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Twenty-fifth Calendar Day - Eighteenth Session Day

Hall of the House of Representatives
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, February 3, 2011

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8:33 a.m., Speaker Paulsen in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Randy Bixby, Kingdom House of Prayer, Ankeny. He was the guest of Representative Pearson of Polk County.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Conner Archer, Page from Norwalk.

The Journal of Wednesday, February 2, 2011 was approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

De Boef of Keokuk, until her return, on request of Upmeyer of Hancock; H. Miller of Webster, this afternoon through February 11, 2011, on request of M. Smith of Marshall.

ADOPTION OF [HOUSE RESOLUTION 10](#)

Alons of Sioux asked and received unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of [House Resolution 10](#), a resolution to commemorate the centennial of the birth of President Ronald Reagan, and moved its adoption.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

ADOPTION OF [HOUSE RESOLUTION 11](#)

Schulte of Linn asked and received unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of [House Resolution 11](#), as follows, and moved its adoption:

HOUSE RESOLUTION 11

BY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATION AND RULES

1 A resolution relating to permanent rules of the House
2 for the eighty-fourth general assembly.
3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, That
4 the permanent rules of the House for the ~~eighty-third~~
5 eighty-fourth general assembly be as follows:

6 DIVISION I – GENERAL RULES

7 Rule 1

8 Call to Order and Order of Business

9 The speaker shall take the chair at the hour to
10 which the house has adjourned, and shall immediately
11 call the house to order, correct the journal of the
12 previous day's proceedings, and proceed to other
13 business, including, but not limited to, introduction
14 of bills, reports, messages, communications, business
15 pending at adjournment, announcements, resolutions
16 and bills on their passage, and points of personal
17 privilege.

18 Rule 2

19 Quorum Call and Time of Convening

20 The house shall convene each Monday at 1:00 p.m. and
21 at ~~9:00~~ 8:30 a.m. on all other legislative days, unless
22 otherwise ordered. The time of convening shall be
23 recorded in the journal. The house shall not convene
24 on Sunday during a regular or special session.

25 The speaker or a member may request a roll call to
26 determine if a quorum is present.

27 Rule 3

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1 Absences from the House

2 No member shall be absent without leave while the
3 house is in session unless excused for good cause.

4 Rule 4

5 Preservation of Order

6 The speaker shall preserve order and decorum and
7 speak to points of order. Subject to an appeal to the
8 house by any member, the speaker shall decide questions
9 of order which shall not be debated.

10 The speaker may have the chamber of the house
11 cleared in case of any disturbance or disorderly
12 conduct.

13 Only past legislators, state officials, persons
14 whose presence is deemed by the speaker to be of
15 special significance to the house, and school classes
16 accompanied by teachers and seated in the galleries
17 shall be introduced in the house.

18 No person other than a member of the house shall be
19 allowed to speak from the floor of the house without
20 prior permission of the speaker.

21 The public may take photographs from the galleries
 22 at any time. However, the use of flash bulbs or any
 23 other artificial lighting is prohibited.
 24 Members of the press may photograph from the press
 25 box, but shall not use artificial lighting without
 26 prior permission from the chief clerk of the house.
 27 Photographs shall not be taken on the house floor when
 28 the members are voting on a question put before the
 29 house. Photographs of the voting boards shall not be
 30 taken while a nonrecord roll call vote is displayed.

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1 Photographs may be taken on the house floor at other
 2 times with the consent of the subject or subjects of
 3 the photography.
 4 Rule 4A
 5 Use of Telephonic or Electronic Devices in Chamber
 6 Restricted
 7 1. A person present in the house chamber while the
 8 house is in order shall mute any cell phone, computer,
 9 or other electronic device under the person's control.
 10 The speaker may remove from the chamber any person
 11 acting in violation of this rule.
 12 2. A member shall not use a cell phone or other
 13 electronic device to audibly transmit or receive
 14 communications while recognized by the presiding
 15 officer to speak in debate.
 16 Rule 5
 17 Rules of Parliamentary Practice
 18 The rules of parliamentary practice in Mason's
 19 Manual of Legislative Procedure shall govern the house
 20 in all cases where they are not inconsistent with the
 21 standing rules of the house, joint rules of the house
 22 and senate, or customary practice of the house.
 23 Rule 5A
 24 House Budget
 25 The speaker of the house shall annually prepare a
 26 proposed budget for the house of representatives for
 27 the payment of expenses, salaries, per diems, and other
 28 items. The proposed budget shall be submitted on the
 29 fourteenth day of each legislative session to the house
 30 administration and rules committee, which shall approve

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1 a proposed budget in house resolution form. The house
 2 shall adopt a budget prior to adjournment.
 3 Rule 6
 4 The Speaker Pro Tempore
 5 The house shall, at its pleasure, elect a speaker
 6 pro tempore. When the speaker shall for any cause be

7 absent, the speaker pro tempore shall preside, except
8 when the chair is filled by appointment by either the
9 speaker or the speaker pro tempore. If a vacancy
10 occurs in the office of speaker, the speaker pro
11 tempore shall assume the duties and responsibilities of
12 the speaker until such time as the house shall elect a
13 new speaker. The speaker or the speaker pro tempore
14 shall have the right to name any member to perform the
15 duties of speaker, but such substitution shall not
16 extend beyond the adjournment. The acts of the speaker
17 pro tempore shall have the same validity as those of
18 the speaker. In the absence of both the speaker and
19 the speaker pro tempore, the house shall name a speaker
20 who shall preside over it and perform all the duties of
21 the speaker with the exception of signing bills, until
22 such time as the speaker or speaker pro tempore shall
23 be present, and the person's acts shall have the same
24 force and validity as those of the regularly elected
25 speaker.

26 Rule 7

27 Amendment of Rules

28 A motion to change or rescind a standing rule or
29 order of the house requires one day's notice.

30 Rule 8

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1 Violation of House Rules

2 The speaker shall, or any member may, call to order
3 a member who violates the rules of the house. With
4 leave of the house, the member called to order may be
5 permitted to explain. If the case requires it, the
6 member shall be subject to censure of the house.

7 Rule 9

8 Referral of Rule Violations

9 The speaker shall, upon complaint of a member,
10 or upon the speaker's own motion, refer any alleged
11 violation of house or joint rules by house members,
12 employees or staff to the house ethics committee upon
13 an initial finding that an investigation is warranted.

14 The ethics committee shall investigate such
15 allegations and report them back to the house with a
16 recommendation.

17 Rule 10

18 Recognition and Decorum in Debate

19 A member who wishes to speak in debate shall be
20 appropriately attired, with male members wearing coat
21 or tie. After recognition by the chair, a member
22 shall respectfully address the presiding officer
23 by saying "Mr. or Madam Speaker". A member shall
24 confine all remarks to the question under debate,
25 shall be respectful of other members, and shall avoid

26 referencing or questioning the motives of another
27 member.

28 Rule 11

29 Limit on Debate

30 No member shall speak more than once on the same

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1 question without leave of the speaker, nor more than
2 twice until every member choosing to speak has spoken,
3 except as provided in Rule 81. A member shall be
4 limited to ten minutes debate on bills, resolutions,
5 and amendments, but may be granted an extension of time
6 by consent of the house. However, the floor manager
7 of a bill or resolution and the lead sponsor of an
8 amendment may exceed the ten-minute limit on opening
9 and closing remarks.

10 Rule 12

11 Decorum During Debate

12 No member shall leave the house while the speaker
13 is putting a question. No one shall pass between the
14 speaker and a member who is speaking or two members who
15 have been recognized by the speaker.

16 Rule 13

17 Stating the Question

18 When a motion is made, it shall be stated by the
19 speaker. A motion made in writing shall be passed to
20 the speaker's station before it is debated.

21 Rule 14

22 Putting the Question

23 Questions shall be distinctly put in this form:
24 "All those in favor of (the question) shall say 'aye';"
25 and after the affirmative voice is expressed, "All
26 those opposed to (the question) shall say 'no'." If
27 the speaker is in doubt or a member of the house
28 requests, a nonrecord roll call vote shall be taken.

29 DIVISION II – EMPLOYEES OF THE HOUSE

30 Rule 15

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1 Chief Clerk of the House

2 The chief clerk of the house shall serve as
3 parliamentarian and chief administrative officer of the
4 house under the direction of the speaker of the house.
5 The chief clerk shall supervise the chief clerk's
6 office; be responsible for the custody and safekeeping
7 of all bills, resolutions, and amendments filed,
8 except when they are in the custody of a committee;
9 have charge of the daily journal; have control of all
10 rooms assigned for the use of the house; attest to the
11 accuracy and correctness of text and action on bills

12 and resolutions; process the handling of amendments
13 when filed and during the floor consideration of bills;
14 insert adopted amendments into bills before transmittal
15 to the senate and prior to final enrollment; supervise
16 legislative printing and the distribution of printed
17 material; and perform all other duties pertaining to
18 the office of the chief clerk.

19 Rule 16

20 Legislative and Session Days

21 For purposes of these rules, a legislative day is a
22 day when the house is called to order. A legislative
23 day that runs past midnight is not considered a new
24 legislative day. A session day is any calendar day
25 beginning with the convening of the annual regular
26 session and ending with adjournment sine die.

27 Rule 17

28 Sergeant-At-Arms

29 The sergeant-at-arms shall execute all orders
30 of the house and the presiding officer; perform all

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1 assigned duties related to the policing and good order
2 of the house; supervise the entrance and exit of all
3 persons to and from the chamber; promptly execute all
4 messages, etc.; provide that the chamber is properly
5 ventilated and open for the use of the members; and
6 perform all other services pertaining to the office of
7 sergeant-at-arms.

8 Rule 18

9 Secretaries

10 Each member may hire a secretary for the legislative
11 session who shall be under the general direction of the
12 member and the chief clerk. Secretaries shall be on
13 duty at the house from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday
14 through Thursday and on other legislative days when
15 required by the chief clerk, except when excused by the
16 member for whom the secretary works. Secretaries shall
17 perform such duties as may be assigned to them by the
18 member or the chief clerk.

19 Rule 19

20 Extra Compensation of Employees

21 No employee shall receive any extra compensation,
22 except as provided by the house, or tips for services
23 performed while on duty. Any violation of this rule
24 shall be grounds for removal.

25 DIVISION III – VISITORS AND LOBBYISTS

26 Rule 20

27 Admission to the House; Lobbying

28 The chamber of the house shall include the
29 vestibule, restrooms, bill room, lounge, visitors'
30 galleries, and floor of the house.

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1 The floor of the house shall consist of the
2 area between the north and south walls, including
3 the representatives' desks, the press box, and the
4 speaker's station, but excluding the visitors'
5 galleries.

6 During a legislative day while the house is in
7 order, no member of the general assembly or legislative
8 employee or intern shall be admitted to the floor of
9 the house if attired in jeans of any color without
10 leave of the speaker.

11 During a legislative day while the house is in
12 order, and one-half hour before the house convenes and
13 one-half hour after the house recesses or adjourns,
14 no person shall be admitted to the floor of the house
15 except:

16 1. Members of the general assembly and authorized
17 legislative employees in the performance of their
18 duties.

19 2. Former members of the general assembly who are
20 not registered lobbyists.

21 3. A general assembly member's family.

22 4. Representatives of the press, radio, and
23 television who shall go directly to and from the press
24 box.

25 5. Legislative interns registered with the chief
26 clerk who shall go directly to and from the seat of
27 their assigned representative or to be seated in the
28 perimeter seating area.

29 6. Designated representatives of a political party
30 having members serving in the house.

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1 7. Members of the state executive council, the
2 lieutenant governor, the attorney general, the
3 governor's executive assistants and administrative
4 assistants, and the administrative rules coordinator,
5 all of whom shall be confined to the perimeter area.

6 The current status of former members of the general
7 assembly shall govern their access to the floor under
8 these rules.

9 No other persons shall be allowed on the house floor
10 while the house is in order without permission of the
11 presiding officer of the house. When the house is not
12 in order, guests of a member of the general assembly
13 escorted by that member shall be allowed on the house
14 floor.

