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OF THE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

SECOND SESSION 2008
OFFICERS AND MEMBERS
OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
SECOND SESSION 2008

Joe Hackney, Speaker...........................................Chapel Hill, Orange County
William L. Wainwright, Speaker Pro Tempore.....Havelock, Craven County
Denise G. Weeks, Principal Clerk..............................Raleigh, Wake County
Robert R. Samuels, Sergeant-at-Arms ............Charlotte, Mecklenburg County

REPRESENTATIVES

1st District: Camden, Currituck, Pasquotank, and Tyrrell.
William C. Owens, Jr. (D) ...............Pasquotank.............Elizabeth City

2nd District: Chowan, Dare, Hyde, and Washington.
Timothy L. Spear (D) ................ Washington.....................Creswell

3rd District: Craven (Part) and Pamlico.
Alice Graham Underhill (D) ....Craven.............................New Bern

4th District: Duplin and Onslow (Part).
Russell E. Tucker (D) ..............Duplin..............................Pink Hill

5th District: Bertie, Gates, Hertford, and Perquimans.
Annie W. Mobley (D) .............Hertford.............................Ahoskie

6th District: Beaufort and Pitt (Part).
Arthur Williams (D) ............Beaufort..............................Washington

7th District: Halifax (Part) and Nash (Part).
Angela R. Bryant (D) ...............Nash..............................Rocky Mount

8th District: Martin and Pitt (Part).
Edith D. Warren (D) ..............Pitt...................................Farmville

9th District: Pitt (Part).
Marian N. McLawhorn (D)......Pitt...................................Grifton
10th District: Greene, Lenoir (Part), and Wayne (Part).
R. Van Braxton (D)..................Lenoir......................................Kinston

11th District: Wayne (Part).
Louis M. Pate, Jr. (R) ..............Wayne ..................................Mt. Olive

12th District: Craven (Part) and Lenoir (Part).
William L. Wainwright (D) .... Craven..................................Havelock

13th District: Carteret and Jones.
Pat McElraft (R) ...................Carteret ..........................Emerald Isle

14th District: Onslow (Part).
George G. Cleveland (R) .... Onslow ..................................Jacksonville

15th District: Onslow (Part).
W. Robert Grady (R) ............Onslow ..................................Jacksonville

16th District: New Hanover (Part) and Pender (Part).
Carolyn H. Justice (R) ..........Pender ..................................Hampstead

17th District: Brunswick (Part).
Bonner L. Stiller (R) .............Brunswick ..........................Oak Island

18th District: New Hanover (Part) and Pender (Part).
Sandra Spaulding Hughes (D) ..New Hanover ..................Wilmington

19th District: New Hanover (Part).
Daniel F. McComas (R) .... New Hanover ........................Wilmington

20th District: Brunswick (Part) and Columbus.
Dewey L. Hill (D) .................Columbus ..........................Lake Waccamaw

21st District: Sampson (Part) and Wayne (Part).
Larry M. Bell (D) ..................Sampson ..........................Clinton

22nd District: Bladen and Cumberland (Part).
William D. Brisson (D) ........ Bladen ..................................Dublin

23rd District: Edgecombe (Part) and Wilson (Part).
Joe P. Tolson (D) ..............Edgecombe ..........................Pinetops

24th District: Edgecombe (Part) and Wilson (Part).
Jean Farmer-Butterfield (D) ..Wilson ..........................Wilson
25th District: Nash (Part).
   William G. Daughtridge, Jr. (R) ..Nash ....................................Rocky Mount

26th District: Johnston (Part).
   N. Leo Daughtry (R) .................Johnston .......................Smithfield

27th District: Northampton, Vance (Part), and Warren.
   Michael H. Wray (D) .............Northampton ....................Gaston

28th District: Johnston (Part) and Sampson (Part).
   James H. Langdon, Jr. (R) ......Johnston ......................... Angier

29th District: Durham (Part).
   Larry D. Hall (D) ...........Durham ............................ Durham

30th District: Durham (Part).
   Paul Luebke (D) ..................Durham ............................ Durham

31st District: Durham (Part).
   Henry M. Michaux, Jr. (D) .....Durham ............................ Durham

32nd District: Granville and Vance (Part).
   James W. Crawford, Jr. (D) ....Granville ....................... Oxford

33rd District: Wake (Part).
   Daniel T. Blue, Jr. (D) .......Wake ................................ Raleigh

34th District: Wake (Part).
   D. Grier Martin, III (D) ......Wake ................................ Raleigh

35th District: Wake (Part).
   Jennifer Weiss (D) ..............Wake ................................ Cary

36th District: Wake (Part).
   Nelson Dollar (R) ...........Wake ................................ Cary

37th District: Wake (Part).
   Paul Stam (R) .................Wake ................................ Apex

38th District: Wake (Part).
   Deborah K. Ross (D) ..........Wake ................................ Raleigh
39th District: Wake (Part).
   Linda Coleman (D) .................. Wake .................................. Knightdale

40th District: Wake (Part).
   Marilyn Avila (R) .................... Wake .................................. Raleigh

41st District: Wake (Part).
   Ty Harrell (D) ....................... Wake .................................. Raleigh

42nd District: Cumberland (Part).
   Marvin W. Lucas (D) ............... Cumberland ........................... Spring Lake

43rd District: Cumberland (Part).
   Mary E. McAllister (D) ........... Cumberland ............................. Fayetteville

44th District: Cumberland (Part).
   Margaret Highsmith Dickson (D) .. Cumberland .......................... Fayetteville

45th District: Cumberland (Part).
   Rick Glazier (D) .................... Cumberland .......................... Fayetteville

46th District: Hoke (Part), Robeson (Part), and Scotland (Part).
   Douglas Y. Yongue (D) ............ Scotland ............................... Laurinburg

47th District: Robeson (Part).
   Ronnie N. Sutton (D) ............... Robeson .............................. Pembroke

48th District: Hoke (Part), Robeson (Part), and Scotland (Part).
   Garland E. Pierce (D) .............. Scotland ............................... Wagram

49th District: Franklin, Halifax (Part), and Nash (Part).
   Lucy T. Allen (D) .................. Franklin .................................. Louisburg

50th District: Caswell and Orange (Part).
   Bill Faison (D) ..................... Orange ............................... Cedar Grove

51st District: Harnett (Part) and Lee.
   Jimmy L. Love, Sr. (D) ............ Lee ........................................ Sanford

52nd District: Moore (Part).
   Joe Boylan (R) ..................... Moore .................................... Pinehurst

53rd District: Harnett (Part).
   David R. Lewis (R) ................. Harnett .................................. Dunn
54th District: Chatham, Moore (Part), and Orange (Part).
   Joe Hackney (D) ......................Orange ..............................Chapel Hill

55th District: Durham (Part) and Person.
   W. A. (Winkie) Wilkins (D) ....Person ............................... Roxboro

56th District: Orange (Part).
   Verla C. Insko (D) ................Orange ..............................Chapel Hill

57th District: Guilford (Part).
   Pricey Harrison (D) ..............Guilford ..........................Greensboro

58th District: Guilford (Part).
   Alma Adams (D) ....................Guilford ..........................Greensboro

59th District: Guilford (Part).
   Maggie Jeffus (D) ................Guilford ..........................Greensboro

60th District: Guilford (Part).
   Earl Jones (D) .....................Guilford ..........................Greensboro

61st District: Guilford (Part).
   Laura I. Wiley (R) ..............Guilford ..........................High Point

62nd District: Guilford (Part).
   John M. Blust (R) ...............Guilford ..........................Greensboro

63rd District: Alamance (Part).
   Alice L. Bordsen (D) ..........Alamance ..........................Mebane

64th District: Alamance (Part).
   Cary D. Allred (R) ............Alamance ..........................Burlington

65th District: Rockingham (Part).
   Nelson Cole (D) ..............Rockingham ........................ Reidsville

66th District: Montgomery (Part) and Richmond.
   Melanie Wade Goodwin (D) ....Richmond ..........................Rockingham

67th District: Montgomery (Part), Stanly, and Union (Part).
   Ken R. Furr (R) ..................Stanly .............................Albemarle

68th District: Union (Part).
   Curtis Blackwood, Jr. (R) ......Union .............................Matthews
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   Phillip Frye (R)........................Mitchell............................ Spruce Pine

