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Sixtieth Calendar Day – Forty-second Session Day

Hall of the House of Representatives
Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday, March 8, 2007

The House met pursuant to adjournment at 9:08 a.m., Speaker Murphy in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Kenneth Arentson, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, Des Moines. He was the guest of Representatives Dan Clute and Scott Raecker of Polk County.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by House Journal Page, Brianna Steitzer from Cedar Rapids.

The Journal of Wednesday, March 7, 2007 was approved.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Soderberg of Plymouth on request of Paulsen of Linn.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[House Joint Resolution 7](#), by Wiencek, Heaton, Paulsen, Raecker, Jacobs, Watts, Huseman, Tymeson, De Boef, Roberts, May, Deyoe, Rayhons, Arnold, Boal, Van Engelenhoven, Granzow, Lukan, Soderberg, Dolecheck, Tjepkes, Baudler, S. Olson, L. Miller, Kaufmann, Struyk, Drake, Alons, Worthan, Schickel, Van Fossen, Grassley, Rants, Gipp, Clute, Upmeyer, Greiner, Horbach, Chambers and Tomenga, a joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa relating to certain funds received for senior programs.

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

[House File 724](#), by Ford, a bill for an act relating to the establishment of a lead-safe housing registry, including provisions related to property owner, managing agent, or employee liability, and providing a penalty.

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

[House File 725](#), by Ford, a bill for an act requiring that certain residential dwellings be tested for lead-based paint and providing a penalty.

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

[House File 726](#), by D. Olson, Smith, Wise, T. Taylor, Lykam, Reichert, Mascher, Mertz, D. Taylor, Bukta, H. Miller and Reasoner, a bill for an act relating to railway security and providing for penalties.

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

[House File 727](#), by H. Miller, Berry, Wessel-Kroeschell, Ford, D. Olson, Reasoner, Smith, Kressig, Frevert, Bailey, Mertz, Rasmussen, Upmeyer, Abdul-Samad, May and Davitt, a bill for an act providing for the creation of an interactive website featuring the materials, services, and programs maintained by the department of cultural affairs and making an appropriation.

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

[House File 728](#), by H. Miller, Mertz, Wiencek, Frevert, Upmeyer, Abdul-Samad, D. Olson, May, Davitt and Berry, a bill for an act to support efforts to strengthen education and enrichment programming for youth using the arts and making an appropriation.

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

[House File 729](#), by Upmeyer, Paulsen, Tomenga, De Boef, S. Olson, L. Miller, Rayhons, Kaufmann, Forristall, Soderberg and Struyk, a bill for an act providing appropriations for general state financial aid to merged areas.

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

[House File 730](#), by Kaufmann, Wiencek and Pettengill, a bill for an act relating to the providing of income tax, premium tax, and moneys and credits tax credits for employers paying part of their employees' student loans and including a retroactive applicability date provision.

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

[House File 731](#), by Kaufmann, Mascher, Worthan and Lensing, a bill for an act making an appropriation to the department of education for teacher training in the reconstruction of reading recovery in Spanish program and providing an effective and applicability date provision.

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

[House File 732](#), by Van Fossen, a bill for an act relating to a state work opportunity tax credit and including a retroactive applicability date provision.

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

[House File 733](#), by D. Olson, Dandekar, Thomas, Kuhn, Reichert, Mascher, Staed, Mertz, D. Taylor, Reasoner, Bukta and H. Miller, a bill for an act providing for the creation of a state energy policy council and a state energy plan.

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

[House File 734](#), by Alons, Anderson, Baudler, Boal, Chambers, Clute, Deyoe, Dolecheck, Drake, Forristall, Gipp, Grassley, Horbach, Huseman, Jacobs, Kaufmann, Lukan, May, S. Olson, Raecker, Rasmussen, Rayhons, Roberts, Soderberg, Struyk, Tjepkes, Tomenga, Tymeson, Upmeyer, Van Fossen, Watts, Windschitl and Worthan, a bill for an act relating to assessment of commercial and industrial property for purposes of property taxation and including a retroactive applicability date.

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

[House File 735](#), by Whitaker, a bill for an act relating to organic food by providing for the duties of the department, establishing a council, and establishing a fund.

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

[House File 736](#), by Davitt, a bill for an act identifying a mid-Iowa network of commercial and industrial highways.

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

[House File 737](#), by R. Olson, a bill for an act relating to license revocations and temporary restricted licenses.

Read first time and referred to committee on **public safety**.

[House File 738](#), by Bailey, a bill for an act relating to establishing a supply and material pooling program between private employers of inmates and Iowa state industries.

Read first time and referred to committee on **public safety**.

[House File 739](#), by Berry and Abdul-Samad, a bill for an act relating to the incorporation of historical contributions by minorities and women into high school curricula.