15 No person admitted to the floor of the house while
16 the house is in order, except members of the general
17 assembly, shall lobby or attempt to exercise any

18 influence with any member for or against any matter
19 then pending or that may thereafter be considered by
20 the house.

21 A registered lobbyist shall not be admitted to
22 the floor of the house on any legislative day except
23 for ceremonial purposes or for attendance at public
24 hearings.

25 A lobbyist who represents the position of a state
26 government agency, in which the person serves or is
27 employed as the designated representative for purposes
28 of encouraging the passage or defeat of legislation,
29 shall file with the chief clerk of the house a
30 statement of the general subjects of legislation

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1 in which the lobbyist is or may be interested, but
2 shall not lobby for or against a bill, resolution,
3 or study bill unless the lobbyist does so with the
4 written authorization and on behalf of a statewide
5 elected or retained official. The official's writing
6 may authorize the lobbyist to register and lobby for
7 or against any or all bills in which the lobbyist is
8 or may be interested or may restrict the lobbyist to
9 register and lobby for or against only some bills
10 in which the lobbyist is or may be interested. The
11 written authorizations shall be filed with the chief
12 clerk, according to a procedure established by the
13 clerk for the filing of the authorizations and for
14 making them available to the public, by the following
15 statewide elected or retained official for the
16 following offices, departments, agencies, and branch:
17 By the attorney general, auditor of state, secretary
18 of state, and treasurer of state, for their respective
19 offices.

20 By the secretary of agriculture, for the department
21 of agriculture and land stewardship.

22 By the chairperson of the ethics and campaign
23 disclosure board, for the executive director, legal
24 counsel, and other employees of the board.

25 By the governor, for all other executive branch
26 offices and departments.

27 By the chief justice of the supreme court, for the
28 judicial branch.

29 Each member, employee of the house, and registered
30 lobbyist shall report violations of this rule

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1 immediately to the sergeant-at-arms.

2 Any person for cause may be summarily dismissed
3 from the chamber of the house, by action of the house,

4 and may forfeit that person's right to admission
5 thereafter.

6 Rule 20A

7 Legislative Interns

8 A member may appoint one or more interns who shall
9 register with the chief clerk. Only one legislative
10 intern per member of the house is allowed on the floor
11 of the house at any one time.

12 Rule 21

13 Distribution of Literature

14 No person except a member or employee of the house
15 of representatives shall generally distribute or cause
16 to be distributed any pamphlets, material, or other
17 printed literature, or any other items to the members'
18 desks in the house. An employee of the house shall
19 generally distribute or cause to be distributed such
20 literature or items only on behalf of the employee's
21 office or staff. Items which are permissible gifts
22 under chapter 68B of the Code may be distributed to
23 the members' desks with the authorization of the chief
24 clerk.

25 All copies of pamphlets, material, or printed
26 literature distributed by a member or employee of the
27 house of representatives shall bear the name of the
28 member or employee's office or staff.

29 Other distributions of pamphlets, material, or other
30 printed literature shall bear their source of origin

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1 and be distributed through the legislative post office
2 by completing a form containing a member's or the chief
3 clerk's authorization, with the authorization form
4 attached to one copy of the distribution. The copy
5 with the attached authorization form shall be retained
6 for a reasonable time period by the legislative post
7 office.

8 Rule 22

9 Distribution of Materials Printed by the State

10 A member of the house shall not distribute maps,
11 books, and pamphlets which have been printed by the
12 state of Iowa and upon which the name of the member
13 of the house has been affixed unless the member has
14 purchased the materials or unless the member has
15 affixed the words "Paid for by the citizens of Iowa and
16 distributed by representative (member's name)."

17 DIVISION IV – FORMS AND PROCEDURES FOR BILLS AND OTHER
18 DOCUMENTS

19 Rule 23

20 Documents Signed by the Speaker

21 All acts and joint resolutions shall be signed by
22 the speaker, and all writs, warrants, and subpoenas

23 issued by order of the house, shall be signed by the
24 speaker and attested by the chief clerk. The speaker
25 shall cause certificates of recognition or condolence
26 to be issued by the house which shall be signed by
27 the speaker and the chief clerk. The chief clerk
28 shall maintain a list of certificates issued including
29 the name of the requesting member of the house, the
30 name of the recipient, the reason for recognition or

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1 condolence, and the date of issuance.

2 Rule 24

3 Presentation of Petitions

4 All petitions, memorials, and other papers addressed
5 to the house shall be signed by the member and filed
6 with the chief clerk. The receipt of petitions shall
7 be noted in the journal and such petitions shall be
8 available in the office of the chief clerk.

9 Rule 25

10 Consideration of Simple and Concurrent Resolutions

11 Action on a simple or concurrent resolution, except
12 a memorial resolution, shall not be taken until one day
13 after the resolution has been placed on the members'
14 desks. After the resolution is adopted, the chief
15 clerk shall have the resolution printed in the compiled
16 journal and shall transmit certified copies of the
17 resolution as directed.

18 Rule 26

19 Unanimous Consent Calendar

20 The speaker may, upon the request of three members,
21 place on a unanimous consent calendar any house
22 resolution or concurrent resolution which does not
23 contain an appropriation and which has been laid over
24 under Rule 25.

25 If such resolution is placed on the unanimous
26 consent calendar, it may be removed only upon a written
27 request submitted to the speaker by a member of the
28 house.

29 If not removed after five legislative days, the
30 chief clerk shall call up the resolution and without

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1 debate the speaker shall pronounce that it has passed
2 by unanimous consent.

3 If the resolution is removed from the unanimous
4 consent calendar, the speaker may again lay the
5 resolution over under Rule 25, place it on a different
6 calendar, or refer the resolution to any of the
7 standing committees of the house.

8 Rule 26A

9 Senate Bills and Resolutions

10 A senate bill or resolution may be referred to a
11 standing committee or passed on file.

12 Rule 27

13 Forms of Bills and Joint Resolutions

14 Every house bill shall be introduced by one or more
15 members or by any standing or specially authorized
16 committee of the house or the administrative rules
17 review committee. All bills and joint resolutions
18 introduced shall be prepared by the legislative
19 services agency with title, enacting clause, text
20 and explanation as directed by the chief clerk of the
21 house. One copy of each bill shall be presented in a
22 bill cover with the number of copies of the bill and
23 the title as directed by the chief clerk.

24 Rule 28

25 Joint and Nullification Resolutions

26 Joint resolutions shall be framed and treated as
27 bills.

28 A "nullification resolution" is a joint resolution
29 which nullifies all of an administrative rule, or
30 a severable item of an administrative rule adopted

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1 pursuant to chapter 17A of the Code. A nullification
2 resolution shall not amend an administrative rule by
3 adding language or by inserting new language in lieu
4 of existing language.

5 A nullification resolution may be introduced by an
6 individual, a standing committee or the administrative
7 rules review committee, and may be referred to a
8 standing committee. A nullification resolution is
9 debatable, but cannot be amended on the floor of the
10 house.

11 Rule 29

12 Time of Introduction of Bills

13 No bill or joint resolution under individual
14 sponsorship, other than a nullification resolution,
15 shall be read for the first time after 4:30 p.m. on
16 Friday of the ~~6th~~ 5th week of the first regular session
17 of the general assembly unless a formal request for
18 drafting the bill has been filed with the legislative
19 services agency before that time.

20 After adjournment of the first regular session,
21 bills may be prefiled at any time before the convening
22 of the second regular session. No bill or joint
23 resolution under individual sponsorship, other than a
24 nullification resolution, shall be read for the first
25 time after 4:30 p.m. on Friday of the second week of
26 the second regular session of the general assembly
27 unless a formal request for drafting the bill has been

28 filed with the legislative services agency before that
29 time.
30 However, bills or joint resolutions sponsored

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1 by standing committees or the administrative rules
2 review committee, co-sponsored by the majority and
3 minority floor leaders, or companion bills sponsored
4 by the house majority leader and the senate majority
5 leader may be drafted and introduced at any time
6 permissible under Joint Rule 20. House, concurrent,
7 and nullification resolutions may be introduced at any
8 time.

9 Rule 30

10 Introduction and Reading of Bills

11 All bills and resolutions to be introduced in
12 the house shall be prepared in proper form and filed
13 with the chief clerk no later than 4:30 p.m. on the
14 legislative day preceding its introduction.

15 Every bill shall receive two readings but no bill
16 shall receive its first and last readings on the same
17 day.

18 A "reading of a bill" as required by these rules
19 shall consist of a reading of the title and enacting
20 clause.

21 Rule 31

22 First Reading, Commitment, and Amendment

23 1. A bill is introduced into the house by an
24 initial or "first reading of the bill".

25 2. When the house is in session the first reading
26 shall consist of a "reading" as provided in Rule 30.

27 3. Upon a first reading of the bill, the speaker
28 shall state that it is ready for commitment or
29 amendment; and the speaker shall commit it to the
30 standing or select committee, or to a committee of the

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1 whole house. If to a committee of the whole house, the
2 house shall determine on what day.

3 4. On a nonlegislative day the speaker may cause a
4 statement, which shall consist of the title, enacting
5 clause, bill number and committee to which the bill
6 is referred, to be published in the house journal.

7 This publication shall constitute a first reading and
8 commitment and shall contain the notation "read and
9 committed under Rule 31".

10 5. All amendments offered to bills and resolutions
11 shall be accompanied by such copies as the chief clerk
12 shall direct.

13 6. Such amendments shall give the number of

14 the bill sought to amend and the chief clerk shall
15 designate each such amendment thus: Amendment to
16 House File _____, or Senate File _____, by
17 _____.

18 7. A bill reported out by committee shall go to the
19 speaker who shall direct that the bill be placed on the
20 regular calendar unless it covers subject matter more
21 properly within the jurisdiction of some other standing
22 committee, in which case the speaker shall refer the
23 bill to the proper standing committee. In order to
24 expedite important business and set a definite time for
25 the bill's consideration, the speaker may direct the
26 bill to be placed on the special order calendar.

27 8. No amendment to the rules of the house, to
28 any resolution or bill, except technical amendments
29 and amendments to bills substituted for by senate
30 files containing substantially identical title,

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1 language, subject matter, purpose and intrasectional
2 arrangement, shall be considered by the membership
3 of the house without a copy of the amendment having
4 been filed with the chief clerk by 4:00 p.m. or within
5 one-half hour of adjournment, whichever is later,
6 on the day preceding floor debate on the amendment.
7 If the house adjourns prior to 2:00 p.m. on Friday,
8 the final deadline is two hours after adjournment.
9 However, committee amendments filed pursuant to the
10 submission of the committee report may be accepted
11 after this deadline. This provision shall not apply
12 to any proposal debated on the floor of the house
13 after the ~~fourteenth~~ thirteenth week of the first
14 session and the twelfth week of the second session.
15 No amendment or amendment to an amendment to a bill,
16 rule of the house, or resolution shall be considered
17 by the membership of the house without a copy of the
18 amendment being on the desks of the entire membership
19 of the house prior to consideration. However, the
20 membership of the house may consider an amendment or an
21 amendment to an amendment to a bill, rule of the house,
22 or resolution without a copy of the amendment being
23 on the desks of the entire membership of the house
24 prior to consideration if a copy of the amendment is
25 made available to the entire membership of the house
26 electronically.

27 Rule 32

28 Commitment of Appropriation and Revenue Bills

29 All bills to appropriate money shall be referred to
30 the appropriations committee, and all bills pertaining

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1 to the levy, assessment, or collection of taxes or fees
2 shall be referred to the committee on ways and means.

3 Rule 33

4 Regular Calendar

5 Bills, nullification resolutions, and joint
6 resolutions reported out for passage, amendment and
7 passage, or without recommendation by a committee,
8 or passed on file shall be arranged on a regular
9 calendar by the chief clerk each day and electronically
10 distributed to the members at the opening of each
11 legislative day. The regular calendar shall include
12 a list of bills, nullification resolutions, and joint
13 resolutions which have been special ordered, including
14 the date upon which debate is scheduled to begin
15 on each of them, which shall be no sooner than five
16 session days from the first date of publication on the
17 regular calendar.

