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Senate Chamber, Lansing, Thursday, March 6, 2014.

10:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by the President, Lieutenant Governor Brian N. Calley.

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—present
Jones—present
Kahn—present
Kowall—present
Marleau—present
Meekhof—present
Moolenaar—present
Nofs—present

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

Reverend Dr. Robert Emrich of First Presbyterian Church of Saginaw offered the following invocation:

Gracious God, Creator and Sustainer of the universe, as these men and women gather as the Senate of the state of Michigan, may Your guiding providential hand and Your watchful eye lead these persons in their deliberations and their work. Grant them wisdom and courage for the living of this and every day. Bless each one of these Senators with a keen sense of the sacrifices of the past that have led to the accomplishments of the present.

With these things in mind, may these Senators, in concert with the members of the House and Governor Snyder, plan and legislate for the best possible outcomes for the future of our beloved state. To these Senators and to each and every one who has taken the oath of public office, may they be constantly aware of that oath and the sacred trust they hold for all the citizens of Michigan.

To each person gathered here, grant Your care and ministrations to help them deal with whatever cares or burdens they may be bearing. Heal not just our physical bodies, but also the body politic from our divisions and strife. To our work, may we now attend wherein we may decently and orderly go about not just our business, but rather the people's business.

Accept then, gracious loving God, our prayer for this day; for to You alone be the glory now and forever. Amen.

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

Motions and Communications

Senators Kahn, Walker and Hopgood entered the Senate Chamber.

The following communication was received and read:

Office of the Senate Majority Leader

March 6, 2014

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3.203, I am hereby re-referring Senate Bill 839 from the Senate Committee on Education to the Senate Committee on Economic Development.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
Randy Richardville
Senate Majority Leader

The communication was referred to the Secretary for record.

The Secretary announced that the following House bills were received in the Senate and filed on Wednesday, March 5:
House Bill Nos. 4295 5136 5345 5346 5347 5348 5349 5350 5351 5352

The Secretary announced that the following bills were printed and filed on Wednesday, March 5, and are available at the Michigan Legislature website:

Senate Bill Nos. 839 840 841 842 843 844 845 846 847 848 849 850 851
House Bill Nos. 5379 5380 5381 5382 5383 5384 5385 5386 5387 5388 5389

Senator Hopgood moved that Senators Hood and Young be temporarily excused from today's session.

The motion prevailed.

Senator Meekhof moved that Senators Schuitmaker and Green be temporarily 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 10:05 a.m.

10:16 a.m.

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

During the recess, Senators Hood, Green and Young entered the Senate Chamber.

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

The motion prevailed.

Senator Proos' statement is as follows:

To my colleagues, the staff, and friends here on the floor, I have a very special presentation today. Every day we come to this chamber, we in our hurried lives make our way to this chamber to handle the business of this state. Mr. President, we sometimes forget that we are all Americans when we walk in this door every day, representing Americans, and we have the chance today to welcome a member of my staff who is, in fact, a new American. Inna Mirzoyan joins us today.

Inna was an intern in my office. I didn't know this story until last week after we had hired her in a part-time position, and she announced that she wouldn't be coming in on Thursday. Why didn't she come in on Thursday? Because she was going to be sworn in as a new American citizen. That is not a small thing to any one of us in this chamber.

To add to that story, Mr. President, Inna is not only a new American citizen, but she comes to us originally from Azerbaijan, and then at 4 years old as a Ukrainian citizen, she came to the United States of America with her parents. As Ukraine is in the news, as issues of immigration are vexing to those of us in public life, vexing to those folks in Washington, D.C., trying to address big issues, we today get to say welcome to our fellow American citizen, Inna Mirzoyan, a member of this Senate staff and my office, but most importantly, a member of our tradition, our great American society.

If we could all welcome and say thank you to our new American citizen, Inna Mirzoyan, who joins us in the west Gallery today.

By unanimous consent the Senate proceeded to the order of

General Orders

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

The motion prevailed, and the President, Lieutenant Governor Calley, designated Senator Hildenbrand as Chairperson.

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

House Bill No. 4810, entitled

A bill to amend 1893 PA 206, entitled "The general property tax act," by amending section 7cc (MCL 211.7cc), as amended by 2013 PA 140.

