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SEVENTEENTH CALENDAR DAY  
ELEVENTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Wednesday, January 28, 2009

The Senate met in regular session at 8:45 a.m., President Kibbie presiding.

Prayer was offered by Reverend William Cotton, retired pastor of the Grace United Methodist Church in Des Moines, Iowa. He was the guest of Senator Kibbie.

The Journal of Tuesday, January 27, 2009, was approved.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Leave of absence was granted as follows:

Senator Behn, until he arrives, on request of Senator Boettger.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILL

[Senate File 67](#), by committee on Rebuild Iowa, a bill for an act relating to disaster assistance by providing a jumpstart housing assistance program, disaster aid individual assistance grants, and community disaster grants, making appropriations, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

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

## 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 January 27, 2009, **passed** the following bill in which the concurrence of the Senate is asked:

**House File 64**, a bill for an act relating to disaster assistance by providing for jumpstart housing assistance, unmet needs disaster grants, a Rebuild Iowa office, and community disaster grants, making appropriations, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

Read first time and attached to **companion Senate File 67**.

## BILLS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that **Senate File 67 and attached companion House File 64** be referred from the Regular Calendar to the committee on **Appropriations**.

## RECESS

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate recessed at 8:50 a.m. until the completion of a meeting of the committee on Rules and Administration.

## RECONVENED

The Senate reconvened at 8:56 a.m., President Kibbie presiding.

## RECESS

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate recessed at 8:57 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.

**APPENDIX—1****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:

**IOWA CAPITAL INVESTMENT CORPORATION**

2007 Annual Report (with updates through 2008) of the Iowa Fund of Funds, pursuant to Iowa Code section 15E.63(9). Report received January 28, 2009.

**CERTIFICATES OF RECOGNITION**

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

Joshua K. Butikofer, Clermont—For achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, Troop 53. Senator Heckroth (1/28/09).

Lynette Jacoby, Coralville—For receiving the 2009 Distinguished Networking Award of Excellence from the National Network for Youth. Senator Dvorsky (1/28/09).

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS****AGRICULTURE**

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 11:10 a.m.

**Members Present:** Fraise, Chair; Olive, Vice Chair; Johnson, Ranking Member; Appel, Black, Boettger, Courtney, Hahn, Hancock, Kibbie, Rielly, Seng, and Sodders.

**Members Absent:** Behn and Kapucian (both excused).

**Committee Business:** Presentation by the Soil and Conservation District.

**Adjourned:** 11:35 a.m.

**APPROPRIATIONS**

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 11:45 a.m.

**Members Present:** Dvorsky, Chair; Kettering, Ranking Member; Appel, Bartz, Boettger, Bolkcom, Danielson, Dearden, Dotzler, Feenstra, Fraise, Hahn, Hancock, Hatch, Hogg, Jochum, Johnson, Noble, Ragan, Schoenjahn, Seng, and Warnstadt.

**Members Absent:** McCoy, Vice Chair; Kapucian and Seymour (all excused).

**Committee Business:** Consideration of [HF 64](#) (Rebuild Iowa bill).

**Adjourned:** 11:50 a.m.

#### INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

[Senate Resolution 6](#), by committee on Ethics, a resolution relating to the Senate Rules Governing Lobbyists and their interactions with the Senate and members of the Senate during the Eighty-third General Assembly.

Read first time under Rule 28 and **placed on calendar**.

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 68](#), by Heckroth, a bill for an act prohibiting the use of certain motor vehicle lights under fair weather conditions during daylight hours and providing a penalty.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Transportation**.

[Senate File 69](#), by Seng, a bill for an act providing for the regulation of commercial establishments that house animals by the department of agriculture and land stewardship.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Agriculture**.

