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# JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

## EXTRAORDINARY SESSION

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FIRST CALENDAR DAY  
FIRST SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Tuesday, September 7, 2004

Pursuant to the proclamation of the Governor, the Honorable Thomas J. Vilsack, convening the Eightieth General Assembly in Extraordinary Session, the Senate was called to order at 10:17 a.m. by the Honorable Jeff Lamberti, President of the Senate.

Prayer was offered by the Honorable Ken Veenstra, member of the Senate from Sioux County, Orange City, Iowa.

### LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Leaves of absence were granted as follows:

Senator Larson, excused for the 2004 Extraordinary Session because he is serving in the military in Iraq, on request of Senator Iverson; and Senator Connolly, for the day, on request of Senator Gronstal.

### COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR

The following communication from the Governor was presented:

August 31, 2004

The Honorable Jeff Lamberti  
President of the Senate  
State Capitol  
LOCAL

The Honorable Christopher Rants  
Speaker of the House  
State Capitol  
LOCAL

Dear Legislative Leaders:

The Iowa Supreme Court filed a decision on a case nullifying the Iowa Values Fund on June 16, 2004. The last few weeks have created a sense of uncertainty about the future of the fund and the existing obligations as we have worked to reach a compromise. It is essential that we continue the success of this economic growth effort and bring quick resolution to this issue. As a result, I am outlining for you today my list of items that I am willing to sign into law. I expect a single-day special session with no other bills or topics.

In an effort to avoid further litigation, I respectfully suggest the following be drafted to comply with the Iowa State Constitution:

1. Reinstate banking provisions (Division XVII in [HF 692](#)).
2. Reinstate supersedeas bond (as approved in section 115, in [HF 692](#) and [SF 2306](#)).
3. Eliminate unemployment insurance surcharge and credit the surcharge paid in 2004 back to employers. Provide general fund appropriation to fund Workforce Development field offices through December 2006.
4. Appropriate resources from federal stimulus grant in the amount of \$100 million to fund Iowa Values as outlined in [HF 692](#).
5. Allow corporations to couple with the federal accelerated depreciation schedule in the federal stimulus packages; the 50 percent depreciation and the Section 179 expensing deduction change, and increase from \$25,000 to \$100,000, the amount that can be deducted.
6. I am willing to accept the full recommendation made by Workers' Compensation Commissioner, Mike Trier, in his communication to leaders August 24, 2004.

Now is the time to move forward in aggressively pursuing economic opportunities for all Iowans. Iowans have an expectation that state policy leaders will work together for the good of every citizen. Together, through our determined efforts, we have shown to our citizens that it is possible for compromise and consensus to prevail, even in an election year.

I hereby submit the Proclamation setting the Extraordinary Session of the Iowa Legislature to convene at 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, September 7, 2004.

Sincerely,  
THOMAS J. VILSACK  
Governor

**STATE OF IOWA**  
***Executive Department***

In The Name And By The Authority Of The State Of Iowa

**P R O C L A M A T I O N**

**Whereas**, the 2004 Regular Session of the Eightieth General Assembly adjourned pursuant to [Senate Concurrent Resolution 118](#), and

**Whereas**, the Iowa Supreme Court filed a decision on a case nullifying the Iowa Values Fund on June 16, 2004, and

**Whereas**, Iowa has entered a new era of economic and social competition from around the globe. With our action on the legislation of this Extraordinary Session, Iowa will strengthen its standing in the marketplace as a focused and dedicated state of opportunity. Further, Iowa is a state that remains a leader in education and health care and an outstanding quality of life, and

**Whereas**, economic opportunity and security is in the best interest of all Iowans. The Iowa Values Fund establishes our state as an even better place to do business and focuses our ability to recruit the life sciences, information solutions, and advanced manufacturing companies of the next generation, and

**Whereas**, it is essential that we continue the success of this economic growth effort and bring quick resolution to this issue, and

**Now, Therefore**, I, Thomas J. Vilsack, Governor of the State of Iowa, in accordance with Article IV, Section XI, of the Constitution of the State of Iowa, do hereby proclaim that the Eightieth General Assembly shall convene in Extraordinary Session in Des Moines, Iowa, at 10:00 a.m. on the 7th day of September, 2004, and to that end I do call up and direct the members of the House of Representatives to convene in the House chamber at the State Capitol and members of the Senate to convene in the Senate chamber at the State Capitol at 10:00 a.m. on the 7th day of September, 2004, for the purpose for which the assembly is convened, namely the matter of the Iowa Values Fund that is essential for the economic security of our state, and matters properly related thereto.

