

The motion prevailed.

The following message from the Governor was received:

Date: February 7, 2008

Time: 9:10 a.m.

To the President of the Senate:

Sir—I have this day approved and signed

Enrolled Senate Bill No. 111 (Public Act No. 5), being

An act to amend 1959 PA 243, entitled “An act to define, license and regulate trailer coach parks; to prescribe the powers and duties of the state health commissioner and other state and local officers; to provide for the levy and collection of specific taxes on occupied trailers in trailer coach parks and the disposition of the revenues therefrom; to provide remedies and penalties for the violation of this act; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts,” by amending section 41 (MCL 125.1041).

(Filed with the Secretary of State on February 7, 2008, at 9:59 a.m.)

Respectfully,
Jennifer M. Granholm
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 Garcia 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 bills:

Senate Bill No. 1049, entitled

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 16d of chapter XVII (MCL 777.16d), as amended by 2005 PA 336.

Senate Bill No. 1062, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled "Michigan business tax act," by amending section 235 (MCL 208.1235).
 The bills were 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. 1061, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by amending the title, as amended by 2002 PA 304, and by adding chapters 46, 47, and 48.

Substitute (S-2).

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.

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 bills, now on the order of Third Reading of Bills, be placed on their immediate passage:

Senate Bill No. 1061

Senate Bill No. 1062

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. 1051

Senate Bill No. 1052

Senate Bill No. 1056

Senate Bill No. 1061

Senate Bill No. 1062

The motion prevailed.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 1051, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled "Michigan business tax act," by amending section 261 (MCL 208.1261).

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. 34

Yeas—37

Allen
 Anderson

Clark-Coleman
 Clarke

Jacobs
 Jansen

Prusi
 Richardville

Barcia	Cropsey	Jelinek	Schauer
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			

Nays—0

Excused—1

Sanborn

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 1052, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled “Michigan business tax act,” by amending section 109 (MCL 208.1109).

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. 35

Yeas—37

Allen	Clark-Coleman	Jacobs	Prusi
Anderson	Clarke	Jansen	Richardville
Barcia	Cropsey	Jelinek	Schauer
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			

Nays—0

Excused—1

Sanborn

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 1056, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled “Michigan business tax act,” by amending section 115 (MCL 208.1115).

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. 36

Yeas—37

Allen	Clark-Coleman	Jacobs	Prusi
Anderson	Clarke	Jansen	Richardville
Barcia	Cropsey	Jelinek	Schauer
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			

Nays—0

Excused—1

Sanborn

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 1061, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled “The insurance code of 1956,” (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding chapters 46, 47, and 48.

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. 37

Yeas—36

Allen	Clark-Coleman	Jacobs	Prusi
Anderson	Clarke	Jansen	Richardville

Barcia	Cropsey	Jelinek	Schauer
Basham	Garcia	Kahn	Scott
Birkholz	George	Kuipers	Stamas
Bishop	Gilbert	McManus	Switalski
Brater	Gleason	Olshove	Thomas
Brown	Hardiman	Pappageorge	Van Woerkom
Cherry	Hunter	Patterson	Whitmer

Nays—1

Cassis

Excused—1

Sanborn

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 1062, entitled

A bill to amend 2007 PA 36, entitled “Michigan business tax act,” by amending section 235 (MCL 208.1235).

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. 38

Yeas—36

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

Nays—1

Cassis

Excused—1

Sanborn

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

By unanimous consent the Senate proceeded to the order of

Introduction and Referral of Bills

Senator McManus introduced

Senate Joint Resolution K, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending section 9 of article II, to revise the signature requirements for initiative and referendum petitions.

The joint resolution was read a first and second time by title and referred to the Committee on Campaign and Election Oversight.

Senator Jacobs introduced

Senate Bill No. 1086, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 471 and 472a (MCL 168.471 and 168.472a), as amended by 1999 PA 219.

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

Senator Jansen introduced

Senate Bill No. 1087, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 480 and 544c (MCL 168.480 and 168.544c), section 544c as amended by 2002 PA 431; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

House Bill No. 4505, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending sections 40b, 50a, 51a, 251b, 251d, 302, 303, 307, 310, 315, 318, 511, 728, 749, 801, 814, and 819 (MCL 257.40b, 257.50a, 257.51a, 257.251b, 257.251d, 257.302, 257.303, 257.307, 257.310, 257.315, 257.318, 257.511, 257.728, 257.749, 257.801, 257.814, and 257.819), section 40b as added by 1997 PA 100, section 50a as added and section 315 as amended by 1999 PA 118, sections 302, 303, and 307 as amended by 2006 PA 298, section 310 as amended by 2005 PA 141, section 728 as amended by 1993 PA 301, section 749 as amended by 1984 PA 331, section 801 as amended by 2006 PA 562, and section 819 as amended by 1990 PA 168.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill and ordered that it be given immediate effect.