[Senate File 70](#), by Seng, a bill for an act relating to domestic abuse protective orders and animals owned or held by a petitioner, respondent, or minor child of the petitioner or respondent in domestic abuse cases.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[Senate File 71](#), by Hancock and Kibbie, a bill for an act establishing a length of service award program for volunteer fire fighters, creating a fund to provide matching contributions to the program, authorizing lottery games for volunteer fire fighters, and making an appropriation and providing an effective date.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **State Government**.

[Senate File 72](#), by Boettger, a bill for an act relating to the history requirements secondary school students must meet as a condition of graduation.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Education**.

#### SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

[Senate File 40](#)

NATURAL RESOURCES: Black, Chair; Noble and Schoenjahn

[Senate File 41](#)

NATURAL RESOURCES: Black, Chair; Bolkcom and Kettering

[Senate File 48](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Hatch, Chair; Bolkcom and Seymour

[Senate File 60](#)

HUMAN RESOURCES: Quirnbach, Chair; Boettger and Schmitz

[Senate File 66](#)

ECONOMIC GROWTH: Stewart, Chair; Houser and Olive

[Senate File 70](#)

JUDICIARY: Quirnbach, Chair; Boettger and Kreiman

[Senate File 71](#)

STATE GOVERNMENT: Danielson, Chair; Jochum and Seymour

[SSB 1118](#)

LABOR AND BUSINESS RELATIONS: Courtney, Chair; Dotzler and Ward

[SSB 1119](#)

LABOR AND BUSINESS RELATIONS: Courtney, Chair; Dearden and Ward

[SSB 1120](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Warnstadt, Chair; Fraise and Seymour

[SSB 1121](#)

APPROPRIATIONS: Warnstadt, Chair; Fraise and Seymour

[SSB 1122](#)

COMMERCE: Rielly, Chair; Hartsuch and Olive

## FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

### APPROPRIATIONS

**Bill Title:** [HOUSE FILE 64](#), a bill for an act relating to disaster assistance by providing for jumpstart housing assistance, unmet needs disaster grants, a Rebuild Iowa office, and community disaster grants, making appropriations, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

**Recommendation:** WITHOUT RECOMMENDATION.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 22: Dvorsky, Kettering, Appel, Bartz, Boettger, Bolkom, Danielson, Dearden, Dotzler, Feenstra, Fraise, Hahn, Hancock, Hatch, Hogg, Jochum, Johnson, Noble, Ragan, Schoenjahn, Seng, and Warnstadt. Nays, none. Absent, 3: McCoy, Kapucian, and Seymour.

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

### ETHICS

**Bill Title:** [SENATE RESOLUTION 6 \(SSB 1017\)](#), a resolution relating to the Senate Rules Governing Lobbyists and their interactions with the Senate and members of the Senate during the Eighty-third General Assembly.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 6: Kibbie, Dearden, Behn, Fraise, Kettering, and McKinley. Nays, none. Absent, none.

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

**REBUILD IOWA**

**Bill Title:** \*[SENATE FILE 67 \(SSB 1075\)](#), a bill for an act relating to disaster assistance by providing a jumpstart housing assistance program, disaster aid individual assistance grants, and community disaster grants, making appropriations, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates.

**Recommendation:** APPROVED COMMITTEE BILL.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 13: Hogg, Heckroth, Hamerlinck, Appel, Dandekar, Dvorsky, Feenstra, Hahn, Horn, Houser, Jochum, Reynolds, and Stewart. Nays, none. Absent, none.

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

\*Pursuant to Senate Rule 40, the Legislative Services Agency reported nonsubstantive changes to the members of the Rebuild Iowa Committee on [Senate File 67](#), and they were attached to the committee report.

**AFTERNOON SESSION**

The Senate reconvened at 4:37 p.m., President Kibbie presiding.

**CONSIDERATION OF BILL**  
(Regular Calendar)

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent to take up for consideration [House File 64](#).

**[House File 64](#)**

On motion of Senator Hogg, [House File 64](#), a bill for an act relating to disaster assistance by providing for jumpstart housing assistance, unmet needs disaster grants, a Rebuild Iowa office, and community disaster grants, making appropriations, and providing effective and retroactive applicability dates, with report of committee without recommendation, was taken up for consideration.