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

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

Senate Bill No. 648, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending sections 2701, 2705, and 2711 (MCL 333.2701, 333.2705, and 333.2711), as added by 1990 PA 16.

Substitute (S-1).

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

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

Senate Bill No. 649, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending sections 2707 and 2723 (MCL 333.2707 and 333.2723), as added by 1990 PA 16.

Substitute (S-1).

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

During the Committee of the Whole, Senator Schuitmaker entered the Senate Chamber.

By unanimous consent the Senate returned to the order of

Messages from the House

Senate Bill No. 608, entitled

A bill to make, supplement, and adjust appropriations for various state departments and agencies, capital outlay, and the judicial branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2014; to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

The House of Representatives has appointed Reps. Haveman, Pscholka and Tlaib as conferees to join with Sens. Kahn, Moolenaar and Anderson.

The bill was referred to the Conference Committee on March 5, 2014.

Senate Bill No. 437, entitled

A bill to amend 1967 (Ex Sess) PA 7, entitled “Urban cooperation act of 1967,” by amending sections 5, 7, and 9 (MCL 124.505, 124.507, and 124.509), section 5 as amended by 2011 PA 263 and section 7 as amended by 2002 PA 445.

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

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

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

The Senate agreed to the full title.

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

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. 472

Senate Bill No. 667

Senate Bill No. 668

The motion prevailed.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 472, entitled

A bill to amend 1990 PA 345, entitled “State survey and remonumentation act,” by amending the title and sections 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17 (MCL 54.262, 54.263, 54.264, 54.266, 54.267, 54.268, 54.269, 54.270, 54.271, 54.272, 54.273, 54.274, 54.275, 54.276, and 54.277), sections 2 and 12 as amended by 2010 PA 260, section 6 as amended by 1998 PA 5, section 8 as amended by 2002 PA 489, and section 11 as amended by 2006 PA 76, and by adding sections 9a, 9b, and 17a.

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. 79

Yeas—38

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

Nays—0

Excused—0

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 667, entitled

A bill to amend 1915 PA 31, entitled "Youth tobacco act," by amending section 2 (MCL 722.642), as amended by 2006 PA 236.

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. 80

Yeas—38

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

Nays—0

Excused—0

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

Senators Booher, Brandenburg, Casperson, Emmons, Hildenbrand, Hune, Johnson, Moolenaar, Richardville, Robertson, Rocca and Walker were named co-sponsors of the bill.

The following bill was read a third time:

Senate Bill No. 668, entitled

A bill to amend 1915 PA 31, entitled "Youth tobacco act," by amending the title and sections 1 and 4 (MCL 722.641 and 722.644), as amended by 2006 PA 236.

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. 81

Yeas—38

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

Nays—0

Excused—0

Not Voting—0

In The Chair: President

The Senate agreed to the title of the bill.

Senators Ananich, Booher, Brandenburg, Casperson, Hildenbrand, Johnson, Moolenaar, Richardville and Rocca were named co-sponsors of the bill.

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.

Senators Hildenbrand, Richardville, Jones, Rocca, Marleau, Hune, Brandenburg, Kowall, Robertson, Jansen, Booher, Emmons, Casperson, Meekhof, Schuitmaker, Moolenaar, Green, Walker, Caswell, Nofs, Colbeck, Pavlov, Proos, Pappageorge and Hansen offered the following resolution:

Senate Resolution No. 122.

A resolution to urge the Congress of the United States and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to use the structured expert judgment method to assess the alternatives to prevent movement of aquatic invasive species proposed in the Great Lakes and Mississippi River Interbasin Study Report.

Whereas, The artificial connection between the Great Lakes and the Mississippi River basins in the Chicago area is a major pathway for Asian carp and other aquatic invasive species (AIS) to spread from one basin to the other. In the past, zebra mussels and other AIS have used the Chicago Area Waterway System to spread from the Great Lakes to the Mississippi River basin, causing billions of dollars in economic damage. As Asian carp stand on the brink of the Great Lakes, it has become imperative that we arrive at solutions for this problem; and

Whereas, The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers recently completed the Great Lakes and the Mississippi River Interbasin Study (GLMRIS) Report to assess the feasibility of different options to prevent AIS from spreading between the Great Lakes and Mississippi River basins. The Army Corps of Engineers proposed eight alternatives to address the problem, ranging from complete hydrologic separation of the two basins to maintaining the status quo. Despite the study's scope, it has generated far more questions than it has answered, and a great deal of uncertainty remains; and

