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1:00 p.m.

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

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

Accavitti—present	Garfield—present	Meyer—present	Sheen—present
Acciavatti—present	Gieleghem—present	Middaugh—present	Sheltrown—present
Adamini—present	Gillard—present	Milosch—present	Shulman—present
Amos—present	Gleason—present	Minore—present	Smith—present
Anderson—present	Hager—present	Moolenaar—present	Spade—present
Bieda—present	Hardman—present	Mortimer—present	Stahl—present
Bisbee—present	Hart—present	Murphy—present	Stakoe—present
Bradstreet—present	Hood—present	Newell—present	Stallworth—present
Brandenburg—present	Hoogendyk—present	Nitz—present	Steil—present
Brown—present	Hopgood—present	Nofs—present	Stewart—present
Byrum—present	Howell—present	O’Neil—present	Tabor—present
Casperson—present	Huizenga—present	Paletko—present	Taub—present
Caswell—present	Hummel—present	Palmer—present	Tobocman—present
Caul—present	Hune—present	Palsrok—present	Vagnozzi—present
Cheeks—present	Hunter—present	Pappageorge—present	Van Regenmorter—present
Clack—present	Jamnick—present	Pastor—present	Vander Veen—present
Condino—present	Johnson, Rick—present	Phillips—present	Voorhees—present
Daniels—e/d/s	Johnson, Ruth—present	Plakas—present	Walker—present
Dennis—present	Julian—present	Pumford—present	Ward—present
DeRoche—present	Koetje—present	Reeves—present	Waters—present
DeRossett—present	Kolb—present	Richardville—present	Wenke—present
Drolet—present	Kooiman—present	Rivet—present	Whitmer—present
Ehardt—present	LaJoy—present	Robertson—present	Williams—present
Elkins—present	LaSata—present	Rocca—present	Wojno—present
Emmons—present	Law—present	Sak—present	Woodward—present
Farhat—present	Lipsey—present	Shackleton—present	Woronchak—present
Farrah—present	McConico—present	Shaffer—present	Zelenko—present
Gaffney—present	Meisner—present		

e/d/s = entered during session

Rep. Jerry O. Kooiman, from the 75th District, offered the following invocation:

“Dear Lord, thank You for the opportunity we have to serve You in this place. You have given each individual here, gifts and talents to be used in Your service. I pray that as we deliberate today on the issues before us that we would do so in a positive way that reflects Your will, Your truth, and Your justice. We pray, Lord, for the wisdom to know what is right, the courage to do what is right, and may we do so in humility, recognizing that we can learn from each other through discussion and debate. We pray, Lord, that we would be continually faithful to the words of Your prophet Micah as we decide the affairs of the state of Michigan. May we always seek justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with You, our God. Thank You for Your goodness and Your faithfulness. Thank You for Your patience with us. In Your name we pray, Amen.”

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4502, entitled

A bill to amend 1981 PA 230, entitled “Michigan economic and social opportunity act of 1981,” by amending the title and sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 (MCL 400.1103, 400.1104, 400.1105, 400.1106, 400.1107, 400.1108, 400.1109, 400.1110, and 400.1111), section 11 as amended by 1998 PA 76; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

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

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Richardville moved that the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

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

Rep. Waters moved that Reps. Dennis and Gielegem be excused temporarily from today’s session.

The motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

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

Roll Call No. 180

Yeas—107

Accavitti	Gillard	Middaugh	Sheltrown
Acciavatti	Gleason	Milosch	Shulman
Adamini	Hager	Minore	Smith
Amos	Hardman	Moolenaar	Spade
Anderson	Hart	Mortimer	Stahl
Bieda	Hood	Murphy	Stakoe
Bisbee	Hoogendyk	Newell	Stallworth
Bradstreet	Hopgood	Nitz	Steil
Brandenburg	Howell	Nofs	Stewart
Brown	Huizenga	O’Neil	Tabor
Byrum	Hummel	Paletko	Taub

Casperson	Hune	Palmer	Tobocman
Caswell	Hunter	Palsrok	Vagnozzi
Caul	Jamnack	Pappageorge	Van Regenmorter
Cheeks	Johnson, Rick	Pastor	Vander Veen
Clack	Johnson, Ruth	Phillips	Voorhees
Condino	Julian	Plakas	Walker
DeRoche	Koetje	Pumford	Ward
DeRossett	Kolb	Reeves	Waters
Drolet	Kooiman	Richardville	Wenke
Ehardt	LaJoy	Rivet	Whitmer
Elkins	LaSata	Robertson	Williams
Emmons	Law	Rocca	Wojno
Farhat	Lipsey	Sak	Woodward
Farrah	McConico	Shackleton	Woronchak
Gaffney	Meisner	Shaffer	Zelenko
Garfield	Meyer	Sheen	

