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Senate Chamber, Lansing, Wednesday, September 18, 2013.

10:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by the President pro tempore, Senator Tonya Schuitmaker.

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

Ananich—present  
Anderson—present  
Bieda—present  
Booher—present  
Brandenburg—present  
Casperson—present  
Caswell—present  
Colbeck—present  
Emmons—present  
Green—present  
Gregory—present  
Hansen—present  
Hildenbrand—present

Hood—present  
Hopgood—present  
Hune—present  
Hunter—present  
Jansen—present  
Johnson—excused  
Jones—present  
Kahn—present  
Kowall—present  
Marleau—present  
Meekhof—present  
Moolenaar—present  
Nofs—present

Pappageorge—excused  
Pavlov—present  
Proos—present  
Richardville—present  
Robertson—present  
Rocca—present  
Schuitmaker—present  
Smith—present  
Walker—present  
Warren—present  
Whitmer—present  
Young—present

Pastor Doral Jackson of River of Life Church of Watervliet offered the following invocation:

Heavenly Father, we come to You today and we thank You for the blessings that You have bestowed upon us. We thank You for the great land that we live in and for the freedoms that we enjoy. Father, we are truly blessed to live in the United States of America and especially in the great state of Michigan. We thank You for our legislative body here in the Senate, and we pray that You would give them courage and strength as they serve the citizens throughout the state. We ask that You would assist them in their selfless service and strengthen them to overcome the temptation of personal agendas.

You said that if we would ask for wisdom that You would give it to us in abundance and that You wouldn't hold back. So we ask that Your wisdom would be upon each one of these Senators today. They face many complex issues and desperately need the insight and knowledge that only You can give.

Your word says that a house divided against itself cannot stand, and so today, we ask for the spirit of unity to prevail in these chambers. We ask that You will help each Senator to conduct themselves with godly integrity as they labor under the weight of their decisions. Guide them as they wrestle with the tension created between their personal convictions and the compromise necessary to come to agreement on the difficult issues facing them and the citizens of Michigan. We also pray that they would be shining examples of righteousness, integrity, and the highest ethical standards as they lead Michigan forward into hope for a better tomorrow.

Lord, Your word says in Psalm 127:1: "Unless the Lord builds the house, those who build it labor in vain. Unless the Lord watches over the city, the watchman stays awake in vain." Therefore, we ask You that Your divine hand of guidance and favor would be upon our beloved state and that Your provision would be seen in abundance once again. We ask Your blessing upon this great state and the men and women who are before us today. May we all lead a quiet and a peaceable life in all godliness and honesty, because this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Savior.

We ask all these things in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Assistant President pro tempore, Senator Schuitmaker, led the members of the Senate in recital of the *Pledge of Allegiance*.

### **Motions and Communications**

Senators Richardville, Proos and Brandenburg entered the Senate Chamber.

Senator Hopgood moved that Senators Hunter and Smith be temporarily excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

Senator Hopgood moved that Senator Johnson be excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

Senator Meekhof moved that Senator Casperson be temporarily excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

Senator Meekhof moved that Senator Pappageorge be excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

### **Recess**

Senator Meekhof moved that the Senate recess subject to the call of the Chair. The motion prevailed, the time being 10:06 a.m.

10:29 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by the President pro tempore, Senator Schuitmaker.

During the recess, Senators Hunter and Casperson entered the Senate Chamber.

The following communication was received:  
Department of State Police

August 27, 2013

Attached is a copy of the 2011-2012 Concealed Pistol License Annual Report as required by Public Act 372 of 1927, as amended. This report details the concealed pistol license activity between July 1, 2011, and June 30, 2012.