(SEAL)

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Iowa to be affixed. Done at Des Moines, Iowa, this 27th day of August in the year of our Lord two thousand four.

THOMAS J. VILSACK, Governor

Attest:

CHESTER J. CULVER  
Secretary of State

### ORGANIZATION OF THE SENATE

Senator Iverson moved that the selection of seats, determination of mileage of senators, assignment of press seats, and all other organizational or administrative matters not specifically provided for in Joint Rule 3 be the same for this Extraordinary Session as for the 2004 Regular Session of the Eightieth General Assembly.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote.

### SECRETARY TO NOTIFY THE GOVERNOR AND THE HOUSE

Senator Iverson moved that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to send a written message to the Governor and the House of Representatives informing them that the Senate was organized and ready to transact business and receive any messages that they may transmit.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote.

### HOUSE MESSAGE RECEIVED

The following message was received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MR. PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has, pursuant to the August 27, 2004, proclamation of the Governor, **duly organized** for the Extraordinary Session of the Eightieth General Assembly and is ready to receive communications from the Senate.

The Senate stood at ease at 10:26 a.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of party caucuses.

The Senate resumed session at 12:01 p.m., President Lamberti presiding.

### RECESS

On motion of Senator Iverson, the Senate recessed at 12:02 p.m. until the completion of a meeting of the committee on Ways and Means.

The Senate resumed session at 1:50 p.m., President Lamberti presiding.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 2311](#), by committee on Appropriations, a bill for an act relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

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

[Senate File 2312](#), by committee on Ways and Means, a bill for an act concerning regulatory, taxation, and statutory requirements affecting individuals and business relating to economic development, workers' compensation, financial services, unemployment compensation employer surcharges, income taxation bonus depreciation and expensing allowances, and civil action appeal bonds, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions.

Read first time and **placed on Ways and Means calendar.**

#### SPECIAL GUEST

The Senate welcomed to the Senate chamber U.S. Ambassador Mary Kramer of Barbados, former President of the Senate from Polk County.

The Senate rose and expressed its welcome.

#### FINAL COMMITTEE REPORT OF BILL ACTION

##### APPROPRIATIONS

**Bill Title:** [SENATE FILE 2311 \(SSB 3179\)](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 23: Angelo, Lamberti, Dvorsky, Behn, Black, Bolkcom, Dotzler, Fraise, Gaskill, Horn, Houser, McKibben, McKinley, Miller, Schuerer, Seng, Seymour, Shull, Sievers, Tinsman, Veenstra, Warnstadt, and Ziemann. Nays, 1: Hatch. Absent, 1: Connolly.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

CONSIDERATION OF BILL  
(Appropriations Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 2311](#).

[Senate File 2311](#)

On motion of Senator Angelo, [Senate File 2311](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions, was taken up for consideration.

(Action on [Senate File 2311](#) was deferred.)

The Senate stood at ease at 1:55 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of a Democratic caucus.

The Senate resumed session at 3:47 p.m., President Lamberti presiding.

RECESS

On motion of Senator Iverson, the Senate recessed at 3:48 p.m. until the completion of a meeting of the committee on Rules and Administration.

RECONVENED

The Senate reconvened at 3:56 p.m., President Lamberti presiding.

## INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

[Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#), by committee on Rules and Administration, a concurrent resolution to provide for adjournment sine die.

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

[Senate Resolution 181](#), by committee on Rules and Administration, a resolution to honor the Meskwaki tribe members who served as Code Talkers in North Africa during World War II and to request that Congress and the President of the United States honor all Code Talkers who served in the United States armed forces.

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

[Senate Resolution 182](#), by committee on Rules and Administration, a resolution recognizing the freedom-loving people of the nation of Poland.

