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Senate Chamber, Lansing, Tuesday, February 27, 2007.

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 Garcia—present Anderson—present George—present Gilbert—present Barcia—present Basham—present Gleason—present Birkholz—present Hardiman—present Bishop—present Hunter—present Brater—present Jacobs—present Brown-present Jansen—present Cassis—present Jelinek—present Cherry—present Kahn—present Clark-Coleman—present Kuipers—present Clarke—excused McManus—present Cropsey—present Olshove—present

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

Pastor Dennis Irish of Trinity United Methodist Church of Algonac offered the following invocation:

Holy God, we thank You for Your presence here. As servants of Your people, we ask, Lord, that You would give us Your wisdom; give us Your courage to make the right decisions. Be with us now through this day. Thank You, Father, for Your care.

Through Your Son's name we pray. Amen.

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

# **Motions and Communications**

Senators Jacobs and Barcia entered the Senate Chamber.

#### Recess

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate recess subject to the call of the Chair. The motion prevailed, the time being 10:03 a.m.

10:08 a.m.

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

Senators Stamas, Bishop, Hardiman, Jansen, Garcia, Brown, Jelinek, Cassis, Van Woerkom, Kahn, Pappageorge, George, Birkholz and Allen entered the Senate Chamber.

Senator Thomas moved that Senator Clarke be excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

Senator Cropsey moved that rule 3.901 be suspended to allow photographs to be taken from the Senate floor, including the center aisle and Gallery.

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

Senator Cropsey moved that rule 3.902 be suspended to allow his guests admittance to the Senate floor, including the center aisle.

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

#### Recess

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

10:18 a.m.

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

During the recess, Senator Cropsey introduced the Central Michigan University Football Team, 2006 Motor City Bowl Champions and Mid-American Conference Champions, and presented them with a Special Tribute.

Athletic Director Dave Heeke responded briefly.

The following communication was received and read: Office of Senator Wayne Kuipers

February 27, 2007

As Chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, I have established the Subcommittee on Prison Reform and Public Safety at the directive of Senate Majority Leader Mike Bishop. The following members will serve on the subcommittee: Chairman Wayne Kuipers, Senator Alan Cropsey, Senator Bruce Patterson and Senator Mike Prusi.

Sincerely, Wayne Kuipers State Senator 30th District

The communication was referred to the Secretary for record.

The following communications were received: Department of State

Administrative Rules Notices of Filing

February 21, 2007

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 and Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 3:26 p.m. this date, administrative rule (07-02-05) for the Department of Community Health, Director's Office, Entitled "Board of Pharmacy-Continuing Education." 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.

February 21, 2007

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 and Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 3:28 p.m. this date, administrative rule (07-02-06) for the Department of Community Health, Director's Office, Entitled "Board of Pharmacy." These rules become effective immediately upon filing with the Secretary of State unless adopted under sections 33, 44, 45a(6) of 1969 PA 306. Rules adopted under these sections become effective 7 days after filing with the Secretary of State.

February 21, 2007

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 and Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 3:30 p.m. this date, administrative rule (07-02-07) for the Department of Community Health, Director's Office, Entitled "Board of Pharmacy-Controlled Substances." 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.

February 21, 2007

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 and Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 3:32 p.m. this date, administrative rule (07-02-08) for the Department of Labor and Economic Growth, Director's Office, Entitled "Michigan Employment Security Board of Review." These rules take effect 7 days after filing with the Secretary of State.

February 21, 2007

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 and Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 3:34 p.m. this date, administrative rule (07-02-09) for the Department of Labor and Economic Growth, Workers' Compensation Agency, Entitled "Workers' Compensation Agency-General Rules." These rules become effective 7 days after filing with the Secretary of State.

February 21, 2007

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 and Economic Growth, State Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules filed at 3:36 p.m. this date, administrative rule (07-02-10) for the Department of Labor and Economic Growth, Worker's Compensation Board of Magistrates, Entitled "Board of Magistrates-General Rules." 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.