Nays—0

In The Chair: Julian

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

Reps. Waters, Anderson, Pappageorge, Kolb, Jamnick, Richardville, Newell, Gaffney, Hopgood, Law, Brandenburg, DeRoche, Hune, Gleason, Caswell, Shaffer, Ward, Emmons and Stahl were named co-sponsors of the bill.

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4232, entitled

A bill to amend 1998 PA 58, entitled "Michigan liquor control code of 1998," by amending section 531 (MCL 436.1531), as amended by 2002 PA 725.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-3) previously recommended by the Committee on Regulatory Reform,

The substitute (H-3) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Richardville moved that the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

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

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

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

Roll Call No. 181

Yeas—99

Accavitti	Gielegem	Meisner	Shaffer
Acciavatti	Gillard	Meyer	Sheen
Adamini	Gleason	Middaugh	Sheltrown
Amos	Hager	Milosch	Shulman

Anderson	Hart	Minore	Smith
Bisbee	Hood	Moolenaar	Spade
Brandenburg	Hoogendyk	Mortimer	Stakoe
Brown	Hopgood	Murphy	Stallworth
Byrum	Howell	Newell	Steil
Casperson	Huizenga	Nitz	Stewart
Caswell	Hummel	O'Neil	Tabor
Caul	Hune	Paletko	Taub
Cheeks	Hunter	Palmer	Tobocman
Clack	Jamnack	Palsrok	Vagnozzi
Condino	Johnson, Rick	Pappageorge	Walker
DeRoche	Johnson, Ruth	Pastor	Ward
DeRossett	Julian	Phillips	Waters
Drolet	Koetje	Plakas	Wenke
Ehardt	Kolb	Pumford	Whitmer
Elkins	Kooiman	Richardville	Williams
Emmons	LaJoy	Rivet	Wojno
Farhat	LaSata	Robertson	Woodward
Farrah	Law	Rocca	Woronchak
Gaffney	Lipsey	Sak	Zelenko
Garfield	McConico	Shackleton	

Nays—6

Bieda	Nofs	Stahl	Van Regenmorter
Bradstreet	Reeves		

In The Chair: Julian

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4326, entitled

A bill to amend 1969 PA 306, entitled "Administrative procedures act of 1969," by amending sections 55 and 59 (MCL 24.255 and 24.259), as amended by 1999 PA 262.

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

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

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

The motion prevailed.

Rep. Richardville moved that the bill be placed on its immediate passage.

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

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4326, entitled

A bill to amend 1969 PA 306, entitled "Administrative procedures act of 1969," by amending sections 55 and 59 (MCL 24.255 and 24.259), as amended by 1999 PA 262.

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

Roll Call No. 182**Yeas—101**

Accavitti	Gielegem	Meisner	Sheen
Acciavatti	Gillard	Meyer	Sheltrown
Adamini	Gleason	Middaugh	Shulman
Amos	Hager	Milosch	Smith
Anderson	Hardman	Moolenaar	Spade
Bieda	Hart	Mortimer	Stahl
Bisbee	Hood	Murphy	Stakoe
Bradstreet	Hoogendyk	Newell	Stallworth
Brandenburg	Hopgood	Nitz	Steil
Brown	Howell	Nofs	Stewart
Byrum	Huizenga	O'Neil	Tabor
Casperson	Hummel	Palmer	Taub
Caswell	Hune	Palsrok	Tobocman
Caul	Hunter	Pappageorge	Vagnozzi
Cheeks	Johnson, Rick	Pastor	Van Regenmorter
Dennis	Johnson, Ruth	Phillips	Vander Veen
DeRoche	Julian	Plakas	Voorhees
DeRossett	Koetje	Reeves	Walker
Drolet	Kolb	Richardville	Ward
Ehardt	Kooiman	Rivet	Waters
Elkins	LaJoy	Robertson	Wenke
Emmons	LaSata	Rocca	Williams
Farhat	Law	Sak	Wojno
Farrah	Lipsey	Shackleton	Woodward
Gaffney	McConico	Shaffer	Woronchak
Garfield			

Nays—7

Clack	Jamnick	Paletko	Zelenko
Condino	Minore	Whitmer	

In The Chair: Julian

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

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

“Mr. Speaker and members of the House:

I voted no on final passage of HB 4326 because I feel that members of the Legislature should still receive one printed copy of the annual supplement per year.”