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

House Bill No. 5535, entitled

A bill to authorize the secretary of state to issue enhanced driver licenses and state personal identification cards to United States citizens who reside in Michigan to facilitate travel between the United States and Canada; to establish certain funds and prescribe duties for certain officials; and to prohibit certain conduct and prescribe penalties.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill and ordered that it be given immediate effect.

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

House Bill No. 5536, entitled

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 11b of chapter XVII (MCL 777.11b), as amended by 2005 PA 207.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill and ordered that it be given immediate effect.

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

House Bill No. 5537, entitled

A bill to amend 1972 PA 222, entitled “An act to provide for an official personal identification card; to provide for its form, issuance and use; to regulate the use and disclosure of information obtained from the card; to prescribe the powers and duties of the secretary of state; to prescribe fees; to prescribe certain penalties for violations; and to provide an appropriation for certain purposes,” by amending sections 1, 1a, 2, and 8 (MCL 28.291, 28.291a, 28.292, and 28.298), sections 1 and 2 as amended by 2005 PA 143, sections 1a and 8 as added by 1997 PA 99, and to add section 9a.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill and ordered that it be given immediate effect.

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

Statements

Senators Scott and Hunter 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:

L. Douglas Wilder, the first African-American elected governor, said, “The future must be planned today. We may never see it in our lifetimes, but the success of our ventures will impact future generations.” While I highly respect Mr. Wilder as a legislator and former governor, when it comes to the issue of insurance, I hope to goodness he is wrong. Yes, the future must be planned today, but I definitely plan to live long enough to see the success of our ventures. In fact, I hope to see it during this Senate session.

That’s why I stand before you every day to remind you of the urgency and importance of this effort. Of course, it will impact future generations, but we must act so that its impact will be felt immediately by all Michigan residents struggling to pay their bills while burdened with unaffordable insurance premiums. We must act now.

Senator Hunter’s statement is as follows:

Through you to my colleagues, the citizens of Michigan and across the country, we are in very challenging times now. The winds of change are around us, so let the battle cry go forth: “Yes we can; yes we can.”

Committee Reports

The Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs reported

Senate Resolution No. 86.

A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to reject legislation that would preempt the authority of the Great Lakes states to curb the release of ballast water.

(For text of resolution, see Senate Journal No. 75 of 2007, p. 1129.)

With the recommendation that the following substitute (S-2) be adopted and that the resolution then be adopted:

A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to reject legislation that would preempt the authority of the Great Lakes states to curb the release of ballast water.

Whereas, Ballast water discharges from ships entering the Great Lakes are the leading pathway for the introduction of aquatic invasive species. Since the opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway in 1959, ocean-going ships have introduced more than 30 new species to the Great Lakes; and

Whereas, Once introduced and established, aquatic invasive species are nearly impossible to eliminate and costly to control. Zebra mussels and other aquatic invasive species introduced from ballast water have irrevocably changed the Great Lakes and directly cost cities and industries—and indirectly cost Great Lakes residents—tens of millions of dollars per year to control; and

Whereas, Current federal ballast water regulations designed to protect the Great Lakes are ineffective. At least eleven new aquatic invasive species have been introduced from ballast water since current requirements for ballast water exchange with open ocean water went into effect, including the recent introduction of viral hemorrhagic septicemia (VHS) that directly threatens the \$4.5-billion Great Lakes fishery; and

Whereas, The ocean-going shipping industry has shown little urgency over the last two decades to develop and install ballast water treatment technology, even as it introduced more and more aquatic invasive species to new regions. Rather, the industry has continuously fought efforts in the United States Congress, state legislatures, and the courts to require expeditious treatment of their ballast water. For every year treatment is not required for ballast water, an additional one to two new species, with unknown but potentially devastating impacts, make the Great Lakes their permanent home; and

Whereas, The state of Michigan has succeeded in identifying and requiring treatment technologies that would provide additional protection to the Great Lakes; and