The Senate stood at ease at 4:45 p.m. until the fall of the gavel for the purpose of a Republican party caucus.

The Senate resumed session at 5:22 p.m., President Kibbie presiding.

Senator Hamerlinck offered amendment [S-3011](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 3 and 4 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3011](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3011](#) lost.

Senator Hamerlinck offered amendment [S-3010](#), filed by him from the floor to page 4 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3010](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3010](#) lost.

Senator Zaun offered amendment [S-3015](#), filed by him from the floor to page 4 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3015](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3015](#) lost.

Senator Feenstra offered amendment [S-3017](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 6 and 7 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3017](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3017](#) lost.

Senator Bartz offered amendment [S-3016](#), filed by him from the floor to page 7 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A nonrecord roll call was requested.

Amendment [S-3016](#) lost.

Senator Hamerlinck offered amendment [S-3009](#), filed by him from the floor to page 7 and amending the title page of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3009](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3009](#) lost.

Senator Hamerlinck offered amendment [S-3012](#), filed by him from the floor to pages 8, 9, and 11 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3012](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3012](#) lost.

Senator Hamerlinck offered amendment [S-3014](#), filed by him from the floor to page 8 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3014](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3014](#) lost.

Senator Hamerlinck offered amendment [S-3013](#), filed by him from the floor to page 11 of the bill, and moved its adoption.

A record roll call was requested.

On the question “Shall amendment [S-3013](#) be adopted?” ([H.F. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 17:

Bartz	Hartsuch	McKinley	Wieck
Boettger	Houser	Noble	Zaun
Feenstra	Johnson	Reynolds	
Hahn	Kapucian	Seymour	
Hamerlinck	Kettering	Ward	

Nays, 32:

Appel	Dotzler	Horn	Rielly
Beall	Dvorsky	Jochum	Schmitz
Black	Fraise	Kibbie	Schoenjahn
Bolkcom	Gronstal	Kreiman	Seng
Courtney	Hancock	McCoy	Sodders
Dandekar	Hatch	Olive	Stewart
Danielson	Heckroth	Quirnbach	Warnstadt
Dearden	Hogg	Ragan	Wilhelm

Absent, 1:

Behn

Amendment [S-3013](#) lost.

Senator Hogg 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. 64](#)), the vote was:

Yeas, 49:

Appel	Fraise	Kapucian	Schoenjahn
Bartz	Gronstal	Kettering	Seng
Beall	Hahn	Kibbie	Seymour
Black	Hamerlinck	Kreiman	Sodders
Boettger	Hancock	McCoy	Stewart
Bolkcom	Hartsuch	McKinley	Ward

Courtney	Hatch	Noble	Warnstadt
Dandekar	Heckroth	Olive	Wieck
Danielson	Hogg	Quirnbach	Wilhelm
Dearden	Horn	Ragan	Zaun
Dotzler	Houser	Reynolds	
Dvorsky	Jochum	Rielly	
Feenstra	Johnson	Schmitz	

Nays, none.

Absent, 1:

Behn

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

#### IMMEDIATELY MESSAGED

Senator Gronstal asked and received unanimous consent that [House File 64](#) be **immediately messaged** to the House.

#### ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Gronstal, the Senate adjourned at 6:28 p.m. until 8:45 a.m., Thursday, January 29, 2009.

#### APPENDIX—2

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEE MEETINGS

##### EDUCATION

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 1:00 p.m.

**Members Present:** Schmitz, Chair; Schoenjahn, Vice Chair; Boettger, Ranking Member; Appel, Beall, Dvorsky, Feenstra, Hamerlinck, Heckroth, Johnson, Kreiman, McKinley, Quirnbach, Soddors, and Wilhelm.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** Passed [SF 9](#) and approved [SSB 1013](#).