Below is a summary of the activity since the statutes required yearly reporting:

Year	Applications Received	Total Approved	# of Criminal Violations
2001-2002	62,902	53,000	92
2002-2003	29,914	27,499	221
2003-2004	35,585	31,121	398
2004-2005	58,366	54,677	403
2005-2006	40,238	36,754	548
2006-2007	22,403	23,790	938
2007-2008	33,411	26,578	1,319
2008-2009	73,105	66,446	1,292
2009-2010	90,808	86,661	1,005
2010-2011	84,827	87,637	2,711
2011-2012	82,347	78,721	2,997

The number of criminal violations is not significantly higher than last year. The slight increase is likely due to a higher accumulative total of individuals having a valid concealed pistol license. It may also be due to a change in the method of processing the violations. As with last year, a comparison report was compiled matching criminal history information with concealed pistol license holders. This information was provided to all of the counties for verification. This year, if the counties failed to verify, the information was still included in the report. The report includes a notation on which counties failed to verify.

If you have any questions regarding the information in this report, please feel free to contact the Michigan State Police, Firearms Records Unit at (517) 241-1917.

Sincerely,  
Kriste Etue  
Director

The communication was referred to the Secretary for record.

The Secretary announced the enrollment printing and presentation to the Governor on Tuesday, September 17, for his approval the following bill:

**Enrolled Senate Bill No. 330 at 2:07 p.m.**

### Messages from the House

#### Senate Bill No. 50, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 81101, 81115, 81122, 81129, and 81133 (MCL 324.81101, 324.81115, 324.81122, 324.81129, and 324.81133), section 81101 as amended by 2012 PA 246, sections 81115 and 81129 as amended by 2008 PA 240, section 81122 as added by 1995 PA 58, and section 81133 as amended by 2012 PA 340; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

Substitute (H-2).

The question being on concurring in the substitute made to the bill by the House.

The substitute was concurred in, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 355**

**Yeas—26**

Ananich  
Booher  
Brandenburg

Green  
Hansen  
Hildenbrand

Kowall  
Marleau  
Meekhof

Proos  
Richardville  
Robertson

Casperson	Hune	Moolenaar	Rocca
Caswell	Jansen	Nofs	Schuitmaker
Colbeck	Jones	Pavlov	Walker
Emmons	Kahn		

**Nays—9**

Anderson	Hood	Hunter	Whitmer
Bieda	Hopgood	Warren	Young
Gregory			

**Excused—3**

Johnson	Pappageorge	Smith
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Schuitmaker

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

**Senate Bill No. 257, entitled**

A bill to amend 1961 PA 120, entitled “An act to authorize the development or redevelopment of principal shopping districts and business improvement districts; to permit the creation of certain boards; to provide for the operation of principal shopping districts and business improvement districts; to provide for the creation, operation, and dissolution of business improvement zones; and to authorize the collection of revenue and the bonding of certain local governmental units for the development or redevelopment projects,” by amending sections 10, 10a, 10b, 10c, 10e, 10f, 10g, 10h, 10i, 10k, and 10l (MCL 125.990, 125.990a, 125.990b, 125.990c, 125.990e, 125.990f, 125.990g, 125.990h, 125.990i, 125.990k, and 125.990l), as added by 2001 PA 260, and by adding section 10n; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

Substitute (H-1).

The question being on concurring in the substitute made to the bill by the House,

The substitute was concurred in, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 356****Yeas—31**

Ananich	Hansen	Kowall	Robertson
Anderson	Hildenbrand	Marleau	Rocca
Bieda	Hood	Meekhof	Schuitmaker
Booher	Hopgood	Moolenaar	Walker
Casperson	Hunter	Nofs	Warren
Emmons	Jansen	Pavlov	Whitmer
Green	Jones	Proos	Young
Gregory	Kahn	Richardville	

**Nays—4**

Brandenburg	Caswell	Colbeck	Hune
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**Excused—3**

Johnson	Pappageorge	Smith
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Schuitmaker

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

**Senate Bill No. 357, entitled**

A bill to amend 1972 PA 284, entitled "Business corporation act," by amending section 778 (MCL 450.1778), as amended by 1993 PA 91.