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

## FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

## RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

**Final Bill Action:** [SENATE RESOLUTION 181](#), a resolution to honor the Meskwaki tribe members who served as Code Talkers in North Africa during World War II and to request that Congress and the President of the United States honor all Code Talkers who served in the United States armed forces.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 9: Iverson, Lamberti, Gronstal, Boettger, Courtney, Drake, Dvorsky, Gaskill, and Sievers. Nays, none. Absent, 2: Ragan and Wieck.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

**ALSO:**

**Final Bill Action:** [SENATE RESOLUTION 182](#), a resolution recognizing the freedom-loving people of the nation of Poland.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.



**Final Vote:** Ayes, 9: Iverson, Lamberti, Gronstal, Boettger, Courtney, Drake, Dvorsky, Gaskill, and Sievers. Nays, none. Absent, 2: Ragan and Wieck.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate Resolution 181](#).

[Senate Resolution 181](#)

On motion of Senator Iverson, [Senate Resolution 181](#), a resolution to honor the Meskwaki tribe members who served as Code Talkers in North Africa during World War II and to request that Congress and the President of the United States honor all Code Talkers who served in the United States armed forces, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Iverson moved the adoption of [Senate Resolution 181](#), which motion prevailed by a voice vote.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate Resolution 182](#).

[Senate Resolution 182](#)

On motion of Senator Iverson, [Senate Resolution 182](#), a resolution recognizing the freedom-loving people of the nation of Poland, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Iverson moved the adoption of [Senate Resolution 182](#), which motion prevailed by a voice vote.

The Senate stood at ease at 4:00 p.m. until the fall of the gavel.

The Senate resumed session at 5:10 p.m., President Lamberti presiding.

## BUSINESS PENDING

[Senate File 2311](#)

The Senate resumed consideration of [Senate File 2311](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions, previously deferred.

Senator Gronstal offered amendment [S-5409](#), filed by Senator Gronstal, et al., from the floor striking and replacing everything after the enacting clause and to the title page of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-5409](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 2311](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 19:

Beall	Dvorsky	Horn	Ragan
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Seng
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Stewart
Courtney	Hatch	McCoy	Warnstadt
Dotzler	Holveck	Quirnbach	

Nays, 29:

Angelo	Houser	Miller	Tinsman
Behn	Iverson	Putney	Veenstra
Boettger	Johnson	Redfern	Ward
Brunkhorst	Kettering	Rehberg	Wieck
Dearden	Lamberti	Schuerer	Zieman
Drake	Lundby	Seymour	
Gaskill	McKibben	Shull	
Hosch	McKinley	Sievers	

Absent, 2:

Connolly	Larson
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Amendment [S-5409](#) lost.

Senator Angelo moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([S.F. 2311](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 45:

Angelo	Gaskill	Lundby	Shull
Beall	Gronstal	McCoy	Sievers
Behn	Holveck	McKibben	Stewart
Black	Horn	McKinley	Tinsman
Boettger	Hosch	Putney	Veenstra
Bolkcom	Houser	Quirnbach	Ward
Brunkhorst	Iverson	Ragan	Warnstadt
Courtney	Johnson	Redfern	Wieck
Dotzler	Kettering	Rehberg	Zieman
Drake	Kibbie	Schuerer	
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Seng	
Fraise	Lamberti	Seymour	

Nays, 3:

Dearden	Hatch	Miller
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Absent, 2:

Connolly	Larson
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The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

#### IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 2311](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

#### HOUSE MESSAGE RECEIVED AND CONSIDERED

The following message was received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MR. PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on September 7, 2004, **passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

[House File 2581](#), a bill for an act concerning regulatory, taxation, and statutory requirements affecting individuals and business relating to economic development, workers' compensation, financial services, unemployment compensation employer surcharges, income taxation bonus depreciation and expensing allowances, and civil action appeal bonds, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions.

Read first time and **attached to companion [Senate File 2312](#)**.