**Adjourned:** 1:55 p.m.

**HUMAN RESOURCES**

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 4:05 p.m.

**Members Present:** Ragan, Chair; Schmitz, Vice Chair; Hartsuch, Ranking Member; Bartz, Boettger, Bolkcom, Dotzler, Hatch, Johnson, Quirmbach, Seymour, and Wilhelm.

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

**Committee Business:** Presentation by the Department of Public Health.

**Adjourned:** 4:35 p.m.

**RULES AND ADMINISTRATION**

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 8:50 a.m.

**Members Present:** Gronstal, Chair; Kibbie, Vice Chair; McKinley, Ranking Member; Boettger, Courtney, Dearden, Dvorsky, Kettering, Ragan, and Zaun.

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

**Committee Business:** Approval of gubernatorial committee appointees.

**Adjourned:** 8:55 a.m.

**ALSO:**

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 6:25 p.m.

**Members Present:** Gronstal, Chair; Kibbie, Vice Chair; McKinley, Ranking Member; Boettger, Courtney, Danielson, Dearden, Dvorsky, Kettering, Ragan, and Zaun.

**Members Absent:** None.

**Committee Business:** Consideration of [SR 7](#).

**Adjourned:** 6:30 p.m.

**TRANSPORTATION**

**Convened:** Wednesday, January 28, 2009, 4:05 p.m.

**Members Present:** Rielly, Chair; Beall, Vice Chair; Noble, Ranking Member; Dandekar, Hahn, Heckroth, Kapucian, McCoy, Reynolds, Warnstadt, and Zaun.

**Members Absent:** Danielson and Hancock (both excused).

**Committee Business:** Presentation by the Department of Transportation.

**Adjourned:** 4:30 p.m.

## INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTION

[Senate Resolution 7](#), by Dotzler, Courtney, and Dvorsky, a resolution to recognize the Iowa Small Business Development Centers and honor 2008 award winners Sally Nichols and John Lohman.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Rules and Administration**.

## INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

[Senate File 73](#), by Johnson, a bill for an act making appropriations to the community attraction and tourism fund for funding projects.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Appropriations**.

[Senate File 74](#), by Jochum, a bill for an act establishing a parole procedure for certain class "A" felons.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Judiciary**.

[Senate File 75](#), by Johnson and Hahn, a bill for an act prohibiting certain individuals from acting as agents for school textbooks or school supplies and making a penalty applicable.

Read first time under Rule 28 and referred to committee on **Education**.

## STUDY BILLS RECEIVED

**[SSB 1118](#) Labor and Business Relations**

Requiring the assessment of penalties for failure to timely pay certain workers' compensation benefits.

**SSB 1119 Labor and Business Relations**

Relating to the choice of doctor to treat an injured employee under workers' compensation laws and providing an effective and applicability date.

**SSB 1120 Appropriations**

Relating to employee positions authorized for the Iowa veterans home and providing an effective date.

**SSB 1121 Appropriations**

Providing for the nonreversion of appropriations and other revenues available to the Iowa veterans home and providing an effective date.

**SSB 1122 Commerce**

Requiring health care benefit coverage for certain medically necessary prosthetic devices and providing an applicability date.

**SSB 1123 State Government**

Making technical changes to the laws relating to elections and voter registration, making a penalty applicable, and including effective date and applicability date provisions.

**SSB 1124 Judiciary**

Relating to the practices and procedures of the department of public safety and other law enforcement agencies, including building inspections, controlled substance detection training, and criminal history data storage.

## SUBCOMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

Senate File 69

AGRICULTURE: Courtney, Chair; Hahn and Seng

SSB 1123

STATE GOVERNMENT: Sodders, Chair; Danielson and Feenstra

SSB 1124

JUDICIARY: Quirnbach, Chair; Kreiman and Noble

## FINAL COMMITTEE REPORTS OF BILL ACTION

## EDUCATION

**Bill Title:** SENATE FILE 9, a bill for an act relating to the disposition of school property and providing an effective date.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 15: Schmitz, Schoenjahn, Boettger, Appel, Beall, Dvorsky, Feenstra, Hamerlinck, Heckroth, Johnson, Kreiman, McKinley, Quirnbach, Sodders, and Wilhelm. Nays, none. Absent, none.