Substitute (H-1).

The question being on concurring in the substitute made to the bill by the House,

The substitute was concurred in, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 357**

**Yeas—34**

Ananich	Gregory	Kahn	Richardville
Anderson	Hansen	Kowall	Robertson
Bieda	Hildenbrand	Marleau	Rocca
Booher	Hood	Meekhof	Schuitmaker
Brandenburg	Hopgood	Moolenaar	Walker
Casperson	Hune	Nofs	Warren
Colbeck	Hunter	Pavlov	Whitmer
Emmons	Jansen	Proos	Young
Green	Jones		

**Nays—1**

Caswell

**Excused—3**

Johnson	Pappageorge	Smith
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Schuitmaker

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.

The Assistant President pro tempore, Senator Hansen, assumed the Chair.

**House Bill No. 4299, entitled**

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled “Natural resources and environmental protection act,” by amending section 81131 (MCL 324.81131), as amended by 2011 PA 107.

(For text of amendments, see Senate Journal No. 70, p. 1374.)

The question being on concurring in the House amendments made to the Senate substitute,

The amendments were concurred in, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 358**

**Yeas—26**

Ananich	Green	Kowall	Proos
Booher	Hansen	Marleau	Richardville
Brandenburg	Hildenbrand	Meekhof	Robertson
Casperson	Hune	Moolenaar	Rocca
Caswell	Jansen	Nofs	Schuitmaker
Colbeck	Jones	Pavlov	Walker
Emmons	Kahn		

**Nays—9**

Anderson	Hood	Hunter	Whitmer
Bieda	Hopgood	Warren	Young
Gregory			

**Excused—3**

Johnson	Pappageorge	Smith
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Hansen

**Third Reading of Bills**

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

**Senate Bill No. 409**

**House Bill No. 4525**

**Senate Bill No. 276**

The motion prevailed.

The following bill was read a third time:

**Senate Bill No. 409, entitled**

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled “The Michigan penal code,” by amending section 316 (MCL 750.316), as amended by 2013 PA 39.

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. 359**

**Yeas—35**

Ananich	Green	Jones	Richardville
Anderson	Gregory	Kahn	Robertson
Bieda	Hansen	Kowall	Rocca
Booher	Hildenbrand	Marleau	Schuitmaker
Brandenburg	Hood	Meekhof	Walker
Casperson	Hopgood	Moolenaar	Warren
Caswell	Hune	Nofs	Whitmer
Colbeck	Hunter	Pavlov	Young
Emmons	Jansen	Proos	

**Nays—0**

**Excused—3**

Johnson	Pappageorge	Smith
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Hansen

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

**House Bill No. 4525, entitled**

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled “The code of criminal procedure,” by amending sections 13m, 16c, 17d, and 17g of chapter XVII (MCL 777.13m, 777.16c, 777.17d, and 777.17g), section 13m as amended by 2010 PA 355, section 16c as amended by 2012 PA 534, section 17d as amended by 2012 PA 456, and section 17g as amended by 2006 PA 541.

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. 360**

**Yeas—35**

Ananich	Green	Jones	Richardville
Anderson	Gregory	Kahn	Robertson
Bieda	Hansen	Kowall	Rocca
Booher	Hildenbrand	Marleau	Schuitmaker
Brandenburg	Hood	Meekhof	Walker
Casperson	Hopgood	Moolenaar	Warren
Caswell	Hune	Nofs	Whitmer
Colbeck	Hunter	Pavlov	Young
Emmons	Jansen	Proos	

**Nays—0**

**Excused—3**

Johnson

Pappageorge

Smith

**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Hansen

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.