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

[House File 740](#), by committee on natural resources, a bill for an act regulating the administration of drugs to certain noncaptive vertebrate wildlife and providing a penalty.

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

[House File 741](#), by Bailey, a bill for an act relating to a statewide microenterprise survey and making an appropriation.

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

SENATE MESSAGES CONSIDERED

[Senate File 208](#), by committee on local government, a bill for an act relating to documents recorded with the county recorder.

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

[Senate File 212](#), by committee on local government, a bill for an act relating to the salary of deputy officers in certain county offices and providing an applicability date.

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

[Senate File 232](#), by committee on state government, a bill for an act authorizing payroll deduction for dues to a certified bargaining representative for individuals receiving payment for work performed from the state.

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

[Senate File 254](#), by committee on human resources, a bill for an act revising family investment program requirements.

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

[Senate File 265](#), by committee on labor and business relations, a bill for an act relating to asbestos removal and encapsulation regulations as enforced by the labor commissioner.

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

[Senate File 302](#), by committee on economic growth, a bill for an act relating to moneys appropriated to the department of economic development for regional tourism marketing purposes.

Read first time and **passed on file**.

[Senate File 311](#), by committee on judiciary, a bill for an act relating to an action for satisfaction of a mortgage.

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

[Senate File 319](#), by committee on agriculture, a bill for an act relating to cooperative associations, by providing for documentation, including certificates and statements.

Read first time and **passed on file**.

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 March 7, 2007, passed the following bill in which the concurrence of the House is asked:

[Senate File 128](#), a bill for an act relating to an increase in the taxes on cigarettes and tobacco products, imposing an inventory tax on tobacco products, creating a health care trust fund, and providing an effective date and providing an applicability provision.

MICHAEL E. MARSHALL, Secretary

SPECIAL PRESENTATION TO HOUSE PAGES

Speaker Murphy invited the House Pages to the Speaker's station for a special presentation and thanked them for their service to the House of Representatives.

Certificates of excellence for serving with honor and distinction as a House Page during the First Regular Session of the Eighty-second General Assembly were presented to the following Pages by Speaker Patrick Murphy of Dubuque, Majority Leader Kevin McCarthy of Polk and Minority Leader Christopher Rants of Woodbury.

Alexandra Elgersma
Adam Fisher
Frank Mason
Hannah Van Fossen
Heather Van Fossen

MEMORIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Speaker Murphy announced the appointment of the following members to serve on the memorial committee: The Honorable Vicki Lensing of Johnson, Chair; the Honorable Sandy Greiner of

Washington, the Honorable Dolores Mertz of Kossuth and the Honorable Rod Roberts of Carroll.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 1

T. Olson of Linn offered the following **House Memorial Resolution 1** and moved its adoption:

HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 1

Whereas, The Honorable Cecil A. Reed, of Linn County, Iowa, who was a member of the Sixty-second General Assembly, passed away August 14, 2006; *Now Therefore*,

Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker of the House to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating his life, character and service to the state.

The motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as such committee: T. Olson of Linn, Paulsen of Linn and T. Taylor of Linn.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 2

Oldson of Polk offered the following **House Memorial Resolution 2** and moved its adoption:

HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 2

Whereas, The Honorable Charles F. Glenn, of Polk County, Iowa, who was a member of the Sixty-second General Assembly, passed away August 6, 2006; *Now Therefore*,

Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker of the House to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating his life, character and service to the state.

The motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as such committee: Oldson of Polk, Ford of Polk and Petersen of Polk.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 3

Worthan of Buena Vista offered the following **House Memorial Resolution 3** and moved its adoption:

HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 3

Whereas, The Honorable Mary Lou Freeman, of Buena Vista County, Iowa, who was a member of the Seventy-sixth, Seventy-seventh, Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth, Seventy-ninth Extra, Seventy-ninth Second Extra, Eightieth, Eightieth Extra, Eightieth Second Extra, and Eighty-first General Assemblies, passed away September 4, 2006; *Now Therefore*,

Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker of the House to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating her life, character and service to the state.

The motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as such committee: Worthan of Buena Vista, Chambers of O'Brien and Huseman of Cherokee.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 4

Lykam of Scott offered the following **House Memorial Resolution 4** and moved its adoption:

HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 4

Whereas, The Honorable James D. Resnick, of Scott County, Iowa, who was a member of the Sixty-first General Assembly, passed away February 9, 2007; *Now Therefore*,

Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker of the House to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating his life, character and service to the state.

The motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as such committee: Lykam of Scott, Gayman of Scott and Winckler of Scott.

ADOPTION OF HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 5

Mascher of Johnson offered the following **House Memorial Resolution 5** and moved its adoption:

HOUSE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION 5

Whereas, The Honorable Earl M. Yoder, of Johnson County, Iowa, who was a member of the Sixty-second General Assembly, passed away November 29, 2006; *Now Therefore*,

Be It Resolved By The House Of Representatives, That a committee of three be appointed by the Speaker of the House to prepare suitable resolutions commemorating his life, character and service to the state.