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

## RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

**Bill Title:** SENATE RESOLUTION 7, a resolution to recognize the Iowa Small Business Development Centers and honor 2008 award winners Sally Nichols and John Lohman.

**Recommendation:** DO PASS.

**Final Vote:** Ayes, 11: Gronstal, Kibbie, McKinley, Boettger, Courtney, Danielson, Dearden, Dvorsky, Kettering, Ragan, and Zaun. Nays, none. Absent, none.

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

## APPOINTMENTS

The following appointees were submitted to the Secretary of the Senate for Senate confirmation (all appointees are submitted as **members** unless otherwise specified):

<u>BY THE GOVERNOR</u>	<u>TERM</u>
ACCOUNTANCY EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 542.4) Vicky Boyington, Clarion	06/11/2008 – 04/30/2009
COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF AFRICAN-AMERICANS (Sec. 216A.142) A'Lisa Walker, Cedar Rapids	09/15/2008 – 04/30/2009
IOWA AUTISM COUNCIL (Sec. 256.35A) Katherine Byers, Indianola Joshua Cobbs, Sioux City Keith Gatrost, Center Point Ghada Hamdan-Allen, Bettendorf John Kohles, Belmond Steven Muller, Pella Pamela Parker, Urbandale Mary Percival, Des Moines Danielle Sharpe, West Des Moines Barbara Stineman, Spirit Lake Charles Wadle, West Des Moines Patrick Westhoff, Ankeny Cathy Young, Waterloo	08/21/2008 – 04/30/2012 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2012 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2011 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2011 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2012 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2012 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2011 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2010 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2011 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2012 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2010 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2010 08/21/2008 – 04/30/2010
BOARD OF BEHAVIORAL SCIENCE (Sec. 147.14(13)) Daniel Harkness, Clive	06/11/2008 – 04/30/2011
COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND (Sec. 216B.2) Steven Hagemoser, Des Moines	09/15/2008 – 04/30/2009
BOARD OF DIETETICS (Sec. 147.14(11)) Janet Johnson, Cedar Rapids	01/08/2009 – 04/30/2010
IOWA DRUG POLICY ADVISORY COUNCIL (Sec. 80E.2) David Lorenzen, Clive	10/27/2008 – 04/30/2012
IOWA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD (Sec. 15.103) John Bickel, Cedar Rapids	09/15/2008 – 04/30/2010
BOARD OF EDUCATIONAL EXAMINERS (Sec. 272.3) Laura Stevens, Milford	06/11/2008 – 04/30/2010
COMMISSION OF ELDER AFFAIRS (Sec. 231.11) Frank Leu, Sibley	01/08/2009 – 04/30/2009

## ELECTRICAL EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 103.2)

James Kenkel, Waukegan 08/20/2007 – Pleasure of the Governor

## ENGINEERING AND LAND SURVEYING EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 542B.3)

Ruth Ohde, Manning 09/15/2008 – 04/30/2011  
Marlee Walton, Ames 09/15/2008 – 04/30/2009

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMISSION (Sec. 455A.6)

Shearon Elderkin, Cedar Rapids 08/13/2008 – 04/30/2009  
Martin Stimson, Center Point 06/09/2008 – 04/30/2009  
Eugene Ver Steeg, Inwood 11/19/2008 – 04/30/2011

## IOWA FINANCE AUTHORITY (Sec. 16.2)

Darlys Baum, Burlington 07/21/2008 – 04/30/2009  
Wilfred Johnson, Waterloo 08/13/2008 – 04/30/2011

