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House Chamber, Lansing, Thursday, October 9, 1997.

10:00 a.m.

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

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

| Agee—present | Emerson—present | Kaza—present | Price—present |
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| Alley—present | Fitzgerald—present | Kelly—present | Profit—present |
| Anthony—present | Frank—present | Kilpatrick—present | Prusi—present |
| Baade—present | Freeman—present | Kukuk—present | Quarles—present |
| Baird—present | Gagliardi—present | LaForge—present | Raczkowski—present |
| Bankes—excused | Galloway—present | Law—present | Rhead—present |
| Basham—present | Geiger—present | Leland—present | Richner—present |
| Birkholz—present | Gernaat—present | LeTarte—present | Rison—excused |
| Bobier—present | Gilmer—present | Llewellyn—present | Rocca—present |
| Bodem—present | Gire—present | London—present | Schauer—present |
| Bogardus—present | Godchaux—present | Lowe—present | Schermesser—present |
| Brackenridge—present | Goschka—e/d/s | Mans—present | Schroer—present |
| Brater—present | Green—present | Martinez—present | Scott—present |
| Brewer—present | Griffin—e/d/s | Mathieu—present | Scranton—present |
| Brown—present | Gubow—present | McBryde—present | Sikkema—present |
| Byl—present | Gustafson—present | McManus—excused | Stallworth—present |
| Callahan—present | Hale—excused | McNutt—present | Tesanovich—present |
| Cassis—present | Hammerstrom—present | Middaugh—present | Thomas—present |
| Cherry—present | Hanley—present | Middleton—present | Varga—present |
| Ciaramitaro—present | Harder—present | Murphy—present | Vaughn—present |
| Crissman—present | Hertel—excused | Nye—present | Voorhees—present |
| Cropsey—present | Hood—present | Olshove—present | Walberg—present |
| Curtis—present | Horton—present | Owen—present | Wallace—present |
| Dalman—present | Jansen—excused | Oxender—present | Wetters—present |
| DeHart—present | Jaye—present | Palamara—present | Whyman—present |
| DeVuyst—present | Jelinek—present | Parks—e/d/s | Willard—present |
| Dobb—present | Jellema—present | Perricone—present | Wojno—present |
| Dobronski-present | Johnson—present | | |
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Father Brian Stanley, from St. Monica's Church in Kalamazoo, offered the following invocation:

"Blessed are You Lord, God of all creation, who's goodness fills our hearts with joy. Blessed are You who have brought us together this day to work in harmony and peace. Strengthen us with Your grace and wisdom especially as we promote, defend and respect human life from conception to natural and unassisted end. Aid us with Your constant help and let us glorify You now and forever. Amen."

Rep. Dobronski moved that Reps. Hertel, Hale and Rison be excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

Rep. Hammerstrom moved that Reps. Jansen, McManus and Bankes be excused from today's session. The motion prevailed.

Motions and Resolutions

The Speaker of the House, on behalf of the entire membership of the House of Representatives, offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 148.

A resolution of tribute offered as a memorial for James Bradley.

Whereas, With deep appreciation for the legacy of service he has left this state, we honor the memory of James Bradley. Through his two decades as a state representative and his two decades as the Detroit City Clerk, Mr. Bradley set standards of commitment and service that will long strengthen our state. We offer our condolences to his beloved family on his passing; and

Whereas, James Bradley came to Michigan from Hope, Arkansas, as a young man. He worked for Ford, in real estate, and as a furniture store owner before his true calling in public service was answered in response to the urgings of others. In 1953, he put his strong sense of community involvement to work in his successful election as Wayne County Constable. This began an era of forty years of devotion to others in the demanding role of elective office; and

Whereas, From 1955 until 1973, James Bradley served as the voice of his constituents in the Michigan House of Representatives. His career as a lawmaker was marked by his unswerving attention to their needs. During his service, great changes took place in Michigan, in the institution of government with the implementation of our new constitution, and in the arena of civil rights. James Bradley helped shape these changes in a positive fashion; and

Whereas, Following his distinguished work in Lansing, Mr. Bradley became the first African American to be elected as the Detroit City Clerk in 1973. In this demanding position, he channeled his talents and principles to expanding access to the heart of our democracy, the elections process. His twenty years as clerk were marked by numerous innovations, including encouragements in voter registration, absentee voter applications, and sample ballots. Clearly, James Bradley gave gifts to Michigan and Detroit that will never be forgotten; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That we offer this expression of our highest tribute in memory of James Bradley; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to Mr. Bradley's beloved wife, Ethel, and their entire family as evidence of our deepest condolences.