18 Rule 34

19 Daily Debate Calendar

20 The majority floor leadership shall cause to
21 be prepared and distributed to the members at the
22 opening of each legislative day when floor action is
23 scheduled, a daily debate calendar consisting of bills,
24 nullification resolutions, and joint resolutions from
25 the regular calendar setting forth the number and
26 title of bills, nullification resolutions, and joint
27 resolutions for the next legislative day that floor
28 action is scheduled.

29 This rule does not apply to bills which have passed
30 both houses in different forms, reconsiderations, or

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1 veto reconsiderations.

2 Rule 35

3 Substitution of Bills

4 A senate bill or resolution may be substituted
5 for an identical house bill or resolution which has
6 been called up for debate. An amendment to a senate
7 bill or resolution which has been substituted for an
8 identical house bill or resolution is out of order if
9 an identical amendment to the house bill or resolution
10 was considered.

11 Rule 36

12 Consideration of Committee Amendments

13 After a bill has been referred and reported back,
14 it shall be considered on its first reading after the
15 amendments of the committee have been read.

16 Rule 37

17 Amendments to Special Order Bills

18 All amendments to bills which have been special
 19 ordered shall be filed at least three session days
 20 prior to the date set for debate. Amendments to an
 21 amendment shall be filed at least two session days
 22 prior to the date set for debate. However, corrective
 23 amendments and amendments sponsored by either the
 24 majority floor leader or the minority floor leader may
 25 be filed at any time. Rule 31, subsection 8, shall not
 26 apply to these amendments.

27 A corrective amendment is an amendment which does
 28 not substantively change the amendment or the bill.

29 Rule 38

30 ~~Germaneness~~ Germane Amendments

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1 An amendment must be germane to the subject matter
 2 of the bill it seeks to amend. An amendment to an
 3 amendment must be germane to both the amendment and the
 4 bill it seeks to amend. When a member ~~questions the~~
 5 ~~germaneness of an amendment~~ objects to an amendment on
 6 grounds that the amendment is not germane, the speaker
 7 may invite members, who shall include the majority and
 8 minority leaders, to the speaker's station to discuss
 9 the objection.

10 Rule 39

11 Consideration of Bills

12 Bills, including committee bills, joint resolutions,
 13 and nullification resolutions, reported out for
 14 passage, for amendment and passage, or without
 15 recommendation by the committee, are first eligible to
 16 be acted upon beginning the third legislative day they
 17 appear on the regular calendar.

18 Committee reports shall be printed in the journal
 19 immediately after they are filed with the chief clerk.
 20 Reports recommending bills, joint resolutions, and
 21 nullification resolutions for passage, for amendment
 22 and passage, or without recommendation shall stand
 23 approved unless written objections are filed during
 24 the first legislative day following their printing in
 25 the journal. If objections are filed, they shall be
 26 disposed of as soon as possible.

27 Rule 40

28 Consideration of Bills Upon Last Reading

29 No amendment, unless by way of correcting an error
 30 or omission, shall be received to any bill on its last

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1 reading, and no debate shall be allowed on it.

2 Rule 41

3 Printing of Bills and Joint Resolutions

4 Bills and joint resolutions shall be printed in form
5 as provided by law and by rule. Each house may direct
6 the printing of an additional number of its own bills.
7 Legalizing bills of a local or private nature shall
8 be printed in bill form and placed in the files of the
9 members, the same as other bills, in the order of their
10 introduction. The cost of printing shall be deposited
11 with the treasurer of state in advance at a rate to be
12 fixed, and the newspaper publication of the bill shall
13 be without cost to the state. No legalizing act may
14 be introduced until all provisions of law have been
15 complied with.

16 Rule 42

17 Certification and Engrossment of Bills

18 The chief clerk shall certify the passage of each
19 bill and note the date of its passage.

20 In engrossing a bill, the chief clerk shall
21 correct all obvious typographical, spelling, or other
22 clerical errors and change section subunit numbers
23 and letters and internal references as required to
24 conform the original bill to any amendments which have
25 been adopted. The chief clerk shall report all such
26 corrections or changes in the journal. The engrossed
27 bill shall be placed in the bill file with the original
28 bill and amendments.

29 Rule 43

30 Rereferral

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1 A bill may be rereferred by the speaker or, upon
2 motion, by the house at any time before its passage and
3 after the report of its referral to committee.

4 Rule 44

5 Effect of Indefinite Postponement

6 When a question is indefinitely postponed, it shall
7 not be acted upon again during that session.

8 Rule 45

9 Status of Bills Following First Regular Session

10 Except for those bills which have been adopted by
11 both houses in different forms, all bills which have
12 not been withdrawn, defeated or indefinitely postponed,
13 shall be rereferred to committee upon adjournment of
14 the first regular session. Within seven days after
15 the first committee meeting following convening of
16 the second regular session, the committee chair shall
17 submit the bill to the full committee for action or the
18 chair shall reassign the bill to a subcommittee.

19 DIVISION V – COMMITTEE PROCEDURES

20 Rule 46

21 Appointment of Committees

22 All committees shall be appointed by the speaker,

23 unless otherwise especially directed by the house.
 24 Minority party members of a committee shall be
 25 appointed by the speaker upon recommendation of the
 26 minority leader.
 27 Rule 47
 28 Reserved
 29 Rule 48
 30 Study Bills

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1 A study bill is any matter which a member of
 2 the house wishes to have considered by a standing
 3 committee, other than appropriations, without being
 4 introduced in the house by a first reading. A
 5 study bill shall be prepared in proper form by the
 6 legislative services agency prior to submission.
 7 Upon taking possession of a study bill, the
 8 committee chair shall notify the speaker and then
 9 submit four copies of the bill to the legal counsel's
 10 office for numbering.
 11 A study bill shall bear the name of the member who
 12 wishes to have the bill considered. A study bill
 13 submitted by a state agency or board for consideration
 14 shall bear the name of the state agency or board. A
 15 committee chair may submit a study bill in the name of
 16 that committee.
 17 Final committee action on a study bill shall not be
 18 taken until one day following the notation of the study
 19 bill assignment in the house journal.

20 Rule 49
 21 Committee Meetings
 22 No committee, except a conference committee or the
 23 administrative rules review committee, shall meet
 24 while the house is in session without special leave.
 25 Committees with overlapping memberships shall not meet
 26 at the same time without special leave.
 27 Rule 50
 28 Smoking Prohibited
 29 Smoking shall not be permitted in the house or in
 30 any area of the capitol building.

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1 Rule 50A
 2 ~~Nondegradable Polystyrene Cups~~
 3 ~~The use of nondegradable polystyrene cups shall not~~
 4 ~~be permitted on the floor of the house.~~
 5 Rule 51
 6 Assignments to Subcommittee
 7 The chair of the committee shall report to the house
 8 the bill number of each bill assigned to subcommittee

9 and the names of the subcommittee members. The report
10 shall be printed in the journal.

11 All bills, prior to consideration by the committee,
12 shall be referred by the chair to a subcommittee,
13 unless acted upon by a committee of the whole.

14 The chair may assign bills to subcommittees without
15 a meeting of the committee, but the membership of the
16 subcommittee so appointed shall be reported at the next
17 meeting of the committee.

18 Rule 52

19 Open Meetings

20 Standing committee meetings shall be open, and
21 voting by secret ballot is prohibited. The committee
22 on administration and rules may close its meetings to
23 evaluate the professional competency of an individual
24 ~~whose appointment, hiring, performance, or discharge is~~
25 ~~being considered when necessary to prevent needless and~~
26 ~~irreparable injury to that individual's reputation on~~
27 ~~the request of the affected individual.~~

28 Rule 53

29 Quorum and Vote Requirements

30 The committee roll shall be taken at the convening

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1 of each meeting to determine the presence of a quorum.

2 A majority of the committee membership shall constitute
3 a quorum.

4 An affirmative vote of a majority of the committee
5 membership is required to report a bill out of
6 committee or to suspend a committee rule.

7 A motion to reconsider may be made only by a
8 committee member who voted on the prevailing side of
9 the question sought to be reconsidered. A motion to
10 reconsider may only be made prior to the adjournment of
11 the committee meeting at which the bill was reported
12 out.

13 If a member, who is in the committee room when a
14 question to report a bill out of committee is put, has
15 not asked to be excused prior to commencing to take
16 the vote on the question, the member shall vote aye or
17 nay unless the committee has excused the member for
18 special reasons. However, a member may pass on the
19 first taking of the roll call on the question but shall
20 vote aye or nay when the member's name is called for a
21 second time.

22 Rule 54

23 Committee Attendance Record and Report of Committee

24 Form

25 1. A committee attendance record shall be filed
26 with the chief clerk no later than 10:00 a.m. or two
27 hours after the house convenes, whichever is later,

28 of the legislative day immediately following the day
29 of the committee meeting. The committee attendance
30 record is a public record and may be published in the

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1 journal. The committee attendance record shall include
2 the following information:
3 a. The time the meeting convened.
4 b. The members present at the meeting.
5 c. The time the meeting adjourned.
6 d. A list of bills receiving final committee
7 disposition.
8 2. A report of committee form shall be filed with
9 the chief clerk no later than 10:00 a.m. or two hours
10 after the house convenes, whichever is later, of the
11 legislative day immediately following the day of the
12 committee meeting for each study bill, numbered bill
13 or resolution receiving final committee disposition.
14 The report of committee form is a public record and
15 a report of committee action shall be printed in the
16 journal. The report of committee form shall include
17 the following information:
18 a. The committee action taken.
19 b. The committee amendment number, if any.
20 c. The roll call vote of the committee on final
21 disposition.
22 d. The minority recommendation, if any.
23 3. Upon final adjournment of the first session
24 and final adjournment of the second session of the
25 general assembly, the chair of each committee shall
26 have placed the committee's book of record containing
27 minutes, record roll calls on final disposition, record
28 roll call votes on any amendments considered, rules,
29 etc., with the chief clerk for access of any interested
30 person.

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1 Rule 55
2 Minority Recommendation
3 The minority of the members of a committee may
4 present its recommendations on the final disposition
5 of a bill to the house by attaching its recommendation
6 to the committee report. The minority recommendation
7 shall be noted in the journal along with the committee
8 report.
9 Rule 56
10 Committee Amendment
11 Whenever a committee amendment is proposed which
12 would amend another committee amendment, the amendment
13 shall be drafted in the form of a substitute amendment

14 and shall be considered as such.

15 Rule 57

16 Committee Notice and Agenda

17 Each committee shall prepare and publish a notice
18 and agenda of each committee meeting at least one
19 legislative day prior to the meeting. The notice and
20 agenda may be placed on the desks of or transmitted
21 electronically to committee members.

22 The notice shall contain the committee name, the
23 date, time, and location of the meeting.

24 The agenda shall contain the matters to be
25 discussed, including a list of bills, joint
26 resolutions, nullification resolutions, and study
27 bills by number. The agenda should contain the names
28 of individuals who are scheduled to appear before the
29 committee and the organization which they represent.

30 A bill, joint resolution, nullification resolution,

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1 or study bill shall not be reported out of committee if
2 the bill was not included in the published notice and
3 agenda unless this rule is suspended by a majority of
4 the total membership of the committee.

5 A committee chair may call a meeting without
6 providing the required notice and agenda upon leave
7 of the house if a notice is either electronically
8 transmitted to committee members or placed on the desks
9 of committee members.

10 Rule 58

11 Clearing of Committee Room

12 The chair of a committee may clear the committee
13 room in case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct.

14 Rule 58A

15 Use of Telephonic or Electronic Devices in Committee
16 Rooms Restricted

17 1. In any committee room while a standing committee
18 is in session:

19 a. A person shall mute any cell phone, computer, or
20 other electronic device under the person's control.

21 b. A person shall not use a cell phone or other
22 electronic device to audibly transmit or receive
23 communications.

24 2. The chair or acting chair of a standing
25 committee may clear the committee room of any person
26 acting in violation of this rule.