## GENERATION IOWA COMMISSION (Sec. 15.421)

Sarah Hinzman, Cedar Rapids 01/08/2009 – 04/30/2011

## DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES (Sec. 217.5)

Eugene Gessow, Des Moines 09/19/2008 – Pleasure of the Governor

## INTERIOR DESIGN EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 544C.2)

Dorothy Fowles, Ames 01/08/2009 – 04/30/2011

## IOWACCESS ADVISORY COUNCIL (Sec. 8A.221)

Randall Nyberg, Polk City 09/15/2008 – 04/30/2012

## COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF IOWANS OF ASIAN AND PACIFIC ISLANDER HERITAGE (Sec. 216A.152)

George Youi Sayavong, Sioux City 01/08/2009 – 04/30/2010

## COMMISSION ON NATIVE AMERICAN AFFAIRS (Sec. 216A.162)

Judy Allen, Council Bluffs 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2013  
Vicky Apala-Cuevas, Davenport 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2011  
Joe Coulter, Iowa City 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2013  
Theresa Essmann Mahoney, Waterloo 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2013  
John Jewett, Ames 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2013  
Larry Lasley, Tama 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2013  
George Leduc, Reinbeck 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2011  
Karen Mackey, Sioux City 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2013  
Franklin Phillips, Sioux City 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2011  
Greer Sisson, Ankeny 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2011  
Judy Yellowbank, Sioux City 08/29/2008 – 04/30/2011

## NATURAL RESOURCE COMMISSION (Sec. 455A.5)

Tammi Kircher, Keokuk 06/11/2008 – 04/30/2011

## PLUMBING AND MECHANICAL SYSTEMS EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 105.3)

Patricia Broerman, Des Moines 04/25/2008 – 04/30/2010  
Carol Crane, Boone 04/25/2008 – 04/30/2011  
Thomas Day, Cedar Rapids 04/25/2008 – 04/30/2011

Mickey Gage, New Hampton	04/25/2008 – 04/30/2009
Jane Hagedorn, Iowa City	04/25/2008 – 04/30/2010
Ronald Masters, Ankeny	04/25/2008 – 04/30/2011
Dennis Molden, Sioux City	04/25/2008 – 04/30/2009
Susan Salsman, St. Charles	04/25/2008 – 04/30/2009
Charles Thomas, Des Moines	04/25/2008 – 04/30/2010
<b>BOARD OF PODIATRY (Sec. 147.14(19))</b>	
Paul Dayton, Fort Dodge	06/11/2008 – 04/30/2011
<b>PREVENTION OF DISABILITIES POLICY COUNCIL (Sec. 225B.3)</b>	
Cheryll Jones, Bloomfield	09/15/2008 – 04/30/2009
<b>BOARD OF PSYCHOLOGY (Sec. 147.14(7))</b>	
Darshan Singh, Clive	07/01/2008 – 04/30/2011
<b>STATE RACING AND GAMING COMMISSION (Sec. 99D.5)</b>	
Paul Hayes, Urbandale	09/03/2008 – 04/30/2011
<b>STATE BOARD OF REGENTS (Sec. 262.1-2)</b>	
Greta Johnson, LeMars	10/06/2008 – 04/30/2009
<b>COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS (Sec. 35A.2)</b>	
Todd Jacobus, Des Moines	01/08/2009 – 04/30/2010
Darlene McMartin, Hancock	01/08/2009 – 04/30/2010
Cecelia Schroeder, Des Moines	05/01/2008 – 04/30/2012

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AGRICULTURE AND LAND STEWARDSHIP**

<b>GRAPE AND WINE DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION (Sec. 175A.2)</b>	
Sharman Wersen, Oskaloosa	06/26/2008 – 04/30/2011

The appointments were referred to the committee on Rules and Administration.