The question being on the adoption of the resolution,

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous standing vote.

Second Reading of Bills

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 32312a.

The bill was read a second time.

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

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

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

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

Rep. Hammerstrom moved that Reps. Gernaat, Green, Horton and Voorhees be excused temporarily from today's session.

The motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

Senate Bill No. 19, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 32312a.

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

Roll Call No. 820

Yeas—96

Agee **DeVuvst** Kelly Dobb **Kilpatrick** Alley Dobronski Anthony Kukuk Baade Emerson LaForge Baird Fitzgerald Law Basham Frank Leland Birkholz Freeman LeTarte **Bobier** Gagliardi Llewellyn Bodem Galloway London **Bogardus** Geiger Lowe Brackenridge Gilmer Mans Brater Gire Martinez Godchaux Brewer Mathieu Gubow McBryde Brown Byl Gustafson McNutt Callahan Middaugh Hammerstrom Middleton Cassis Hanley Cherry Harder Murphy Ciaramitaro Hood Nye Crissman Jave Owen Cropsey Jelinek Oxender Curtis Jellema Palamara Dalman Johnson Perricone DeHart Kaza Price

Profit Prusi Quarles Raczkowski Rhead Richner Rocca Schauer Schermesser Schroer Scott Scranton Sikkema Stallworth Tesanovich Thomas Varga Vaughn Walberg Wallace Wetters Whyman Willard Woino

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In The Chair: Gire

Pursuant to Joint Rule 20, the full title of the bill shall read as follows:

"An act to protect the environment and natural resources of the state; to codify, revise, consolidate, and classify laws relating to the environment and natural resources of the state; to regulate the discharge of certain substances into the environment; to regulate the use of certain lands, waters, and other natural resources of the state; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local agencies and officials; to provide for certain charges, fees, and assessments; to provide certain appropriations; to prescribe penalties and provide remedies; to repeal certain parts of this act on a specific date; and to repeal certain acts and parts of acts,".

The House agreed to the full title of the bill.

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

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

Rep. Griffin entered the House Chambers.

Second Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4951, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending section 677 (MCL 168.677), as amended by 1996 PA 583.

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

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

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

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

House Bill No. 4355, entitled

A bill to amend 1925 PA 289, entitled "An act to create a bureau of criminal identification and records within the department of state police; to require peace officers, persons in charge of certain institutions, and others to make reports respecting juvenile offenses, crimes, and criminals to the state police; to require the fingerprinting of an accused by certain persons; and to provide penalties for violation of this act," by amending section 1a (MCL 28.241a), as amended by 1996 PA 259.

The bill was read a second time.

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

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

House Bill No. 4655, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 294, entitled "Friend of the court act," by amending section 9 (MCL 552.509), as amended by 1996 PA 365.

Was read a second time, and the question being on the adoption of the proposed substitute (H-2) previously recommended by the Committee on Judiciary,

The substitute (H-2) was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Varga moved to amend the bill as follows:

1. Amend page 2, following line 17, by inserting:

"Enacting section 1. This amendatory act takes effect June 1, 1998.".

The motion prevailed and the amendment was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

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

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

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

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

Rep. Goschka entered the House Chambers.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Third Reading of Bills

House Bill No. 4655, entitled

A bill to amend 1982 PA 294, entitled "Friend of the court act," by amending section 9 (MCL 552.509), as amended by 1996 PA 365.

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

Roll Call No. 821 Yeas—93

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Baade Frank Baird Freeman Basham Gagliardi Birkholz Galloway **Bobier** Geiger Bodem Gilmer **Bogardus** Gire Godchaux Brackenridge Brater Goschka Griffin Brewer Brown Gubow Byl Gustafson Callahan Hammerstrom Hanley Cassis Cherry Hood Ciaramitaro Jaye Jelinek Crissman Cropsey Jellema Curtis Johnson **DeHart** Kaza **DeVuyst**

LaForge Law Leland LeTarte Llewellyn London Lowe Mans Martinez Mathieu McBryde McNutt Middaugh Middleton Murphy Nye Olshove Owen Oxender Palamara

Richner Rocca Schauer Schermesser Schroer Scott Scranton Sikkema Stallworth Tesanovich **Thomas** Varga Vaughn Walberg Wetters Whyman Willard Woino

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Nays—0

In The Chair: Gire

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

Rep. Gagliardi moved that **House Bill No. 4355** be placed on its immediate passage.

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

House Bill No. 4355, entitled

A bill to amend 1925 PA 289, entitled "An act to create a bureau of criminal identification and records within the department of state police; to require peace officers, persons in charge of certain institutions, and others to make reports respecting juvenile offenses, crimes, and criminals to the state police; to require the fingerprinting of an accused by certain persons; and to provide penalties for violation of this act," by amending section 1a (MCL 28.241a), as amended by 1996 PA 259.