Rep. Daniels entered the House Chambers.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of
Reports of Standing Committees

The Committee on Education, by Rep. Palmer, Chair, reported

Senate Bill No. 364, entitled

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled "The state school aid act of 1979," by amending section 101 (MCL 388.1701), as amended by 2002 PA 476.

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

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills and laid over one day.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Palmer, Hummel, Meyer, Bradstreet, Hart, Tabor, Voorhees, Vander Veen, Nofs, Stahl, Gielegghem, Vagnozzi and Spade

Nays: Reps. Smith, Hopgood and Clack

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Tuesday, May 27, 2003, at 3:50 p.m.

Present: Reps. Palmer, Hummel, Meyer, Bradstreet, Hart, Ruth Johnson, Tabor, Voorhees, Vander Veen, Nofs, Stahl, Gielegghem, Vagnozzi, Spade, Smith, Hopgood and Clack

Absent: Reps. Hager and Meisner

Excused: Reps. Hager and Meisner

The Committee on Insurance, by Rep. Julian, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4361, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 350, entitled "The nonprofit health care corporation reform act," (MCL 550.1101 to 550.1704) by adding section 416d.

The committee recommended that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Julian, Hune, Ehardt, Hummel, Garfield, Robertson, Sheen, Daniels, Woodward, Anderson, Wojno, Hood and Gillard

Nays: None

The recommendation was concurred in and the bill was referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

The Committee on Insurance, by Rep. Julian, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4362, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," (MCL 500.100 to 500.8302) by adding section 3406l.

The committee recommended that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

Favorable Roll Call

To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Julian, Hune, Ehardt, Hummel, Garfield, Robertson, Sheen, Daniels, Woodward, Anderson, Wojno, Hood and Gillard

Nays: None

The recommendation was concurred in and the bill was referred to the Committee on Health Policy.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Wednesday, May 28, 2003, at 10:30 a.m.

Present: Reps. Julian, Hune, Ehardt, Hummel, Garfield, Robertson, Sheen, Daniels, Woodward, Anderson, Wojno, Hood and Gillard

Absent: Reps. Bisbee and Middaugh

Excused: Reps. Bisbee and Middaugh

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Wednesday, May 28, 2003, at 10:30 a.m.

Present: Reps. Wenke, Sheen, Koetje, Woronchak, Meyer, Drolet, Hummel, Palmer, Milosch, Nofs, O'Neil, Minore, Farrah, Bieda and Condino

Absent: Reps. Stakoe and Zelenko

Excused: Reps. Stakoe and Zelenko

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Ruth Johnson, Chair of the Committee on Land Use and Environment, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Wednesday, May 28, 2003, at 10:30 a.m.

Present: Reps. Ruth Johnson, LaJoy, Brandenburg, Milosch, Nitz, Farrah, Dennis and Law

Absent: Reps. DeRossett, Ward and Gielegem

Excused: Reps. DeRossett, Ward and Gielegem

Announcement by the Clerk of Printing and Enrollment

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members, Thursday, May 22:

Senate Bill Nos. 508 510 511 512 513

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members, Friday, May 23:

Senate Bill Nos. 514 515 516 517 518

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Wednesday, May 28:

House Bill Nos. 4751 4752 4753 4754 4755 4756 4757 4758 4759 4760 4761 4762 4763 4764

The Clerk announced that the following Senate bills had been received on Wednesday, May 28:

Senate Bill Nos. 234 236 237 238 460

Communications from State Officers

The following communications from the Auditor General were received and read:

May 22, 2003

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary:

Financial Audit

Including the Provisions of the

Single Audit Act of the

Michigan Economic Development Corporation

(A Component Unit of the State of Michigan)

October 1, 2000 through September 30, 2002

May 23, 2003

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary:
 Financial Audit
 Including the Provisions of the
 Single Audit Act of the
 Department of Management and Budget
 October 1, 2000 through September 30, 2002

May 23, 2003

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary:
 Performance Audit of the
 Office of Services to the Aging
 Department of Community Health
 May 2003