Pursuant to Joint Rule 20, the full title of the act shall be inserted to read as follows:

“An act to revise, consolidate, and codify the laws relating to criminal procedure and to define the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of courts, judges, and other officers of the court under the provisions of this act; to provide laws relative to the rights of persons accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the arrest of persons charged with or suspected of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for bail of persons arrested for or accused of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to provide for the examination of persons accused of criminal offenses; to regulate the procedure relative to grand juries, indictments, informations, and proceedings before trial; to provide for trials of persons complained of or indicted for criminal offenses and ordinance violations and to provide for the procedure in those trials; to provide for judgments and sentences of persons convicted of criminal offenses and ordinance violations; to establish a sentencing commission and to prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for procedure relating to new trials and appeals in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to provide a uniform system of probation throughout this state and the appointment of probation officers; to prescribe the powers, duties, and compensation of probation officers; to provide penalties for the violation of the duties of probation officers; to provide for procedure governing proceedings to prevent crime and proceedings for the discovery of crime; to provide for fees of officers, witnesses, and others in criminal and ordinance violation cases; to set forth miscellaneous provisions as to criminal procedure in certain cases; to provide penalties for the violation of certain provisions of this act; and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with or contravening any of the provisions of this act.”.

The Senate agreed to the full title.

Senator Smith entered the Senate Chamber.

The following bill was read a third time:

**Senate Bill No. 276, entitled**

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled “The social welfare act,” by amending section 57f (MCL 400.57f), as amended by 2011 PA 132.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

Senator Gregory offered the following amendment:

1. Amend page 2, line 16, after “education.” by inserting “**THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PAY CHILDCARE EXPENSES INCURRED BY A PARTICIPANT IN THE PATH PROGRAM.**”.

The amendment was not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor.

Senator Hunter requested the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered, 1/5 of the members present voting therefor.

The amendment was not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 361**

**Yeas—13**

Ananich  
Anderson  
Bieda  
Caswell

Gregory  
Hood  
Hopgood

Hunter  
Kahn  
Smith

Warren  
Whitmer  
Young



**Nays—23**

Booher	Hansen	Marleau	Richardville
Brandenburg	Hildenbrand	Meekhof	Robertson
Casperson	Hune	Moolenaar	Rocca
Colbeck	Jansen	Nofs	Schuitmaker
Emmons	Jones	Pavlov	Walker
Green	Kowall	Proos	

**Excused—2**

Johnson	Pappageorge
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Hansen

Senator Gregory offered the following amendment:

1. Amend page 2, line 16, after “education.” by inserting “**THE RECIPIENT SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED OR PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY UNPAID WORK EXPERIENCE OR COMMUNITY SERVICE FOR MORE HOURS THAN ALLOWED UNDER THE FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT, 29 USC 201 TO 219.**”.

The amendment was not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor.

Senator Hunter requested the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered, 1/5 of the members present voting therefor.

The amendment was not adopted, a majority of the members serving not voting therefor, as follows:

**Roll Call No. 362****Yeas—11**

Ananich	Gregory	Hunter	Whitmer
Anderson	Hood	Smith	Young
Bieda	Hopgood	Warren	

**Nays—25**

Booher	Hansen	Kowall	Proos
Brandenburg	Hildenbrand	Marleau	Richardville
Casperson	Hune	Meekhof	Robertson
Caswell	Jansen	Moolenaar	Rocca
Colbeck	Jones	Nofs	Schuitmaker
Emmons	Kahn	Pavlov	Walker
Green			

**Excused—2**

Johnson	Pappageorge
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Hansen

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. 363****Yeas—27**

Bieda	Green	Kahn	Proos
Booher	Hansen	Kowall	Richardville
Brandenburg	Hildenbrand	Marleau	Robertson
Casperson	Hopgood	Meekhof	Rocca
Caswell	Hune	Moolenaar	Schuitmaker
Colbeck	Jansen	Nofs	Walker
Emmons	Jones	Pavlov	

**Nays—9**

Ananich	Hood	Smith	Whitmer
Anderson	Hunter	Warren	Young
Gregory			

**Excused—2**

Johnson	Pappageorge
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**Not Voting—0**

In The Chair: Hansen

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

**Protests**

Senators Gregory, Whitmer and Smith, under their constitutional right of protest (Art. 4, Sec. 18), protested against the passage of Senate Bill No. 276.