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

Roll Call No. 822

Yeas-96

Agee Dobronski Kelly Alley Emerson **Kilpatrick** Anthony Fitzgerald Kukuk Baade Frank LaForge Baird Freeman Law Basham Gagliardi Leland Birkholz Galloway LeTarte **Bobier** Geiger Llewellyn Bodem Gilmer London Brackenridge Gire Lowe

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Vaughn
Walberg
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Wetters
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Willard
Wojno

Nays—0

In The Chair: Gire

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

Rep. Parks entered the House Chambers.

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

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

Rep. Gagliardi moved that **House Bill No. 4951** be placed on its immediate passage.

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

House Bill No. 4951, entitled

A bill to amend 1954 PA 116, entitled "Michigan election law," by amending section 677 (MCL 168.677), as amended by 1996 PA 583.

The bill was read a third time.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

After debate,

Rep. Griffin demanded the previous question.

The demand was supported.

The question being, "Shall the main question now be put?"

The previous question was ordered.

The question being on the passage of the bill,

The bill was then passed, a majority of the members serving voting therefor, by yeas and nays, as follows:

Roll Call No. 823 Yeas—89

Alley Dobronski LaForge Price Baade Fitzgerald Law **Profit** Frank Baird Leland Prusi Gagliardi Basham LeTarte **Ouarles** Birkholz Galloway Llewellyn Raczkowski **Bobier** Geiger London Rhead

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Bodem **Bogardus** Brackenridge Brewer Brown Byl Callahan Cassis Cherry Ciaramitaro Crissman Cropsey Curtis Dalman DeHart DeVuyst Dobb

Gilmer Lowe Gire Mans Goschka Martinez Griffin Mathieu Gustafson McBryde Hammerstrom McNutt Hanley Hood Jaye Murphy Jelinek Nye Olshove Jellema Johnson Owen Kaza Oxender Kelly Palamara Kilpatrick Parks Kukuk Perricone

Rocca Schauer Schermesser Scott Scranton Middaugh Sikkema Middleton Stallworth Tesanovich **Thomas** Varga Vaughn Walberg Wallace Wetters Whyman

Nays—11

AgeeEmersonGubowWillardAnthonyFreemanHarderWojnoBraterGodchauxSchroer

In The Chair: Gire

The House agreed to the title of the bill.

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

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

Rep. Gagliardi moved that when the House adjourns today it stand adjourned until Tuesday, October 14, at 2:00 p.m. The motion prevailed.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Motions and Resolutions

Reps. Wojno, Dobronski, Green, Kukuk, LaForge, Gilmer, DeVuyst, Lowe, Gernaat, Voorhees, Callahan, Cassis, Baade, Martinez, Freeman, Kelly, Cherry, Baird, Dalman, Scranton, Tesanovich, Anthony, Gubow, Palamara, Hanley, Llewellyn, Middaugh, Birkholz, Richner, Kaza, Brater, Bogardus, Goschka, McNutt, Brackenridge, Dobb, Galloway, Oxender, Horton, Hood, Schermesser, Wetters and Parks offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 149.

A resolution honoring Colleen Howe, "Mrs. Hockey™".

Whereas, It is with great pleasure that we join with the citizens of this state and hockey fans everywhere in recognizing Colleen Howe, "Mrs. Hockey" for her accomplishments as professional sports builder, manager and humanitarian. Colleen Howe is perhaps best known as the wife and business partner of all-time hockey great Gordie Howe. In addition to her famous marriage partner, she has two outstanding sons, Marty and Mark, who established their own outstanding professional hockey careers; and

Whereas, Gordie and Colleen have been husband and wife, as well as business partners, for forty-four years. Colleen is the President of Power Play International and Power Play Publications, Inc., which oversees all facets of her and Gordie's unprecedented careers. Colleen's next five year program will be to establish a Howe Hall of History to include the hundreds of artifacts she has preserved as the family historian; and

Whereas, Colleen Howe has been active all her life in humanitarian, community and business affairs in Michigan. She was born in Michigan and completed her schooling here in Detroit. Colleen is a fighter of injustice and suffering who still takes the time to involve herself with needs of former players and their families. Colleen, always wanting to serve society, ran for U.S. Congress in Connecticut in 1993 and took her opponent to a special election; and