27 Rule 59

28 Committee Amendments

29 All amendments to a bill or resolution adopted in
30 committee shall be incorporated in a single committee

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1 amendment or incorporated in a new committee bill.

2 Rule 60

3 Withdrawal of Bills, Joint Resolutions, or
4 Nullification Resolutions From Committee

5 A bill, joint resolution, or nullification
6 resolution which has been in committee for eighteen
7 legislative days following notation of such referral
8 in the journal may be withdrawn from the committee and
9 placed on the calendar by an affirmative vote of not
10 less than fifty-one members of the house.

11 Rule 61

12 Committee Public Hearings

13 The chair of a committee may call a public hearing
14 for the purpose of receiving public comment on any
15 matter within the purview of the committee.

16 The chair shall call a public hearing upon the
17 written request of committee members according to
18 committee rules, but no more than one-third of the
19 committee members shall be required.

20 A public hearing shall not be called or requested
21 after final action on the bill, joint resolution,
22 or nullification resolution has been taken by the
23 committee. However, a public hearing called or
24 requested before final action has been taken by the
25 committee may be held after final action on the bill,
26 joint resolution, or nullification resolution has been
27 taken by the committee.

28 The chair shall designate a time and place for a
29 public hearing and provide public notice at least five
30 days prior to a public hearing.

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1 A bill, joint resolution, or nullification
2 resolution for which a public hearing has been called
3 can be voted to the calendar but cannot be debated
4 until after the public hearing has been held.

5 However, public hearings which have been requested
6 during or after the 9th week of the first session and
7 during or after the 7th week of the second session must
8 be held within four legislative days of the date of the
9 request.

10 Rule 62

11 Limitation on Filing of Claims

12 All claims shall be referred to the appropriations
13 committee. A claim referred to the appropriations
14 committee in a prior session of the general assembly
15 shall not be considered by the appropriations
16 committee or by the house unless it has been
17 specifically referred to this session by a vote of the

18 appropriations committee. The appropriations committee
19 is authorized to set a definite date each session after
20 which it will not receive claims or claim bills for
21 consideration.

22 DIVISION VI – COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

23 Rule 63

24 Organization of Committee of the Whole

25 In forming the committee of the whole house, the
26 speaker shall appoint a member to preside in committee
27 and then leave the chair.

28 Rule 64

29 Rules in Committee of the Whole

30 The rules of the house shall be observed in

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1 committee of the whole house, so far as they are
2 applicable.

3 Rule 65

4 Bills in Committee of the Whole

5 Bills committed to the committee of the whole house
6 shall first be debated by section. After the report
7 of the committee of the whole, the bill shall again be
8 subject to debate and amendment before a vote is had on
9 its last reading and passage.

10 Rule 66

11 Amendments by Committee of the Whole

12 All amendments made to a report committed to a
13 committee of the whole house shall be noted and
14 reported as in the case of bills.

15 DIVISION VII – MOTIONS

16 Rule 67

17 Order and Precedence of Motions

18 The following order of motions, listed in order
19 of precedence, shall govern when a question is under
20 debate:

21 1. Adjourn.

22 2. Recess.

23 3. Questions of privilege.

24 4. Lay on the table.

25 5. Previous question.

26 6. Limit debate.

27 7. Postpone definitely or to a certain time.

28 8. Refer or rerefer.

29 9. Defer.

30 10. Amend an amendment.

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1 11. Amend.

2 12. Postpone indefinitely.

3 A motion to postpone definitely or to a certain

4 time, to refer or commit, or to postpone indefinitely a
 5 particular question shall not be considered more than
 6 once on the same day.

7 Adoption of a motion to strike the enacting words is
 8 equivalent to rejection of the question.

9 Rule 68

10 Order of Consideration of Amendments

11 Amendments shall be considered by earliest position
 12 in the bill. Amendments to the same place in the bill
 13 shall be considered by the lowest amendment number. An
 14 amendment which inserts language after a line and an
 15 amendment which inserts language before the succeeding
 16 line shall be considered amendments to the same place
 17 in the bill.

18 However, an amendment to strike the enacting clause
 19 shall always be considered first. An amendment filed
 20 by a committee shall have the next highest order of
 21 priority, followed by an amendment to strike everything
 22 after the enacting clause and insert new language. An
 23 amendment to strike language or to strike and insert
 24 new language, except an amendment to strike everything
 25 after the enacting clause and insert new language,
 26 shall not be considered before amendments to perfect
 27 all or part of the same portion of the bill.

28 Rule 69

29 Motions Not Debatable

30 The following motions are not debatable:

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- 1 1. Adjourn.
- 2 2. Adjourn to a certain time.
- 3 3. Suspend house rules.
- 4 4. Previous question.
- 5 5. Close debate at a certain time.
- 6 6. Recess.
- 7 7. Defer.
- 8 8. Refer or rerefer.
- 9 9. Lay on the table.
- 10 10. Take from the table.
- 11 11. Call of the house.
- 12 12. Withdraw a bill or resolution from committee.
- 13 13. Appeal a decision of the chair.
- 14 14. Immediately message a bill or resolution.

15 Rule 69A

16 Constitutional Majority

- 17 1. The following motions require a constitutional
 18 majority for approval:
 - 19 a. Final passage of a bill, joint resolution, or
 20 nullification resolution.
 - 21 b. Lay on the table.
 - 22 c. Take from the table.

- 23 d. Suspend house rules.
24 e. Previous question.
25 f. Withdraw a bill or resolution from committee.
26 g. Reconsider a bill, joint resolution, or
27 nullification resolution.
28 h. Immediately message a bill or resolution.
29 2. A division must be taken on any motion which
30 requires a constitutional majority.

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- 1 Rule 70
2 Motion to Adjourn
3 A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except
4 when a member is speaking or the house is voting.
5 Rule 71
6 Withdrawal of Motions
7 After a motion is stated by the speaker or read by
8 the chief clerk, it shall be deemed to be in possession
9 of the house, but may be withdrawn by leave of the
10 house.
11 Rule 72
12 Unanimous Consent
13 Unanimous consent of the members may be asked for
14 suspension of any rule of the house. If there is no
15 objection to the request, the rule shall be considered
16 suspended.
17 Rule 73
18 Reconsideration
19 1. A motion to reconsider may be made only by a
20 member who voted on the prevailing side of the question
21 sought to be reconsidered.
22 2. A motion to reconsider may be made not later
23 than adjournment on the legislative day following
24 the legislative day of the action sought to be
25 reconsidered. Where the floor manager voted on
26 the prevailing side, the floor manager has the
27 prior right to make the motion, until adjournment
28 on the legislative day of the action sought to be
29 reconsidered. A motion to reconsider a nullification
30 resolution shall be acted upon not later than

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- 1 adjournment on the legislative day following
2 the legislative day of the action sought to be
3 reconsidered.
4 3. A motion to reconsider made beginning the
5 fifteenth week of the first regular session, or the
6 thirteenth week of the second regular session, may be
7 taken up when made. A motion made at any other time
8 may be taken up prior to the third legislative day

9 succeeding the legislative day of the action sought
10 to be reconsidered only if called up by the mover,
11 and after the second legislative day succeeding the
12 legislative day of the action sought to be reconsidered
13 if called up by any member.

14 4. The making of a motion to reconsider takes
15 precedence over all other questions.

16 5. When passage, adoption, or failure of any
17 bill, joint resolution, or nullification resolution
18 is reconsidered, questions on amendments may also be
19 reconsidered and shall be disposed of immediately.

20 6. In the event that a motion to reconsider
21 is pending at the end of the first session or any
22 extraordinary session of any general assembly, or the
23 general assembly adjourns sine die, and the motion to
24 reconsider has not been voted upon by the house, the
25 motion shall be determined to have failed.

26 DIVISION VIII – VOTING

27 Rule 74

28 Manner of Voting

29 Members present may cast their votes, either
30 by operating the voting mechanism located at their

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1 assigned desk or by signaling the speaker from the
2 floor of the house or from the south visitors' gallery
3 if they are unable to vote at their assigned desk.
4 Only a member may operate the voting mechanism at that
5 member's assigned desk. The speaker shall announce the
6 votes of members signaling their votes. Upon direction
7 of the speaker only those members at their desks and
8 voting shall be counted. Members who are not present
9 shall not cast their votes except:

10 1. Members who have not voted may record their
11 votes on any record roll call vote except quorum
12 calls within ten minutes after the outcome of the
13 vote has been announced. Members shall initial their
14 recorded votes on a copy of the record roll call at the
15 speaker's station. However, if the aggregate of votes
16 cast under this rule would change the outcome of the
17 vote on a question, then none of the votes cast on the
18 question under this rule shall be recorded. A member
19 may request announcement of the names of members so
20 recorded after the ten-minute period.

21 2. Members meeting in a conference committee
22 or in administrative rules review committee at the
23 time a vote is taken on a question may have their
24 vote recorded within thirty minutes or adjournment,
25 whichever is first, of that same legislative day,
26 provided the aggregate of votes cast does not change
27 the outcome of the vote on a question.

28 Rule 75
29 Voting in the House and Duty of Voting
30 Voting on a question put to the house shall not

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1 occur between midnight and 8 a.m. on any legislative
2 day except for voting on a motion to adjourn. Except
3 as limited in Rule 76, every member who is in the house
4 when a question is put shall vote unless the house has
5 excused that member from voting for special reasons;
6 however, such member must have asked to be excused from
7 voting prior to the time the speaker puts the question.

8 Rule 76
9 Limitation on Right to Vote
10 No member shall vote on any question in which
11 the member or the member's immediate family member,
12 as defined in chapter 68B of the Code, has a direct
13 financial interest different from other similarly
14 situated persons or classes of persons of the general
15 public.

16 Rule 77
17 Call of the House
18 Upon written request of five members, the presiding
19 officer shall compel attendance of absent and unexcused
20 members for the consideration of specified bills,
21 resolutions, or amendments.
22 A call of the house shall specify the propositions
23 to which it is to apply and must be put into effect
24 before roll call is taken on the proposition. The
25 request may be filed with the chief clerk at any time
26 before final action upon the propositions, who shall
27 notify the house immediately.

28 Rule 78
29 Method of Calling the House
30 Upon a call of the house, the names of the members

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1 shall be called by the chief clerk and the absentees
2 noted, after which the names of the absentees shall
3 again be called. The sergeant-at-arms shall be
4 directed by the speaker to compel the attendance of
5 absent members, unless they are previously excused.
6 Any member occupying the member's seat during a call
7 of the house shall be counted by the speaker and that
8 person's name entered in the journal as being present
9 for the purpose of making a quorum.