May 23, 2003

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary:
 Performance Audit of
 Selected Community Colleges' Reporting of
 Activities Classification Structure Data
 May 2003

May 27, 2003

Enclosed is a copy of the following audit report and/or report summary:
 Performance Audit of the
 Office of Field Services
 Department of Education
 May 2003

Sincerely,
 Thomas H. McTavish, C.P.A.
 Auditor General

The communications were referred to the Clerk and the accompanying reports referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

The following communication from the Barry/Branch/Calhoun Michigan Works! Agency was received and read:

May 22, 2003

Enclosed are copies of the revised Youth Plan and Comprehensive Adult Plan for the Workforce Investment Act (W.I.A.), as developed by the Workforce Development Board and Chief Elected Officials of the Barry, Branch, and Calhoun Michigan Works! service delivery area.

Comments regarding the plans are to be directed in writing to the Workforce Development Board and Chief Elected Officials, in care of Michigan Works! at the Calhoun Intermediate School District, 17111 "G" Drive North, Marshall, MI 49068. If you have any questions, please contact our Michigan Works! Workforce Development Team at 269-789-2409.

Yours truly,
 Elaine Furu-Baker
 Director of Workforce Development

The communication was referred to the Clerk.

Rep. Richardville moved that House Committees be given leave to meet during the balance of today's session. The motion prevailed.

Rep. Richardville moved that when the House adjourns today it stand adjourned until Tuesday, June 3, at 1:00 p.m. The motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Motions and Resolutions

Reps. Elkins, Sak, Gillard, Meisner, Murphy, Sheltroun, Byrum, Gaffney, Tobocman, Caul, Anderson, Pumford, McConico, Hune, LaJoy, Condino, Bieda, Moolenaar, Plakas, Richardville, Gleason, Garfield, Milosch, Casperson, Ward, Brown, Farhat, Farrah, Jannick, Kolb, Law, Lipsey, Minore, Reeves, Rivet, Shackleton, Stallworth, Waters and Zelenko offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 70.

A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to amend the Internal Revenue Code to make all games of chance conducted by 501(c) organizations tax exempt.

Whereas, Charitable, philanthropic, and mutually beneficial organizations operating as tax exempt entities under section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code contribute to our society in many ways. These groups enrich community life, encourage high standards of citizenship, and meet needs beyond governmental responsibility. State and federal tax policies help to foster this component of our national character; and

Whereas, The Internal Revenue Code provides tax exemptions for groups commonly referred to as "501(c) organizations" for a variety of activities, including proceeds from bingo games that meet set standards. This fundraising tool is a revenue lifeblood for many groups. However, other types of games of chance are not tax exempt. This inconsistency is harmful. Since many of these types of organizations do not realize that some games of chance are not exempt, the organizations may be unknowingly breaking the law. Considerable confusion can surround the reporting requirements even for groups that understand the law and are trying to comply; and

Whereas, Most importantly, groups committed to service within our society use games of chance as a major source of financial support to enable them to carry out worthwhile projects. This service should be encouraged as much as possible and not restricted by nuances of the Internal Revenue Code. The more clarity brought to the often baffling provisions regarding tax exempt groups, the better for society; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we memorialize the Congress of the United States to amend the Internal Revenue Code to make all games of chance conducted by 501(c) organizations tax exempt. We urge that this exemption be made retroactive; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and the members of the Michigan congressional delegation.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

Reps. Bieda, Adamini, Amos, Brown, Caswell, Cheeks, Condino, Dennis, Elkins, Farrah, Garfield, Gillard, Hager, Huizenga, Jannick, Ruth Johnson, Julian, Koetje, Kolb, LaJoy, Lipsey, Minore, Murphy, Nitz, Pastor, Phillips, Plakas, Richardville, Rivet, Rocca, Shackleton, Shulman, Spade, Stahl, Stakoe, Stallworth, Taub, Vagnozzi, Voorhees, Waters, Zelenko and Pappageorge offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 71.

A resolution to express our condolences to the families who lost loved ones in the May 12, 2003 attacks in Saudi Arabia.