Whereas, As the first woman professional manager in sports, Colleen Howe has paved the way for women who are interested in entering the sports business. She was the founder and developer of the Detroit Junior Red Wings, the first junior hockey program in the United States. Colleen's entrepreneurial insights paved the way for Gordie and their two sons, Mark and Marty, to become the first professional father and sons to play on the same team for seven years; and

Whereas, Colleen has served deserving projects for many years on the boards of such organizations as Michigan 4-H Foundation and the March of Dimes of Detroit. In 1993, Colleen developed a sixty-five-city 65th Birthday Tribute Tour which served to raise nearly one million dollars for various charities. As the tour's spokesperson, she spread word of the newly formed Howe Foundation whose mission is to improve the quality of life of children and adults; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the people of Michigan salute Colleen Howe for her community achievements and her success as manager of her family and her husband, Gordie Howe[®]. We wish her the best of luck and encouragement as she continues her efforts to improve the quality of life for children and adults. We are proud to have her as a resident of Michigan, the Great Lakes State; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to Colleen Howe, "Mrs. Hockey™" as evidence of our esteem. Pending the reference of the resolution to a committee,

Rep. Gagliardi 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, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Reps. Wojno, Dobronski, Green, Kukuk, LaForge, Gilmer, DeVuyst, Lowe, Gernaat, Voorhees, Callahan, Cassis, Baade, Martinez, Freeman, Kelly, Cherry, Baird, Dalman, Scranton, Tesanovich, Anthony, Gubow, Palamara, Hanley, Llewellyn, Middaugh, Birkholz, Richner, Kaza, Brater, Bogardus, Goschka, McNutt, Brackenridge, Dobb, Galloway, Oxender, Horton, Hood, Schermesser, Wetters and Parks offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 150.

A resolution honoring Gordie Howe®, "Mr. Hockey™".

Whereas, That it is with great pleasure that we join with the citizens of this state and hockey fans everywhere in recognizing Gordie Howe® for his accomplishment of playing professional hockey for six decades. Gordie Howe® is the greatest all-around hockey player of all time, and truly one of the world's greatest athletes ever. We are proud to have him reside in the Great Lakes State; and

Whereas, Gordie Howe's® first game with the Detroit Hockey Club was on October 16, 1946. He began his amateur career with the Galt Red Wing Junior Club at age 16. On October 8, 1946, he signed his first contract with the Detroit Red Wings. On October 29, 1947, he first wore #9 for the Detroit Red Wings. He went on to spend 25 of his 26 years in the National Hockey League as "Number 9" with The Detroit Red Wings Organization. In all, Gordie has played an amazing 32 seasons amassing more career goals, assists, and points than any other player in history. He has led the Red Wings to four Stanley Cup Championships, he also won the National Hockey League's scoring race and the National Hockey League's most valuable player award six times; and

Whereas, This is a very special year for the entire Howe family as they commemorate the 50th Anniversary of Gordie Howe's® first pro season with the Detroit Hockey Club in 1946-47. Gordie and his wife, Colleen, are the parents of four children: Cathy, Mark, Marty and Murray. They are also the proud grandparents of nine grandchildren. In 1974, Gordie Howe® became the first and only player ever to play professional hockey with his sons, and in 1980, he became the first grandfather to play professional hockey; and

Whereas, To literally millions of sports fans worldwide, Gordie Howe® is "Mr. Hockey™". Gordie Howe® has donated countless hours to our youth through his hockey camps and other charitable works and has raised thousands of dollars for children through the Howe's nonprofit Howe Foundation. He and his wife, Colleen, "Mrs. Hockey™," have raised more than \$400,000 for a variety of charitable organizations in the past 17 months with the sales of their best-selling autobiography "and . . . HOWE!" and have traveled to sixty-five cities in 1993 to raise nearly one-million dollars during the yearlong 65th birthday celebration; and

Whereas, Gordie Howe® has been a remarkable athlete, who has accomplished many "firsts" in his years. In 1973, in an unprecedented return to the ice, Gordie came out of retirement to become a player for the Houston Aeros of the World Hockey Association after already setting eleven NHL records. That year, he was voted the WHA's Most Valuable Player. He then took the new position for the Aeros of becoming the first player/president in hockey's history. His sons, Marty and Mark signed with the Aeros and they became the first father/son combination ever to be seen playing together in a major professional sport; and

Whereas, Gordie Howe® has recently achieved the distinction of becoming the first professional hockey player to play in six decades. On October 3, 1997, "Mr. Hockey™" skated for one game with the Detroit Vipers of the International Hockey League. This momentous occasion brought Gordie back to Detroit, the city that has a special meaning as the showcase for his talent throughout his spectacular career; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the people of Michigan salute Gordie Howe® as an unprecedented athlete who has been an important part of hockey over the past six decades. His accomplishments on and off the ice deserve recognition and praise throughout our great state. He is an uncommon athlete and man, and his off ice talents as a gentleman and a charitable human being make us proud to have him as a resident of Michigan, the Great Lakes State: and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to Mr. Howe, "Mr. Hockey" as evidence of our esteem.