10 Rule 79
11 Method of Calling the Roll
12 The electrical voting machine shall be used for a
13 call of the house, a quorum call or a roll call vote

14 on any question. If the electrical voting machine is
15 not in operating order when it is necessary to take
16 a record roll call vote, the presiding officer shall
17 order the vote to be taken by calling the roll in
18 alphabetical order, except the name of the presiding
19 officer shall be called last.
20 During the casting of the vote with the voting
21 machine, the individual votes and the vote totals shall
22 be shown on the display boards. Before the voting
23 machine is closed, the presiding officer shall inquire
24 of the house, "Have you all voted?"
25 Rule 80
26 Quorum and Record Roll Call Votes
27 A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum.
28 A record roll call vote shall be ordered upon
29 request of any two members. The names of the members
30 requesting the record roll call shall be entered in the

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1 journal.
2 Rule 81
3 Previous Question
4 When a member moves for the previous question, the
5 member shall state whether the motion will apply to the
6 main question, to all the amendments, or to particular
7 amendments. The motion requires an affirmative vote of
8 at least a constitutional majority of the members. If
9 the motion for a previous question is not adopted, the
10 house shall proceed in the same manner as before the
11 motion was made.
12 If the motion is adopted, all debate must end and
13 the house will vote upon the question except:
14 1. If the motion applies to the main question, the
15 member in charge of the measure will have ten minutes
16 to speak for the purpose of closing discussion before
17 the vote on the measure is taken.
18 2. If the motion applies to an amendment, the
19 member proposing the amendment will have five minutes
20 to speak for the purpose of closing discussion before
21 the vote on the amendment is taken.
22 3. If a member has filed a written request with
23 the chief clerk of the house indicating the member's
24 desire to speak on a particular question. The request
25 must be filed before the motion is made by the movant.
26 The request allows a member to speak on a particular
27 question before the closing discussion by the member
28 who is in charge of the measure or who is proposing the
29 amendment.
30 Rule 82

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1 Division of the Question
2 Any member may call for a division of the question,
3 which shall be divided if it comprehends questions so
4 distinct that one being taken away, the remainder may
5 stand separately for discussion by the house. Upon
6 request to divide an amendment, the chief clerk shall
7 restate the division and note the divided amendment in
8 the house journal. An amendment to strike out being
9 lost shall not preclude an amendment to strike out and
10 insert. An amendment to strike out and insert shall be
11 deemed indivisible.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

ADOPTION OF [HOUSE RESOLUTION 7](#)

Koester of Polk asked and received unanimous consent for the immediate consideration of [House Resolution 7](#), as follows, and moved its adoption:

[HOUSE RESOLUTION 7](#)

BY COMMITTEE ON ETHICS

1 A resolution relating to the House code of ethics.
2 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, That
3 the House Code of Ethics shall be as follows:
4 HOUSE CODE OF ETHICS
5 PREAMBLE. Every legislator and legislative employee
6 has a duty to uphold the integrity and honor of the
7 general assembly, to encourage respect for the law and
8 for the general assembly, and to observe the house code
9 of ethics. The members and employees of the house
10 have a responsibility to conduct themselves so as to
11 reflect credit on the general assembly, and to inspire
12 the confidence, respect, and trust of the public. The
13 following rules are adopted pursuant to chapter 68B of
14 the Code, to assist the members and employees in the
15 conduct of their activities:
16 1. DEFINITIONS. The definitions of terms provided
17 in chapter 68B of the Code apply to the use of those
18 terms in these rules.
19 2. ECONOMIC INTEREST OF MEMBER OR EMPLOYEE OF
20 HOUSE.
21 a. Economic or investment opportunity. A member
22 or employee of the house shall not solicit or accept
23 economic or investment opportunity under circumstances
24 where the member or employee knows, or should know,
25 that the opportunity is being afforded with the intent
26 to influence the member's or employee's conduct in

27 the performance of official duties. If a member

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1 or employee of the house learns that an economic
2 or investment opportunity previously accepted was
3 offered with the intent of influencing the member's or
4 employee's conduct in the performance of the official
5 duties, the member or employee shall take steps to
6 divest that member or employee of that investment or
7 economic opportunity, and shall report the matter
8 in writing to the chairperson of the house ethics
9 committee.

10 b. Excessive charges for services, goods, or
11 property interests. A member or employee of the
12 house shall not charge to or accept from a person
13 known to have a legislative interest, a price, fee,
14 compensation, or other consideration for the sale or
15 lease of any property or the furnishing of services
16 which is in excess of that which the member or employee
17 would ordinarily charge another person.

18 c. Use of confidential information. A member or
19 employee of the house, in order to further the member's
20 or employee's own economic interests, or those of any
21 other person, shall not disclose or use confidential
22 information acquired in the course of the member's or
23 employee's official duties. For the purpose of this
24 rule, information disclosed in open session at a public
25 meeting and information that is a public record is not
26 confidential information.

27 d. Employment. A member or employee of the
28 house shall not accept employment, either directly
29 or indirectly, from a political action committee. A
30 member of the house shall not act as a paid lobbyist

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1 for any organization. However, this paragraph shall
2 not prohibit a member or employee of the house from
3 working for a candidate's committee, a political
4 party's action committee, or a political action
5 committee which does not expressly advocate the
6 nomination, election, or defeat of a candidate for
7 public office in this state or expressly advocate the
8 passage or defeat of a ballot issue in this state and
9 which is not interested in issues before the general
10 assembly.

11 For the purpose of this rule, a political action
12 committee means a committee, but not a candidate's
13 committee, which accepts contributions, makes
14 expenditures, or incurs indebtedness in the aggregate
15 of more than seven hundred fifty dollars in any one

16 calendar year to expressly advocate the nomination,
17 election, or defeat of a candidate for public office or
18 to expressly advocate the passage or defeat of a ballot
19 issue or for the purpose of influencing legislative
20 action.

21 e. A member or employee of the house shall not
22 solicit employment on behalf of the member or employee,
23 or on behalf of another legislator or employee, as a
24 lobbyist while the general assembly is in session.

25 f. Certain goods or services. A member or employee
26 of the house shall not solicit or obtain goods or
27 services from another person under circumstances where
28 the member or employee knows or should know that the
29 goods or services are being offered or sold with the
30 intent to influence the member's or employee's conduct

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1 in the performance of official duties. If a member or
2 employee of the house is afforded goods or services
3 by another person at a price that is not available to
4 other members or classes of members of the general
5 public or is afforded goods or services that are
6 not available to other members or classes of members
7 of the general public by another person where the
8 member or employee knows or should know that the other
9 person intends to influence the member's or employee's
10 official conduct, the member or employee shall not take
11 or purchase the goods or services.

12 3. APPEARANCE BEFORE STATE AGENCY. A member or
13 employee of the house may appear before a state agency
14 in any representation case but shall not act as a
15 lobbyist with respect to the passage, defeat, approval,
16 veto, or modification of any legislation, rule, or
17 executive order. Whenever a member or employee of
18 the house appears before a state agency, the member
19 or employee shall carefully avoid all conduct which
20 might in any way lead members of the general public
21 to conclude that the member or employee is using the
22 member's or employee's official position to further the
23 member's or employee's professional success or personal
24 financial interest.

25 4. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. In order for the general
26 assembly to function effectively, members of the house
27 may be required to vote on bills and participate in
28 committee work which will affect their employment and
29 other areas in which they may have a monetary interest.
30 Action on bills and committee work which furthers a

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1 member's specific employment, specific investment, or

2 other specific interest, as opposed to the interests of
3 the public in general or the interests of a profession,
4 trade, business, or other class of persons, shall be
5 avoided. In making a decision relative to a member's
6 activity on particular bills or in committee work, the
7 following factors should be considered:
8 a. Whether a substantial threat to the member's
9 independence of judgment has been created by the
10 conflict situation.
11 b. The effect of the member's participation on
12 public confidence in the integrity of the general
13 assembly.
14 c. Whether the member's participation is likely to
15 have any significant effect on the disposition of the
16 matter.
17 d. The need for the member's particular
18 contribution, such as special knowledge of the subject
19 matter, to the effective functioning of the general
20 assembly.
21 If a member decides not to participate in committee
22 work or to abstain from voting because of a possible
23 conflict of interest, the member should disclose
24 this fact to the legislative body. The member shall
25 not vote on any question in which the member has an
26 economic interest that is distinguishable from the
27 interests of the general public or a substantial class
28 of persons.
29 5. STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS. Members and employees
30 of the house shall comply with the requirements

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1 contained in chapters 68B (~~Conflicts of Interest of~~
2 ~~Public Officers and Employees~~ Government Ethics and
3 Lobbying), 721 (Official Misconduct), and 722 (Bribery
4 and Corruption), and sections 2.18 (Contempt) and 711.4
5 (Extortion) of the Code.
6 6. CHARGE ACCOUNTS. Members and employees of the
7 house shall not charge any amount or item to a charge
8 account to be paid for by a lobbyist or any client of
9 a lobbyist.
10 7. TRAVEL EXPENSES. A member or employee of the
11 house shall not charge to the state of Iowa amounts
12 for travel and expenses unless the member or employee
13 actually has incurred those mileage and expense costs.
14 Members or employees shall not file the vouchers for
15 weekly mileage reimbursement required by section 2.10,
16 subsection 1 of the Code, unless the travel expense was
17 actually incurred.
18 A member or employee of the house shall not file
19 a claim for per diem compensation for a meeting of
20 an interim study committee or a visitation committee

21 unless the member or employee attended the meeting.
22 However, the speaker may waive this provision and allow
23 a claim to be filed if the member or employee attempted
24 to attend the meeting but was unable to do so because
25 of circumstances beyond the member's or employee's
26 control.
27 8. GIFTS ACCEPTED OR RECEIVED. Members and
28 employees of the house shall comply with the
29 restrictions relating to the receipt or acceptance of
30 gifts contained in section 68B.22 of the Code.

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1 9. HONORARIA RESTRICTIONS. Members and employees
2 of the house shall comply with the restrictions
3 relating to the receipt of honoraria contained in
4 section 68B.23 of the Code.
5 10. DISCLOSURE REQUIRED. Each member of the
6 house and the chief clerk of the house shall file the
7 personal financial disclosure statements required under
8 section 68B.35 of the Code by February 15 of each year
9 for the prior calendar year.
10 11. SEXUAL HARASSMENT. Members and employees of
11 the house shall not engage in conduct which constitutes
12 sexual harassment as defined in section 19B.12 of
13 the Code or pursuant to the sexual harassment policy
14 adopted by the house committee on administration and
15 rules.
16 12. COMPLAINTS.
17 a. Filing of complaint. Complaints may be filed by
18 any person believing that a member or employee of the
19 house, a lobbyist, or a client of a lobbyist is guilty
20 of a violation of the house code of ethics, the house
21 rules governing lobbyists, or chapter 68B of the Code.
22 b. Complaints by committee. The ethics committee
23 may initiate a complaint on its own motion. Committee
24 complaints may be initiated by the committee as a
25 result of a committee investigation or as a result of
26 receipt of any complaint or other information that does
27 not meet the requirements of these rules regarding the
28 form of a complaint but that contains allegations that
29 would form the basis for a valid complaint.
30 c. Form and contents of complaint. A complaint

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1 shall be in writing.
2 Complaint forms shall be available from the chief
3 clerk of the house, but a complaint shall not be
4 rejected for failure to use the approved form if it
5 complies with the requirements of these rules. The
6 complaint shall contain a certification made by the

7 complainant, under penalty of perjury, that the facts
8 stated in the complaint are true to the best of the
9 complainant's knowledge.

10 To be valid, a complaint shall allege all of the
11 following:

12 (1) Facts, that if true, establish a violation of a
13 provision of chapter 68B of the Code, the house code of
14 ethics, or house rules governing lobbyists for which
15 penalties or other remedies are provided.

16 (2) That the conduct providing the basis for the
17 complaint occurred within three years of the filing of
18 the complaint.

19 (3) That the party charged with a violation is
20 a party subject to the jurisdiction of the ethics
21 committee.

22 d. Confidentiality of complaint. The ~~filing of the~~
23 ~~complaint~~ identity of the parties and the contents of
24 the complaint shall be confidential until the time that
25 the committee meets to determine whether the complaint
26 is valid, unless either the complainant or the party
27 charged in the complaint makes the ~~existence~~ identity
28 of the parties, or the information contained in, the
29 complaint public. However, if either the complainant
30 or party alleged to have committed the violation

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1 requests that the meeting to determine whether the
2 complaint is valid be a closed meeting and the ~~filing~~
3 identity of the ~~complaint~~ parties or the contents of
4 the complaint have not been disclosed, the meeting
5 shall be closed.

6 e. Notice of complaint. Upon receipt of the
7 complaint, the chief clerk of the house shall promptly
8 notify the chairperson and ranking member of the
9 ethics committee that a complaint has been filed and
10 provide both the chairperson and the ranking member
11 with copies of the complaint and any supporting
12 information. Within two working days, the chief clerk
13 shall send notice, either by personal delivery or by
14 certified mail, return receipt requested, to the person
15 or persons alleged to have committed the violation,
16 along with a copy of the complaint and any supporting
17 information. The notice to the accused person shall
18 contain a request that the person submit a written
19 response to the complaint within ten working days of
20 the date that the notice was sent by the chief clerk.
21 At the request of the accused person, the committee may
22 extend the time for the response, not to exceed ten
23 additional calendar days.