Whereas, On Monday night, May 12, 2003, four apparently coordinated terrorist attacks struck Western targets in Saudi Arabia. The terrorists used vehicles packed with explosives in attacks on three housing compounds where Americans and other Westerners live; and

Whereas, The people of Michigan and members of the Michigan House of Representatives stand with our fellow citizens across the United States of America in expressing our outrage at the barbaric attacks in Saudi Arabia, we extend our sympathies to the families and friends of those who died in these attacks; and

Whereas, The 9/11/01 attacks here in the United States are still not forgotten by the people of Michigan. The vivid images of individuals being carried from the rubble of the fallen buildings strengthens our resolve to track down the killers whose twisted views of the world led them to believe that the death of innocent men, women, and children could advance their cause. Those who committed such heinous acts must be brought to justice; and

Whereas, Just as the people of Saudi Arabia are doing, we in Michigan now too hug our children just a little more tightly as we put them to bed at night. We hope the outpouring of grief and support that Michiganians have extended to the families who lost loved ones in these Saudi Arabia attacks will in some small measure comfort them during this tragedy. Let them know of our prayers and support; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body send our condolences to the families who lost loved ones in the May 12, 2003 attacks in Saudi Arabia. May they know of our deepest sympathy and support in bringing the individuals involved in these cowardly attacks to justice; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States, the United States Secretary of State and the United States Ambassador to Saudi Arabia.

Pending the reference of the resolution to a committee,

Rep. Richardville moved that Rule 77 be suspended and the resolution be considered at this time.

The motion prevailed, 3/5 of the members present voting therefor.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Messages from the Senate

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21.

A concurrent resolution to memorialize Congress to include funding for the American Red Cross Armed Forces Emergency Services in the National Defense Authorization Act and the Department of Defense Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2004.

Whereas, For over a century, the American Red Cross has served as a link between the people of the United States and their Armed Forces; and

Whereas, Under its Congressional Charter of 1905, the American Red Cross is entrusted to deliver emergency messages to members of the Armed Forces and their families; and

Whereas, Military commanders around the world rely on the Red Cross Armed Forces Emergency Services (AFES) to verify the need to approve leave for military personnel, and to provide financial support to enable them to return home when necessary; and

Whereas, In order to meet the Department of Defense requirements for emergency leave verification, Red Cross AFES is on call every hour of every day and night for 13 million service members and their families; and

Whereas, The Red Cross AFES program maintains a global emergency communications network supported by 392 employees and 28,000 volunteers located in 961 chapters across the nation, on 108 military installations around the world, and at two AFES Centers located at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, and Falls Church, Virginia; and

Whereas, Michigan's 26 Red Cross chapters and its work on three installations provided emergency communications assistance to 6,238 military personnel and their families in Fiscal Year 2002. Since last July, the American Red Cross in Michigan has seen a 43% increase in the number of military cases served over last year; and

Whereas, Operation Enduring Freedom, the war on terrorism, and the Iraq conflict have placed increased demands on this vital program. The Red Cross and Congress can no longer rely on charitable contributions from the American public to support this required service, especially during the current economic downturn; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representative concurring), That we memorialize Congress to include funding for the American Red Cross Armed Forces Emergency Services in the National Defense Authorization Act and the Department of Defense Appropriations Act for fiscal year 2004 to help fund costs associated with AFES emergency communications and staff mobilization and deployment. We also support the inclusion of AFES funding in the Department of Defense budget request starting in fiscal year 2005; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and the members of the Michigan congressional delegation.

The Senate has adopted the concurrent resolution.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the Committee on Veterans Affairs and Homeland Security.

Introduction of Bills

Reps. Pastor, LaJoy, Brandenburg, Nofs, Farhat, Casperson and Amos introduced

House Bill No. 4765, entitled

A bill to amend 1972 PA 230, entitled "Stille-DeRossett-Hale single state construction code act," (MCL 125.1501 to 125.1531) by adding section 1513e.

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

Reps. Pastor, LaJoy, Brandenburg, Nofs, Farhat, Casperson and Amos introduced

House Bill No. 4766, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 20144a.

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

Rep. Ward introduced

House Bill No. 4767, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 495, 500a, and 759 (MCL 168.495, 168.500a, and 168.759), sections 495 and 500a as amended by 1995 PA 87 and section 759 as amended by 1995 PA 261.

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

Reps. Hart, Lipsey, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4768, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 205, entitled "The paternity act," by amending section 2 (MCL 722.712), as amended by 1998 PA 113.

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

Reps. Smith, Condino, Lipsey, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4769, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled "The social welfare act," by amending sections 115b, 115f, 115g, and 117e (MCL 400.115b, 400.115f, 400.115g, and 400.117e), section 115b as amended by 1998 PA 516, sections 115f and 115g as amended by 2002 PA 648, and section 117e as amended by 1983 PA 222.