Pending the reference of the resolution to a committee,

Rep. Gagliardi 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, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. DeHart offered the following concurrent resolution:

House Concurrent Resolution No. 67.

A concurrent resolution to urge the Department of Natural Resources to impose a moratorium on any new leases of state land for oil and gas drilling or any lease renewals or expansions until the state develops and implements a uniform reporting system for determining royalties.

Whereas, Over the past year, it has become evident that there are serious irregularities in the way oil and gas royalties for minerals extracted from state lands are calculated. Investigations by the Department of Natural Resources, the Attorney General, and the Auditor General have demonstrated the severity of the underpayment to the people of this state. The state is owed millions of dollars by oil and gas interests; and

Whereas, A key factor in the underpayment to the state for minerals taken from public lands is the web of calculations connected to the process of obtaining and transporting oil and gas. Post production costs, various timings for measuring the product, and compressing and purifying gas leave too many opportunities for inconsistency and noncompliance with the letter and the spirit of the law; and

Whereas, A fundamental problem in determining how much royalties the state should receive is the lack of uniform reporting standards. This problem is not made easier by the several different units of government responsible for oversight of the oil and gas industry. Activities of the industry are reviewed by the Departments of Natural Resources, Treasury, Environmental Quality, and Agriculture and the Public Service Commission; and

Whereas, The gas and oil extracted from state lands belong to the people of this state. The royalties paid for these minerals go to the Natural Resources Trust Fund for land for conservation and recreation purposes. It is incumbent upon the officers and agencies of state government to ensure that the citizens receive every dollar of compensation for their minerals; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That we urge the Department of Natural Resources to impose a moratorium on any new leases of state land for oil and gas drilling or any lease renewals or expansions until the state develops and implements a uniform reporting system for determining royalties; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the Natural Resources Commission and the Department of Natural Resources.

The concurrent resolution was referred to the Committee on House Oversight and Ethics.

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, Tuesday, October 7:

Senate Bill Nos. 722 723 724 725 726 727 728 729 730 731 741 743 744 745 746

The Clerk announced that the following bills had been printed and placed upon the files of the members, Thursday, October 9:

House Bill Nos. 5250 5251

The Clerk announced that the following Senate bills had been received on Thursday, October 9:

Senate Bill Nos. 139 546 695

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Messages from the Senate

Senate Bill No. 139, entitled

A bill to amend 1978 PA 368, entitled "Public health code," by amending sections 17401 and 17432 (MCL 333.17401 and 333.17432), as amended by 1994 PA 384.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 546, entitled

A bill to amend 1961 PA 236, entitled "Revised judicature act of 1961," by amending section 8117 (MCL 600.8117). The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 695, entitled

A bill to amend 1967 PA 281, entitled "Income tax act of 1967," by amending section 261 (MCL 206.261), as amended by 1996 PA 484.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 705, entitled

A bill to amend 1975 PA 228, entitled "Single business tax act," by amending section 38c (MCL 208.38c), as amended by 1994 PA 231.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 706, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending sections 14801, 14802, 14804, 14805, and 14808 (MCL 324.14801, 324.14802, 324.14804, 324.14805, and 324.14808), as added by 1996 PA 132.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 707, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," by amending section 14809 (MCL 324.14809), as added by 1996 PA 132.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Senate Bill No. 717, entitled

A bill to amend 1933 PA 167, entitled "General sales tax act," by amending section 4g (MCL 205.54g), as amended by 1996 PA 576.

The Senate has passed the bill.

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

Notices

Public Hearing

Committee on Public Retirement Date: Thursday, October 16, 1997

Time: 5:00 p.m.

Place: Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency, 33500 Van Born Road, Wayne, Michigan

Rep. DeHart

Chair

Agenda: Senate Bill No. 719 - retirement; public school employees; certain amendments to defined contribution plan and any/or all business properly before the committee

Communications from State Officers

The following communication from the Department of Consumer & Industry Services was received and read:

October 1, 1997

In accordance with Public Act 304 of 1982, the attached 1996 Annual Report for the Michigan Utility Consumer Representation Fund is transmitted to the Legislature.

The state's five largest utilities were required, under this Act, to contribute a total of \$813,000 to fund intervention participation in cost increase and reconciliation cases filed by utilities with the Michigan Public Service Commission.

