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NINETY-FIFTH CALENDAR DAY FIFTY-SIXTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, April 13, 2006

The Senate met in regular session at 9:08 a.m., President Pro Tempore McKibben presiding.

Prayer was offered by Marvin Siems, pastor of the United Methodist Church in Logan, Iowa. He was the guest of Senator Seymour.

The Journal of Wednesday, April 12, 2006, was approved.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Dotzler, the Senate adjourned at 9:14 a.m. until 10:00 a.m., Monday, April 17, 2006.

APPENDIX

EXPLANATION OF VOTES

MR. PRESIDENT: I was necessarily absent from the Senate chamber on April 12, 2006, when the votes were taken on Senate Files 2183, 2290, and 2322 and House Files 2351, 2508, 2663, and 2740. Had I been present, I would have voted "Yea" on all.

DAVE MULDER

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

The Secretary of the Senate issued the following certificates of recognition:

Mr. and Mrs. Herb and Marie Blum, Harlan—For celebrating your 67th wedding anniversary. Senator Boettger (4/13/06).

Andrew W. Briggs, Eldridge—For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Boy Scout Troop 203. Senator Wood (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Meryl and Phyllis Fett, Adair—For celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Boettger (4/13/06).

Madison Frei, Iowa City—For receiving the highest honor given to Senior Girl Scouts, the Gold Award. Senator Bolkcom (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Charles and Louise Funaro, Des Moines—For celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Dearden (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Roger and Mardell Hansen, Elk Horn—For celebrating your 60th wedding anniversary. Senator Boettger (4/13/06).

Lindsey Hudson, Iowa City—For receiving the highest honor given to Senior Girl Scouts, the Gold Award. Senator Bolkcom (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Richard and Shirley Ide, Shannon City—For receiving the Iowa Good Neighbor Award. Senator Angelo (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon McDade, Waterloo—For celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Dotzler (4/13/06).

Iva Musch, Evansdale—For celebrating your 90th birthday. Senator Dotzler (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peterson, Waterloo—For celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Dotzler (4/13/06).

Danielle Schlimmer, Tipton—For achieving the highest award for Senior Girl Scouts, the Gold Award. Senator Hahn (4/13/06).

Richard Schultz, Waterloo—For celebrating your 90th birthday. Senator Dotzler (4/13/06).

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Timson, Waterloo—For celebrating your 50th wedding anniversary. Senator Dotzler (4/13/06).

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT

Convened: April 11, 2006, 12:15 p.m.

Members Present: Courtney and Wieck, Co-chairs; Connolly and Ward.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: CIETC hearings.

Recessed: April 11, 2006, 2:35 p.m.

Reconvened: April 12, 2006, 9:00 a.m.

Recessed: April 12, 2006, 11:00 a.m.

Reconvened: April 13, 2006, 11:00 a.m.

Recessed: April 13, 2006, 1:00 p.m.

Reconvened: April 13, 2006, 1:05 p.m.

Adjourned: April 13, 2006, 1:08 p.m.

RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

Convened: April 12, 2006, 2:05 p.m.

Members Present: Gronstal and Lundby, Co-chairs; Angelo, Boettger, Courtney, Dvorsky, Hahn, Kibbie, Lamberti, and Ragan.

Members Absent: None.

Committee Business: Approved Governor's appointment and adopted SRs 108 and 158 and <u>HJR 2006</u>.

Adjourned: 2:10 p.m.

COMMUNICATION RECEIVED

The following communication was received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and placed on file in the Legislative Services Agency:

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Quarterly report regarding the progress of the building project for the Motor Vehicle Division, pursuant to 2005 Acts, <u>House File 466</u>. Report received on April 13, 2006.

PETITION

The following petition was presented and placed on file:

From 97 residents of the Riceville Community School District in Riceville, Iowa, favoring legislation to increase the allowable growth for education funding to 6 percent. Senator Ragan.

AMENDMENT FILED

<u>S-5198</u> <u>H.F. 2773</u>

Nancy J. Boettger Wally E. Horn