#### FINAL COMMITTEE REPORT OF BILL ACTION

##### WAYS AND MEANS

**Final Bill Action:** [SENATE FILE 2312 \(SSB 3180\)](#), a bill for an act concerning regulatory, taxation, and statutory requirements affecting individuals and business relating to economic development, workers' compensation, financial services, unemployment compensation employer surcharges, income taxation bonus depreciation and expensing allowances, and civil action appeal bonds, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 10: McKibben, Shull, Angelo, Hosch, McKinley, Miller, Putney, Rehberg, Sievers, and Wieck. Nays, 6: Bolcom, Dotzler, McCoy, Quirmbach, Seng, and Stewart. Absent, 1: Connolly.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

#### CONSIDERATION OF BILL (Ways and Means Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate File 2312](#).

##### [Senate File 2312](#)

On motion of Senator Wieck, [Senate File 2312](#), a bill for an act concerning regulatory, taxation, and statutory requirements affecting individuals and business relating to economic development, workers' compensation, financial services, unemployment compensation employer surcharges, income taxation bonus depreciation and expensing allowances, and civil action appeal bonds, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that action on amendment [S-5406](#), filed by Senator Dotzler from the floor to pages 3–9 and to the title page of the bill be deferred.

Senator Gronstal offered amendment [S-5408](#), filed by Senator Gronstal, et al., from the floor to pages 3–9, 14–16, and to the title page of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-5408](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 2312](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 12:

Beall	Dotzler	Horn	Seng
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Stewart
Courtney	Gronstal	Ragan	Warnstadt

Nays, 36:

Angelo	Hatch	Lundby	Schuerer
Behn	Holveck	McCoy	Seymour
Boettger	Hosch	McKibben	Shull
Bolkcom	Houser	McKinley	Sievers
Brunkhorst	Iverson	Miller	Tinsman
Dearden	Johnson	Putney	Veenstra
Drake	Kettering	Quirnbach	Ward
Dvorsky	Kreiman	Redfern	Wieck
Gaskill	Lamberti	Rehberg	Zieman

Absent, 2:

Connolly	Larson
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Amendment [S-5408](#) lost.

Senator Dotzler withdrew amendment [S-5406](#), previously deferred.

Senator Dotzler withdrew the following amendments:

[S-5410](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 3–9 of the bill;  
[S-5411](#), filed by him from the floor to page 6 of the bill; and  
[S-5413](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 4–9 of the bill.

Senator Kreiman offered amendment [S-5412](#), filed by Senators Kreiman and Beall from the floor to pages 14–16 and to the title page of the bill.

Senator Wieck raised the point of order that amendment [S-5412](#) was not germane to the bill.

The Chair ruled the point well-taken and amendment [S-5412](#) out of order.

The Senate stood at ease at 6:18 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of a Democratic caucus.

The Senate resumed session at 6:58 p.m., President Lamberti presiding.

#### LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Senator Miller, until he returns, on request of Senator Brunkhorst.

#### BUSINESS PENDING

#### [Senate File 2312](#)

The Senate resumed consideration of [Senate File 2312](#).

Senator Quirnbach offered amendment [S-5407](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 15 and 16 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-5407](#) be adopted?” ([S.F. 2312](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 21:

Beall	Dvorsky	Kibbie	Seng
Black	Fraise	Kreiman	Stewart
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Lundby	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hatch	McCoy	

Dearden	Holveck	Quirnbach
Dotzler	Horn	Ragan

Nays, 26:

Angelo	Houser	Putney	Tinsman
Behn	Iverson	Redfern	Veenstra
Boettger	Johnson	Rehberg	Ward
Brunkhorst	Kettering	Schuerer	Wieck
Drake	Lamberti	Seymour	Zieman
Gaskill	McKibben	Shull	
Hosch	McKinley	Sievers	

Absent, 3:

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Amendment [S-5407](#) lost.

Senator Wieck asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 2581](#) be **substituted** for [Senate File 2312](#).

### [House File 2581](#)

On motion of Senator Wieck, [House File 2581](#), a bill for an act concerning regulatory, taxation, and statutory requirements affecting individuals and business relating to economic development, workers' compensation, financial services, unemployment compensation employer surcharges, income taxation bonus depreciation and expensing allowances, and civil action appeal bonds, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Wieck moved that the bill be read the last time now and placed upon its passage, which motion prevailed by a voice vote, and the bill was read the last time.

