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House Chamber, Lansing, Thursday, March 5, 2015.

12:00 Noon.

The House was called to order by the Speaker.

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

Afendoulis—present	Franz—present	Kosowski—present	Potvin—present
Banks—present	Gamrat—present	LaFontaine—present	Price—present
Barrett—present	Garcia—present	Lane—present	Pscholka—present
Bizon—present	Garrett—present	Lauwers—present	Rendon—present
Brinks—present	Gay-Dagnogo—present	LaVoy—present	Roberts, B.—present
Brunner—present	Geiss—present	Leonard—present	Roberts, S.—present
Bumstead—present	Gardon—present	Leutheuser—present	Robinson—present
Byrd—present	Glenn—present	Liberati—present	Runestad—present
Callton—present	Goike—present	Love—present	Rutledge—present
Canfield—present	Graves—present	Lucido—present	Santana—present
Chang—present	Greig—present	Lyons—present	Schor—present
Chatfield—present	Greimel—present	Maturen—present	Sheppard—present
Chirkun—present	Guerra—present	McBroom—present	Singh—present
Clemente—present	Heise—present	McCready—present	Smiley—present
Cochran—present	Hoadley—present	Miller, A.—present	Somerville—present
Cole—present	Hooker—present	Miller, D.—present	Talabi—present
Cotter—present	Hovey-Wright—present	Moss—present	Tedder—present
Courser—present	Howrylak—present	Muxlow—present	Theis—present
Cox—present	Hughes—present	Neeley—present	Townsend—present
Crawford—present	Iden—present	Nesbitt—present	Vaupel—present
Darany—present	Inman—present	Outman—present	VerHeulen—present
Dianda—present	Irwin—present	Pagan—present	Victory—present
Dillon—present	Jacobsen—present	Pagel—present	Webber—present
Driskell—present	Jenkins—present	Pettalia—present	Wittenberg—present
Durhal—present	Johnson—present	Phelps—present	Yanez—present
Faris—present	Kelly—present	Plawecki—present	Yonker—present
Farrington—present	Kesto—present	Poleski—present	Zemke—present
Forlini—present	Kivela—present		

Pastor Warren Hood, Pastor of Living Word Fellowship in Lenox Township, offered the following invocation:

“Heavenly Father, I pray that You would bless our state representatives. Bless each member of both the House of Representatives and the Senate, and guide these elected officials in their decisions, that they would make good choices that are both good for Michigan and America, and holy in Your sight.

I ask that You would strengthen their resolve to publicly acknowledge You. Aid them in representing the people they were elected to represent. Cause them to cast godly votes and to propose righteous legislation guided by Your dictates rather than public opinion. Give them wisdom to accurately discern the issues presented before them. May they be fair and just, hearing out all reasonable voices.

May they function as Your ministers sent by You for the punishment of evildoers and for the praise of those who do what is right. May they always realize that You remove leaders, and You also are the one who placed them in office at this time. May they realize that there is a God in heaven who longs to be asked for His wisdom.

Bless these men and women today and may they sense Your guidance every day in these sacred halls here in Lansing, Michigan.

In Jesus name,
Amen.”

The Speaker called the Speaker Pro Tempore to the Chair.

Motions and Resolutions

Reps. Zemke, Hoadley, Hovey-Wright, Kelly, Maturen, Poleski and Singh offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 28.

A resolution to declare March 2015 as Eye Donor Month in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, The state of Michigan is committed to supporting eye donation awareness, an issue that highlights the importance of providing sight-restoring opportunities; and

Whereas, Eye Donor Month will increase public knowledge and support of advancements in corneal surgery and transplants that will contribute to future generations’ sight-advancement opportunities; and

Whereas, Corneal transplants are one of the most common transplant procedures, yet the Mayo Clinic reports that 10,000,000 people worldwide are affected by various disorders that would benefit from corneal transplantation; and

Whereas, The Eye Bank Association of America and its member banks restore sight and change lives of over 70,000 people each year; and

Whereas, The Michigan Eye-Bank provided 1,006 corneal transplants to Michiganders and other patients worldwide last year; and

Whereas; The Michigan Eye-Bank contributes important resources toward finding innovative treatments and cures for widespread blinding eye diseases; and

Whereas, The residents of the state of Michigan are generous in their willingness to donate, hitting 50 percent in registered donors this year; and

Whereas, Promoting eye donation awareness and acknowledging the commodity and service donors provide will increase tissue safety and efficacy of corneal tissue as well as the number of tissue donations for Michiganders; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare March 2015 as Eye Donor Month in the state of Michigan. We encourage eye banks, medical facilities and institutions, health educators, and policy makers to support this event; and be it further

Resolved, That we support the corneal researchers, technicians, the eye banking community, and policy makers as they work to advance the technologies and methods in medical standards of transplant surgery; and be it further

Resolved, That we encourage health fairs, school education programs, and community outreach projects as well as the production of print and broadcast information designed to educate the community about their important role in sight restoration.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted.