The motion prevailed and the Speaker appointed as such committee: Mascher of Johnson, Greiner of Washington and Lensing of Johnson.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

May of Dickinson introduced to the House the Graettinger-Terril Knights, the girls' basketball team and their coach, Jared Cecil, whom qualified for the finals in last nights' tournament.

The House rose and expressed its welcome.

RULE 60 FAILED

Rants of Woodbury invoked Rule 60, and moved to withdraw the following House Files from committee and be placed on the calendar:

[House File 19](#)

[House File 46](#)

[House File 102](#)

[House File 135](#)

[House File 325](#)

[House File 414](#)

[House File 593](#)

Roll call was requested by Rants of Woodbury and Struyk of Pottawattamie.

On the question "Shall House Rule 60 be invoked?"

The ayes were, 44:

Alons	Anderson	Arnold	Baudler
Boal	Chambers	Clute	De Boef
Deyoe	Dolecheck	Drake	Forristall
Gipp	Granzow	Grassley	Greiner
Heaton	Horbach	Huseman	Jacobs
Kaufmann	Lukan	May	Miller, L.
Olson, S.	Paulsen	Raecker	Rants

Rasmussen	Rayhons	Roberts	Sands
Schickel	Struyk	Tjepkes	Tomenga
Tymeson	Upmeyer	Van Engelenhoven	Van Fossen
Watts	Wiencek	Windschitl	Worthan

The nays were, 49:

Abdul-Samad	Bailey	Bell	Berry
Bukta	Cohoon	Dandekar	Foege
Frevert	Gaskill	Gayman	Heddens
Hunter	Huser	Jacoby	Jochum
Kelley	Kressig	Kuhn	Lensing
Lykam	Mascher	McCarthy	Mertz
Miller, H.	Oldson	Olson, D.	Olson, T.
Palmer	Pettengill	Quirk	Reasoner
Reichert	Schueller	Shomshor	Smith
Staed	Swaim	Taylor, D.	Taylor, T.
Thomas	Wendt	Wenthe	Wessel-Kroeschell
Whitaker	Whitead	Winckler	Wise

Mr. Speaker
Murphy

Absent or not voting, 7:

Davitt	Ford	Hoffman	Olson, R.
Petersen	Soderberg	Zirkelbach	

The motion to invoke Rule 60 lost.

BILLS ENROLLED, SIGNED AND SENT TO GOVERNOR

The Chief Clerk of the House submitted the following report:

Mr. Speaker: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that the following bills have been examined and found correctly enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate, and presented to the Governor for his approval on this 8TH day of March, 2007: House Files 319 and 400.

MARK W. BRANDSGARD
Chief Clerk of the House

Report adopted.

CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION

MR. SPEAKER: The Chief Clerk of the House respectfully reports that certificates of recognition have been issued as follows.

MARK W. BRANDSGARD
Chief Clerk of the House

- 2007\1769 La Vaughn Fowlie, Coralville – For celebrating her 90th birthday.
- 2007\1770 Woody Millett, West Branch – For celebrating his 90th birthday.
- 2007\1771 Johnny Siegel, New London/Winfield Wrestling Team – For winning the 140 lb. weight class in the Class 1-A Division of the 2007 State Wrestling Tournament.
- 2007\1772 Loren M. Greiner, Emmetsburg – For celebrating his 99th birthday.

SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House File 206](#)

Transportation: Huser, Chair; Lykam and Tjepkes.

[House File 253](#)

Transportation: Huser, Chair; Lykam and Tjepkes.

[House File 726](#)

Transportation: Tjepkes, Chair; Huser and Lykam.

[House File 736](#)

Transportation: Lykam, Chair; Huser and Tjepkes.

HOUSE STUDY BILL SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[House Study Bill 270](#)

Judiciary: Winckler, Chair; Palmer and Struyk.

[House Study Bill 278](#)

Labor: R. Olson, Chair; Hunter and Watts.

[House Study Bill 281](#)

Public Safety: Gayman, Chair; Alons and Lykam.

HOUSE STUDY BILL COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[H.S.B. 282 Environmental Protection](#)

Relating to reporting requirements for the watershed quality planning task force.

[H.S.B. 283](#) **Economic Growth**

Establishing a renewable energy physical infrastructure assistance program, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

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.