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON  
RULES AND ADMINISTRATION**

The committee on Rules and Administration referred the following Governor's appointments to state boards, commissions, and departments to Senate standing committees, as indicated for investigation on January 28, 2009:

**AGRICULTURE**

Sharman Wersen – Grape and Wine Development Commission

**ECONOMIC GROWTH**

John Bickel – Iowa Economic Development Board

**EDUCATION**

Laura Stevens – Board of Educational Examiners

Greta Johnson – State Board of Regents

**HUMAN RESOURCES**

Katherine Byers – Iowa Autism Council  
Joshua Cobbs – Iowa Autism Council  
Keith Gatrost – Iowa Autism Council  
Ghada Hamdan-Allen – Iowa Autism Council  
John Kohles – Iowa Autism Council  
Steven Muller – Iowa Autism Council  
Pamela Parker – Iowa Autism Council  
Mary Percival – Iowa Autism Council  
Danielle Sharpe – Iowa Autism Council  
Barbara Stineman – Iowa Autism Council  
Charles Wadle – Iowa Autism Council  
Patrick Westhoff – Iowa Autism Council  
Cathy Young – Iowa Autism Council

Daniel Harkness – Board of Behavioral Science

Steven Hagemoser – Commission for the Blind

Frank Leu – Commission of Elder Affairs

Eugene Gessow – Director of the Department of Human Services

George Youi Sayavong – Commission on Status of Iowans of Asian and Pacific  
Islander Heritage

Cheryll Jones – Prevention of Disabilities Policy Council

**JUDICIARY**

David Lorenzen – Iowa Drug Policy Advisory Council

**LABOR AND BUSINESS RELATIONS**

Patricia Broerman – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Carol Crane – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Thomas Day – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Mickey Gage – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Jane Hagedorn – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Ronald Masters – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Dennis Molden – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Susan Salsman – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board  
Charles Thomas – Plumbing and Mechanical Systems Examining Board

**NATURAL RESOURCES**

Shearon Elderkin – Environmental Protection Commission  
Martin Stimson – Environmental Protection Commission  
Eugene Ver Steeg – Environmental Protection Commission

Tammi Kircher – Natural Resource Commission

**STATE GOVERNMENT**

Vicky Boyington – Accountancy Examining Board

A'Lisa Walker – Commission on the Status of African-Americans

Janet Johnson – Board of Dietetics

James Kenkel – Electrical Examining Board

Ruth Ohde – Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board  
Marlee Walton – Engineering and Land Surveying Examining Board

Sarah Hinzman – Generation Iowa Commission

Dorothy Fowles – Interior Design Examining Board

Randall Nyberg – IowAccess Advisory Council

Judy Allen – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Vicky Apala-Cuevas – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Joe Coulter – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Theresa Essmann Mahoney – Commission on Native American Affairs  
John Jewett – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Larry Lasley – Commission on Native American Affairs  
George Leduc – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Karen Mackey – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Franklin Phillips – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Greer Sisson – Commission on Native American Affairs  
Judy Yellowbank – Commission on Native American Affairs

Paul Dayton – Board of Podiatry

Darshan Singh – Board of Psychology

Paul Hayes – State Racing and Gaming Commission

**VETERANS AFFAIRS**

Todd Jacobus – Commission of Veterans Affairs  
Darlene McMartin – Commission of Veterans Affairs  
Cecelia Schroeder – Commission of Veterans Affairs

**WAYS AND MEANS**

Darlys Baum – Iowa Finance Authority  
Wilfred Johnson – Iowa Finance Authority

**AMENDMENTS FILED**

<a href="#">S-3009</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Shawn Hamerlinck
<a href="#">S-3010</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Shawn Hamerlinck
<a href="#">S-3011</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Shawn Hamerlinck
<a href="#">S-3012</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Shawn Hamerlinck
<a href="#">S-3013</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Shawn Hamerlinck
<a href="#">S-3014</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Shawn Hamerlinck
<a href="#">S-3015</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Brad Zaun
<a href="#">S-3016</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Merlin Bartz
<a href="#">S-3017</a>	<a href="#">H.F. 64</a>	Randy Feenstra