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

Reps. Milosch, Tabor, Condino, Lipsey, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4770, entitled

A bill to amend 1971 PA 174, entitled "Office of child support act," by amending section 3 (MCL 400.233), as amended by 2002 PA 564, and by adding section 6a.

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

Reps. Tabor, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4771, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 2529 (MCL 600.2529), as amended by 2002 PA 605.

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

Reps. Vander Veen and Voorhees introduced

House Bill No. 4772, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 295, entitled "Support and parenting time enforcement act," by amending sections 7, 13, 27, and 35 (MCL 552.607, 552.613, 552.627, and 552.635), section 7 as amended by 2002 PA 572, section 13 as amended by 1998 PA 334, section 27 as amended by 2001 PA 106, and section 35 as amended by 2002 PA 567.

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

Reps. Condino, Lipsey, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4773, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 294, entitled "Friend of the court act," by amending sections 17, 17b, and 19 (MCL 552.517, 552.517b, and 552.519), sections 17 and 17b as amended by 2002 PA 571 and section 19 as amended by 2002 PA 569.

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

Reps. Howell, Condino, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4774, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 295, entitled "Support and parenting time enforcement act," by amending sections 2 and 3a (MCL 552.602 and 552.603a), as amended by 2002 PA 572, and by adding section 3d.

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

Reps. Koetje, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4775, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 205, entitled "The paternity act," by amending section 7 (MCL 722.717), as amended by 2001 PA 109.

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

Reps. Howell, Voorhees and Vander Veen introduced

House Bill No. 4776, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 294, entitled "Friend of the court act," by amending sections 2, 7, and 19 (MCL 552.502, 552.507, and 552.519), section 2 as amended by 2002 PA 571, section 7 as amended by 1996 PA 144, and section 19 as amended by 2002 PA 569, and by adding section 7a.

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

Rep. Rivet introduced

House Bill No. 4777, entitled

A bill to amend the Initiated Law of 1976, entitled "A petition to initiate legislation to provide for the use of returnable containers for soft drinks, soda water, carbonated natural or mineral water, other nonalcoholic carbonated drink, and for beer, ale, or other malt drink of whatever alcoholic content, and for certain other beverage containers; to provide for the use of unredeemed bottle deposits; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state agencies and officials; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," by amending section 2 (MCL 445.572), as amended by 1998 PA 473.

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

Rep. Rivet introduced

House Bill No. 4778, entitled

A bill to protect and promote the health and welfare of infants; to provide for training of certain individuals regarding infant safety; and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state departments and agencies.

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

Rep. Rivet introduced

House Bill No. 4779, entitled

A bill to amend 1951 PA 51, entitled "An act to provide for the classification of all public roads, streets, and highways in this state, and for the revision of that classification and for additions to and deletions from each classification; to set up and establish the Michigan transportation fund; to provide for the deposits in the Michigan transportation fund of specific taxes on motor vehicles and motor vehicle fuels; to provide for the allocation of funds from the Michigan transportation fund and the use and administration of the fund for transportation purposes; to set up and establish the truck safety fund; to provide for the allocation of funds from the truck safety fund and administration of the fund for truck safety purposes; to set up and establish the Michigan truck safety commission; to establish certain standards for road contracts for certain businesses; to provide for the continuing review of transportation needs within the state; to authorize the state transportation commission, counties, cities, and villages to borrow money, issue bonds, and make pledges of funds for transportation purposes; to authorize counties to advance funds for the payment of deficiencies necessary for the payment of bonds issued under this act; to provide for the limitations, payment, retirement, and security of the bonds and pledges; to provide for appropriations and tax levies by counties and townships for county roads; to authorize contributions by townships for county roads; to provide for the establishment and administration of the state trunk line fund, critical bridge fund, comprehensive transportation fund, and certain other funds; to provide for the deposits in the state trunk line fund, critical bridge fund, comprehensive transportation fund, and certain other funds of money raised by specific taxes and fees; to provide for definitions of public transportation functions and criteria; to define the purposes for which Michigan transportation funds may be allocated; to provide for Michigan transportation fund grants; to provide for review and approval of transportation programs; to provide for submission of annual legislative requests and reports; to provide for the establishment and functions of certain advisory entities; to provide for conditions for grants; to provide for the issuance of bonds and notes for transportation purposes; to provide for the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for the making of loans for transportation purposes by the state transportation department and for the receipt and repayment by local units and agencies of those loans from certain specified sources; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 10 (MCL 247.660), as amended by 2000 PA 188.