24 f. Hearing regarding validity of complaint. The
25 committee chairperson and the ranking member shall

26 review the complaint and supporting information to
27 determine whether the complaint meets the requirements
28 as to form. If the complaint is deficient as to form,
29 the complaint shall be returned to the complainant
30 with instructions indicating the deficiency unless the

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1 committee decides to proceed on its own motion. If the
2 complaint is in writing and contains the appropriate
3 certification, as soon as practicable, the chairperson
4 shall call a meeting of the committee to review the
5 complaint to determine whether the complaint meets the
6 requirements for validity and whether the committee
7 should take action on the complaint pursuant to
8 paragraph "g" or whether the committee should request
9 that the chief justice of the supreme court appoint an
10 independent special counsel to conduct an investigation
11 to determine whether probable cause exists to believe
12 that a violation of the house code of ethics, house
13 rules governing lobbyists, or chapter 68B of the Code,
14 has occurred.

15 If the committee finds that a complaint does not
16 meet the content requirements for a valid complaint,
17 the committee shall dismiss the complaint and notify
18 both the complainant and the party alleged to have
19 committed the violation of the dismissal and the
20 reasons for dismissal. A dismissal for failure to meet
21 the formal requirements for the filing of a complaint
22 shall be without prejudice and the complainant may
23 refile the complaint at any time within three years of
24 the date that the alleged violation took place. If
25 the dismissal is based upon a failure to allege facts
26 and circumstances necessary for a valid complaint, the
27 dismissal shall be with prejudice and the party shall
28 not be permitted to file a complaint based upon the
29 same facts and circumstances.

30 g. If the committee determines a complaint is

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1 valid and determines no dispute exists between the
2 parties regarding the material facts that establish
3 a violation, the committee may take action on the
4 complaint under this paragraph without requesting the
5 appointment of an independent special counsel.
6 The committee may do any of the following:
7 (1) Issue an admonishment to advise against the
8 conduct that formed the basis for the complaint and to
9 exercise care in the future.
10 (2) Issue an order to cease and desist the conduct
11 that formed the basis for the complaint.

12 (3) Make a recommendation to the house that
13 the person subject to the complaint be censured or
14 reprimanded.
15 h. Request for appointment of independent special
16 counsel. If, after review of the complaint and any
17 response made by the party alleged to have committed
18 the violation, the committee determines that the
19 complaint meets the requirements for form and content
20 and the committee has not taken action under paragraph
21 "g", the committee shall request that the chief justice
22 of the supreme court appoint independent special
23 counsel to investigate the matter and determine whether
24 probable cause exists to believe that a violation of
25 chapter 68B of the Code, the house code of ethics, or
26 the house rules governing lobbyists has occurred.
27 i. Receipt of report of independent special
28 counsel. The report from the independent special
29 counsel regarding probable cause to proceed on a
30 complaint shall be filed with the chief clerk of the

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1 house. Upon receipt of the report of the independent
2 special counsel, the chief clerk shall notify the
3 chairperson of the filing of the report and shall send
4 copies of the report to the members of the ethics
5 committee. As soon as practicable after the filing of
6 the report, the chairperson shall schedule a public
7 meeting for review of the report. The purpose of
8 the public meeting shall be to determine whether the
9 complaint should be dismissed, whether a formal hearing
10 should be held on the complaint, or whether other
11 committee action is appropriate. The complainant and
12 the person alleged to have committed the violation
13 shall be given notice of the public meeting, shall have
14 the right to be present at the public meeting, and may,
15 at the discretion of the committee, present testimony
16 in support of or against the recommendations contained
17 in the report.
18 If the committee determines that the matter should
19 be dismissed, the committee shall cause an order to
20 be entered dismissing the matter and notice of the
21 dismissal shall be given to the complainant and the
22 party alleged to have committed the violation. If
23 the committee determines that the complaint should be
24 scheduled for formal hearing, the committee shall issue
25 a charging statement which contains the charges and
26 supporting facts that are to be set for formal hearing
27 and notice shall be sent to the complainant and the
28 accused person.
29 The notice shall include a statement of the nature
30 of the charge or charges, a statement of the time and

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1 place of hearing, a short and plain statement of the
2 facts asserted, and a statement of the rights of the
3 accused person at the hearing.
4 j. Formal hearing. Formal hearings shall be public
5 and conducted in the manner provided in section 68B.31,
6 subsection 8 of the Code. At a formal hearing the
7 accused shall have the right to be present and to
8 be heard in person and by counsel, to cross-examine
9 witnesses, and to present evidence. Members of
10 the committee shall also have the right to question
11 witnesses.
12 The committee may require, by subpoena or otherwise,
13 the attendance and testimony of witnesses and the
14 production of such books, records, correspondence,
15 memoranda, papers, documents, and any other things it
16 deems necessary to the conduct of the inquiry.
17 Evidence at the formal hearing shall be received
18 in accordance with rules and procedures applicable to
19 contested cases under chapter 17A of the Code.
20 The committee chairperson, or the vice chairperson
21 or ranking member in the absence of the chairperson,
22 shall preside at the formal hearing and shall rule on
23 the admissibility of any evidence received. The ruling
24 of the chairperson may be overturned by a majority
25 vote of the committee. Independent special counsel
26 shall present the evidence in support of the charge
27 or charges. The burden shall be on the independent
28 special counsel to prove the charge or charges by
29 a preponderance of clear and convincing evidence.
30 Upon completion of the formal hearing, the committee

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1 shall adopt written findings of fact and conclusions
2 concerning the merits of the charges and make its
3 report and recommendation to the house.
4 k. Disqualification of member. Members of the
5 committee may disqualify themselves from participating
6 in any investigation of the conduct of another person
7 upon submission of a written statement that the member
8 cannot render an impartial and unbiased decision
9 in a case. A member may also be disqualified by a
10 unanimous vote of the remaining eligible members of the
11 committee.
12 A member of the committee is ineligible to
13 participate in committee meetings, as a member of the
14 committee, in any proceeding relating to the member's
15 own official conduct.
16 If a member of the committee is disqualified or
17 ineligible to act, the majority or minority leader who

18 appointed the member shall appoint a replacement member
19 to serve as a member of the committee during the period
20 of disqualification or ineligibility.

21 ~~k. l.~~ Recommendations by the committee. The
22 committee shall recommend to the house that the
23 complaint be dismissed, or that one or more of the
24 following be imposed:

25 (1) That the member or employee of the house
26 or lobbyist or client of a lobbyist be censured or
27 reprimanded, and the recommended appropriate form of
28 censure or reprimand be used.

29 (2) That the member of the house be suspended or
30 expelled from membership in the house and required

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1 to forfeit the member's salary for that period, the
2 employee of the house be suspended or dismissed from
3 employment, or that the lobbyist's or lobbyist's
4 client's lobbying privileges be suspended.

5 13. COMMUNICATIONS WITH ETHICS COMMITTEE. After a
6 complaint has been filed or an investigation has been
7 initiated, a party to the complaint or investigation
8 shall not communicate, or cause another to communicate,
9 as to the merits of the complaint or investigation with
10 a member of the committee, except under the following
11 circumstances:

12 a. During the course of any meetings or other
13 official proceedings of the committee regarding the
14 complaint or investigation.

15 b. In writing, if a copy of the writing is
16 delivered to the adverse party or the designated
17 representative for the adverse party.

18 c. Orally, if adequate prior notice of the
19 communication is given to the adverse party or the
20 designated representative for the adverse party.

21 d. As otherwise authorized by statute, the house
22 code of ethics, house rules governing lobbyists, or
23 vote of the committee.

24 14. PERMANENT RECORD. The chief clerk of the house
25 shall maintain a permanent record of all complaints
26 filed and any corresponding committee action. The
27 permanent record shall be prepared by the ethics
28 committee and shall contain the date the complaint was
29 filed, name and address of the complainant, name and
30 address of the accused person, a brief statement of the

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1 charges made, any evidence received by the committee,
2 any transcripts or recordings of committee action, and
3 ultimate disposition of the complaint. The chief clerk

4 shall keep each complaint confidential until public
5 disclosure is made by the ethics committee.

6 15. MEETING AUTHORIZATION. The house ethics
7 committee is authorized to meet at the discretion of
8 the committee chairperson in order to conduct hearings
9 and other business that properly may come before it.
10 If the committee submits a report seeking house action
11 against a member or employee of the house or lobbyist
12 after the second regular session of a general assembly
13 has adjourned sine die, the report shall be submitted
14 to and considered by the subsequent general assembly.

15 16. ADVISORY OPINIONS.

16 a. Requests for formal opinions. A request for a
17 formal advisory opinion may be filed by any person who
18 is subject to the authority of the ethics committee.
19 The ethics committee may also issue a formal advisory
20 opinion on its own motion, without having previously
21 received a formal request for an opinion, on any issue
22 that is within the jurisdiction of the committee.
23 Requests shall be filed with either the chief clerk of
24 the house or the chairperson of the ethics committee.

25 b. Form and contents of requests. A request for
26 a formal advisory opinion shall be in writing and
27 may pertain to any subject matter that is related to
28 application of the house code of ethics, the house
29 rules governing lobbyists, or chapter 68B of the Code
30 to any person who is subject to the authority of

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1 the ethics committee. Requests shall contain one or
2 more specific questions and shall relate either to
3 future conduct or be stated in the hypothetical. A
4 request for an advisory opinion shall not specifically
5 name any individual or contain any other specific
6 identifying information, unless the request relates
7 to the requester's own conduct. However, any request
8 may contain information which identifies the kind of
9 individual who may be affected by the subject matter
10 of the request. Examples of this latter kind of
11 identifying information may include references to
12 conduct of a category of individuals, such as but not
13 limited to conduct of legislators, legislative staff,
14 or lobbyists.

15 c. Confidentiality of formal requests and opinions.
16 Requests for formal opinions are not confidential and
17 any deliberations of the committee regarding a request
18 for a formal opinion shall be public. Opinions issued
19 in response to requests for formal opinions are not
20 confidential, shall be in writing, and shall be placed
21 on file in the office of the chief clerk of the house.
22 Persons requesting formal opinions shall personally

23 receive a copy of the written formal opinion that is
 24 issued in response to the request.
 25 17. PERSONAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE FORM. The
 26 following form shall be used for disclosure of economic
 27 interests under these rules and section 68B.35 of the
 28 Code:
 29 STATEMENT OF ECONOMIC INTERESTS
 30 Name: _____

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1 (Last) (First) (Middle Initial)
 2 Address: _____
 3 (Street Address, Apt.#/P.O. Box)
 4 _____
 5 (City)(State)(Zip)
 6 Phone:(Home)_____/_____-_____(Business)_____/_____-_____
 7 *****
 8 This form is due each year on or before February 15.
 9 The reporting period is the most recently completed
 10 calendar year.
 11 In completing Division III of this form, if your
 12 percentage of ownership of an asset is less than 100
 13 percent, multiply your percentage of ownership by the
 14 total revenue produced to determine if you have reached
 15 the \$1,000 threshold.
 16 Do not report income received by your spouse or
 17 other family members.
 18 In completing this form, if insufficient space is
 19 provided for your answer, you may attach additional
 20 information/answers on full-size sheets of paper.
 21 Division I. Business, Occupation, Profession.
 22 List each business, occupation, or profession in
 23 which you are engaged, the nature of the business if
 24 not evident, and your position or job title. No income
 25 threshold or time requirement applies.
 26 Examples:
 27 If you are employed by an individual, state the name
 28 of the individual employer, the nature of the business,
 29 and your position.
 30 If you are self-employed and are not incorporated

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1 or are not doing business under a particular business
 2 name, state that you are self-employed, the nature of
 3 the business, and your position.
 4 If you own your own corporation, are employed by a
 5 corporation, or are doing business under a particular
 6 business name, state the name and nature of the
 7 business or corporation and your position.
 8 1 _____

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- 10 3 _____
- 11 4 _____
- 12 5 _____
- 13 6 _____

14 Division II. Commissions from Sales of Goods or
 15 Services to Political Subdivisions.

16 This part is to be completed only by Legislators.
 17 If you received income in the form of a commission
 18 from the sale of goods or services to a political
 19 subdivision, state the name of the purchasing political
 20 subdivision. The amount of commission earned is not
 21 required to be listed.