Reps. Lucido, Goike, Farrington, Barrett, LaFontaine, Forlini, Derek Miller, Yanez, Chirkun, Sarah Roberts, Lane, Maturen and Webber offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 29.

A resolution to memorialize the Congress of the United States to require the U.S. Department of Defense to ensure that replacement aircraft are assigned to Selfridge Air National Guard Base to compensate for the proposed elimination of the A-10 fleet.

Whereas, The proposed U.S. Department of Defense budget would eliminate the nation's A-10 fleet, including aircraft at Michigan's Selfridge Air National Guard Base. Selfridge currently is home to 18 A-10 Thunderbolt II aircraft, directly supporting 535 jobs related to that mission; and

Whereas, The proposed cuts would have a dramatic effect on the lives and morale of the dedicated men and women who choose to serve our country at Selfridge Air National Guard Base and other U.S. military bases. The elimination of the A-10 fleet would place in jeopardy more than 400 jobs at Selfridge alone; and

Whereas, In Michigan, these proposed cuts would have immeasurable impacts on Macomb County and the local communities surrounding the Selfridge Air National Guard Base. For nearly a century, the base has been a source of community pride and local jobs, with the local economic benefit worth more than \$700 million to residents and businesses in several surrounding cities and townships. In addition, the base is a key component of disaster response for the entire state and a vital base for our nation's homeland security; and

Whereas, The A-10 fleet should not be eliminated until an enduring fighter aircraft mission, or suitable enduring non-fighter mission supplementary to the KC-135 Air Refueling Tanker, can be assigned to Selfridge Air National Guard Base. The elimination of the A-10 fleet will make Selfridge vulnerable to closure in future Base Realignment and Closure Commission recommendations. Assigning replacement aircraft would not only maintain the viability of this important base for homeland security, but would also be cost-effective: the Air National Guard can operate aircraft at about half the cost of an active duty unit; and

Whereas, The brave pilots and crew who serve in the A-10 unit based at Selfridge Air National Guard Base have performed brilliantly against the enemies of freedom on battlefields across the globe providing desperately needed close air support for our nation's warriors. It is vital to our national security that those skilled airmen continue to be utilized to defend our nation; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we memorialize the Congress of the United States to require the U.S. Department of Defense to ensure that replacement aircraft are assigned to Selfridge Air National Guard Base to compensate for the proposed elimination of the A-10 fleet; 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 Military and Veterans Affairs.

Reps. Derek Miller, Kelly, LaVoy, Rutledge, Moss, Schor, Yanez, Plawecki, Chirkun, Lane, Faris, Goike, Durhal, Dianda, Lucido, Forlini, Sheppard, Howrylak, Sarah Roberts, Hoadley and Hovey-Wright offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 30.

A resolution to urge the Congress of the United States to oppose the fast-tracking of the proposed Trans-Pacific Partnership free trade agreement.

Whereas, The Trans-Pacific Partnership (TPP) is a proposed free trade agreement currently being negotiated by twelve nations, including the United States. While the draft text includes traditional free trade elements, the TPP moves exponentially beyond the realm of removing or lessening import tariffs, export subsidies, and other barriers to the free exchange of goods; and

Whereas, The trade agreement, as drafted, would adversely revise regulations across the board and reduce access to some goods. TPP would retract numerous U.S. regulations and health safeguards aimed at improving and protecting our environment for the 21st century. Moreover, the trade agreement would relocate millions of American jobs in a turbulent economy to other nations, decrease our access to affordable medicine, increase the volume of unsafe food and goods in American markets, and roll back regulatory safeguards many nations, including the United States, have adopted to restore financial stability; and

Whereas, The widely-publicized plan for certification would undermine Congress' responsibility to conduct a full public review and approval and flies in the face of the long-standing principle of democratic transparency. With the support of the president's administration, members of Congress have proposed using "fast-track" legislation that, if enacted, would limit debate on the TPP, prevent amendments to the agreement, and require an up-or-down vote by both chambers within ninety days. This plan would exacerbate Congress' historically low influence over the language negotiated by the United States Trade Representative. Congress must not abdicate its responsibility to ensure any approved agreement advances the best interests of the American citizenry; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we urge the Congress of the United States to oppose the fast-tracking of the proposed Trans-Pacific Partnership free trade agreement; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States, the United States Trade Representative, 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 Commerce and Trade.