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 22: **House Bill Nos.** 4044 4045 4046

The Secretary announced that the following official bills were printed on Thursday, February 22, and are available at the legislative website:

Senate Bill Nos.	220	221	222	223	224	225	226	227	228	229	230	231	232	233
	234	235	236	237	238	239	240	241	242	243	244	245	246	247
	248	249	250	251	252	253	254	255	256	257	258	259	260	261
	262	263	264											
House Bill Nos.	4305	4306	4307	4308										

The Secretary announced that the following official bills and joint resolution were printed on Friday, February 23, and are available at the legislative website:

Senate Bill Nos.	265	266	267	268	269	270	271	272	273
Senate Joint Reso	olution	В							
House Bill Nos.	4309	4310	4311	4312	4313	4314	4315		

# Messages from the Governor

The following messages from the Governor were received and read:

February 22, 2007

I respectfully submit to the Senate, pursuant to Section 6 of Article 5 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, the following appointments and reappointments to state office under Section 2 of 1978 PA 389, MCL 400.1502:

# **Domestic Violence Prevention and Treatment Board**

Ms. Candace S. Cowling of 1362 Buth Drive, N.E., Comstock Park, Michigan 49321, county of Kent, succeeding Gwendolyn Brown, whose term has expired, representing persons with experience in an area related to the problems of domestic violence, for a term commencing February 22, 2007 and expiring September 30, 2009.

The Honorable Edward Sosnick of 4585 Kirkcaldy, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan 48304, county of Oakland, succeeding Marie L. Donigan, whose term has expired, representing persons with experience in an area related to the problems of domestic violence, for a term commencing February 22, 2007 and expiring September 30, 2009.

The Honorable Amy R. Krause of 415 LaSalle Boulevard, Lansing, Michigan 48912, county of Ingham, reappointed to represent persons with experience in an area related to the problems of domestic violence, for a term expiring September 30, 2009.

Ms. Mary Beth Kur of 9095 Mercer, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720, county of Charlevoix, reappointed to represent persons with experience in an area related to the problems of domestic violence, for a term expiring September 30, 2009.

February 22, 2007

I respectfully submit to the Senate, pursuant to Section 6 of Article 5 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, the following appointment to state office under Section 21 of the State Housing Development Authority Act of 1966 PA 346, MCL 125.1421:

# Michigan State Housing Development Authority

Mr. Keith W. Cooley of 6519 Crabapple Drive, Troy, Michigan 48098, county of Oakland, succeeding Robert W. Swanson, Jr., who has resigned, representing principal department heads of the executive branch of the state government, for a term commencing March 3, 2007 and expiring at the pleasure of the Governor.

February 22, 2007

I respectfully submit to the Senate, pursuant to Section 6 of Article 5 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, the following appointment to state office pursuant to Section 2 of 1968 PA 1, MCL 10.72:

# Michigan Women's Commission

Ms. Mary Alice Williams of 338 Auburn Avenue, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49506, county of Kent, succeeding Maria Ladas Hoopes, who has resigned, for a term commencing February 22, 2007 and expiring July 15, 2009.

February 23, 2007

I respectfully submit to the Senate pursuant to Article V, Section 6 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, the following appointments to office under Sections 302 and 2002 of the Occupational Code, 1980 PA 299, MCL 339.302 and 339.2002:

# **Board of Professional Engineers**

Mr. Mahmoud E. El-Gamal of 4713 Maura Lane, West Bloomfield, Michigan 48323, county of Oakland, succeeding Gregory C. Bovid, whose term has expired, representing professional engineers, for a term commencing February 23, 2007 and expiring March 31, 2009.

Mr. George Y. Karmo of 29888 Harrow Drive, Farmington Hills, Michigan 48331, county of Oakland, succeeding Stephen S. Miller, whose term has expired, representing professional engineers, for a term commencing February 23, 2007 and expiring March 31, 2010.