The Utility Consumer Participation Board grant recipients reported disallowed costs by the Michigan Public Service Commission for 1996 in the amount of \$12,551,000. This action was a result of intervention efforts either by grantees alone, or in conjunction with other parties. The Utility Consumer Participation Board awarded \$399,080 for 1996 intervention cases. The Attorney General's Office received \$386,175 for intervention by that Office on behalf of the utility ratepayers of Michigan.

The Attorney General's Office will send their P.A. 304 Annual Report under separate cover.

Sincerely,

UTILITY CONSUMER PARTICIPATION BOARD

Matthew E. McLogan

Chair

The communication was referred to the Clerk.

The following communication from the Department of Environmental Quality was received and read:

October 7, 1997

Section 324.35311 of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended (NREPA), requires the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) to appoint a review team to evaluate the accuracy of the Atlas of Critical Dunes and to analyze other portions of Part 353 of the NREPA to determine if the criteria in the statute are appropriate.

Enclosed with this letter please find a copy of the Report of the Sand Dune Review Committee which evaluates designated Critical Dune Areas (CDAs) in Michigan. The report includes a narrative and a set of maps depicting existing and potential new CDAs. This information was prepared under contract by the Center for Remote Sensing at Michigan State University. Also enclosed is a report of a review committee which evaluated standards of Part 353, Sand Dunes Protection and Management, of the NREPA. The review team evaluated whether the slope criteria in Section 35316(1)(a) and (b) are appropriate and supported by the best available technical data and whether stairways and driveways in critical dune areas should be subject to the same criteria as other constructed uses.

The DEQ submits the report to you to meet its obligation under Part 353 of the NREPA. If members of the Michigan Senate or Michigan House of Representatives have questions about these reports or need additional information, please contact Mr. Lawrence N. Witte, Chief, Land and Water Management Division, at 517-373-1170, or you may contact me.

Sincerely, Russell J. Harding Director 517-373-7917

The communication was referred to the Clerk.

Introduction of Bills

Reps. DeVuyst, DeHart, Voorhees, Wetters, Goschka, Bobier, Jellema, Lowe, Anthony, Brater, Raczkowski, Middleton, Gilmer, Cassis, Green, Bodem, Bogardus and Birkholz introduced

House Bill No. 5261, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 61503b.

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

Reps. DeVuyst, DeHart, Voorhees, Wetters, Goschka, Bobier, Jellema, Lowe, Anthony, Brater, Raczkowski, Middleton, Gilmer, Cassis, Green, Bodem, Bogardus and Birkholz introduced

House Bill No. 5262, entitled

A bill to amend 1994 PA 451, entitled "Natural resources and environmental protection act," (MCL 324.101 to 324.90106) by adding section 61503a.

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

Reps. Brater, Freeman, Schermesser, Bogardus, Kaza, Martinez, DeHart, Hale, Gire, Willard, Goschka, Ciaramitaro, Scott, Quarles, Hood, Anthony, Hanley and Parks introduced

House Bill No. 5263, entitled

A bill to amend 1980 PA 469, entitled "The whistleblowers' protection act," by amending section 2 (MCL 15.362). The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Labor and Occupational Safety.

Reps. Brater, Schermesser, Bogardus, Schroer, Gire, Ciaramitaro, Scott, Quarles, Hood, Hanley, Gilmer, Parks and Richner introduced

House Bill No. 5264, entitled

A bill to amend 1949 PA 300, entitled "Michigan vehicle code," (MCL 257.1 to 257.923) by adding section 709a. The bill was read a first time by its title and referred to the Committee on Consumer Protection.

By unanimous consent the House returned to the order of

Reports of Standing Committees

The Committee on Corrections, by Rep. Freeman, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4264, entitled

A bill to amend 1931 PA 328, entitled "The Michigan penal code," by amending section 411i (MCL 750.411i), as added by 1992 PA 261.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4264 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Freeman, Mans, Agee, Callahan, DeHart, Galloway, Nye,

Nays: None.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

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

Meeting held on: Thursday, October 9, 1997, at 8:30 a.m.,

Present: Reps. Freeman, Mans, Agee, Callahan, DeHart, Galloway, Nye,

Absent: Reps. Jaye, Perricone, Excused: Rep. Perricone.

The Committee on Regulatory Affairs, by Rep. Varga, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4979, entitled

A bill to authorize the department of natural resources to convey certain state owned property in Crawford county; to prescribe conditions for the conveyance; and to provide for disposition of the revenue from the conveyance.

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.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4979 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Varga, Wojno, Anthony, Leland, Quarles, Fitzgerald, Jaye, Rocca, Scranton, Voorhees,

Nays: None.