Whereas, Researchers from the University of Notre Dame, the University of Strathclyde, and the U.S. Forest Service have applied a novel method, structured expert judgment (SEJ), to the Asian carp problem. Using this method, they have quantified the effectiveness of 17 different strategies to prevent Asian carp from moving through the Chicago Area Waterway System and clearly identified hydrologic separation as the most effective strategy. Structured expert judgment holds great promise to clarify quickly and decisively the uncertainties surrounding the eight alternatives proposed by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; and

Whereas, We do not have the luxury to study for years, using more traditional methods, the options to prevent the spread of AIS from one basin to the other. We must move towards action before it is too late, and decision-makers need clear and easily understood data to cut through the sea of opinions and uncertainty to make wise and responsible decisions; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, That we urge the Congress of the United States and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to use the structured expert judgment method to assess the alternatives to prevent movement of aquatic invasive species proposed in the Great Lakes and Mississippi River Interbasin Study Report; 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, the members of the Michigan congressional delegation, the Commander of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers - Chicago District, and the Commanding General of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

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 question being on the adoption of the resolution,

Senator Meekhof moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes.

The motion prevailed.

Introduction and Referral of Bills

Senator Johnson introduced

Senate Bill No. 852, entitled

A bill to amend 1974 PA 198, entitled "An act to provide for the establishment of plant rehabilitation districts and industrial development districts in local governmental units; to provide for the exemption from certain taxes; to levy and collect a specific tax upon the owners of certain facilities; to impose and provide for the disposition of an administrative fee; to provide for the disposition of the tax; to provide for the obtaining and transferring of an exemption certificate and to prescribe the contents of those certificates; to prescribe the powers and duties of the state tax commission and certain officers of local governmental units; and to provide penalties," by amending section 9 (MCL 207.559), as amended by 2012 PA 490.

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

Senators Jones, Hune, Marleau, Schuitmaker, Bieda, Robertson, Hopgood, Jansen, Hildenbrand, Ananich, Smith, Booher, Emmons, Kowall, Green, Warren, Rocca, Meekhof, Young, Moolenaar, Hansen, Johnson, Brandenburg and Pappageorge introduced

Senate Bill No. 853, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding part 55A.

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

Senator Marleau introduced

Senate Bill No. 854, entitled

A bill to amend 1943 PA 20, entitled "An act relative to the investment of funds of public corporations of the state; and to validate certain investments," by amending section 7 (MCL 129.97), as added by 2008 PA 220.

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

House Bill No. 4295, entitled

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled "The state school aid act of 1979," by amending sections 11, 11m, 20g, 21f, 22a, 22b, 22g, 51a, 51c, 99h, 101, and 147c (MCL 388.1611, 388.1611m, 388.1620g, 388.1621f, 388.1622a, 388.1622b, 388.1622g, 388.1651a, 388.1651c, 388.1699h, 388.1701, and 388.1747c), sections 11 and 22a as amended and section 20g as added by 2013 PA 97, sections 11m, 22b, 22g, 51a, 51c, 101, and 147c as amended and section 99h as added by 2013 PA 60, and section 21f as amended by 2013 PA 130, and by adding sections 31b, 31g, 32r, 64d, and 94.

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

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

House Bill No. 5136, entitled

A bill to amend 1974 PA 258, entitled "Mental health code," (MCL 330.1001 to 330.2106) by adding section 141a.

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

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

House Bill No. 5345, entitled

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending section 520a (MCL 750.520a), as amended by 2007 PA 163.

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

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

House Bill No. 5346, entitled

A bill to amend 1973 PA 116, entitled "An act to provide for the protection of children through the licensing and regulation of child care organizations; to provide for the establishment of standards of care for child care organizations; to prescribe powers and duties of certain departments of this state and adoption facilitators; to provide penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts," by amending section 1 (MCL 722.111), as amended by 2011 PA 228.

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

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

House Bill No. 5347, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending sections 20173a, 20173b, 21717, 21718, and 21765 (MCL 333.20173a, 333.20173b, 333.21717, 333.21718, and 333.21765), section 20173a as amended by 2010 PA 291 and section 20173b as added by 2006 PA 28.