Whereas, Federal ballast water legislation, such as the Coast Guard Authorization Act of 2007 (H.R. 2830) and the Ballast Water Management Act of 2007 (S. 1578), would preempt Michigan's efforts to protect its waters from further degradation. Preempting state actions before strong federal treatment standards are in place would leave the Great Lakes vulnerable to future invasions. This shortsighted approach undermines the millions of dollars and thousands of hours spent each year working to restore the Great Lakes to a healthy, self-sustaining system; and

Whereas, The Coast Guard Authorization Act of 2007 and the Ballast Water Management Act of 2007 would also set a precedent for future federal actions that restrict state authority to protect essential natural resources. Clearly, Michigan and other states are best suited to make decisions that keep waters safe, clean, and healthy for its residents with regulations, when needed, above and beyond minimum federal requirements; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, That we memorialize the Congress of the United States to reject legislation that would preempt the authority of the Great Lakes states to curb the release of ballast water; 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.

Patricia L. Birkholz
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Birkholz, Van Woerkom, Patterson, Basham and Prusi

Nays: None

The resolution and the substitute recommended by the committee were placed on the order of Resolutions.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, February 6, 2008, at 1:00 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Birkholz (C), Van Woerkom, Patterson, Basham and Prusi

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Appropriations submitted the following:

Joint meeting held on Thursday, February 7, 2008, at 11:00 a.m., House Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building

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

Excused: Senators Kahn and Barcia

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Energy Policy and Public Utilities submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, February 7, 2008, at 1:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Patterson (C), Brown, Birkholz, Kuipers, Richardville, Olshove and Thomas

Excused: Senator Prusi

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Education submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, February 7, 2008, at 3:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Kuipers (C), Van Woerkom, Cassis, Whitmer and Gleason

Scheduled Meetings

Appropriations - Wednesday, February 13, 2:00 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-6960)

Subcommittees -

Capital Outlay - Thursday, February 14, 9:00 a.m., House Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-8080)

Community Colleges - Friday, February 22, 2:00 p.m., Mid Michigan Community College, 5805 E. Pickard Road, Mt. Pleasant; Monday, February 25, 1:30 p.m., Grand Rapids Community College, Main Building, 5th Floor, Board Room, 143 Bostwick Avenue, NE, Grand Rapids; and Wednesday, March 12, 9:00 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Community Health Department - Thursdays, February 14, February 21 and February 28, 1:00 p.m., and March 13, 2:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower (373-2768)

Environmental Quality Department - Wednesdays, February 20, February 27, March 5 and March 12, 12:00 noon, Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Higher Education - Tuesday, February 19, 1:00 p.m., Michigan State University, Radiology Building, 184 Service Road, East Lansing; Friday, February 22, 10:30 a.m., Alma College, Tyler-Van Dusen Campus Center, 614 W. Superior Street, Alma; Monday, February 25, 10:00 a.m., Grand Valley State University, Cook-DeVos Center for Health Sciences, 301 Michigan Street, NE, Grand Rapids; and Monday, March 3, 10:00 a.m., University of Michigan-Dearborn, Institute for Advanced Vehicle Systems Building, Borg Warner Auditorium, 4901 Evergreen Road, Dearborn (373-2768)

Judiciary and Corrections - Wednesdays, February 13, 3:00 p.m. or later immediately following Senate Appropriations meeting, February 20, February 27, March 5 and March 12, 3:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-2768)

K-12, School Aid, Education - Tuesdays, February 19, February 26, March 4 and March 11, 2:00 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Natural Resources Department - Wednesday, February 20, 8:30 a.m., and Tuesdays, February 26 and March 11, 12:00 noon or later immediately following session, Room 405, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Retirement - Tuesday, February 19, 12:00 noon, Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-2768)

State Police and Military Affairs - Thursday, February 14, 9:00 a.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Campaign and Election Oversight - Wednesday, February 13, 12:30 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-1725)

Economic Development and Regulatory Reform - Thursday, February 14, 12:00 noon, Room 100, Farnum Building (373-7670) (CANCELED)

Education - Thursday, February 14, 2:30 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-6920)

Finance - Thursday, February 14, 11:00 a.m. or later immediately following session, Room 110, Farnum Building (373-1758)

Health Policy - Wednesday, February 13, 3:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower (373-0793)

Legislative Commission on Government Efficiency - Thursday, February 14, 11:30 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-0212)

Legislative Commission on Statutory Mandates - Wednesday, February 13, 2:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building (373-0212)

Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs - Wednesday, February 13, 1:00 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-3447)

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate adjourn.
The motion prevailed, the time being 10:48 a.m.

The President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry, declared the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, February 13, 2008, at 10:00 a.m.

CAROL MOREY VIVENTI
Secretary of the Senate