Third Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4059, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 300, entitled "The public school employees retirement act of 1979," by amending section 61 (MCL 38.1361), as amended by 2012 PA 464.

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

Roll Call No. 25

Yeas—108

Afendoulis	Forlini	Kivela	Poleski
Banks	Franz	Kosowski	Potvin
Barrett	Gamrat	LaFontaine	Price
Bizon	Garcia	Lane	Pscholka
Brinks	Garrett	Lauwers	Rendon
Brunner	Gay-Dagnogo	LaVoy	Roberts, B.
Bumstead	Geiss	Leonard	Roberts, S.
Byrd	Glardon	Leutheuser	Runestad
Callton	Glenn	Liberati	Rutledge
Canfield	Goike	Love	Santana
Chang	Graves	Lucido	Schor
Chatfield	Greig	Lyons	Sheppard
Chirkun	Greimel	Maturen	Singh
Clemente	Guerra	McBroom	Smiley
Cochran	Heise	McCready	Somerville
Cole	Hoadley	Miller, A.	Talabi
Cotter	Hooker	Miller, D.	Tedder
Courseur	Hovey-Wright	Moss	Theis
Cox	Hughes	Muxlow	Townsend
Crawford	Iden	Neeley	Vaupel
Darany	Inman	Nesbitt	VerHeulen
Dianda	Irwin	Outman	Victory
Dillon	Jacobsen	Pagan	Webber
Driskell	Jenkins	Pagel	Wittenberg
Durhal	Johnson	Pettalia	Yanez
Faris	Kelly	Phelps	Yonker
Farrington	Kesto	Plawecki	Zemke

Nays—2

Howrylak

Robinson

In The Chair: Leonard

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

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

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of
Motions and Resolutions

Rep. Nesbitt moved to suspend that portion of Rule 41 requiring bills to be handed to the Clerk three hours prior to calling the House to order.
The motion prevailed, a majority of the members present voting therefor.

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 on Wednesday, March 4:

Senate Bill Nos. 174 175 176 177 178 179

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members on Thursday, March 5:

**House Bill Nos. 4270 4271 4272 4273 4274 4275 4276 4277 4278 4279 4280 4281 4282 4283
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The Clerk announced that the following Senate bill had been received on Thursday, March 5:

Senate Bill No. 108

Reports of Standing Committees

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Thursday, March 5, 2015

Present: Reps. Leonard, Theis, Franz, Goike, Glardon, LaFontaine, Lyons, Barrett, Runestad, Vaupel, Webber, Cochran, Clemente, Kosowski, Derek Miller and Wittenberg

Absent: Rep. Banks

Excused: Rep. Banks

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Thursday, March 5, 2015

Present: Reps. Price, Garcia, Callton, Hooker, McBroom, Somerville, Yonker, Kelly, Chatfield, Courser, Tedder, Zemke, Santana, Brinks, Schor, Chang and Greig

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Barrett, Chair, of the Committee on Military and Veterans Affairs, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Thursday, March 5, 2015

Present: Reps. Barrett, Hughes, Hooker, Outman, Courser, Glenn, Rutledge, Talabi and Faris

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Johnson, Chair, of the Committee on Workforce and Talent Development, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Thursday, March 5, 2015

Present: Reps. Johnson, Tedder, Farrington, Price, Lauwers, Crawford, Iden, Brett Roberts, Brinks, Townsend, Geiss, Greig, Liberati and Love

Messages from the Senate**House Bill No. 4078, entitled**

A bill to make, supplement, and adjust appropriations for certain capital outlay projects for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2015; to provide for the expenditure of the appropriations; and to prescribe certain conditions for the appropriations.

The Senate has passed the bill and ordered that it be given immediate effect.