On the question "Shall the bill pass?" ([H.F. 2581](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 26:

Angelo	Iverson	Putney	Tinsman
Behn	Johnson	Redfern	Veenstra
Boettger	Kettering	Rehberg	Ward
Drake	Lamberti	Schuerer	Wieck
Gaskill	McKibben	Seymour	Zieman

Hosch	McKinley	Shull
Houser	Miller	Sievers

Nays, 22:

Beall	Dotzler	Horn	Ragan
Black	Dvorsky	Kibbie	Seng
Bolkcom	Fraise	Kreiman	Stewart
Brunkhorst	Gronstal	Lundby	Warnstadt
Courtney	Hatch	McCoy	
Dearden	Holveck	Quirnbach	

Absent, 2:

Connolly	Larson
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The bill, having received a constitutional majority, was declared to have passed the Senate and the title was agreed to.

#### WITHDRAWN

Senator Wieck asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate File 2312](#) be **withdrawn** from further consideration of the Senate.

#### IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 2581](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

#### HOUSE MESSAGE RECEIVED

The following message was received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MR. PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House has on September 7, 2004, **passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the House was asked:

[Senate File 2311](#), a bill for an act relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.



## FINAL COMMITTEE REPORT OF BILL ACTION

## RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

**Final Bill Action:** [SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 119](#), a concurrent resolution to provide for adjournment sine die.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 9: Iverson, Lamberti, Gronstal, Boettger, Courtney, Drake, Dvorsky, Gaskill, and Sievers. Nays, none. Absent, 2: Ragan and Wieck.

**Fiscal Note:** NOT REQUIRED UNDER JOINT RULE 17.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#).

**[Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#)**

On motion of Senator Iverson, [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#), a concurrent resolution to provide for adjournment sine die, was taken up for consideration.

Senator Iverson moved the adoption of [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#), which motion prevailed by a voice vote.

## IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Iverson asked and received unanimous consent that [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

SECRETARY TO NOTIFY THE  
GOVERNOR AND THE HOUSE

Senator Iverson moved that the Secretary of the Senate be directed to send a written message to the Governor and the House of Representatives informing them that the Senate was prepared to adjourn in accordance with [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#).

The motion prevailed by a voice vote.

#### HOUSE MESSAGE RECEIVED

The following message was received from the Chief Clerk of the House:

MR. PRESIDENT: I am directed to inform your honorable body that the House is prepared to **adjourn** the 2004 Extraordinary Session of the Eightieth General Assembly pursuant to [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#), duly adopted.

#### MOTION TO ADJOURN ADOPTED

Senator Iverson moved that the 2004 Extraordinary Session of the Eightieth General Assembly adjourn sine die in accordance with [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#), duly adopted.

The motion prevailed by a voice vote.

#### FINAL ADJOURNMENT

By virtue of [Senate Concurrent Resolution 119](#), duly adopted, the day of September 7, 2004, having arrived, President Lamberti declared the 2004 Extraordinary Session of the Eightieth General Assembly adjourned sine die.

**APPENDIX****COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED**

The following communications were received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and placed on file in the Legislative Services Agency, after the adjournment of the 2004 Regular Session.

April 28, 2004

**IOWA COLLEGE STUDENT AID COMMISSION**

FY 2002–2003 Annual Report — notification that the report is available online.

May 4, 2004

**OFFICE OF CITIZENS'/AIDE OMBUDSMAN**

FY 2003 Annual Report — the report is also available online.

May 19, 2004

**IOWA RACING AND GAMING COMMISSION**

FY 2003 Annual Report.

June 3, 2004

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

2002 Vital Statistics Report, pursuant to Iowa Code chapter 144.5(5) — notification that the report is available online.

June 22, 2004

**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

2003 Public Drinking Water Program Annual Compliance Report — the report is also available online.

July 16, 2004

**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

Progress report on redesigning adult and child systems for mental health and developmental disabilities, pursuant to 2004 Acts, [House File 2537](#) — the report is also available online.

July 23, 2004

#### DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

FY 2004 Semi-annual Report on Value-Added Agricultural Products and Processes Financial Assistance Program (VAAPFAP), pursuant to Iowa Code section 15E.111(8) — notification that the report is available online.

Report referring to status of the commodities promotion program and plan annual update, pursuant to Iowa Code section 15.203(2) — notification that the report is available online.