The Committee on Regulatory Affairs, by Rep. Varga, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 5058, entitled

A bill to authorize the department of natural resources to convey certain state owned property in Mackinac county; to prescribe conditions for the conveyance; and to provide for disposition of the revenue derived from the conveyance.

With the recommendation that the following amendment be adopted and that the bill then pass.

1. Amend page 2, line 4, after "built" by inserting a comma and "and that the exchange shall provide that if any fee, term, or condition for each activity is imposed on members of the public for use of the boat launch, or if any of those fees, terms, or conditions is waived for use of the boat launch, resident and nonresident members of the public shall be subject to the same fees, terms, conditions, or waivers".

The bill and amendment were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5058 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Varga, Wojno, Anthony, Leland, Olshove, Quarles, Scott, Vaughn, Fitzgerald, Jaye, Richner, Rocca, Scranton, Voorhees,

Nays: None.

The Committee on Regulatory Affairs, by Rep. Varga, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 5079, entitled

A bill to authorize the department of natural resources to convey certain state owned property in Berrien county; to prescribe conditions for the conveyance; and to provide for disposition of the revenue from the conveyance.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The bill was referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5079 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Varga, Wojno, Anthony, Leland, Quarles, Fitzgerald, Jaye, Rocca, Scranton, Voorhees,

Nays: None.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Varga, Chair of the Committee on Regulatory Affairs, was received and read:

Meeting held on: Thursday, October 9, 1997, at 9:30 a.m.,

Present: Reps. Varga, Wojno, Anthony, Leland, Olshove, Profit, Quarles, Scott, Vaughn, Fitzgerald, Jaye, Richner, Rocca, Scranton, Voorhees.

The Committee on Transportation, by Rep. Leland, Chair, reported

House Bill No. 4474, entitled

A bill to amend 1963 PA 181, entitled "Motor carrier safety act of 1963," by amending the title and sections 1a, 7, 7b, and 7c (MCL 480.11a, 480.17, 480.17b, and 480.17c), the title and sections 1a and 7 as amended and section 7c as added by 1995 PA 265 and section 7b as amended by 1990 PA 339.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4474 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Leland, Schermesser, Baade, Brown, Curtis, Mans, Olshove, Schauer, Scott, London, Birkholz, Byl, Galloway, Gernaat, Green, Middleton,

Nays: None.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Leland, Chair of the Committee on Transportation, was received and read: Meeting held on: Wednesday, October 8, 1997, at 3:27 p.m.,

Present: Reps. Leland, Schermesser, Baade, Brown, Curtis, Mans, Olshove, Schauer, Scott, Wojno, London, Birkholz, Byl, Galloway, Gernaat, Green, Middleton.

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

House Bill No. 5228, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1279 (MCL 380.1279), as amended by 1997 PA 25, and by adding section 1279a.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5228 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Schauer, Scott, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5229, entitled

A bill to amend 1979 PA 94, entitled "The state school aid act of 1979," by amending section 104a (MCL 388.1704a), as amended by 1997 PA 24.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5229 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Schauer, Scott, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5230, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1279f (MCL 380.1279f), as added by 1996 PA 169.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5230 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Scott, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5231, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1525 (MCL 380.1525), as amended by 1995 PA 289.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5231 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Scott, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5232, entitled

A bill to amend 1996 PA 160, entitled "Postsecondary enrollment options act," by amending section 3 (MCL 388.513).

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5232 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Schauer, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5233, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1277 (MCL 380.1277), as amended by 1995 PA 289.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5233 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Schauer, Dalman, Crissman, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5234, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1280 (MCL 380.1280), as amended by 1995 PA 289.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The bill was referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5234 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Schauer, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5235, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 451, entitled "The revised school code," by amending section 1282 (MCL 380.1282), as amended by 1993 PA 335.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5235 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Scott, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton,

Nays: None.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Gire, Chair of the Committee on Education, was received and read: Meeting held on: Wednesday, October 8, 1997, at 12:00 Noon,

Present: Reps. Gire, Bogardus, Agee, Brown, Cherry, Curtis, Kilpatrick, LaForge, Schauer, Scott, Dalman, Crissman, Cropsey, Jelinek, LeTarte, McNutt, Middleton.

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

House Bill No. 4993, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 3104 (MCL 500.3104), as amended by 1980 PA 445.

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.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4993 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham,

Nays: Reps. Llewellyn, Green, Jelinek, Law, London, Middaugh, Voorhees.