85th District: Burke (Part) and McDowell.
   Mitch Gillespie (R) ..................McDowell ..........................Marion

86th District: Burke (Part).
   Walter G. Church, Sr. (D)............Burke ..............................Valdese

87th District: Caldwell (Part).
   Edgar V. Starnes (R) ..................Caldwell ..........................Hickory

88th District: Alexander and Catawba (Part).
   Ray Warren (D) ......................Alexander ..........................Hiddenite

89th District: Catawba (Part) and Iredell (Part).
   Mitchell S. Setzer (R) ..............Catawba .......................... Catawba

90th District: Alleghany and Surry (Part).
   Jim Harrell, III (D) .................Surry ..............................Elkin

91st District: Rockingham (Part) and Stokes.
   Bryan R. Holloway (R) ...............Stokes .............................King

92nd District: Iredell (Part), Surry (Part), and Yadkin.
   George M. Holmes (R) ..............Yadkin ..............................Hamptonville

93rd District: Ashe and Watauga.
   Cullie M. Tarleton (D) .............Watauga ........................... Blocking Rock

94th District: Wilkes.
   R. Tracy Walker (R) .....................Wilkes ..........................Wilkesboro

95th District: Iredell (Part).
   Karen B. Ray (R) ....................Iredell .......................... Mooresville

96th District: Catawba (Part).
   Mark K. Hilton (R) ..................Catawba ........................ Conover

97th District: Lincoln.
   Joe L. Kiser (R) ......................Lincoln ...........................Vale

98th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
   Thom Tillis (R) ......................Mecklenburg ........................Huntersville
99th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Drew P. Saunders (D) .............Mecklenburg.........................Huntersville

100th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Tricia Ann Cotham (D)...........Mecklenburg..................................Charlotte

101st District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Beverly M. Earle (D) .............Mecklenburg...............................Charlotte

102nd District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Becky Carney (D) .................Mecklenburg...............................Charlotte

103rd District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Jim Gulley (R) ....................Mecklenburg...............................Matthews

104th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Ruth Samuelson (R) .............Mecklenburg...............................Charlotte

105th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Ric Killian (R) ....................Mecklenburg...............................Charlotte

106th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Martha B. Alexander (D) .........Mecklenburg...............................Charlotte

107th District: Mecklenburg (Part).
Kelly M. Alexander, Jr. (D) ....Mecklenburg...............................Charlotte
(Appointed 5/30/08)

108th District: Gaston (Part).
Wil Neumann (R) ..................Gaston.................................Belmont

109th District: Gaston (Part).
William A. Current, Sr. (R) ....Gaston.................................Gastonia

110th District: Cleveland (Part) and Gaston (Part).
Debbie A. Clary (R) .............Cleveland.................................Cherryville

111th District: Cleveland (Part).
Tim Moore (R) .....................Cleveland...............................Kings Mountain

112th District: Cleveland (Part) and Rutherford.
Bob England, M.D. (D) ..........Rutherford...............................Ellenboro
113th District: Henderson (Part), Polk, and Transylvania.
   Trudi Walend (R).......................... Transylvania ....................... Brevard

114th District: Buncombe (Part).
   Susan C. Fisher (D)........................ Buncombe ......................... Asheville

115th District: Buncombe (Part).
   Bruce Goforth (D)........................ Buncombe .......................... Asheville

116th District: Buncombe (Part).
   Charles C. Thomas (R) ................ Buncombe ......................... Asheville

117th District: Henderson (Part).
   Carolyn K. Justus (R) ................ Henderson ....................... Hendersonville

118th District: Haywood (Part), Madison, and Yancey (Part).
   Ray Rapp (D).............................. Madison .......................... Mars Hill

119th District: Haywood (Part), Jackson, Macon (Part), and Swain.
   R. Phillip Haire (D) .................. Jackson .................................. Sylva

120th District: Cherokee, Clay, Graham, and Macon (Part).
   Roger West (R) ......................... Cherokee .......................... Marble
The House meets at 12:00 Noon pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God:

"All good things are gracious gifts extended to us from the portals of heaven and Your merciful hand. The gift of today, this first day of the Short Session is a day of new beginnings. It is a day to remember, and it is a day to move on. As this Honorable Body begins anew, may we all be reminded of the oath of office and our duty to represent the gracious folks who evidently saw fit to send us here. Fill us with Your grace and endow us with the dignity and resolve necessary to fulfill our responsibilities. Keep us humble in spirit, gracious in debate, and kind to one another. May our actions bring honor to our folks back home and to the people of this great State. Incline Thine ear to us and answer our prayer. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of September 11, 2007, has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

There are no excused absences for today.

May 13, 2008
THE RECEIVING OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND PAPERS ADDRESSED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR TO THE HOUSE

THE APPOINTMENT OF SANDRA SPAULDING HUGHES

2007-2008

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Thomas E. Wright, elected Representative from the Eighteenth House District 2007-2008 General Assembly, has been expelled; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of General Statute § 163-11 require that the vacancy created by the expulsion of Thomas E. Wright be filled by appointment of the person recommended by the Eighteenth State House District Executive Committee of the Democratic Party of North Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the Eighteenth State House District Executive Committee of the Democratic Party has notified me of its recommendation of Sandra Spaulding Hughes of New Hanover County, North Carolina, to fill the unexpired term,

I do by these presents appoint

SANDRA SPAULDING HUGHES

as a member of the

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

2007-2008 General Assembly

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in the City of Raleigh, this eighth day of April in the year of our Lord two thousand and eight, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-second.

S/ Mike Easley
Governor

May 13, 2008
OATH FOR MEMBERS OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
2007 SESSION

"I, SANDRA SPAULDING HUGHES, do solemnly and sincerely
swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States; that I will be
faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the
constititional powers and authorities which are or may be established for
the government thereof; and that I will endeavor to support, maintain and
defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution
of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; so help me
God.

"I, SANDRA SPAULDING HUGHES, do swear (or affirm) that I will
well and truly execute the duties of the office of a member of the House of
Representatives according to the best of my skill and ability, according to
law; so help me, God."

Speaker Hackney states that Representative Hughes will occupy Seat 5.

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THE HOUSE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
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Michael F. Easley
Governor

April 18, 2008

The Honorable Joe Hackney
Speaker of the House

May 13, 2008
North Carolina General Assembly
2304 Legislative Building
Raleigh, NC 27601

Dear Speaker Hackney:

Pursuant to North Carolina General Statute § 143B-426.37, I hereby appoint David McCoy to serve as State Controller of the Office of the State Controller and submit his name for confirmation by the North Carolina General Assembly. His term shall begin July 1, 2008 and will expire June 30, 2015.

Enclosed is biographical information on this appointee. Please feel free to call on him or members of my staff if you need additional information.

With kindest regards, I remain.

Very truly yours,
S/ Mike Easley

The Speaker refers the letter to the Committee on Finance.

THE RECEIVING OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND PAPERS ADDRESSED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR TO THE HOUSE

The following resolution from the State of Colorado is read:

**HJR 8004, A HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION CONCERNING PARTICIPATION IN THE "LEGISLATORS STEP TO HEALTH" PROGRAM.**

The Speaker states that the resolution will be on file in the office of the House Principal Clerk.

**ADDENDA TO COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

May 13, 2008

The Speaker appoints Representative Hughes to the following committees: Appropriations; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Health; Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs; Insurance; and Transportation.

May 13, 2008
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON CAPITAL: 
Add Representative Owens; add Representative Owens as Vice Chair.

APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON GENERAL GOVERNMENT: 
Remove Representative Owens.

ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES:
Remove Representative J. Harrell.

HEALTH: Add Representative England as Chair; add Representative J. Harrell.

HOMELAND SECURITY, MILITARY, AND VETERAN AFFAIRS:
Add Representative Hall as Vice Chair.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Allen, Alexander, Coleman, Dickson, Goodwin, Justice, Luebke, Pierce, Ross, Underhill, Wainwright, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2074, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE JUVENILE CRIME PREVENTION COUNCILS FOR THE COUNCILS’ PROGRAMS ON A RECURRING BASIS, is referred to the Committee on Juvenile Justice and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

Pages for the week of May 13 are introduced to the membership. They are: Liam Bishop; Robert Cannon; Rashawn Clemons; Challie Edwards; Madelynn Erickson; Darryl Jagmohan; Alexus Jones; Brittany Jones; McKenzie Kelly; Barbara Perry; Lloyd Puckett; Tyler Rice; Justin Royster; and Frederick Yarborough.

