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One Hundred-eighth Calendar Day - Seventy-fifth Session Day

Hall of the House of Representatives
Des Moines, Iowa, Wednesday, April 27, 2011

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8:34 a.m., Speaker Paulsen in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Schulte of Linn County.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Brendan Grant, Page from Dunlap.

The Journal of Tuesday, April 26, 2011 was approved.

On motion by Wagner of Linn, the House was recessed at 8:37 a.m., until 4:00 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The House reconvened at 5:06 p.m., Speaker Paulsen in the chair.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[House File 690](#), by committee on ways and means, a bill for an act relating to urban revitalization areas by authorizing a property tax exemption for certain vacant commercial property, and including effective date provisions.

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

[House File 691](#), by committee on ways and means, a bill for an act relating to state and local government finances by increasing the regular program foundation base, establishing property tax levy limits for cities and counties, establishing certain property assessment limitations, and including applicability provisions.

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

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following message was received from the Senate:

Mr. Speaker: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the Senate has on April 27, 2011, amended the House amendment, concurred in the House amendment as amended, and passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

[Senate File 313](#), a bill for an act relating to medical assistance program-related provisions.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL, Secretary

BILLS SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

A communication was received from the Governor announcing that on April 27, 2011, he approved and transmitted to the Secretary of State the following bills:

[House File 254](#), an Act modifying provisions relating to utilization of the Iowa communications network.

[House File 654](#), an Act related to drainage or levee districts, including moneys administered by the board of trustees of a drainage or levee district.

[Senate File 418](#), an Act relating to disclosure of specified information in connection with new motor vehicle repairs.

[Senate File 424](#), an Act establishing a district-to-community college program and facilities sharing pilot program.

[Senate File 515](#), an Act relating to the administration of the streamlined sales tax agreement by the Department of Revenue.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[Senate File 520](#)

Ways and Means: Helland, Chair; Isenhart and Sands.

[Senate File 522](#)

Ways and Means: Sands, Chair; Helland, Jacoby, Kaufmann and Kearns.

[Senate File 530](#)

Ways and Means: Helland, Chair; Quirk and Sands.

HOUSE STUDY BILL SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

[House Study Bill 240](#)

Ways and Means: Sands, Chair; Helland, Jacoby, Kaufmann and Kearns.

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 STATE GOVERNMENT

[Senate File 526](#), a bill for an act relating to certain forms of gambling, including horse racing, pari-mutuel wagering, and gambling games, and requiring a study of intrastate internet poker, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** April 27, 2011.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 240](#)), relating to state and local government finances by increasing the regular program foundation base, establishing property tax levy limits for cities and counties, establishing certain property assessment limitations, and including applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** April 27, 2011.

RESOLUTION FILED

[H.R. 53](#), by Hall, Wolfe, Hunter, T. Taylor, Mascher, Kearns, Cohoon, Isenhardt, M. Smith, Lensing, Kelley, T. Olson, Steckman, Berry, Lukan, Hanson, Kressig, Heddens, H. Miller, Thede, McCarthy, Abdul-Samad, Lykam, Winckler, Gaines, Gaskill, Murphy, Wenthe, Oldson, Muhlbauer, Petersen, Jacoby, Wittneben, Swaim, Quirk, R. Olson, Willems, Thomas, Heaton, Forristall, Drake, L. Miller, Rayhons, Watts, Tjepkes, Deyoe, De Boef, Anderson, Helland,

Upmeyer, Wagner, and Koester, a resolution recognizing the University of Iowa Writers' Workshop and its 75th anniversary.

Laid over under **Rule 25**.

On motion by Upmeyer of Hancock the House adjourned at 5:07 p.m., until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, April 28, 2011.