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

Rep. Rivet introduced

House Bill No. 4780, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 559, 561, 568, 570, 572, 575, 576, and 795 (MCL 168.559, 168.561, 168.568, 168.570, 168.572, 168.575, 168.576, and 168.795), section 561 as amended by 2002 PA 163, sections 568 and 570 as amended by 1985 PA 160, section 576 as amended by 1996 PA 213, and section 795 as amended by 2002 PA 91.

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

Rep. Rivet introduced

House Bill No. 4781, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 81119 and 82107 (MCL 324.81119 and 324.82107), as added by 1995 PA 58.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Conservation and Outdoor Recreation.

Rep. Rivet introduced

House Bill No. 4782, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 395, entitled "Community convention or tourism marketing act," by amending section 3 (MCL 141.873), as amended by 1996 PA 589.

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

Reps. Caswell, Nitz, Brandenburg, Milosch, Hummel, Gaffney, LaJoy, Vander Veen and Acciavatti introduced

House Bill No. 4783, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending sections 1230 and 1230a (MCL 380.1230 and 380.1230a), section 1230 as amended by 1993 PA 284 and section 1230a as added by 1995 PA 83.

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

Reps. Gaffney, Milosch, Brandenburg, Van Regenmorter, Stahl, Acciavatti, Elkins, Hager, Farhat, Ward, Hoogendyk, Hune, LaJoy, Voorhees, Woronchak, Drolet, Pastor and Accavitti introduced

House Bill No. 4784, entitled

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," (MCL 211.1 to 211.157) by adding section 7gg.

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

Reps. Elkins, Lipsey, Sak, Gillard, Meisner, Murphy, Byrum, Gaffney, Tobocman, Hager, Caul, Kolb, Anderson, Pumford, Spade, Vander Veen, McConico, Hune, Condino, Law, Plakas, Richardville, Hart, Garfield, Casperson and Ward introduced

House Bill No. 4785, entitled

A bill to amend 1971 PA 174, entitled "Office of child support act," by amending sections 3 and 3a (MCL 400.233 and 400.233a), section 3 as amended by 2002 PA 564 and section 3a as amended by 1998 PA 112.

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

Reps. Kooiman, Shaffer, Tobocman, Milosch, LaJoy, Vander Veen, Stahl, Spade, Brandenburg, Nofs, Voorhees, Amos, Acciavatti, Huizenga, Murphy, Farhat and Hart introduced

House Bill No. 4786, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 90, entitled "Youth employment standards act," by amending section 19 (MCL 409.119).

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Employment Relations, Training and Safety.

Reps. Kooiman, Tobocman, Murphy, Vander Veen, Farhat, Hart, Brandenburg, Nitz, Voorhees, Huizenga and Minore introduced

House Bill No. 4787, entitled

A bill to amend 1966 PA 346, entitled "State housing development authority act of 1966," (MCL 125.1401 to 125.1499c) by amending the title, as amended by 1984 PA 215, and by adding chapter 3A.

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

Reps. Reeves, Kooiman, Tobocman, Murphy, Voorhees, Farhat, Minore and Nitz introduced
House Bill No. 4788, entitled

A bill to establish the Michigan housing and community development fund in the department of treasury; to provide for the administration of the fund; to provide for the deposit of certain money in that fund; to provide for the distribution of the money in that fund and to limit the use of the money in that fund; and to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state officials.

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

Reps. Casperson, Kooiman, Tobocman, Nitz, Stahl, Murphy, Walker, Tabor, Farhat and Shackleton introduced
House Bill No. 4789, entitled

A bill to amend 1975 PA 228, entitled "Single business tax act," (MCL 208.1 to 208.145) by adding section 39g. The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Urban Policy.

Reps. Nitz, Meyer, Caswell, Sheltroun, Hager, Stahl and DeRossett introduced

House Bill No. 4790, entitled

A bill to amend 1964 PA 283, entitled "Weights and measures act," by amending section 28c (MCL 290.628c), as added by 2002 PA 208.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Resource Management.

Rep. Jamnick moved that the House adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 5:20 p.m.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, June 3, at 1:00 p.m.

GARY L. RANDALL
Clerk of the House of Representatives