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

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

House Bill No. 5348, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 2264 (MCL 500.2264), as amended by 1998 PA 26.

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

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

House Bill No. 5349, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 876 (MCL 600.876).

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

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

House Bill No. 5350, entitled

A bill to amend 1988 PA 199, entitled "Surrogate parenting act," by amending sections 3, 7, and 9 (MCL 722.853, 722.857, and 722.859), section 3 as amended by 1990 PA 190.

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

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

House Bill No. 5351, entitled

A bill to amend 1948 (1st Ex Sess) PA 31, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation of authorities to acquire, furnish, equip, own, improve, enlarge, operate, and maintain buildings, automobile parking lots or structures, transit-oriented developments, transit-oriented facilities, recreational facilities, stadiums, and the necessary site or sites therefor, together with appurtenant properties and facilities necessary or convenient for the effective use thereof, for the use of any county, city, village, or township, or for the use of any combination of 2 or more counties, cities, villages, or townships, or for the use of any school district and any city, village, or township wholly or partially within the district's boundaries, or for the use of any school district and any combination of 2 or more cities, villages, or townships wholly or partially within the district's boundaries, or for the use of any intermediate school district and any constituent school district or any city, village, or township, wholly or partially within the intermediate school district's boundaries; to provide for compensation of authority commissioners; to permit transfers of property to authorities; to authorize the execution of contracts, leases, and subleases pertaining to authority property and the use of authority property; to authorize incorporating units to impose taxes without limitation as to rate or amount and to pledge their full faith and credit for the payment of contract of lease obligations in anticipation of which bonds are issued by an authority; to provide for the issuance of bonds by such authorities; to validate action taken and bonds issued; to provide other powers, rights, and duties of authorities and incorporating units, including those for the disposal of authority property; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," by amending section 2b (MCL 123.952b), as amended by 1998 PA 25.

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

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

House Bill No. 5352, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 300, entitled "The public school employees retirement act of 1979," by amending section 6 (MCL 38.1306), as amended by 2012 PA 300.

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

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

Committee Reports

The Committee on Judiciary reported

House Bill No. 5154, entitled

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending sections 1, 4, 7, 11a, 11b, and 13 of chapter VI (MCL 766.1, 766.4, 766.7, 766.11a, 766.11b, and 766.13), section 4 as amended by 1994 PA 167, section 11a as added by 2004 PA 20, and section 11b as added by 2007 PA 89.

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.

Rick Jones
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Jones, Schuitmaker, Rocca and Bieda

Nays: None

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

The Committee on Judiciary reported

House Bill No. 5155, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending sections 8311 and 8511 (MCL 600.8311 and 600.8511), section 8511 as amended by 2008 PA 95; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

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

Rick Jones
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Jones, Schuitmaker, Rocca and Bieda

Nays: None

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Judiciary submitted the following:

Meeting held on Tuesday, March 4, 2014, at 2:00 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building

Present: Senators Jones (C), Schuitmaker, Rocca and Bieda

The Committee on Reforms, Restructuring and Reinventing reported

House Bill No. 4958, entitled

A bill to amend 1936 (Ex Sess) PA 1, entitled "Michigan employment security act," by amending section 43 (MCL 421.43), as amended by 2004 PA 243.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

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

Mark C. Jansen
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Caspersen, Kowall, Robertson and Young

Nays: Senators Jansen and Warren

The bill was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Reforms, Restructuring and Reinventing submitted the following:
Meeting held on Wednesday, March 5, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building
Present: Senators Jansen (C), Colbeck, Casperson, Kowall, Robertson, Young and Warren

The Committee on Economic Development reported

Senate Bill No. 739, entitled

A bill to amend 1986 PA 281, entitled "The local development financing act," by amending section 5 (MCL 125.2155), as amended by 2010 PA 276.

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.

Michael W. Kowall
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Kowall, Hildenbrand, Nofs, Emmons, Hansen, Smith and Ananich

Nays: None

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

The Committee on Economic Development reported

Senate Bill No. 740, entitled

A bill to amend 2005 PA 280, entitled "Corridor improvement authority act," by amending section 8 (MCL 125.2878), as amended by 2012 PA 229.

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.