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

Senate Bill No. 108, entitled

A bill to amend 1989 PA 24, entitled "The district library establishment act," by amending section 2 (MCL 397.172), as amended by 2005 PA 60.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Notices

March 3, 2015

Mr. Gary L. Randall, Clerk
Michigan House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
Lansing, MI 48913

Dear Mr. Clerk:

Pursuant to MCL 752.962, I am appointing Representative Laura Cox to the **Sexual Assault Evidence Kit Tracking and Reporting Commission**.

Sincerely,
Kevin Cotter
Speaker of the House
99th District

March 3, 2015

Mr. Gary L. Randall, Clerk
Michigan House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
Lansing, MI 48913

Dear Mr. Clerk:

Pursuant to MCL 397.14, I am appointing Judith A. Rapanos of Midland, MI to the **Library of Michigan Board of Trustees** for the term ending December 31, 2016.

Sincerely,
Kevin Cotter
Speaker of the House
99th District

March 4, 2015

Mr. Gary L. Randall, Clerk
Michigan House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
Lansing, MI 48913

Dear Mr. Clerk:

Pursuant to MCL 324.32202, I am appointing Ian R. Davison, Ph.D. of Mt. Pleasant, MI to the **Great Lakes Commission** for the term of January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2016.

Sincerely,
Kevin Cotter
Speaker of the House
99th District

March 4, 2015

Mr. Gary L. Randall, Clerk
Michigan House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
Lansing, MI 48913

Dear Mr. Clerk:

Pursuant to MCL 333.20915, I am appointing Representative Ray Franz to the **Emergency Medical Services Coordination Committee** for the term of January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2016.

Sincerely,
Kevin Cotter
Speaker of the House
99th District

Introduction of Bills

Rep. Barrett introduced

House Bill No. 4293, entitled

A bill to amend 1972 PA 382, entitled "Traxler-McCauley-Law-Bowman bingo act," by amending sections 2, 3, 3a, 4, 4a, 8, 9, 10, 11b, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 19 (MCL 432.102, 432.103, 432.103a, 432.104, 432.104a, 432.108, 432.109, 432.110, 432.111b, 432.112, 432.113, 432.114, 432.115, 432.116, and 432.119), sections 2 and 9 as amended by 2008 PA 401, sections 3, 4a, and 12 as amended by 2012 PA 189, sections 3a, 8, 10, and 11b as amended by 2006 PA 427, sections 4, 13, 14, 15, and 16 as amended by 1999 PA 108, and section 19 as amended by 1995 PA 263, and by adding article 2; to designate sections 1 to 20 as article 1; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

Reps. McBroom, Goike, Dianda, Kivela, Chatfield, Johnson, Aaron Miller, Lyons, Forlini, Victory and Outman introduced
House Bill No. 4294, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 30103 (MCL 324.30103), as amended by 2014 PA 253.

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

Reps. Dianda, Kesto, Chirkun, Cochran and Somerville introduced

House Bill No. 4295, entitled

A bill to amend 1927 PA 175, entitled "The code of criminal procedure," by amending section 16m of chapter XVII (MCL 777.16m), as amended by 2014 PA 192.

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

Reps. Kesto, Jacobsen, McCready, Runestad, Graves, Webber, Tedder, Somerville, Crawford, Heise, Cox and Callton introduced

House Bill No. 4296, entitled

A bill to amend 1973 PA 139, entitled "An act to provide forms of county government; to provide for county managers and county executives and to prescribe their powers and duties; to abolish certain departments, boards, commissions, and authorities; to provide for transfer of certain powers and functions; to prescribe powers of a board of county commissioners and elected officials; to provide organization of administrative functions; to transfer property; to retain ordinances and laws not inconsistent with this act; to provide methods for abolition of a unified form of county government; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," by amending section 9 (MCL 45.559), as amended by 2003 PA 281.

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

Rep. Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4297, entitled

A bill to amend 2008 PA 295, entitled "Clean, renewable, and efficient energy act," by amending sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 21, 27, 39, 43, 45, 89, 91, 93, and 95 (MCL 460.1001, 460.1003, 460.1005, 460.1007, 460.1009, 460.1011, 460.1013, 460.1021, 460.1027, 460.1039, 460.1043, 460.1045, 460.1089, 460.1091, 460.1093, and 460.1095), section 93 as amended by 2010 PA 269; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