- 22 1 _____
- 23 2 _____
- 24 3 _____
- 25 4 _____
- 26 5 _____
- 27 6 _____

28 Division III. Sources of Gross Income.

29 In each one of the following categories list each
 30 source which produces more than \$1,000 in annual gross

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1 income, if the revenue produced by the source was
 2 subject to federal or state income taxes last year.
 3 List the nature or type of each company, business,
 4 financial institution, corporation, partnership, or
 5 other entity which produces more than \$1,000 of annual
 6 gross income. Neither the amount of income produced
 7 nor value of the holding is required to be listed in
 8 any of the items.

9 A. Securities: State the nature of the business of
 10 any company in which you hold stock, bonds, or other
 11 pecuniary interests that generate more than \$1,000 in
 12 annual gross income. Income generated by multiple
 13 holdings in a single company are deemed received from
 14 a single source.

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21 B. Instruments of Financial Institutions: State
 22 the types of institutions in which you hold financial
 23 instruments, such as certificates of deposit, savings
 24 accounts, etc., that produce annual gross income in
 25 excess of \$1,000, e.g., banks, savings and loans, or
 26 credit unions.

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 3 C. Trusts: State the nature or type of any trust
 4 from which you receive more than \$1,000 of gross income
 5 annually.
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12 D. Real Estate: State the general nature of real
 13 estate interests that generate more than \$1,000 of
 14 gross income annually, e.g., residential leasehold
 15 interest or farm leasehold interest. The size or
 16 location of the property interest is not required to
 17 be listed.
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24 E. Retirement Systems: State the name of each
 25 pension plan or other corporation or company that pays
 26 you more than \$1,000 annually in retirement benefits.
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 3 F. Other Income Categories Specified in State and
 4 Federal Income Tax Regulations.
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11 (Signature of Filer) _____ (Date) _____

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

On motion by Upmeyer of Hancock, the House was recessed at 8:50 a.m., until 4:00 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 4:01 p.m., Kaufmann of Cedar in the chair.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[House Joint Resolution 10](#), by Moore, Wolfe, Kelley, Klein, Jorgensen, Hager, Pearson, Paustian, S. Olson, Hein, Vander Linden, and Kaufmann, house joint resolution a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa relating to term limits for members of the general assembly.

Read first time and referred to committee on **state government**.

[House File 190](#), by committee on judiciary, a bill for an act relating to the appointment of a district associate judge.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 191](#), by Hunter, a bill for an act relating to due process requirements associated with child abuse assessments performed by the department of human services and providing penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **human resources**.

[House File 192](#), by Windschitl and Alons, a bill for an act relating to the protocol for a medical abortion, and providing penalties.

Read first time and referred to committee on **human resources**.

[House File 193](#), by Kaufmann, Swaim, Thomas, Arnold, Tjepkes, and Hanson, a bill for an act relating to the protection and care of pioneer cemeteries.

Read first time and referred to committee on **state government**.

[House File 194](#), by committee on ways and means, a bill for an act providing for a reduction in the individual income tax rates and including effective date and applicability provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 195](#), by committee on veterans affairs, a bill for an act relating to assignment of visitation or joint physical care parenting time for children of military service members on active duty and including effective date provisions.

Read first time and placed on the **calendar**.

[House File 196](#), by Willems, Isenhardt, Gaskill, Hunter, T. Taylor, Murphy, Kearns, and Kajtazovic, a bill for an act relating to employee leave by providing for time off and vacation leave, and including effective date and applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **labor**.

[House File 197](#), by Horbach, a bill for an act abolishing construction contractor registration fees collected by the department of workforce development.

Read first time and referred to committee on **labor**.

[House File 198](#), by Wessel-Kroeschell, a bill for an act relating to eligibility for the preparation for adult living program administered by the department of human services.

Read first time and referred to committee on **human resources**.

[House File 199](#), by Wessel-Kroeschell and Gaskill, a bill for an act establishing a parole procedure for certain class "A" felons.

Read first time and referred to committee on **judiciary**.

[House File 200](#), by Wolfe, a bill for an act relating to expunging criminal records upon acquittal or dismissal.

Read first time and referred to committee on **judiciary**.

[House File 201](#), by Mascher, a bill for an act increasing punitive damages that may be awarded for wrongful retention of certain rental deposits.

Read first time and referred to committee on **judiciary**.

[House File 202](#), by Isenhardt, Hanson, and Murphy, a bill for an act relating to the property tax exemption for property owned by certain municipalities and the Iowa national guard and including applicability provisions.

Read first time and referred to committee on **ways and means**.

SENATE MESSAGE CONSIDERED

[Senate File 7](#), by Johnson, a bill for an act providing for a .08 blood alcohol limit for motorboat or sailboat operating while intoxicated offenses.

Read first time and referred to committee on **natural resources**.

REPORT OF ADMINISTRATION AND RULES COMMITTEE

The Administration and Rules Committee on February 2, 2011, reviewed and approved the employees of the House hired in the interim and have reported the same.

W. Charles Smithson - Chief Clerk
Meghan J. Van Wyk - Assistant Chief Clerk II
Jeffrey G. Mitchell - Senior Caucus Staff Director
Joseph P. Romano - Senior Caucus Staff Director
Mary C. Braun - Senior Deputy Caucus Staff Director
Lon W. Anderson - Senior Deputy Caucus Staff Director
Andrea N. Jansa - Administrative Assistant to Minority Leader
Noreen F. Otto - Administrative Assistant II to Speaker
Josie L. Albrecht - Administrative Assistant II to Speaker
Matthew E. Hinch - Administrative Assistant II to Speaker
Anthony D. Phillips - Administrative Assistant II to Majority Leader
Brian J. Meyer - Senior Administrative Assistant to Minority Leader
Jason M. Chapman - Legislative Research Analyst
Amanda J. Freel - Legislative Research Analyst
Kristi L. Kielhorn - Legislative Research Analyst
Louis A. Vander Streek - Legislative Research Analyst
Dustin W. Blythe - Legislative Research Analyst II
Lewis E. Olson - Senior Legislative Research Analyst
Bradley A. Trow - Senior Legislative Research Analyst
Jill M. Jennings - Caucus Secretary

Rachelle D. Thomas - Legislative Research Analyst
William T.D. Freeland - Legislative Research Analyst I
Ezekiel L. Furlong - Legislative Research Analyst II
David L. Epley - Legislative Research Analyst III
Anna M. Hyatt-Crozier - Senior Legislative Research Analyst
D. Dean Fiihr, Jr. - Senior Legislative Research Analyst
Joseph M. Gilde - Senior Caucus Secretary
Terri P. Steinke - Confidential Secretary to Speaker and Majority Leader
Sarah E. Vanderploeg - Supervisor of Secretaries I
Susan K. Jennings - Senior Administrative Services Officer
Doreen R. Terrell - Administrative Services Officer III
Kristin L. Wentz - Administrative Services Officer III
Michelle K. Bauer - Administrative Services Officer
Robin L. Bennett - Administrative Services Officer
Katherine G. Kenline - Administrative Services Officer
Kelly M. Bronsink - Senior Finance Officer III
Debra K. Rex - Senior Finance Officer III
Diane K. Burget - Recording Clerk II
Pauline E. Kephart - Engrossing & Enrolling Processor
Jane E. Phalen - Switchboard Operator
Kelly M. Schall - Switchboard Operator
Joan Acela - Legislative Secretary
Mary Ann Ahrens - Legislative Secretary
Clarice E. Alons - Legislative Secretary
Cheryl K. Arnold - Legislative Secretary
Jeffrey Badker - Legislative Secretary
Emma Barden - Legislative Secretary
Adrienne H. Branstad - Legislative Secretary
Ryan Bratvold - Legislative Secretary
Jenna Brownell - Legislative Secretary
Beverly A. Burns - Legislative Secretary
Collin Byrnes - Legislative Secretary
Jason Covey - Legislative Secretary
Jesse Dick - Legislative Secretary
Bruce Droessler - Legislative Secretary
M. Kathy Ellett - Legislative Secretary
Pat Ferin - Legislative Secretary
Jennifer Fisher - Legislative Secretary
Carolyn McNeill Gaukel - Legislative Secretary
Tara Gent - Legislative Secretary
Aaron Gingerich - Legislative Secretary
Reginald Hawkins - Legislative Secretary
Claire M. Haws - Legislative Secretary
Celma Higgins - Legislative Secretary
Susan Hoing - Legislative Secretary
Vicki L. Iverson - Legislative Secretary
Jase H. Jensen - Legislative Secretary
Charlie Johnson - Legislative Secretary
Catherine S. Jury - Legislative Secretary
Robert F. Kaufmann - Legislative Secretary
Diane Kearns - Legislative Secretary
Adam Kenworthy - Legislative Secretary

Caleb Knutson - Legislative Secretary
Felix Knutson - Legislative Secretary
Kevin Kuhle - Legislative Secretary
Carol J. Lamb - Legislative Secretary
DeShana Langford - Legislative Secretary
Karen A. Lischer - Legislative Secretary
Emily Lofgren - Legislative Secretary
Kelsey Lovell - Legislative Secretary
Carole I. Martin - Legislative Secretary
Nicole Moriniere - Legislative Secretary
Pam Massie - Legislative Secretary
Katie McKnight - Legislative Secretary
Susan G. Meimann - Legislative Secretary
Brooke N. Miller - Legislative Secretary
Charlotte M. Mosher - Legislative Secretary
Falecia Mtayari - Legislative Secretary
Patty Muhlbauer - Legislative Secretary
Kelsey Nead - Legislative Secretary
Neil Nelsen - Legislative Secretary
Shannon Newman - Legislative Secretary
Brenda R. Olson - Legislative Secretary
Sara B. Otrok - Legislative Secretary
Lauren EJ Page - Legislative Secretary
Matthew Peirce - Legislative Secretary
Jeff Perry - Legislative Secretary
Nicole Persson - Legislative Secretary
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 Alina Waggoner - Legislative Committee Secretary
 Joyce A. Hendrix - Bill Clerk
 Joan E. Skeffington - Assistant Bill Clerk
 William C. Walling - Postmaster
 Maynard L. Boatwright - Sergeant-at-Arms I
 Harold L. Harker - Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms
 Jack R. Hall - Chief Doorkeeper
 Robert B. Yeager - Chief Doorkeeper
 Darrell E. Brown - Doorkeeper
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MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to [Senate Concurrent Resolution 2](#), your committee on administration and rules submits the following to be employed in the indicated positions, and at the indicated classification, grades and steps, and the changes in the classification of the indicated officers and employees to be effective on the date indicated.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade- And Step</u>	<u>Class of Appoint- ment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Admin. Services Officer II	Susan K. Jennings	29-7	P-FT	05-10-10
Asst. Editor	Robin L. Bennett	19-3 to	E-FT	07-23-10
Editor I		22-3	P-FT	
Sr. Caucus Secretary	Jason M. Chapman	24-6 to	P-FT	10-01-10
Legis. Research Analyst		27-6		
Caucus Secretary	Jill M. Jennings	21-3	P-FT	11-04-10
Admin. Asst. II	Josie L. Albrecht	32-3 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		32-5		
Sr. Legis. Research Analyst	Lon W. Anderson	38-7 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Sr. Deputy Caucus Staff Director		39-7		
Text Processor I	Michelle K. Bauer	19-4 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Services Officer		23-2		
Editor I	Robin L. Bennett	22-3 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Services Officer		23-3		
Sr. Finance Officer II	Kelly M. Bronsink	35-4 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Sr. Finance Officer III		38-4		
Recording Clerk I	Diane K. Burget	21-4 to	E-FT	11-26-10
Recording Clerk II		24-3		
Legis. Research Analyst	Jason M. Chapman	27-6 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		27-7		
Legis. Research Analyst II	David L. Epley	32-6 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Legis. Analyst III		35-5		
Sr. Admin. Asst.	D. Dean Fiihr, Jr.	38-3 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Sr. Legis. Research Analyst		38-5		
Legis. Research Analyst	William T.D. Freeland	27-6 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Legis. Research Analyst I		29-6		
Legis. Research Analyst I	Ezekiel L. Furlong	29-6 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Legis. Research Analyst II		32-5		
Caucus Secretary	Joseph M. Gilde	21-6	P-FT	11-26-10
Sr. Caucus Secretary		24-5		
Legis. Research Analyst	Matthew E. Hinch	27-5 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Asst. II		32-7		
Sr. Legis. Research Analyst	Anna M. Hyatt-Crozier	38-4 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		38-6		
Admin. Services Officer II	Susan K. Jennings	29-7 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Sr. Admin. Services Officer		35-2		
Indexing Asst.	Katherine G. Kenline	19-4 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Services Officer		23-2		
Legis. Research Analyst	Kristi L. Kielhorn	27-3 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		27-5		
Admin. Asst. I	Noreen F. Otto	29-6 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Asst. II		32-7		
Legis. Research Analyst	Anthony D. Phillips	27-2 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Asst. II		32-7		
Supervisor of Secretaries I	Mary M. Sanders	24-3 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Supervisor of Secretaries II		27-4		
Asst. Chief Clerk III	David F. Schrader	38-4 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		38-7		