Mr. John G. Kraus of 2770 Alger, S.E., Grand Rapids, Michigan 49546, county of Kent, succeeding David E. Mester, whose term has expired, representing professional engineers, for a term commencing February 23, 2007 and expiring March 31, 2009.

Mr. Kevin F. Prihod of 605 Chicago Boulevard, Detroit, Michigan 48202, county of Wayne, succeeding Ronald V. Quackenbush, who has resigned, representing the general public, for a term commencing February 23, 2007 and expiring March 31, 2009.

Sincerely, Jennifer M. Granholm Governor

The appointments were referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Reform.

# **Resolutions**

Senators Jacobs, Birkholz, Kuipers, Richardville, Hardiman, Garcia, Pappageorge, Clarke, George, Gleason, Sanborn, Van Woerkom, Brown, Schauer, Thomas, Hunter, Scott and Brater offered the following resolution:

# Senate Resolution No. 14.

A resolution to encourage the Governor to urge the Civil Service Commission to institute a wellness program that includes incentives for healthy behaviors for state employees.

Whereas, The general health of Michigan's citizens can be vastly improved, as the state ranks third in the nation for the prevalence of obesity, and 27 percent of Michigan high school students are overweight or at risk of becoming overweight. For example, in comparison to Colorado, a state that ranks high in measures of general wellness, Michigan citizens have a 31 percent greater chance of dying of cardiovascular disease than Colorado citizens. The percentage of Michigan adults who smoke is at 23 percent and is above the national average; and

Whereas, A portion of health care costs can be directly linked to the treatment of illness and disease that are the result of unhealthy behaviors. Twenty-five percent of health care costs are secondary to unhealthy behaviors and are therefore preventable. Over 80 percent of health care expenditures are for the treatment of people with one or more chronic diseases, some of which could have been prevented if people made and maintained healthier lifestyle choices. A growing body of evidence suggests unhealthy behavior is more likely to be altered in response to tangible incentives; and

Whereas, The Michigan Senate is undertaking efforts to implement a wellness component in its benefit plans offered to Senate members and employees; and

Whereas, The state of Michigan can lead the way to a healthier Michigan by offering state employees a wellness program that encourages participants to make lifestyle choices that promote or maintain good health. Michigan can succeed and learn from the experience gained in other innovative state programs to take the next steps in demonstrating the benefits of wellness; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, That we urge the Governor to require the Civil Service Commission to institute a wellness program that includes incentives for healthy behaviors for state employees; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Office of the Governor.

Pending the order that, under rule 3.204, the resolution be referred to the Committee on Government Operations and Reform.

Senator Cropsey moved that the rule be suspended.

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

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

Senator Cropsey moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

The motion prevailed.

Senators Anderson, Cherry, Clark-Coleman and Switalski were named co-sponsors of the resolution.

#### **Introduction and Referral of Bills**

Senators Whitmer, Anderson, Hunter, Jacobs, Richardville, Cherry, Switalski, Schauer, Brater, Prusi, Garcia, Kahn and Clark-Coleman introduced

#### Senate Bill No. 274, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 331, entitled "Michigan consumer protection act," by amending section 3 (MCL 445.903), as amended by 2006 PA 508.

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

Senators Whitmer and Cherry introduced

#### Senate Bill No. 275, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 1307a (MCL 600.1307a), as amended by 2004 PA 12.

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

Senators Kahn, Richardville, Jelinek and Pappageorge introduced

# Senate Bill No. 276, entitled

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," by amending section 9f (MCL 211.9f), as amended by 2004 PA 79.

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

Senators Richardville, Birkholz, Kuipers, Kahn, Hardiman, Pappageorge, George, Gleason, Sanborn, Brown, Thomas, Hunter and Scott introduced

# Senate Bill No. 277, entitled

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967," by amending section 30 (MCL 206.30), as amended by 2005 PA 214, and by adding section 435.