#### AGENCY ICN REPORT

July 1, 2004

#### IOWA CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION

Iowa Communications Network (ICN) Usage for FY 2004, pursuant to Iowa Code section 8D.10 — the report in electronic form is also available online.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

##### APPROPRIATIONS

**Convened:** September 7, 2004, 12:25 p.m.

**Members Present:** Angelo, Chair; Lamberti, Vice Chair; Dvorsky, Ranking Member; Behn, Black, Bolkcom, Dotzler, Fraise, Gaskill, Hatch, Horn, Houser, McKibben, McKinley, Miller, Schuerer, Seng, Seymour, Shull, Sievers, Tinsman, Veenstra, Warnstadt, and Ziemann.

**Members Absent:** Connolly (excused).

**Committee Business:** Approved [SSB 3179](#).

**Adjourned:** 1:15 p.m.

##### RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

**Convened:** September 7, 2004, 3:50 p.m.

**Members Present:** Iverson, Chair; Lamberti, Vice Chair; Gronstal, Ranking Member; Boettger, Courtney, Drake, Dvorsky, Gaskill, and Sievers.

**Members Absent:** Ragan and Wieck (both excused).

**Committee Business:** Approved [SCR 119](#) and SRs 181 and 182.

**Adjourned:** 3:55 p.m.

**WAYS AND MEANS**

**Convened:** September 7, 2004, 1:25 p.m.

**Members Present:** McKibben, Chair; Shull, Vice Chair; Bolkcom, Ranking Member; Angelo, Dotzler, Hosch, McCoy, McKinley, Miller, Putney, Quirmbach, Rehberg, Seng, Sievers, Stewart, and Wieck.

**Members Absent:** Connolly (excused).

**Committee Business:** Approved [SSB 3180](#).

**Adjourned:** 1:40 p.m.

**STUDY BILLS RECEIVED****[SSB 3179](#) Appropriations**

Relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.

**[SSB 3180](#) Ways and Means**

Concerning regulatory, taxation, and statutory requirements affecting individuals and business relating to economic development, workers' compensation employer surcharges, income taxation bonus depreciation and expensing allowances, and civil action appeal bonds, and including effective date, applicability, and retroactive applicability provisions.

**SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS****[SSB 3179](#)**

APPROPRIATIONS: Angelo, Chair; Dvorsky and Lamberti

**[SSB 3180](#)**

WAYS AND MEANS: Wieck, Chair; Bolkcom and McKibben

**ANNOUNCEMENT OF APPOINTMENT  
BY SENATE MAJORITY LEADER**

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE IOWA CULTURAL TRUST  
(Iowa Code section 303A.5)  
Ted Tedesco

## BILL ENROLLED, SIGNED, AND SENT TO GOVERNOR

The Secretary of the Senate submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT: The Secretary of the Senate respectfully reports that the following bill has been enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, and presented to the Governor for his approval on this 7th day of September, 2004:

[Senate File 2311](#).

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL  
Secretary of the Senate

## AMENDMENTS FILED

<a href="#">S-5406</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	William A. Dotzler, Jr.
<a href="#">S-5407</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	Herman C. Quirnbach
<a href="#">S-5408</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	Michael E. Gronstal
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		Daryl Beall
		Roger Stewart
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<a href="#">S-5409</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2311</a>	Michael E. Gronstal
		Daryl Beall
		Dennis H. Black
		Joe Bolcom
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		William A. Dotzler, Jr.
		Robert E. Dvorsky
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<a href="#">S-5410</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	William A. Dotzler, Jr.
<a href="#">S-5411</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	William A. Dotzler, Jr.
<a href="#">S-5412</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	Keith A. Kreiman
		Daryl Beall
<a href="#">S-5413</a>	<a href="#">S.F. 2312</a>	William A. Dotzler, Jr.

SENATE BILL SIGNED BY GOVERNOR  
SUBSEQUENT TO ADJOURNMENT

A communication was received announcing that on September 7, 2004, the Governor approved and transmitted to the Secretary of State the following bill:

[S.F. 2311](#) – Relating to appropriations for economic development purposes, workforce development field offices, workforce training and economic development funds of community colleges, and including effective date and retroactive applicability provisions.