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Asst. Legal Counsel I	Doreen R. Terrell	30-7 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Services Officer III		32-6		
Legis. Research Analyst	Rachelle D. Thomas	27-3 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		27-5		
Sr. Legis. Research Analyst	Bradley A. Trow	38-5 to	P-FT	11-26-10
		38-7		
Sr. Indexer	Kristin L. Wentz	28-7 to	P-FT	11-26-10
Admin. Services Officer III		32-5		
Chief Clerk	W. Charles Smithson	44-6	P-FT	12-01-10
Legis. Research Analyst	Amanda J. Freel	27-3	P-FT	12-13-10
Legis. Research Analyst	Louis A. Vander Streek	27-2	P-FT	12-13-10
Asst. Chief Clerk II	Meghan J. Van Wyk	35-1	P-FT	12-21-10
Legis. Research Analyst II	Dustin W. Blythe	32-4	P-FT	12-29-10
Supervisor of Secretaries I	Sarah E. Vanderploeg	24-1	P-FT	12-29-10
Confidential Secretary	Terri P. Steinke	27-1	P-FT	01-03-11
Doorkeeper	Harold L. Harker	11-2 to	S-O	01-07-11
Asst. Sergeant-at-Arms		14-2		
Doorkeeper	Jack R. Hall	11-2 to	S-O	01-07-11
Chief Doorkeeper		12-2		
Admin. Asst.	Andrea N. Jansa	27-3 to	P-FT	01-07-11
		27-5		
Doorkeeper	James F. Mason	11-1	S-O	01-07-11
Admin. Asst. III	Brian J. Meyer	35-4 to	P-FT	01-07-11
Sr. Admin. Asst.		38-3		
Doorkeeper	Joshua L. Wederquist	11-1	S-O	01-07-11
Switchboard Operator	Kelly M. Schall	14-1	S-O	01-07-11
Legis. Secretary	Joan Acela	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Mary Ann Ahrens	17-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		17-1		
Legis. Secretary	Clarice E. Alons	16-3 to	S-O	01-10-11
		15-3		
Legis. Secretary	Pamela D. Anderson	16-2 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-2		
Legis. Secretary	Jeffrey Badker	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Emma Barden	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Sara B. Birkenholz	17-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Sara B. Otrok	16-1		
Legis. Secretary	Ryan Bratvold	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jenna Brownell	17-2	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Jessica Bruning	18-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Collin Byrnes	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Coy Clark	18-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jason Covey	15-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
		17-1		
Legis. Secretary	Mary Cownie	16-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-1		
Legis. Secretary	Zach Dalluge	15-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-1		

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Legis. Secretary	Jesse Dick	17-1 to 16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Shirley J. Drake	16-6 to 17-6	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Bruce Droessler	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	M. Kathy Ellett	17-2 to 16-2	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jennifer Erstad	16-1 to 17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Kelley A. Fifer	16-3 to 17-3	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Jennifer Fisher	18-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Drew Flickinger	18-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Carol J. Forristall	16-1 to 17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Sr. Admin. Asst. to Speaker II	Carolyn McNeill Gaukel	41-7 to 15-7+2	P-FT to S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Tara Gent	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Aaron Gingerich	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Claire M. Haws	17-1 to 16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Celma Higgins	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Susan Hoing	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jane M. Hughes	16-2 to 17-2	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Vicki L. Iverson	15-3	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jase H. Jensen	15-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Charlie Johnson	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	John Johnson	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Catherine S. Jury	17-7 to 15-7	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary				
Legis. Committee Secretary	Sam Kavalier	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Diane Kearns	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Adam Kenworthy	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Andrew R. Klein	15-1 to 17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Felix Knutson	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Kevin Kuhle	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Carol J. Lamb	17-2 to 16-2	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	DeShana Langford	15-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Karen A. Lischer	17-1 to 17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Emily Lofgren	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Vicki Loomer-Hokel	16-1 to 17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary				
Legis. Secretary	Kelsey Lovell	15-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	John R. Lund	16-2 to	S-O	01-10-11

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Legis. Committee Secretary		17-2		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Carole I. Martin	17-2 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-2		
Legis. Secretary	Pam Massie	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Charity McCauley	17-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-1		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Katie McKnight	17-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-1		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Susan G. Meimann	17-3 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-3		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Brooke N. Miller	17-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-1		
Legis. Secretary	Catherine J. Miller-Sands	16-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-1		
Legis. Secretary	Nicole Moriniere	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Falecia Mtayari	15-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Patty Muhlbauer	15-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Melba K. Murken	15-4 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-4		
Legis. Secretary	Kelsey Nead	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Neil Nelsen	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Shannon Newman	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Brenda R. Olson	17-2 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		15-2		
Legis. Secretary	Jean P. Olson	16-4 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-4		
Legis. Secretary	Lauren EJ Page	15-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
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Legis. Secretary	Matthew Peirce	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jeff Perry	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Nicole Persson	15-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Jenica Quandt	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Martha S. Raecker	16-3 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		18-3		
Supervisor of Secretaries II	Mary M. Sanders	27-4 to	P-FT to	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-7	S-O	
Legis. Secretary	Diana Shaw	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Andrew J. Soderberg	16-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-1		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Ray Sorensen	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Kent Sorenson	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Benjamin Sparks	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Kim Taylor	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Rosemary G. Thomas	17-3 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-3		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Phyllis Toy	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Phillip Valenziano	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary	Patricia J. Van Cleave	17-1 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary		16-1		

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Legis. Secretary	Darlene A. Van Oort	15-4 to	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Committee Secretary		17-4		
Legis. Secretary	Ruth A. Vander Linden	16-2 to	S-O	01-10-11
		15-2		
Legis. Committee Secretary	Alina Waggoner	17-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Sarah West	16-1	S-O	01-10-11
Legis. Secretary	Linda Yanney	16-1	S-O	01-10-11

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The following are resignations from the officers and employees of the House:

Sr. Editor	Gayle A. Goble	04-12-10
Editor II	Vicki L. Jones	06-24-10
Sr. LRA	Paulee Lipsman	06-24-10
Sr. LRA	Jenifer L. Parsons	06-24-10
Executive Secretary to Chief Clerk	Janet R. Ramsay	06-24-10
Sr. LRA	Ann M. McCarthy	11-10-10
Chief Clerk	Mark W. Brandsgard	12-30-10
Sr. Admin. Asst. to Speaker II	Edward J. Conlow	12-30-10
Asst. Chief Clerk III	David F. Schrader	12-30-10
Sr. LRA	Thomas R. Patterson	01-07-11

Pursuant to [Senate Concurrent Resolution 2](#), duly adopted, the following is a list of changes for officers and employees of the Joint Senate/House:

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade- And Step</u>	<u>Class of Appoint- ment</u>	<u>Effective Date</u>
Conservation/Restoration Specialist II	Zachary L. Bunkers	31-1	P-FT	06-01-10
Legis. Security Officer I	Barbara A. Malone	20-1	P-FT	07-23-10
Legis. Security Officer I	Gabriel S. Wilson	20-1	P-FT	01-03-11

The following are resignations from the officers and employees of the Joint Senate/House:

Legis. Security Officer I	Marshall T. Irwin			06-24-10
Conservation/Restoration Specialist II	Richard J. Labertew			06-24-10
Legis. Security Officer I	Steven D. Marsh			06-24-10
Legis. Security Officer I	Judith A. Salier			06-24-10

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED

The following communication was received and filed in the office of the Chief Clerk:

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

Dependent Health Care Coverage in Iowa Report, pursuant to [House File 2539](#), 2008 Iowa Acts.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House File 160](#)

Education: Pearson, Chair; Byrnes and Hanson.

[House File 163](#)

Economic Growth/Rebuild Iowa: Schultz, Chair; Soderberg and Steckman.

[House File 169](#)

Local Government: Klein, Chair; Horbach and Thede.

[House File 170](#)

Labor: Jorgensen, Chair; Brandenburg and Kearns.

[House File 171](#)

Labor: Horbach, Chair; Hanusa and Running-Marquardt.

[House File 172](#)

Natural Resources: Lukan, Chair; Hager and Lykam.

[House File 176](#)

Economic Growth/Rebuild Iowa: Baltimore, Chair; Anderson and Heddens.

[House File 179](#)

Education: L. Miller, Chair; Chambers and Kelley.

[House File 180](#)

Economic Growth/Rebuild Iowa: Anderson, Chair; Hager and Jacoby.

[House File 181](#)

Economic Growth/Rebuild Iowa: Grassley, Chair; Byrnes and Wittneben.

[House File 188](#)

Human Resources: Schulte, Chair; Brandenburg and Mascher.

HOUSE STUDY BILL SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House Study Bill 50](#) Reassigned

Judiciary: Anderson, Chair; Heaton and Lensing.

[House Study Bill 54](#)

Human Resources: Koester, Chair; Massie and M. Smith.

[House Study Bill 55](#)

Human Resources: Koester, Chair; Massie and M. Smith.

[House Study Bill 56](#)

Commerce: Baltimore, Chair; Quirk and Soderberg.

[House Study Bill 57](#)

Commerce: Pettengill, Chair; Kajtazovic and Shaw.

[House Study Bill 58](#)

Local Government: Baltimore, Chair; Gaskill and Wagner.

[House Study Bill 59](#)

Local Government: J. Smith, Chair; Iverson and Kressig.

[House Study Bill 61](#)

Commerce: Watts, Chair; Brandenburg and Muhlbauer.

[House Study Bill 62](#)

Human Resources: Fry, Chair; Brandenburg and Wessel-Kroeschell.

[House Study Bill 63](#)

Judiciary: Hagenow, Chair; R. Olson and Pearson.

[House Study Bill 64](#)

Judiciary: Baltimore, Chair; Heaton and Wolfe.

[House Study Bill 65](#)

Judiciary: Rogers, Chair; Lensing and Massie.

[House Study Bill 66](#)

Judiciary: Rogers, Chair; Gaines and Massie.

HOUSE STUDY BILL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[H.S.B. 67](#) **Public Safety**

Requiring an arrested person to submit a DNA sample if the arrest is for a felony and providing for the reimbursement of costs.

[H.S.B. 68](#) **Public Safety**

Authorizing the modification of the designation of a state patrol officer.

[H.S.B. 69](#) **Public Safety**

Modifying the criminal offense of interference with official acts.

H.S.B. 70 Public Safety

Relating to the criminal offense of intimidation with a dangerous weapon or motor vehicle, and providing penalties.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

MR. SPEAKER: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that the following committee recommendations have been received and are on file in the office of the Chief Clerk.

W. CHARLES SMITHSON
Chief Clerk of the House

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 77](#)), relating to school district dress code policies and including effective date provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 2, 2011.

COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 12](#)), to prohibit political telephone calls during the nighttime hours and making penalties applicable.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 3, 2011.

On motion by Upmeyer of Hancock the House adjourned at 4:11 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., Friday, February 4, 2011.