Michael W. Kowall
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Kowall, Hildenbrand, Nofs, Emmons, Hansen, Smith and Ananich

Nays: None

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

The Committee on Economic Development reported

House Bill No. 5131, entitled

A bill to amend 1996 PA 381, entitled "Brownfield redevelopment financing act," by amending section 5 (MCL 125.2655), as amended by 2000 PA 145.

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.

Michael W. Kowall
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Kowall, Hildenbrand, Nofs, Emmons, Hansen, Smith and Ananich

Nays: None

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

The Committee on Economic Development reported

House Bill No. 5132, entitled

A bill to amend 1974 PA 338, entitled "Economic development corporations act," by amending section 4 (MCL 125.1604), as amended by 1987 PA 67.

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.

Michael W. Kowall
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Kowall, Hildenbrand, Nofs, Emmons, Hansen, Smith and Ananich

Nays: None

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

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Economic Development submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, March 5, 2014, at 1:30 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building
Present: Senators Kowall (C), Hildenbrand, Nofs, Emmons, Hansen, Smith and Ananich

The Committee on Education reported

Senate Bill No. 644, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1311g (MCL 380.1311g), as amended by 2008 PA 1.

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.

Phillip J. Pavlov
Chairperson

To Report Out:

Yeas: Senators Pavlov, Emmons, Colbeck, Hopgood and Young

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 Education submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, March 5, 2014, at 12:00 noon, Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower
Present: Senators Pavlov (C), Emmons, Colbeck, Hopgood and Young

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Families, Seniors and Human Services submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, March 5, 2014, at 3:00 p.m., Room 210, Farnum Building
Present: Senators Emmons (C), Rocca, Nofs and Gregory

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Local Government and Elections submitted the following:

Meeting held on Wednesday, March 5, 2014, at 3:00 p.m., Room 100, Farnum Building
Present: Senators Robertson (C), Meekhof, Brandenburg and Young

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Committee on Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, March 6, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., Room 210, Farnum Building
Present: Senators Casperson (C), Pavlov, Green, Kowall, Meekhof and Warren
Excused: Senator Hood

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The Subcommittee on Department of Corrections submitted the following:

Meeting held on Thursday, March 6, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building
Present: Senators Proos (C), Walker and Anderson

Scheduled Meetings

Administrative Rules - Wednesday, March 12, 3:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower (373-5773)

Appropriations -**Subcommittees -**

Agriculture and Rural Development - Tuesdays, March 11, March 18 and March 25 (CANCELED), 3:00 p.m., Senate Hearing Room, Ground Floor, Boji Tower (373-2768)

Community Colleges and House Community Colleges Appropriations Subcommittee - Friday, March 7, 1:00 p.m., Monroe County Community College, La-Z-Boy Center, Quad Room, 1555 South Raisinville Road, Monroe (373-2768)

Corrections Department - Thursdays, March 13 and March 20, 9:00 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Environmental Quality Department - Tuesday, March 11, 9:00 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

General Government - Tuesdays, March 11, March 18 and March 25, 3:00 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Higher Education - Thursday, March 27, 11:30 a.m. or later immediately following session, Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Human Services Department - Tuesday, March 11, 2:00 p.m., Room 405, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Judiciary - Thursday, March 13, 12:00 noon, Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

K-12, School Aid, Education - Wednesday, March 12, 9:00 a.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

State Police and Military Affairs - Thursdays, March 13, March 27 and April 17, 3:00 p.m., Rooms 402 and 403, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Transportation and Transportation Committee - Tuesday, March 11, 12:30 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-2768)

Judiciary - Tuesday, March 11, 2:30 p.m., Room 110, Farnum Building (373-5323)

Michigan Law Revision Commission - Wednesday, March 19, 12:00 noon, Room 426, Capitol Building (373-0212)

Natural Resources, Environment and Great Lakes - Thursday, March 13, 9:00 a.m., Room 210, Farnum Building (373-5314)

Transportation and Transportation Appropriations Subcommittee - Tuesday, March 11, 12:30 p.m., Senate Appropriations Room, 3rd Floor, Capitol Building (373-5314)

Senator Meekhof moved that the Senate adjourn.
The motion prevailed, the time being 10:43 a.m.

The President, Lieutenant Governor Calley, declared the Senate adjourned until Tuesday, March 11, 2014, at 10:00 a.m.

CAROL MOREY VIVENTI
Secretary of the Senate