Rep. Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4298, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 3, entitled “An act to provide for the regulation and control of public and certain private utilities and other services affected with a public interest within this state; to provide for alternative energy suppliers; to provide for licensing; to include municipally owned utilities and other providers of energy under certain provisions of this act; to create a public service commission and to prescribe and define its powers and duties; to abolish the Michigan public utilities commission and to confer the powers and duties vested by law on the public service commission; to provide for the continuance, transfer, and completion of certain matters and proceedings; to abolish automatic adjustment clauses; to prohibit certain rate increases without notice and hearing; to qualify residential energy conservation programs permitted under state law for certain federal exemption; to create a fund; to provide for a restructuring of the manner in which energy is provided in this state; to encourage the utilization of resource recovery facilities; to prohibit certain acts and practices of providers of energy; to allow for the securitization of stranded costs; to reduce rates; to provide for appeals; to provide appropriations; to declare the effect and purpose of this act; to prescribe remedies and penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” by amending the title and sections 6a, 6b, 6l, 6m, 6s, 10, 10a, 10c, 10e, 10g, 10q, 10t, and 10y (MCL 460.6a, 460.6b, 460.6l, 460.6m, 460.6s, 460.10, 460.10a, 460.10c, 460.10e, 460.10g, 460.10q, 460.10t, and 460.10y), the title as amended by 2005 PA 190, sections 6a, 10, 10a, 10g, and 10y as amended and section 6s as added by 2008 PA 286, section 6b as amended by 1982 PA 212, section 6l as amended and sections 10c, 10e, 10q, and 10t as added by 2000 PA 141, and section 6m as amended by 2014 PA 170, and by adding section 6t; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

Rep. Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4299, entitled

A bill to amend 1951 PA 35, entitled “An act to authorize intergovernmental contracts between municipal corporations; to authorize any municipal corporation to contract with any person or any municipal corporation to furnish any lawful municipal service to property outside the corporate limits of the first municipal corporation for a consideration; to prescribe certain penalties; to authorize contracts between municipal corporations and with certain nonprofit public transportation corporations to form group self-insurance pools; and to prescribe conditions for the performance of those contracts,” by amending section 3 (MCL 124.3), as amended by 2000 PA 155.

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

Rep. Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4300, entitled

A bill to amend 1909 PA 279, entitled “The home rule city act,” by amending section 4f (MCL 117.4f), as amended by 2000 PA 156.

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

Rep. Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4301, entitled

A bill to amend 2008 PA 167, entitled “Electric cooperative member-regulation act,” by amending section 9 (MCL 460.39).

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

Rep. Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4302, entitled

A bill to amend 2008 PA 295, entitled “Clean, renewable, and efficient energy act,” by amending sections 5 and 33 (MCL 460.1005 and 460.1033).

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

Reps. Brett Roberts and Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4303, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 3, entitled “An act to provide for the regulation and control of public and certain private utilities and other services affected with a public interest within this state; to provide for alternative energy suppliers; to provide for licensing; to include municipally owned utilities and other providers of energy under certain provisions of this act; to create a public service commission and to prescribe and define its powers and duties; to abolish the Michigan

public utilities commission and to confer the powers and duties vested by law on the public service commission; to provide for the continuance, transfer, and completion of certain matters and proceedings; to abolish automatic adjustment clauses; to prohibit certain rate increases without notice and hearing; to qualify residential energy conservation programs permitted under state law for certain federal exemption; to create a fund; to provide for a restructuring of the manner in which energy is provided in this state; to encourage the utilization of resource recovery facilities; to prohibit certain acts and practices of providers of energy; to allow for the securitization of stranded costs; to reduce rates; to provide for appeals; to provide appropriations; to declare the effect and purpose of this act; to prescribe remedies and penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” (MCL 460.1 to 460.11) by adding section 9u; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

Reps. Sheppard and Nesbitt introduced

House Bill No. 4304, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 3, entitled “An act to provide for the regulation and control of public and certain private utilities and other services affected with a public interest within this state; to provide for alternative energy suppliers; to provide for licensing; to include municipally owned utilities and other providers of energy under certain provisions of this act; to create a public service commission and to prescribe and define its powers and duties; to abolish the Michigan public utilities commission and to confer the powers and duties vested by law on the public service commission; to provide for the continuance, transfer, and completion of certain matters and proceedings; to abolish automatic adjustment clauses; to prohibit certain rate increases without notice and hearing; to qualify residential energy conservation programs permitted under state law for certain federal exemption; to create a fund; to provide for a restructuring of the manner in which energy is provided in this state; to encourage the utilization of resource recovery facilities; to prohibit certain acts and practices of providers of energy; to allow for the securitization of stranded costs; to reduce rates; to provide for appeals; to provide appropriations; to declare the effect and purpose of this act; to prescribe remedies and penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts,” (MCL 460.1 to 460.11) by adding section 6f.