Senator Gregory moved that the statement he made during the discussion of the bill be printed as his reasons for voting “no.”

The motion prevailed.

Senator Gregory’s statement, in which Senators Whitmer and Smith concurred, is as follows:

I rise in opposition to this bill. I would like to let my colleagues know that this bill, that the FIP program itself, is a federal program. The federal government gives each state the option of whether they can include the requirement to have community service. Michigan has opted to use that and have community service; other states don’t—you can just join a program, you are not obligated to do anything, and just use the money to help your family.

Now I guess we do it currently, right now, and what this bill would do is put the language into a state statute. What that would mean is that if we have real bad economic times—we just went through some bad economic times—where there were very few jobs, very few things to do, most folks needed all the money they could get. Well, by putting this language into legislation, this would mean that Michigan would no longer have the option, if during bad times we decide that we do not want to force people into this community service. If we feel that there are no jobs, that community service will not help, we just need to help them with money. We will lose that option by codifying this language and putting it into statute.

My opposition is to say that we're doing it, and we can continue doing it, but don't put it into legislation where you don't have the option to change your mind and say that times are bad now. We don't need to do that right now. We need to give the residents of the state of Michigan a helping hand and not force them to do other things too in order to receive some kind of help from the state.

I would ask my colleagues to vote "no" on the passage of Senate Bill No. 276, and help support those folks who need the most help.

By unanimous consent the Senate proceeded to the order of  
**Resolutions**

Senator Meekhof moved that consideration of the following resolution be postponed for today:

**Senate Resolution No. 34**

The motion prevailed.

Senator Booher offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 86.**

A resolution recognizing September 20, 2013, as National Tradesmen Day.

Whereas, National Tradesmen Day is recognized each year on the third Friday in September; and

Whereas, National Tradesmen Day is intended to be a day when the nation pauses to thank skilled workers, such as auto mechanics, roofers, bricklayers, welders, plumbers, woodworkers, electricians, carpenters, and others; and

Whereas, It is a day for people to find ways to show appreciation and gratitude to tradesmen by holding celebrations, recognition events, and activities throughout the country; and

Whereas, By 2030, 79 million tradesmen will retire with only 41 million new workers replacing them; and

Whereas, Most vacated jobs will require training and expertise our young people are lacking. Only 6 percent of high school students consider a career in the trades; and

Whereas, These trends could mean trouble for a rebounding America. Without the appreciation of tradesmen and encouraging young adults to enter the trades, homes will not be built, roofs will not get fixed, and plumbing will not be repaired; and

Whereas, National Tradesmen Day celebrates the hardworking men and women who help ensure that the necessities of daily life remain operational and serve as an important element in making our economy function efficiently; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, That we hereby recognize September 20, 2013, as National Tradesmen Day in the state of Michigan. We urge citizens to offer their support to professional tradesmen, and bring more attention to the skilled-labor gap and the employment opportunities for skilled tradesmen.

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

Senator Meekhof moved that the rule be suspended.

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

The resolution was adopted.

Senators Anderson, Bieda, Brandenburg, Hansen, Hopgood, Jones, Nofs, Proos and Richardville were named co-sponsors of the resolution.

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

Senators Jones, Hune, Colbeck, Marleau, Rocca and Booher introduced

**Senate Bill No. 510, entitled**

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending sections 3021, 3101, 3109, and 3113 (MCL 500.3021, 500.3101, 500.3109, and 500.3113), section 3101 as amended by 2008 PA 241, section 3109 as amended by 2012 PA 454, and section 3113 as amended by 1986 PA 93.

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

Senator Casperson introduced  
**Senate Bill No. 512, entitled**

A bill to amend 1979 PA 152, entitled "State license fee act," by repealing section 15 (MCL 338.2215), as amended by 2012 PA 308.

