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## JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

Forty-fifth Calendar Day - Thirty-first Session Day

Hall of the House of Representatives  
Des Moines, Iowa, Wednesday, February 22, 2012

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 8:31 a.m., Speaker Paulsen in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Reverend Matthew Rueger, St. John Missouri Synod Lutheran Church, Hubbard. He was the guest of Representative Sweeney of Hardin County.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Lane Christophersen, Chief Clerk's Page from Mapleton.

The Journal of Tuesday, February 21, 2012, was approved.

### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted during voting as follows:

Raecker of Polk

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[House File 2353](#), by T. Taylor, a bill for an act relating to requirements for drivers of vehicles at railroad grade crossings upon the approach or presence of railroad track equipment, and making a penalty applicable.

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

[House File 2354](#), by committee on economic growth/rebuild Iowa, a bill for an act relating to economic development by making technical and policy changes related to environmental response projects and to certain programs administered by the economic development authority and including retroactive applicability provisions.

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

ADOPTION OF [HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 105](#)

Upmeyer of Hancock called up for consideration [House Concurrent Resolution 105](#), a concurrent resolution urging the President of the United States and the United States Congress to protect the Rock Island Arsenal from future budget reductions, and moved its adoption.

The motion prevailed and the resolution was adopted.

IMMEDIATE MESSAGE

Upmeyer of Hancock asked and received unanimous consent that [House Concurrent Resolution 105](#) be immediately messaged to the Senate.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House File 2303](#)

Commerce: Windschitl, Chair; Kajtazovic and Watts.

[House File 2324](#)

Education: Chambers, Chair; Jorgensen and Steckman.

HOUSE STUDY BILL SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House Study Bill 652](#)

Economic Growth/Rebuild Iowa: Schultz, Chair; Lukan and Thomas.

[House Study Bill 653](#)

Judiciary: Anderson, Chair; Baltimore and Lensing.

[House Study Bill 654](#)

Transportation: Iverson, Chair; Lykam and Worthan.

[House Study Bill 655](#)

State Government: Iverson, Chair; Kajtazovic and Vander Linden.

[House Study Bill 656](#)

State Government: Iverson, Chair; Helland and Isenhardt.

[House Study Bill 657](#)  
(Committee of the Whole)

Local Government: Wagner, Chair; Arnold, Baltimore, Berry, Gaines, Gaskill, Hager, Helland, Horbach, Kajtazovic, Kearns, Klein, Kressig, Pearson, Rayhons, Running-Marquardt, J. Smith, Thede, Tjepkes, Van Engelenhoven and Wittneben.

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 COMMERCE

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2105](#)), requiring the commissioner of insurance to develop a uniform application for use by individuals applying for new health insurance coverage under individual policies or contracts of accident and health insurance.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 533](#)), relating to third-party payment of services provided by a doctor of chiropractic.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 592](#)), regulating the sale of portable electronics insurance, including by requiring licensure, and providing for fees and penalties.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 599](#)), relating to eligibility for the renewable energy tax credit.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

## COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 517](#)), relating to programs and activities under the purview of the department of education, the state board of education, the board of educational examiners, school districts, and accredited nonpublic schools; and providing for the retention of certain fees and for the use of certain funds.

Fiscal Note is required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 20, 2012.

## COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 551](#)), relating to sex offender notification, providing penalties, and including effective date provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 622](#)), relating to department of public health programs and activities, and including effective and applicability date provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House File 2065](#)), relating to maximizing hospital-specific disproportionate share hospital payments.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

## COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

[House File 2006](#), a bill for an act relating to the membership of county and city conference boards.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** February 21, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 632](#)), to legalize the proceedings of the City Council of Ankeny, Iowa, including all legal notices given, in connection with the making of a contract for the construction of certain improvements to the NE 7th Street Sanitary Sewer Improvement Project with Pirc-Tobin Construction, Inc. of Alburnett, Iowa, in connection with, and to legalize said contract, and authorize its performance by said Council and the financing including project notes issued thereof.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 657](#)), to legalize and validate the proceedings preliminary to and in connection with a special election held to authorize the imposition of a local option sales and services tax within the City of Adel, Iowa under Iowa Code Chapter 423B, declaring the validity of said proceedings and the legality of the local option sales and services tax authorized by the special election, and providing an effective date and for retroactive applicability.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 651](#)), relating to certain records relating to competitive information of rural water districts, city utilities, and city enterprises.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

**Committee Bill** (Formerly [House Study Bill 569](#)), relating to annual meeting requirements for rural water districts.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** February 22, 2012.

#### RESOLUTION FILED

[H.R. 120](#), by L. Miller, a resolution recognizing November 2012 as COPD Awareness Month.

Laid over under **Rule 25**.

On motion by Upmeyer of Hancock the House adjourned at 8:41 a.m., until 8:30 a.m., Thursday, February 23, 2012.