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

Senators George, Pappageorge, Birkholz, Richardville, Kuipers, Kahn, Hardiman, Garcia, Gleason, Sanborn, Jacobs, Van Woerkom, Brown, Thomas, Scott and Brater introduced

# Senate Bill No. 278, entitled

A bill to promote the availability and affordability of health coverage in this state and to facilitate the purchase of that coverage; to create the Michigan helping ensure affordable and reliable treatment exchange and board; to provide for a determination of eligible health coverage plans; to provide for a determination of eligibility for assistance of certain enrollees; to prescribe certain powers and duties of certain officials and departments of this state; to provide for certain funds; to provide for the collection and disbursement of certain payments and surcharges; and to provide for certain reports.

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

Senators Birkholz, Richardville, Kuipers, Hardiman, Pappageorge, George, Gleason, Sanborn, Jacobs, Van Woerkom, Brown, Schauer, Thomas, Hunter, Scott, Brater and Allen introduced

# Senate Bill No. 279, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 70107.

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

Senators Sanborn, Birkholz, Kuipers, Richardville, Pappageorge, George, Gleason, Brown, Scott and Allen introduced Senate Bill No. 280, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 350, entitled "The nonprofit health care corporation reform act," (MCL 550.1101 to 550.1704) by adding sections 409b and 419c.

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

Senators Kahn, Birkholz, Richardville, Kuipers, Hardiman, Garcia, Pappageorge, George, Gleason, Sanborn, Brown and Scott introduced

#### Senate Bill No. 281, entitled

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

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

Senators Thomas, Birkholz, Richardville, Kuipers, Kahn, Hardiman, Garcia, Pappageorge, Clarke, George, Gleason, Sanborn, Jacobs, Brown, Schauer, Hunter, Scott and Brater introduced

# Senate Bill No. 282, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1502 (MCL 380.1502), as amended by 1993 PA 335.

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

Senators Brown, Birkholz, Kuipers, Richardville, Kahn, Pappageorge, George, Gleason, Sanborn, Hunter, Scott and Thomas introduced

#### Senate Bill No. 283, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 3519 (MCL 500.3519), as amended by 2005 PA 306, and by adding sections 2264b and 3406s.

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

Senators Richardville, Cassis, Cropsey, Pappageorge, George, McManus, Kahn, Hardiman, Allen, Jansen, Stamas and Van Woerkom introduced

# Senate Bill No. 284, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled "Michigan campaign finance act," (MCL 169.201 to 169.282) by adding section 48.

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

Senators McManus, Cassis, Cropsey, Pappageorge, George, Richardville, Kahn, Jansen, Allen, Hardiman, Stamas and Van Woerkom introduced

# Senate Bill No. 285, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 388, entitled "Michigan campaign finance act," by amending section 47 (MCL 169.247), as amended by 2001 PA 250.

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

#### House Bill No. 4044, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 2946 (MCL 600.2946), as amended by 1995 PA 249.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill.

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

#### House Bill No. 4045, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 5805 (MCL 600.5805), as amended by 2002 PA 715.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill.

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

# House Bill No. 4046, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 331, entitled "Michigan consumer protection act," by amending sections 2 and 3 (MCL 445.902 and 445.903), as amended by 2006 PA 508.

The House of Representatives has passed the bill.

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

#### **Statements**

Senator Scott asked and was granted unanimous consent to make a statement and moved that the statement be printed in the Journal.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Scott's statement is as follows:

I'm going to read a quote from 20 years ago. A Senator who once served in this Legislature said, "We must take the profit out of prejudice." Coleman Young, 1987—twenty years ago. Charging one group, one zip code, one city higher insurance rates than another is flat out prejudice, and we must take the profits out of that practice. It is time for action. Twenty years ago and we're still saying the same thing. It is time for us to make a difference.

# **Committee Reports**

The Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs reported

# Senate Bill No. 115, entitled

A bill to amend 2003 PA 226, entitled "Joint municipal planning act," by amending sections 5 and 7 (MCL 125.135 and 125.137).