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

Reps. Lucido, Poleski, Somerville, Tedder, Glenn, Geiss, McCready and Forlini introduced

House Bill No. 4305, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled “Public health code,” (MCL 333.1101 to 333.25211) by adding section 2849.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Families, Children, and Seniors.

Reps. Lucido, Poleski, Somerville, Tedder, Glenn, Geiss, McCready and Forlini introduced

House Bill No. 4306, entitled

A bill to amend 1939 PA 280, entitled “The social welfare act,” (MCL 400.1 to 400.119b) by adding section 5a.

The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Families, Children, and Seniors.

Rep. Schor introduced

House Bill No. 4307, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled “Michigan election law,” by amending sections 491, 507a, and 507b (MCL 168.491, 168.507a, and 168.507b), sections 491 and 507a as amended and section 507b as added by 1989 PA 142.

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

Rep. Franz introduced

House Bill No. 4308, entitled

A bill to amend 2008 PA 295, entitled “Clean, renewable, and efficient energy act,” by amending section 47 (MCL 460.1047); and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

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

Reps. Gamrat, Courser, Hooker, Glenn, McBroom, Goike and Somerville introduced

House Bill No. 4309, entitled

A bill to protect religious liberty and rights of conscience in the areas of health care and medical and scientific research as it pertains to employment, education and training, and participating in health care services and to the purchasing of or providing for the purchase of health insurance; to provide immunity from liability; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies.

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

Reps. Gamrat, Courser, Hooker and Glenn introduced

House Bill No. 4310, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending sections 42 and 45 (MCL 168.42 and 168.45), section 42 as amended by 1999 PA 216 and section 45 as amended by 1985 PA 160.

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

Reps. Glenn, Gamrat, Johnson, Outman, Kelly, Barrett, Crawford, Hooker, Franz, Yonker, Lauwers, Runestad and Courser introduced

House Bill No. 4311, entitled

A bill to amend 1947 PA 336, entitled "An act to prohibit strikes by certain public employees; to provide review from disciplinary action with respect thereto; to provide for the mediation of grievances and the holding of elections; to declare and protect the rights and privileges of public employees; to require certain provisions in collective bargaining agreements; to prescribe means of enforcement and penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; and to make appropriations," by amending section 11 (MCL 423.211).

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

Reps. Glenn, Hooker, Franz, Yonker, Lauwers, Courser and Gamrat introduced

House Bill No. 4312, entitled

A bill to amend 1947 PA 336, entitled "An act to prohibit strikes by certain public employees; to provide review from disciplinary action with respect thereto; to provide for the mediation of grievances and the holding of elections; to declare and protect the rights and privileges of public employees; to require certain provisions in collective bargaining agreements; to prescribe means of enforcement and penalties for the violation of the provisions of this act; and to make appropriations," by amending section 10 (MCL 423.210), as amended by 2014 PA 414.

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

Reps. Hughes, Glenn, Yonker, Barrett, Victory, Callton, Lyons, Muxlow, Lauwers, Garcia, Kelly, Pagel, Outman, Brett Roberts, Bizon, Iden, Aaron Miller, Jenkins, Sheppard, Graves, Runestad, Maturen, LaFontaine, Forlini, Heise, Kesto, Webber, Lucido, Theis, Price and McCready introduced

House Bill No. 4313, entitled

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending section 502c (MCL 750.502c), as amended by 1998 PA 38.

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

Reps. Singh, Zemke, Faris and Lane introduced

House Bill No. 4314, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," by amending section 601d (MCL 257.601d), as added by 2008 PA 463.

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

Reps. Gamrat, Courser, Lucido, Chatfield, Aaron Miller, Glenn, Hooker, Cole, Kelly, McBroom, Barrett, Franz, Goike and Bumstead introduced

House Joint Resolution J, entitled

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by adding section 31 to article V, to provide for a limitation on the time that new executive agencies and administrative rules are effective.

The joint resolution was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Oversight and Ethics.

Rep. Sarah Roberts moved that the House adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 2:25 p.m.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, March 10, at 1:30 p.m.