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

Senator Casperson introduced  
**Senate Bill No. 513, entitled**

A bill to amend 1980 PA 299, entitled "Occupational code," by amending sections 303a and 411 (MCL 339.303a and 339.411), section 303a as amended by 2006 PA 489 and section 411 as amended by 2008 PA 309, and by adding section 205c; 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 Regulatory Reform.

Senator Casperson introduced  
**Senate Bill No. 514, entitled**

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending section 16186 (MCL 333.16186), as amended by 2006 PA 398, and by adding section 16152; 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 Regulatory Reform.

### Statements

Senator Colbeck stated that had he been present on September 12 when the votes were taken on the passage of the following bills, he would have voted "yea":

**House Bill No. 4094**  
**Senate Bill No. 332**  
**Senate Bill No. 351**  
**Senate Bill No. 354**  
**Senate Bill No. 373**

Senator Smith stated that had he been present earlier today when the votes were taken on concurring in the House substitutes to the following bills, he would have voted "yea":

**Senate Bill No. 257**  
**Senate Bill No. 357**

Senator Smith stated that had he been present earlier today when the votes were taken on the passage of the following bills, he would have voted "yea":

**Senate Bill No. 409**  
**House Bill No. 4525**

Senator Smith stated that had he been present earlier today when the vote was taken on concurring in the House substitute to the following bill, he would have voted "nay":

**Senate Bill No. 50**

Senator Smith stated that had he been present earlier today when the vote was taken on concurring in the House amendments to the Senate substitute to the following bill, he would have voted "nay":

**House Bill No. 4299**

### Committee Reports

The Committee on Veterans, Military Affairs and Homeland Security reported

**Senate Bill No. 428, entitled**

A bill to amend 1915 PA 63, entitled "An act to provide for the furnishing of suitable flag holders and United States flags for the graves of veterans who served in the armed forces of the United States for the marking and designation of the

graves for memorial purposes; and to provide a penalty for the removal or destruction of the flag holders and United States flags when placed," by amending sections 1 and 1a (MCL 35.831 and 35.831a), as amended by 2006 PA 627.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

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

John R. Moolenaar  
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Moolenaar, Emmons and Gregory

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

#### COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Veterans, Military Affairs and Homeland Security submitted the following:

Meeting held on Tuesday, September 17, 2013, at 1:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Moolenaar (C), Emmons and Gregory

Excused: Senators Pappageorge and Smith

#### Scheduled Meetings

##### Appropriations -

###### Subcommittees -

**Corrections Department, House Criminal Justice Committee and House Judiciary Committee** - Thursday, September 26, 9:00 a.m., House Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

**Human Services Department** - Wednesday, October 2, 2:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, and Tuesday, October 8, 2:00 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-2768)

**Banking and Financial Institutions** - Thursday, September 19, 1:30 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building (373-5312)

**Education** - Thursday, September 26, 5:30 p.m., Port Huron High School, Performing Arts Center, 2215 Court Street, Port Huron (373-5314)

**Michigan Law Revision Commission** - Tuesday, September 24, 12:00 noon, Room 405, Capitol Building (373-0212)

**Regulatory Reform** - Thursday, September 19, 12:30 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building (373-5307)

**Senate Fiscal Agency Board of Governors** - Thursday, September 19, 9:00 a.m., Room S-324, Capitol Building (373-2768) (CANCELED)

**State Drug Treatment Court Advisory Committee** - Tuesday, September 24, 9:30 a.m., Legislative Council Conference Room, 3rd Floor, Boji Tower (373-0212)

Senator Meekhof moved that the Senate adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 11:13 a.m.

The Assistant President pro tempore, Senator Hansen, declared the Senate adjourned until Thursday, September 19, 2013, at 10:00 a.m.

CAROL MOREY VIVENTI  
Secretary of the Senate