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

House Bill No. 4994, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending section 3104 (MCL 500.3104), as amended by 1980 PA 445.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4994 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham,

Nays: Reps. Llewellyn, Green, Law, London, Middaugh, Voorhees.

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

House Bill No. 4995, entitled

A bill to amend 1956 PA 218, entitled "The insurance code of 1956," by amending sections 134 and 3104 (MCL 500.134 and 500.3104), section 134 as amended by 1990 PA 256 and section 3104 as amended by 1980 PA 445.

With the recommendation that the substitute (H-1) be adopted and that the bill then pass.

The bill and substitute were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4995 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham,

Nays: Reps. Llewellyn, Green, Jelinek, Law, London, Middaugh, Voorhees.

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

House Bill No. 4996, entitled

A bill to amend 1976 PA 267, entitled "Open meetings act," by amending sections 2 and 3 (MCL 15.262 and 15.263), section 3 as amended by 1988 PA 278.

With the recommendation that the following amendment be adopted and that the bill then pass.

1. Amend page 5, line 25, by striking out all of enacting section 1 and inserting:

"Enacting section 1. This amendatory act does not take effect unless all of the following bills of the 89th Legislature are enacted into law:

- (a) House Bill No. 4993.
- (b) House Bill No. 4994.
- (c) House Bill No. 4995.".

The bill and amendment were referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 4996 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham,

Nays: Reps. Llewellyn, Green, Jelinek, Law, London, Middaugh, Voorhees.

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

House Bill No. 5076, 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 418.

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The bill was referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5076 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham, Llewellyn, Green, Jelinek, Law, London, Middaugh, Voorhees,

Nays: None.

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

House Bill No. 5135, entitled

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

With the recommendation that the bill pass.

The bill was referred to the order of Second Reading of Bills.

Favorable Roll Call

HB 5135 To Report Out:

Yeas: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham, Jelinek, Middaugh, Voorhees.

Nays: Reps. Llewellyn, Green.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Gubow, Chair of the Committee on Insurance, was received and read: Meeting held on: Wednesday, October 8, 1997, at 3:25 p.m.,

Present: Reps. Gubow, Scott, Bogardus, Dobronski, Palamara, Profit, Thomas, Varga, Vaughn, Basham, Llewellyn, Green, Jelinek, Law, London, Middaugh, Voorhees.

COMMITTEE ATTENDANCE REPORT

The following report, submitted by Rep. Hood, Chair of the Committee on Appropriations, was received and read: Meeting held on: Thursday, October 9, 1997, at 9:30 a.m.,

Present: Reps. Hood, Mathieu, Ciaramitaro, Emerson, Frank, Kelly, Martinez, Owen, Price, Prusi, Schroer, Stallworth, Tesanovich, Gilmer, Bobier, Geiger, Godchaux, Jellema, Johnson, Oxender,

Absent: Reps. Hale, Harder, Parks, Rison, Bankes, Jansen, McBryde,

Excused: Reps. Hale, Rison, Bankes, Jansen.

Messages from the Senate

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 48.

A concurrent resolution honoring the American Council of Young Political Leaders and the delegation from Poland. Whereas, In 1966, the American Council of Young Political Leaders was created to introduce new generations of political leaders through international exchanges; and

Whereas, From October 15-19, 1997, the delegation from Poland will be in Michigan to participate in a broad range of programs; and

Whereas, The delegates will be meeting with leaders from across the state to learn of the many different aspects of Michigan government and engage in candid exchanges with senior government officials, representatives from all major political parties, industry executives and community leaders on a wide range of political, cultural and economic issues; and

Whereas, We recognize the following individuals for their participation in this program: Lidia Kolucka, Zbigniew Bukowski, Marcin Lenski, Dariusz Gawin, Pawel Poncyliusz, Piotr Kedzierski, Piotr Migdalski, Lukasz Pawlowski and Mateusz Walasek; and

Whereas, We commend all who have contributed to the arrival of the delegation from Poland and we are honored with their visit to the Michigan Legislature; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That we honor the American Council of Young Political Leaders and the delegation from Poland; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the coordinators of this observance and to the Office of the Governor of Michigan.

The Senate has adopted the concurrent resolution.

Pending the reference of the concurrent resolution to a committee,

Rep. Gagliardi moved that Rule 77 be suspended and the concurrent 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 concurrent resolution,

The concurrent resolution was adopted, a majority of the members serving voting therefor.

Rep. Rhead moved that the House adjourn.

The motion prevailed, the time being 1:25 p.m.

The Associate Speaker Pro Tempore declared the House adjourned until Tuesday, October 14, at 2:00 p.m.

MARY KAY SCULLION Clerk of the House of Representatives.