MARK W. BRANDSGARD
Chief Clerk of the House

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 539](#)), relating to animal feeding operations, by providing for the enforcement of regulatory provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 540](#)), relating to soil and water conservation district work projects supporting water protection practices, and providing an effective date.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 224](#)), concerning horse racing by providing for purse agreements for races of standardbred horses at county fairs.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 236](#)), relating to the duties and powers of the state entomologist, and making penalties applicable.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 243](#)), providing for an Iowa farmers' market nutrition program.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 245](#)), providing for excise taxes imposed on the sale of motor fuel containing ethanol blended gasoline.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 254](#)), providing for an equine industry promotional commission and related fund, and providing an appropriation.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 268](#)), providing for an agricultural-biomanufacturing initiative and making an appropriation.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 6](#)), relating to the compulsory school attendance age and providing an effective date.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 8, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 47](#)), relating to reimbursement of advanced placement examination fees paid by or on behalf of students enrolled in public school districts and accredited nonpublic schools or receiving competent private instruction and making an appropriation.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 415](#)), providing for a school attendance task force pilot program, and providing an appropriation.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 8, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 439](#)), directing the state board of regents to convene a task force to develop and coordinate a five-year strategic plan to address alignment of the kindergarten through postsecondary education systems.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 583](#)), requiring school districts to prohibit the use of cigarettes and tobacco products at schools, on school grounds, in school vehicles, and at off-campus school-related indoor events.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 8, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 240](#)), relating to implementation of core content standards and a model core curriculum and making an appropriation.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 250](#)), increasing the state sales and use tax rates and using revenues to replace the local option sales and services tax for school infrastructure purposes, providing a penalty and including an effective date.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 164](#)), increasing the reimbursement amount paid by distributors to persons redeeming empty beverage containers.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 452](#)), creating an unsewered community revolving loan program and fund.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 568](#)), relating to national pollutant discharge elimination system permits for disposal systems of certain cities.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES

[House File 309](#), a bill for an act requiring development of a uniform cost report for certain services reimbursed through the department of human services and counties.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

[House File 503](#), a bill for an act relating to providing opportunities to individuals with disabilities.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

[House File 566](#), a bill for an act relating to the definition of a free clinic for the purposes of the volunteer health care provider program.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

[House File 585](#), a bill for an act relating to the selection of board members by area agencies on aging.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 480](#)), relating to children who are subject to a court order for a temporary or permanent out-of-home placement by providing for visitation or ongoing interaction between the children and siblings.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 156](#)), relating to nursing facility financial assistance related to certain renovation and construction and regulatory compliance, and providing an effective date.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 212](#)), relating to regulation of children's services by the department of human services by increasing the age for certain children receiving child care regulated by the department and revising child welfare and juvenile justice service provisions.

Fiscal Note is required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 262](#)), creating a hemophilia advisory committee and providing an effective date.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 265](#)), establishing an Iowa Abraham Lincoln bicentennial commission and fund and providing for its prospective repeal.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 71](#)), relating to a debtor's exempt personal injury payments in state court debt collection and federal bankruptcy actions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 6, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 132](#)), relating to the issuance of temporary orders modifying an order of child support or custody.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 165](#)), prohibiting a donation or contribution to an agency, organization, or political subdivision of the state in a criminal proceeding.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 167](#)), relating to judicial branch practices and procedures including but not limited to adoption petitions, clerk of the district court duties and recordkeeping affecting real estate, the confidentiality of arrest warrants, and notices by the department of corrections to the clerk of the district court.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 241](#)), relating to trusts and estates including fiduciaries and beneficiaries and including applicability provisions.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 242](#)), relating to mechanics' liens.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT

[House File 247](#), a bill for an act providing voting member representation on joint E911 service boards for cities or townships providing fire protection services through a volunteer fire department.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 192](#)), relating to notice and collection of delinquent charges by certain city utilities or city enterprises.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

[Senate File 130](#), a bill for an act relating to commissions that oversee memorial buildings and monuments.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 205](#)), relating to information required to be indexed in the records of the county recorder.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 206](#)), relating to county general obligation bonds by modifying the definition of essential county purpose and by changing the requirements under which a county may issue general county purpose bonds without an election.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 208](#)), relating to publication of property assessment equalization orders.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 213](#)), concerning accountability requirements for entities and boards created for joint exercise of governmental powers.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT

Committee Bill (Formerly [House File 230](#)), concerning investment of certain public funds in companies doing business in Sudan by the treasurer of state, public retirement systems in Iowa, and the state board of regents.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 6, 2007.

COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS

Committee Bill (Formerly [House Study Bill 233](#)), concerning veterans by providing for regional veterans affairs offices, providing for the duties of the department of veterans affairs and the commission on veterans affairs, and establishing a counseling program for veterans.

Fiscal Note is not required.

Recommended **Amend and Do Pass** March 7, 2007.

AMENDMENTS FILED

H-1105	S.F. 62	Tymeson of Madison
H-1106	H.F. 498	Committee on Commerce
H-1107	H.F. 546	Jacobs of Polk

On motion by McCarthy of Polk the House adjourned at 9:45 a.m., until 9:00 a.m., Friday, March 9, 2007.