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.

Patricia L. Birkholz Chairperson

To Report Out:

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

Navs: None

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

The Committee on Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs reported

# Senate Bill No. 206, entitled

A bill to provide for county, township, city, and village planning; to provide for the creation, organization, powers, and duties of local planning commissions; to provide for the powers and duties of certain state and local governmental officers and agencies; to provide for the regulation and subdivision of land; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

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

Patricia L. Birkholz Chairperson

To Report Out:

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

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 Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs submitted the following: Meeting held on Wednesday, February 21, 2007, 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 Economic Development and Regulatory Reform submitted the following: Meeting held on Wednesday, February 21, 2007, at 1:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building Present: Senators Sanborn (C), Richardville, Allen, Gilbert, Thomas, Hunter and Jacobs

#### COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Finance submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, February 22, 2007, at 11:08 a.m., Room 110, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Cassis (C), Gilbert, McManus, Jansen, Prusi, Jacobs and Whitmer

#### COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Energy Policy submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, February 22, 2007, at 1:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower

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

Excused: Senator Brown

#### COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Subcommittee on State Police and Military Affairs submitted the following: Meeting held on Thursday, February 22, 2007, at 1:00 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building Present: Senators Garcia (C), Cropsey and Barcia

#### COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Education submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, February 22, 2007, at 2:30 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building

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

#### COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Subcommittee on General Government submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, February 22, 2007, at 3:00 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Pappageorge (C), Garcia and Anderson

# **Scheduled Meetings**

Agriculture - Thursday, March 1, 9:00 a.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-1635)

#### **Appropriations** -

#### **Subcommittees -**

**Agriculture -** Thursdays, March 1, March 8 and March 15, 2:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Capital Outlay - Thursday, March 1, 9:00 a.m., House Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-8080)

**Economic Development -** Wednesdays, February 28, March 7 and March 14, 8:30 a.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-2768)

**General Government -** Thursdays, March 1, March 8 and March 15, 3:00 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building (373-2768)

**Higher Education -** Thursday, March 8, 8:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

**History, Arts, and Libraries -** Tuesday, March 6, 3:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower; and Tuesday, March 13, 3:00 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-2768)

**Human Services Department -** Wednesdays, February 28, March 7 and March 14, 12:30 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building (373-2768)

**Judiciary and Corrections -** Wednesdays, February 28 and March 14, 3:00 p.m., Room 402, Capitol Building; and Thursday, March 8, 1:30 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building (373-2768)

**State Police and Military Affairs -** Thursdays, March 1 and March 8, 1:00 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-2768)

**Transportation Department -** Thursday, March 1, and Wednesdays, March 7, March 14 and March 21, 8:30 a.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Banking and Financial Institutions - Wednesday, February 28, 8:30 a.m., Room 210, Farnum Building (373-3543)

Campaign and Election Oversight - Wednesday, February 28, 12:30 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-1725)

**Economic Development and Regulatory Reform -** Wednesday, February 28, 1:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-7670)

Energy Policy - Thursday, March 1, 1:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building (373-7350)

Homeland Security and Emerging Technologies - Tuesday, March 6, 1:00 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building (373-5932)

Judiciary -

Subcommittee -

**Prison Reform and Public Safety -** Wednesday, February 28, 3:00 p.m., Potter Center, Federer Rooms A, B and C, Jackson Community College, 2111 Emmons Road, Jackson (373-6920)

**Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs -** Wednesday, February 28, 1:00 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-3447)

Senior Citizens and Veterans Affairs - Wednesday, February 28, 9:00 a.m., Room 100, Farnum Building (373-2413)

Senator Cropsey moved that the Senate adjourn. The motion prevailed, the time being 10:25 a.m.

The President, Lieutenant Governor Cherry, declared the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, February 28, 2007, at 10:00 a.m.

CAROL MOREY VIVENTI Secretary of the Senate