All of the Pages this week are cadets at the NC Tarheel ChalleNGe Academy in Sampson County and are sponsored by Speaker Hackney.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, S.B. 716 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO: (1) EXTEND THE MORATORIUM ON THE CONSIDERATION OF

May 13, 2008
PERMIT APPLICATIONS AND ISSUANCE OF PERMITS FOR THE
CONSTRUCTION OF NEW LANDFILLS IN THE STATE TO 1 SEPTEMBER
2008; (2) TO REPEAL THE EXEMPTION FOR SANITARY LANDFILLS
OPERATED BY LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM THE REQUIRE-
MENTS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENTS UNDER
THE NORTH CAROLINA ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT OF 1971;
(3) CLARIFY THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH AN APPLI-
CATION FOR A SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PERMIT MAY BE
DENIED; (4) PROVIDE THAT SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
PERMITS ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE; (5) INCREASE THE PENAL-
TIES THAT MAY BE IMPOSED FOR SOLID WASTE VIOLATIONS;
(6) REQUIRE THAT AN APPLICANT FOR A PERMIT AND A PERMIT
HOLDER ESTABLISH FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE
THE AVAILABILITY OF SUFFICIENT FUNDS FOR PROPER DESIGN,
CONSTRUCTION, OPERATION, MAINTENANCE, CLOSURE, AND
POST-CLOSURE MONITORING AND MAINTENANCE OF A SOLID
WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY; (7) CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE
SCOPE OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE REVIEW REQUIRE-
MENTS; (8) CLARIFY THAT A PARENT, SUBSIDIARY, OR OTHER
AFFILIATE OF THE APPLICANT OR PARENT, INCLUDING ANY
BUSINESS ENTITY OR JOINT VENTURER WITH A DIRECT OR IN-
DIRECT INTEREST IN THE APPLICANT IS SUBJECT TO FINANCIAL
RESPONSIBILITY AND ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE REVIEW;
(9) PROVIDE FOR SITING OF COMBUSTION PRODUCTS LANDFILLS
IN AREAS THAT HAVE BEEN FORMERLY USED FOR THE
STORAGE OR DISPOSAL OF COMBUSTION PRODUCTS FROM
COAL-FIRED GENERATING UNITS AT THE SAME FACILITY THAT
GENERATED THE COMBUSTION PRODUCTS, AND TECHNICAL
REQUIREMENTS FOR THESE LANDFILLS; (10) CLARIFY THE CIR-
CUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH A UNIT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT
MAY COLLECT A SOLID WASTE AVAILABILITY FEE; (11) AUTHO-
RIZE UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO HIRE LANDFILL
LIAISONS; (12) DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT
AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DEVELOP A PROPOSED RE-
CYCLING PROGRAM FOR FLUORESCENT LAMPS; (13) DIRECT
THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION TO STUDY ISSUES
RELATED TO THE FRANCHISE OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
FACILITIES BY UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT, TRANSPORTA-
TION OF SOLID WASTE BY RAIL AND BARGE, AND SITING AND
TECHNICAL STANDARDS FOR SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT
FACILITIES; AND (14) MAKE RELATED CLARIFYING, CONFORMING,
AND TECHNICAL CHANGES, is withdrawn from the Committee on Finance
and re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

May 13, 2008
On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Hughes, the House adjourns at 12:29 p.m. to reconvene May 14 at 3:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTEENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, May 14, 2008

The House meets at 3:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Merciful God:

"You are always more willing to listen than we are to pray. Indeed, You know our needs before we even know what to ask of You. None of us are without difficult and trying times in our lives. Hear us as we seek Thy face, O God, and when the storms of life are raging, stand by us. In the midst of tribulation, stand by us. In the midst of faults and failures, stand by us. And, when the world is tossing us like a ship upon the sea, Thou who rulest wind and water, calm the storms of our lives, and grant us Thy peace. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 13 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Braxton, Brubaker, McElraft, and Moore for today.

THE RECEIVING OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND PAPERS ADDRESSED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR TO THE HOUSE

The following petition from "The Carolinas' Full Throttle Magazine" and "BOLT" is read:

"REPEAL THE NORTH CAROLINA MOTORCYCLE HELMET LAW"

May 14, 2008
The Speaker states that the petition is on file in the Office of the House Principal Clerk.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Cole and Dockham:

**H.J.R. 2075**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUCCESS OF THE REIDSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Howard, Avila, and Brown:

**H.J.R. 2076**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, IN MAKING CERTIFICATE OF NEED DETERMINATIONS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EXPANSION OR RENOVATION OF EXISTING HEALTH CARE FACILITIES, TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION CERTAIN FACTORS WITH RESPECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF SUITABLE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES SERVING COUNTIES WITH RELATIVELY SMALL POPULATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Owens, England, and Current (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Bordsen, Brown, Cotham, Earle, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Justus, Luebke, Neumann, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, Walend, E. Warren, and Wray:

**H.B. 2077**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR PARTIAL FUNDING OF INFRASTRUCTURE TO CONNECT FREE CLINICS IN AN INTEGRATED AND INTEROPERABLE NETWORK, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Alexander, Luebke, and Dickson (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Bell, Bordsen, Brisson, Brown, Bryant, Church, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Glazier, Goodwin, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hughes, Jeffus, Martin, McComas, McLawhorn, Pierce, Ross, Spear, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, Walker, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, Williams, and Wray:

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H.B. 2078, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN, INC., is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tarleton, Alexander, and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Avila, Brown, Cotham, Dockham, Dollar, Faison, Frye, Glazier, Gulley, Holmes, Lewis, Steen, Tillis, R. Warren, and Wray:

H.J.R. 2079, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM ON WINNING ITS THIRD CONSECUTIVE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Tarleton, Holmes, and Underhill:

H.B. 2080, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE OUTDOOR HISTORICAL DRAMA "HORN IN THE WEST", is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


H.B. 2081, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MONTHLY PENSION FOR MEMBERS OF THE FIREMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD WORKER'S PENSION FUND, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Ross, Yongue, Glazier, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Blue, Bordsen, Brisson, Coleman, Cotham, Dockham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, T. Harrell, Hill, Luebke, Martin, McLawhorn, Pierce, Tarleton, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2082, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA LITERACY CONNECTION PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wray, Faison, Glazier, Hill, Hughes, and E. Warren:

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H.B. 2083, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE CLINICAL TEACHING AND RESEARCH FUND, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Steen and Coates (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2084, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II, and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Crawford and England (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Coleman, Cotham, Dockham, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, and R. Warren:

H.B. 2085, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR PREVENT BLINDNESS NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Howard, Holliman, and Dockham (Primary Sponsors); and Brown:

H.B. 2086, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE TRUCK DRIVER TRAINING PROGRAM ON THE DAVIE CAMPUS OF DAVIDSON COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Coleman, Stam, Ross and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Bordsen, Brown, Cotham, Dollar, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Gibson, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hurley, Langdon, Luebke, Martin, Tarleton, Tillis, Wainwright, Walend, E. Warren, and Weiss:

H.B. 2087, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR HOUSING PROJECTS FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cotham and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Coleman, Faison, Fisher, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier, Hill, McLawhorn, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, and Wray:

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H.B. 2088. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA BIO-TECHNOLOGY CENTER HEADQUARTERS BUILDING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson and Cotham (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Bordsen, Dockham, Earle, Faison, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Glazier, Hurley, Johnson, Luebke, Martin, McLawhorn, Neumann, Setzer, Tarleton, Tillis, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2089. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., PROGRAMS AND SERVICES AND FOR TWO PERFORMANCE LEARNING CENTERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Crawford, Jeffus, and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Brisson, Brown, Bryant, Cotham, Dockham, Faison, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier, Harrison, Howard, Hughes, Hurley, Justice, Justus, Luebke, McComas, McLawhorn, Pate, Pierce, Setzer, Spear, Starnes, Stiller, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, Walend, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2090. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE STATE'S PUBLIC LIBRARY SYSTEMS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARY COLLECTIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Brown and Folwell (Primary Sponsors); and Parmon:

H.B. 2091. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Brown and Folwell (Primary Sponsors); and Parmon:

H.B. 2092. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE TOWN'S FIRE DEPARTMENT, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Neumann, Current, and Clary (Primary Sponsors):

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H.B. 2093. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWN OF LOWELL TO AREAS LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES MAY USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITH POSTED SPEED LIMITS OF THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR OR LESS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Dollar, Weiss, and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2094. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CARY TO USE ELECTRONIC MEANS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC HEARINGS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representative Boylan:

H.B. 2095. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF PINEHURST TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING GOLF CARTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Boylan and Gulley:

H.B. 2096. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SINGLE COUNTYWIDE DEER HUNTING SEASON FOR ALL OF MOORE COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Gibson, J. Harrell, Goforth, and Lewis (Primary Sponsors); Avila, Boylan, Brown, Cleveland, Coates, Dockham, Dollar, Faison, Gulley, Hilton, Jeffus, Killian, Langdon, Samuelson, Setzer, Starnes, Thomas, and Tillis:

H.B. 2097. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE AUTHORIZATION FOR ALL COUNTIES TO LEVY A ONE-FOURTH CENT LOCAL LAND TRANSFER TAX, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Tolson, Yongue, and Cotham (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen, Church, Coleman, Dockham, Faison, Fisher, Jeffus, McLawhorn, Pate, Underhill, R. Warren, and Wray:

H.B. 2098. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDEFINE THE TERM "PART-TIME STUDENT" FOR PURPOSES OF THE LEGISLATIVE TUITION GRANT, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Jeffus, Brubaker, Wiley, and Holliman (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Barnhart, Bordsen, Brown, Daughtry, Dockham, Folwell, Gulley, Harrison, Holmes, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Jones, McLawhorn, Steen, Tarleton, and Wray:

**H.B. 2099.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT GLOBAL MARKETING, COMMUNICATIONS, AND PROMOTIONS OF THE HIGH POINT INTERNATIONAL HOME FURNISHINGS MARKET, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Saunders and Crawford (Primary Sponsors); and Coleman:

**H.B. 2100.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE STATUTES TO CLARIFY LEGISLATIVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION DOCUMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM EVALUATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Representative Furr:

**H.B. 2101.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF OAKBORO AND LOCUST TO THE CITIES AND TOWNS THAT MAY REGULATE GOLF CARTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Tolson and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Brown, Brubaker, Church, Cotham, Dockham, Fisher, Gibson, Glazier, Haire, Harrison, Holliman, Hurley, Luebke, McLawhorn, Underhill, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wiley, and Wray:

**H.B. 2102.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT THE NORTH CAROLINA ZOOLOGICAL PARK, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, Haire, Blue, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Brubaker, Church, Coleman, Dockham, Faison, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Goforth, Gulley, Hughes, Johnson, Langdon, Luebke, McLawhorn, Pierce, Setzer, Spear, Stiller, Tarleton, Tucker, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2103.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA 4-H CAMPS AND CONFERENCE CENTERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.J.R. 1580, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING NORTH CAROLINA VETERANS DURING OBSERVANCE OF VETERANS DAY AT THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON RECOGNIZING THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO SERVED DURING THE KOREAN WAR, is read the first time.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Allred, the House adjourns at 3:32 p.m. to reconvene May 15 at 10:00 a.m.

ONE HUNDRED EIGHTEENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, May 15, 2008

The House meets at 10:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Sovereign God:

"You created the days for work and the evenings for rest. We added the weekend to help us with the completion of our time of rest. As the Short Session works to get its sea legs, bills are introduced and committees begin their sorting, editing, and recommendations, grant that we may find rest in the weekend to come. Renew us and energize us so that our refreshed minds and bodies can return ready and able to continue the people’s work in this place. Grant us traveling mercies and be our constant companion and friend through all of our journeys. Amen."

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 14 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Braxton, Brubaker, Church, Clary, Insko, McElraft, Moore, and Ray for today.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.J.R. 1580**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING NORTH CAROLINA VETERANS DURING OBSERVANCE OF VETERANS DAY AT THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON RECOGNIZING THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO SERVED DURING THE KOREAN WAR. (RESOLUTION 2008-2)

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Glazier, Rapp, Lucas, and Cotham (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Carney, Church, Dickson, Faison, Goodwin, Harrison, Insko, Luebke, Pierce, Ross, Underhill, Wainwright, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2104**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO TEACH CRITICAL FOREIGN LANGUAGES IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Ross, Blue, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Blackwood, Bryant, Church, Cleveland, Coleman, Faison, Goodwin, Luebke, Thomas, Wainwright, Weiss, and Wray:

**H.B. 2105**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

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H.B. 2106, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE PAMLICO-TAR RIVER FOUNDATION, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Moore, Clary, and England (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2107, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A TWO HUNDRED FIFTY-TWO BED DORMITORY, KITCHEN, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, AND GATEHOUSE AT THE CLEVELAND CORRECTIONAL CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Moore and Clary (Primary Sponsors); Current and England:

H.B. 2108, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE KINGS MOUNTAIN GATEWAY TRAILS PROJECT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Crawford and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Cotham, Faison, and Wray:

H.B. 2109, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE BIOFUELS CENTER OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CONTINUE THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STRATEGIC PLAN FOR BIOFUELS LEADERSHIP, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Insko, Braxton, and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Cotham, England, Faison, Glazier, Justice, McComas, Wainwright, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2110, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO DEVELOP IMPLEMENTATION PLANS TO EXPAND THE STATE'S PUBLIC MEDICAL SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Blackwood, Brown, Church, Cleveland, Current, Howard, Justice, Justus, Moore, Setzer, Steen, Stiller, Walend, and Walker:

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H.B. 2111, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE INCOME LIMIT FROM THE CREDIT FOR PREMIUMS PAID ON LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE, is referred to the Committee on Insurance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Blackwood, Brown, Church, Cleveland, Current, Dockham, Frye, Hilton, Hurley, Justice, McComas, Moore, Pate, Setzer, Steen, Stiller, Walend, and Walker:

H.B. 2112, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE INCOME ELIGIBILITY LIMIT FOR THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION TO THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS AND TO REPEAL CHANGES TO THE DEFINITION OF INCOME FOR PURPOSES OF THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, is referred to the Committee on Aging and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Spear, E. Warren, and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Goodwin, and Justice:

H.B. 2113, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR THE STATE'S RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT COUNCILS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Hill:

H.B. 2114, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADJUST THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE TOWN OF BOLTON, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hill and Williams (Primary Sponsors); Avila, Brisson, Church, Faison, Glazier, Pate, and Underhill:

H.B. 2115, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PURCHASE AN EMERGENCY GENERATOR FOR CONSTABLE LABORATORY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Hill, Crawford, Hughes, Justice, McComas, Pate, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2116, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE STATE PORTS TAX CREDIT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

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By Representatives Sutton, Boylan, Bryant, Cleveland, Coleman, Current, England, Faison, Glazier, Hurley, Insko, Johnson, Justus, Langdon, McLawhorn, Moore, Spear, Steen, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, and Wray:

**H.B. 2117**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RETIRE WITH UNREDUCED BENEFITS AFTER COMPLETING TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS OF SERVICE, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tarleton and Holmes:

**H.B. 2118**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE MARIAM AND ROBERT HAYES PERFORMING ARTS CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tarleton, Cotham, England, Glazier, Holmes, Walker, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2119**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO ASSIST WITH THE PLANNING COSTS FOR THE NEW FACILITY FOR THE COLLEGE OF NURSING AND HEALTH SCIENCES AT APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Haire:

**H.B. 2120**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE MACON COUNTY MULTIPURPOSE GROUP HOME, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Haire:

**H.B. 2121**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM, ON, OR ACROSS THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF A PUBLIC ROAD OR HIGHWAY IN JACKSON COUNTY, WITH CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representative Haire:

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H.B. 2122, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SHINING OF LIGHTS IN DEER AREAS IN JACKSON COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Allred and Bordsen (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2123, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES AND COYOTES IN ALAMANCE COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Church, Moore, and Clary (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blackwood, Cotham, Gillespie, and Hill:

H.B. 2124, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION NOT TO RECOUP FUNDS PAID IN ERROR FOR ABCS BONUSES IN CERTAIN SCHOOL SYSTEMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Love and Lewis (Primary Sponsors); Pate and Underhill:

H.J.R. 2125, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE FOUNDERS OF BARBECUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DURING THE CHURCH'S TWO HUNDRED FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Alexander, Adams, Bryant, Carney, Church, Coleman, Cotham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hurley, Insko, Luebke, McLawhorn, Pierce, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2126, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE CHILD CARE SUBSIDY PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Alexander, Church, and Faison:

H.B. 2127, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW ESTABLISHING REGIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCILS UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE WITH DISABILITIES, SO AS TO SAVE FUNDS AND AVOID DUPLICATION, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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By Representative Spear:

**H.B. 2128**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO COMPLETE THE SIGNERS MEMORIAL ON THE GROUNDS OF THE CHOWAN COUNTY COURTHOUSE HONORING HUGH WILLIAMSON, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, McLawhorn, Rapp, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Bell, Blackwood, Bryant, Dickson, Dockham, England, Faison, Fisher, Goodwin, Hurley, Justice, Tarleton, Tucker, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2129**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AN ENROLLMENT GROWTH RESERVE TO ASSIST COMMUNITY COLLEGES THAT EXPERIENCE HIGH GROWTH IN ENROLLMENT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, McLawhorn, Glazier, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Blackwood, Boylan, Bryant, Cleveland, Coleman, Current, Dickson, Dockham, England, Faison, Fisher, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Jeffus, Justice, Langdon, Lewis, Lucas, Luebke, Moore, Tarleton, Tucker, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2130**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO INCREASE THE SALARIES OF FULL-TIME COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACULTY AND PROFESSIONAL STAFF, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Crawford, Alexander, Bell, Coleman, Cotham, Current, Dockham, England, Faison, Glazier, Goodwin, Hurley, Insko, Jeffus, Langdon, Lewis, McLawhorn, Pate, Pierce, Spear, Tarleton, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

**H.B. 2131**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, FOR EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative J. Harrell:

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H.B. 2132, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Allred and Bordsen (Primary Sponsors); Current, Faison, Killian, Lewis, Luebke, and Weiss:

H.R. 2133, A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF ALAMANCE.

BILL PLACED ON CALENDAR

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), H.R. 2133, A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF ALAMANCE, is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution is adopted, by electronic vote (105-0), and ordered printed.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Bell, the House adjourns at 10:32 a.m. to reconvene Monday, May 19, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, May 19, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Sovereign God:

"You have placed an inward and sincere desire to help our fellow neighbor within all of us. As we live, work and play in the comfort of our own environs, we pause to remember our sisters and brothers on far off

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shores and in distant lands whose lives have been turned upside down by natural disasters. There is so much work to be done and so much that can be done. But, there are those within the countries of Myanmar and China seeking to hinder the efforts of the international community by either refusing our help altogether or by censoring the efforts provided. Break the hearts of the leaders of these countries who would impede relief efforts. Let them see the fragility and plight of their own people. And, by Your power, let us in to help them…our sisters and brothers…Your own children. This we humbly pray. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 15 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Earle, Langdon, Ray, Thomas, and Wray for today.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Weiss, Dollar, and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); and Hughes:

**H.B. 2134**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CARY TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency.

By Representatives Tarleton, Allred, Bordsen, Brown, Bryant, Church, Coates, Cotham, Current, Dickson, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Harrison, Hill, Justice, Killian, Mobley, Moore, Pierce, Setzer, and Underhill:

**H.B. 2135**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL PLATES RECOGNIZING THE SEVERAL BRANCHES OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Cole and Coates (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Bordsen, Carney, Church, Dockham, Dollar, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye,

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H.B. 2136, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM PARTICIPATING IN OR COMPLYING WITH THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Gibson, Folwell, Yongue, and Pate (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Blackwood, Boylan, Brown, Coates, England, Faison, Glazier, Goforth, T. Harrell, Insko, Johnson, Justice, McGee, Setzer, Spear, and Tucker:

H.B. 2137, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS AND TO REENACT THE SALES AND USE TAX REFUND FOR LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS, SO AS TO OPTIMIZE SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION FUNDING, is referred to the Committee on Finance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Gibson, Avila, Blackwood, Daughtridge, Frye, Gulley, Hill, Johnson, Killian, McElraft, Owens, and Tucker:

H.B. 2138, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE TO MANAGE STORMWATER IN COASTAL COUNTIES, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Wray and Ray (Primary Sponsors); Alexander and Underhill:

H.B. 2139, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY MANDATORY BOATING SAFETY EDUCATION, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Alexander, Crawford, Insko, and England (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Bordsen, Brisson, Church, Cotham, Dickson, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Goforth, Hall, Harrison, Luebke, Martin, McLawhorn, Ray, Underhill, E. Warren, R. Warren, and Weiss:

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H.B. 2140, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE TEACCH PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); England, Faison, Glazier, Pierce, Underhill, and R. Warren:

H.B. 2141, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT STUDENTS WHO ATTEND PRIVATE COLLEGES MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIPS FROM THE EARNED ACCESS REWARDS NORTH CAROLINA SCHOLARS FUND (EARN), is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); England, Faison, and R. Warren:

H.B. 2142, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THAT FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR THE FOCUSED EDUCATION REFORM PILOT PROGRAM SHALL NOT REVERT AT THE END OF EACH FISCAL YEAR, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren, and Williams (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2143, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO RENOVATE THE AYDEN COMMUNITY CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren, Tolson, and Williams (Primary Sponsors); Church, Cleveland, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Spear, and Wray:

H.B. 2144, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO ASSIST WITH THE CONSTRUCTION COSTS OF A FACILITY TO HOUSE THE DENTAL SCHOOL AND ITS CLINICAL OPERATIONS AT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY AND THE CONSTRUCTION COSTS OF COMMUNITY-BASED DENTAL CLINICS TO BE LOCATED THROUGHOUT THE STATE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives McLawhorn, Womble, Carney, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Bordsen, Church, Coates, Cotham, Dickson, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Goforth, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Jeffus, Lucas, Martin, Pierce, Rapp, Tarleton, Wainwright, E. Warren, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2145**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE TEACHER CADET PROGRAM TO ALL COUNTIES IN THE STATE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Glazier, Rapp, and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Bordsen, Bryant, Carney, Church, Coates, Cotham, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Insko, Jeffus, Lucas, Neumann, Pierce, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2146**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Glazier, Rapp, and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Blackwood, Bordsen, Brisson, Bryant, Church, Coates, Cotham, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Jeffus, Lucas, Neumann, Pierce, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2147**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REESTABLISH AND PLACE A RENEWED EMPHASIS ON TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS IN THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Rapp, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Faison, Lucas, and E. Warren:

**H.B. 2148**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE STATUTE REGARDING STATE FUNDING FOR VISITING INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE TEACHERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Farmer-Butterfield, Tolson, and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Glazier, Spear, and Williams:

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H.B. 2149. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR THE EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES DIVISION AND THE AUDITORY LEARNING CENTER TO USE TO TRAIN PROFESSIONALS WHO WORK WITH PRESCHOOL AND SCHOOL-AGE CHILDREN WHO HAVE COCHLEAR IMPLANTS AND TO PROVIDE ORAL CLASSES TO THOSE CHILDREN, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Stiller, Love, McElraft, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Barnhart, Blue, Brisson, Brown, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Crawford, Current, Daughtridge, Dollar, Faison, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Glazier, Goforth, Grady, Haire, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Justice, Killian, Langdon, Lucas, McComas, McGee, Neumann, Ray, Samuelson, Spear, Starnes, Steen, Sutton, Tillis, Tolson, Tucker, Underhill, E. Warren, West, Wilkins, and Wray:

H.B. 2150. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH AND WITHOUT A PERMIT, CHANGE THE FEE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT FOR RECREATIONAL BOATS AND TRAILERS, AND CHANGE THE PENALTY FOR PERMIT VIOLATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Stiller and McComas (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Cleveland, Current, Daughtridge, Frye, Justice, Killian, McGee, and Tillis:

H.B. 2151. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A MARINA TO OBTAIN A QUARTERLY REFUND OF THE EXCISE TAX ON GASOLINE SOLD FOR USE IN A BOAT OR OTHER MARINE VESSEL, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Stiller and Hill:

H.B. 2152. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO FUND ONE NEW TROOPER POSITION IN BRUNSWICK COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Stiller:

H.B. 2153. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT COMMERCIAL FISHING NEAR ARTIFICIAL REEFS WITHIN THREE NAUTICAL MILES OF THE SHORELINE OF BRUNSWICK COUNTY,

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is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Stiller and Hill:

**H.B. 2154**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE HEIGHT OF STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN OF CASWELL BEACH, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Stiller and Hill (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2155**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR HOLDEN BEACH, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives Stiller and Hill (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2156**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Stiller and Hill (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2157**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representative Stiller:

**H.J.R. 2158**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Justus and Walend (Primary Sponsors); and Goforth:

**H.B. 2159**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF HENDERSONVILLE TO ENROLL ITS EMPLOYEES OR RETIREES IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

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By Representatives Sutton, Yongue, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2160.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE CAPACITY OF THE CHAPEL AT ROBESON CORRECTIONAL UNIT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Sutton, Yongue, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2161.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR SACRED PATHWAYS, INC., is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); and Goodwin:

**H.B. 2162.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO ENTER INTO A COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF LAURINBURG, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives McLawhorn and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2163.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SHERIFF AND APPROPRIATE DEPUTY SHERIFFS IN PITTC COUNTY TO ACCESS INFORMATION IN THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG DATABASE MAINTAINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES WHEN THE SHERIFF OR DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE ENGAGED IN A BONA FIDE INVESTIGATION RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF LEGAL DRUGS, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.


**H.B. 2164.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA ARTS COUNCIL, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Carney, West, Dickson, and Adams (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Allred, Bordsen, Brown, Bryant, Cotham, Current, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Frye, Glazier, Grady, Gulley, T. Harrell, Harrison, Holliman, Howard, Hughes, Justice, Justus, Martin, McGee, McLawhorn, Mobley, Parmon, Pate, Pierce, Rapp, Setzer, Spear, Steen, Tucker, Underhill, Walend, Walker, E. Warren, R. Warren, and Williams:

H.B. 2165, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR ARTS NORTH CAROLINA, INC., TO CREATE SPECIAL PLATES FOR AIR FORCE COMBAT ACTION MEDAL RECIPIENTS, COMBAT ACTION BADGE RECIPIENTS, COMBAT ACTION RIBBON RECIPIENTS, AND FOR COMBAT MEDICAL BADGE RECIPIENTS, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Williams, Allred, Brisson, Cleveland, Faison, Langdon, Spear, and E. Warren:

H.J.R. 2166, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS ON OVERSIZED AND OVERWEIGHT FARM EQUIPMENT, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Williams, Allred, Blackwood, Brisson, Brown, Cleveland, Coates, Current, Goforth, Harrison, Hurley, Johnson, Killian, Langdon, McGee, Ray, Starnes, and E. Warren:

H.B. 2167, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON THE PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH A PERMIT AND TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS AND TRAILERS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED OR HAULED ON A PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTE WITH A PERMIT DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.


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H.B. 2168, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE FUNDING CAP ON CHILDREN RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR ACADEMICALLY OR INTELLECTUALLY GIFTED CHILDREN, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Rapp, Lucas, and Parmon (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Blue, Brown, Bryant, Church, Cotham, Dickson, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hurley, Insko, Luebke, Martin, McLawhorn, Pierce, Setzer, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, and Wiley:

H.B. 2169, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PER CHILD ALLOCATION FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Lucas, Cotham, and Wiley (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Blue, Bryant, Church, Dickson, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, McLawhorn, Parmon, Underhill, and Weiss:

H.B. 2170, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE POSITIVE BEHAVIOR SUPPORT INITIATIVE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Church, Dickson, England, Fisher, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Luebke, Parmon, Underhill, and Wiley:

H.B. 2171, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO STUDY THE EFFECTIVENESS OF GEOGRAPHY EDUCATION IN MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representative Owens:

H.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF C. E. FOY, CRAVEN COUNTY COMMISSIONER AND FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ON THE ASSOCIATION’S CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY AND RECOGNIZING ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF COUNTY UNITY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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By Representatives Goforth, Fisher, Haire, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); and Glazier:

**H.B. 2173**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE TO USE TO REPLACE CARMICHAEL HALL AND THE ATTACHED LECTURE HALL WITH A NEW BUILDING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wainwright, Carney, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Harrison, Hughes, and Pierce:

**H.B. 2174**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE INFORMAL BID LIMIT FOR DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED MINORITY-OWNED AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESSES PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Wainwright, Carney, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Harrison, Hughes, and Pierce:

**H.B. 2175**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPEDITE PAYMENT OF SUBCONTRACTORS ON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED MINORITY-OWNED AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESSES PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Fisher, Thomas, Goforth, and Justus (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen, Dickson, Faison, Gulley, Hurley, Insco, Johnson, Pierce, Tucker, and Underhill:

**H.B. 2176**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE WOMEN AT RISK PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Ross and Farmer-Butterfield:

**H.B. 2177**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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By Representative Ross:

**H.B. 2178.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Glazier, Dickson, Lucas, and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Blue, Church, Daughtridge, and Martin:

**H.B. 2179.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE DEFENSE AND SECURITY TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATOR IN THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Rapp, McLawhorn, and Wiley (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Alfred, Bell, Bordsen, Church, Dickson, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Jeffus, Johnson, Martin, Parmon, Pierce, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2180.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE CAP ON THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Tolson, Rapp, and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Blackwood, Bordsen, Brown, Carney, Church, Coates, Cotham, Current, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Goodwin, Harrison, Hurley, Insko, Jeffus, Neumann, Parmon, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2181.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE NURSING PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Pierce, and Boylan (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blackwood, Bordsen, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, England, Harrison, Hughes, McLawhorn, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2182.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO HEARING LOSS IN OLDER ADULTS IN May 19, 2008
NORTH CAROLINA AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Boylan, Bordsen, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allred, Brown, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Jeffus, McLawhorn, Spear, Wainwright, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2183**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO THE SENIOR CENTER GENERAL PURPOSE FUND, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Pierce, and Boylan (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Coleman, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, McLawhorn, Wainwright, Walend, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2184**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE HOME AND COMMUNITY CARE BLOCK GRANT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Parmon, Farmer-Butterfield, and Dollar (Primary Sponsors); Church, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hurley, Insko, Rapp, Underhill, Walker, Weiss, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2185**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING ADOPTION AGENCIES ACTING AS CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO REPORT CERTAIN INFORMATION TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN RECORDS OF THIS INFORMATION AS WELL AS CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Dickson, Wilkins, T. Harrell, and Weiss (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Bryant, Church, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hurley, Insko, Parmon, Rapp, Underhill, and Walker:

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H.B. 2186, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADULT ADOPTEES, AND FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED BIOLOGICAL PARENTS TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO ADOPTION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Dickson, Farmer-Butterfield, Weiss, and Wilkins (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Church, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hurley, Insko, Parmon, Rapp, Underhill, and Walker:

H.B. 2187, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW AN AGENCY ACTING AS A CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY TO OBTAIN A COPY OF A DEATH CERTIFICATE OF A BIOLOGICAL PARENT OR AN ADULT ADOPTEE WHEN IT IS DETERMINED THE BIOLOGICAL PARENT OR ADULT ADOPTEE IS DECEASED AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Blue and Church (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Carney, Coates, Cotham, Dickson, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Hall, Harrison, Hill, Insko, Luebke, Pierce, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2188, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Ross, Farmer-Butterfield, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Church, Cotham, Dickson, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Gulley, Harrison, Insko, Johnson, Lucas, Luebke, Ray, Underhill, Wainwright, Walend, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, and Williams:

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H.B. 2189, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND TO STUDY A STATEWIDE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PERSONS WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Moore, Daughtridge, Cole, and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Barnhart, Blackwood, Brown, Church, Clary, Crawford, Dollar, Frye, Gibson, Goforth, J. Harrell, Hilton, Hurley, Lucas, McLawhorn, Pate, Ray, Samuelson, Setzer, Steen, Sutton, Tillis, Tucker, E. Warren, West, Wilkins, and Wray:

H.B. 2190, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A SALES TAX DISCOUNT FOR MERCHANTS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Spear:

H.B. 2191, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE PARTNERSHIP FOR THE SOUNDS TO OPERATE THE ROANOKE RIVER LIGHTHOUSE AND MARITIME MUSEUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cole and Faison:

H.B. 2192, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET A CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PENALTY FOR SECURITY INTEREST HOLDERS THAT FAIL TO RELEASE THE SECURITY LIEN WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF THE SATISFACTION OR DISCHARGE OF THE SECURITY INTEREST, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative Boylan:

H.B. 2193, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SUSPEND THE COLLECTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA MOTOR FUELS TAX FOR A PERIOD OF NINETY DAYS TO BEGIN ON JUNE 15, 2008, OR WHEN THIS ACT BECOMES LAW, is referred to the Committee on Finance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Goforth, Fisher, Haire, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); and Glazier:

**H.B. 2194**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO ASSIST WITH OPERATING COSTS FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Harrison, Jeffus, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2195**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE MALACHI HOUSE TO CONSTRUCT A NEW DORMITORY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Faison, Jeffus, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2196**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TO PAY CERTAIN FACILITIES THE RATE PAID FOR SHORT-TERM ACUTE CARE HOSPITALS, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Harrison, Jeffus, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2197**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONSTRUCT AND EQUIP THE JOHN COLTRANE MUSIC HALL AT THE COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER IN HIGH POINT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Rapp, Tolson, McLawhorn, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Goodwin, Harrison, Hurley, Luebke, Tarleton, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2198**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGE COUNSELING SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

**INTRODUCTION OF PAGES**

Pages for the week of May 19 are introduced to the membership. They are: Trenton Alford of Scotland; Terese Barrett of Moore; A.J. Daniels of

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Brunswick; Michael Drake of Davidson; Tyra Kenyahtah Dykes of Forsyth; Lauren Edds of Rowan; Taylor Edds of Rowan; Deloria Hendrickson of Wake; Danielle Howell of Cleveland; Kaley McCloskey of Alamance; Milly Mitrovic of Johnston; David Payne of Burke; Keyona Reynolds of Guilford; Alina Rossol of Johnston; Taylor Sullivan of New Hanover; Sandy Voss of Wake; Jawillia Warren of Guilford; Kaylynn Webb of Durham; and La'Meshia Whittington of Burke.

Serving as Honorary Page for the day is Katherine Ann Riley.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Bryant, the House adjourns at 7:21 p.m. to reconvene May 20 at 3:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED TWENTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, May 20, 2008

The House meets at 3:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Gracious God:

"There is always an uneasy balance when we try and reconcile our respective faiths and ideologies with the wide and diverse needs of the people we serve. What one believes to be an authentic appropriation, another may not believe it to be so. How one person views the needs of others can be interpreted as a non-issue to yet another. Obviously, these differences are compounded when divided amongst political parties. Lord, remind us that we are imperfect people who need Your divine guidance as we do this thing called legislation. So, come to us, abide with us and govern our thoughts. Put Yourself smack dab in the middle of the necessary tensions that exist, and set us straight. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 19 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

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Representative Holliman is excused for a portion of the Session.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Coleman and England (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Bordsen, Bryant, Cotham, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Harrison, Insko, Jones, Lucas, Luebke, Parmon, Wainwright, E. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2199**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR A PILOT PROGRAM TO ENHANCE RECRUITMENT OF MINORITY STUDENTS INTO PHARMACY SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren, Williams, and Braxton (Primary Sponsors); England, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Justice, Lucas, Pate, Spear, Tolson, Tucker, Underhill, and Wray:

**H.B. 2200**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CONSTRUCT A NEW FACILITY FOR THE FAMILY MEDICINE CENTER AND GERIATRICS CENTER AT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren, and Braxton (Primary Sponsors); Cleveland, England, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Pate, Spear, Tucker, Underhill, and Wray:

**H.B. 2201**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO ASSIST EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY WITH THE COST OF HIRING PROFESSIONALS TO ESTABLISH THE SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Alexander, Cleveland, Coleman, Earle, England, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, McElraft, R. Warren, and Wiley:

**H.J.R. 2202**, A JOINT RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY CERTAIN MENTAL HEALTH COMMITMENT STATUTES, AS RECOMMENDED

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BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Insko, Love, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Harrison, Luebke, McLawhorn, Parmon, Tarleton, Weiss, and Wiley:

H.J.R. 2203, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF TUITION FORGIVENESS AND OTHER INCENTIVES TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF SOCIAL WORKERS IN COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH IN UNDERSERVED COUNTIES IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Insko, England, and Hughes (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Jones, Lucas, Luebke, McLawhorn, Parmon, Tarleton, Wainwright, E. Warren, and Weiss:

H.B. 2204, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, FOR FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES FOR UNINSURED WOMEN WHO ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR MEDICAID, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Allred, Blackwood, Bryant, Cotham, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Langdon, Luebke, McElraft, McGee, McLawhorn, Pate, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, Wray, and Yongue:

H.B. 2205, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO THE STATE FIRE PROTECTION GRANT FUND TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO LOCAL FIRE DISTRICTS AND MUNICIPALITIES FOR PROVIDING LOCAL FIRE PROTECTION TO STATE-OWNED BUILDINGS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Cotham, England, and Faison:

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H.B. 2206, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, TO SUPPORT THE BEYOND ACADEMICS PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Williams, McLawhorn, E. Warren, and Braxton (Primary Sponsors); England, Glazier, Parmon, Pate, Spear, and Tucker:

H.B. 2207, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR INDIGENT CARE SERVICES AT THE BRODY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Alexander, Brown, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Luebke, Martin, McLawhorn, Tarleton, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2208, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE HEALTHY START FOUNDATION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Alexander, Bordsen, Cotham, Earle, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Hughes, Lucas, and McLawhorn:

H.B. 2209, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE T.E.A.C.H. EARLY CHILDHOOD PROJECT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, England, Faison, Glazier, and Harrison:

H.B. 2210, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO ASSIST DEAF CHILDREN WITH COCHLEAR IMPLANTS TO DEVELOP SPOKEN LANGUAGE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Michaux, Coleman, Faison, Hughes, Lucas, and Parmon:

H.B. 2211, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REPORT ANNUALLY AND TO MEET BIANNUALLY, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Michaux, Allred, Coleman, Faison, Hughes, and Tarleton:

**H.B. 2212**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RESTRICTION ON THE USE OF FUNDS IN THE REPAIRS AND RENOVATIONS RESERVE ACCOUNT AS IT APPLIES TO OUTDOOR THEATERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tarleton, Cotham, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Martin, Parmon, Spear, Sutton, Wainwright, Weiss, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2213**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE CREATION OF ADDITIONAL FAMILY ASSISTANCE CENTERS TO BENEFIT MILITARY PERSONNEL AND THEIR FAMILIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Church, Allred, Blackwood, Hilton, Justice, McElraft, and McGee:

**H.B. 2214**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN EXISTING CHARTER SCHOOL TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Tarleton:

**H.B. 2215**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO ENABLE THE TOWN OF BOONE TO PURCHASE A NEW FIRE TRUCK SO THAT THE TOWN CAN ADEQUATELY PROTECT APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY FROM FIRES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Lucas, and Parmon (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Brown, Church, Coleman, Cotham, Dickson, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Harrison, Luebke, McElraft, Pierce, Setzer, Tarleton, Underhill, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2216**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO ELIMINATE MULTIGRADE LEVEL INSTRUCTION FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Insko, Alexander, Coleman, Faison, Hughes, Hurley, Lucas, Luebke, Wainwright, and R. Warren:

H.B. 2217, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO EXPAND THE SCHIZOPHRENIA TREATMENT AND EVALUATION PROGRAM (STEP) PROGRAM IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY AT THE UNC SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Mobley and Hughes:

H.B. 2218, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE OCCUPANCY TAX AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TOWN OF AHOSKIE, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hughes, Coleman, Harrison, Luebke, Parmon, and Pierce:

H.B. 2219, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT APPROPRIATE GRADE-LEVEL CURRICULUM MATERIALS ON THE 1898 WILMINGTON RACE RIOT, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Hughes:

H.B. 2220, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR PENDERLEA HOMESTEAD MUSEUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Alexander, Brisson, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hughes, and Lucas:

H.J.R. 2221, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION TO STUDY THE STANDARDS APPLIED IN DISPUTED CHILD CUSTODY CASES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Alexander, Bordsen, Carney, and Pate:

H.B. 2222, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE OPERA COMPANY OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR EDUCATIONAL OUTREACH AND OPERATING EXPENSES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Ross, Faison, and Folwell:

**H.B. 2223**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVISED ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Jeffus, Faison, Harrison, Insko, Lucas, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2224**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE DEDUCTION FROM TAXABLE INCOME FOR CONTRIBUTIONS TO 529 PLANS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Coleman, Fisher, and Bryant (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Bordsen, Earle, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Insko, Jones, Lucas, Parmon, Tarleton, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

**H.B. 2225**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE PREVENTION OF ADOLESCENT PREGNANCIES AND THE PREVENTION OF SCHOOL DROPOUT DUE TO ADOLESCENT PREGNANCIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue, McLawhorn, Lucas, and Johnson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Brisson, Carney, Coates, Cotham, Dickson, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Howard, Insko, Jeffus, Justus, Martin, McElraft, Parmon, Pierce, Setzer, Spear, Steen, Tarleton, Tolson, Tucker, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2226**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ENSURE THAT CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS OPERATING IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS HAVE ADEQUATE FUNDS TO IMPLEMENT NUTRITION STANDARDS ADOPTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Crawford, Brisson, Bryant, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Goodwin, Langdon, Parmon, Spear, Tarleton, E. Warren, R. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

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H.B. 2227, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STIMULATE JOB-CREATING VENTURES, EXPAND BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES, AND PROMOTE ECONOMIC TRANSITION IN DISTRESSED RURAL AREAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Crawford, Earle, Faison, and Insko:

H.B. 2228, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, FOR INTERNSHIPS AT STATE UNIVERSITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goforth, Rapp, Fisher, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors); and Insko:

H.B. 2229, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A HEALTH INSURANCE PILOT DEMONSTRATION PROJECT ENCOMPASSING BUNCOMBE COUNTY AND COUNTIES CONTIGUOUS TO BUNCOMBE COUNTY TO PROVIDE A MODEL FOR AFFORDABLE EMPLOYER-BASED HEALTH INSURANCE, is referred to the Committee on Insurance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Goforth and Underhill (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Brown, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Harrison, Jones, Lucas, Parmon, Pierce, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, and Wilkins:

H.B. 2230, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE AND EXPAND THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY'S HOME PROTECTION PROGRAM TO EVERY COUNTY IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.


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H.B. 2231, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVERSE THE INTERpretATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE CONCERNING THE IMPOSITION OF SALES TAX ON INTERIOR DESIGN SERVICES PROVIDED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SALE OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Tucker, Furr, Hall, and Grady (Primary Sponsors); Carney, Cleveland, Cole, Faison, Gibson, Harrison, Hughes, Langdon, Love, Martin, McElraih, McLawhorn, Spear, Stam, Tolson, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, West, Wiley, and Yongue:

H.B. 2232, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE MUSEUM OF THE MARINE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wainwright, Bell, Parmon, and Adams (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Harrison, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, McAllister, Mobley, Pierce, E. Warren, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2233, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE AND THE RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER, INC., FOR COMMUNITY-BASED HOUSING AND DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wainwright and Underhill (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2234, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Wainwright and Underhill (Primary Sponsors); Lucas, Walker, and Wray:

H.B. 2235, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER, INC., TO BE USED FOR SEWER PROJECTS IN THE TOWNS OF COVE CITY AND DOVER IN CRAVEN COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wainwright, McLawhorn, and Bryant (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Carney, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier,
Hughes, Jones, Lucas, Luebke, Parmon, Pierce, Underhill, E. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.B. 2236**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR MALE MINORITY MENTORING PROGRAMS AT COMMUNITY COLLEGES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


**H.J.R. 2237**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT PROHIBITING ILLEGAL ALIENS FROM ATTENDING NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Tolson and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Bordsen, Coleman, Faison, Hughes, Jones, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2238**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOCATE TANF BLOCK GRANT FUNDS FOR CONNECT, INC., is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, McLawhorn, and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Insko, Wainwright, and Wray:

**H.B. 2239**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT AND ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION INITIATIVE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, Faison, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2240**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE FUNDING RECOMMENDATION OF THE OFFICE OF STATE BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT CONCERNING IMPROVEMENT OF THE STATE’S GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEM AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION COORDINATING COUNCIL FOR THAT PURPOSE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Tolson, Faison, Glazier, Insko, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2241.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CREATING THE LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON ELECTRONIC HEALTH INFORMATION MANAGEMENT, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Pierce and Yongue (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2242.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE ENHANCEMENT OF SERVICES TO SENIOR CITIZENS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Pierce, Sutton, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Faison, Hughes, and Jones:

**H.B. 2243.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE AFRICAN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Pierce, Sutton, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Faison and Parmon:

**H.B. 2244.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DEVELOP AN AT-RISK WORKER PILOT PROGRAM TO ASSIST WORKERS IN IMPROVING SKILLS BEFORE AN ADVERSE EMPLOYMENT EVENT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Rapp, Haire, and Goforth (Primary Sponsors); Boylan, Faison, Harrison, Insko, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2245.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES, TO SUSTAIN AND EXPAND PROJECT C.A.R.E. TO PROVIDE RESPITE CARE SERVICES FOR DEMENTIA CAREGIVERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Rapp, Goforth, McLawhorn, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Brown, Dockham, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, McElraft, Parmon, Pierce, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, and R. Warren:

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H.B. 2246, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PERSONAL LEAVE FOR TEACHER ASSISTANTS WHO ARE REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW TO HAVE A SUBSTITUTE WHEN THEY ARE OUT OF THE CLASSROOM, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Rapp, Blue, McLawhorn, and Love (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Bordsen, Brisson, Faison, Glazier, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, Parmon, Pate, Spear, Underhill, Wainwright, and E. Warren:

H.B. 2247, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SALARY SCHEDULE RATE INCREASE FOR CERTIFIED PERSONNEL OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WHO ARE PAID ON THE ADVANCED DEGREE (SIXTH YEAR) OR DOCTORATE DEGREE SALARY SCHEDULE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Williams, Lucas, and Womble (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Carney, Coates, Coleman, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Insko, Jones, Luebke, McLawhorn, Parmon, Wainwright, and E. Warren:

H.B. 2248, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT FURTHER OPERATION OF THE STROKE ADVISORY COUNCIL, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Williams, Lucas, and Womble (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Coates, Coleman, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Insko, McLawhorn, Parmon, Wainwright, and E. Warren:

H.B. 2249, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO IDENTIFY STROKE REHABILITATION SERVICES THROUGHOUT THE STATE AND TO PUBLICIZE INFORMATION ABOUT STROKE REHABILITATION SERVICES AND PROGRAMS TO HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS AND THE PUBLIC, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Williams, Lucas, and Womble (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Coates, Coleman, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Insko, McLawhorn, Parmon, Wainwright, and E. Warren:

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H.B. 2250, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A HYPERTENSION PREVENTION DEMONSTRATION PROJECT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Williams, and Womble (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Carney, Coates, Coleman, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Insko, Lucas, Luebke, McLawhorn, Parmon, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, and Wray:

H.B. 2251, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR PUBLIC AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS AND COMMUNICATIONS STRATEGIES ON STROKE SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Williams, Lucas, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Carney, England, Faison, Fisher, Insko, Jones, Luebke, Martin, McGee, Pierce, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, and Womble:

H.B. 2252, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE AUTOMOBILES IN THE STATE MOTOR FLEET TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-OWNED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Weiss, Williams, Lucas, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Carney, England, Faison, Fisher, Insko, Jones, Luebke, Martin, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, and Wray:

H.B. 2253, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE GROUNDS WITHIN A CERTAIN DISTANCE OF STATE-OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO DESIGNATE GROUNDS WITHIN A CERTAIN DISTANCE OF LOCALLY OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

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By Representatives Weiss, Williams, Justice, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Carney, Coates, England, Faison, Fisher, Hurley, Insko, Lucas, Luebke, Martin, Pierce, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2254, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENTS AND STAFF, AS WELL AS VISITING PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS, FROM EXPOSURE TO TOBACCO BY AUTHORIZING LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES TO ADOPT WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, IN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACILITIES, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, OR AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-RELATED OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Bryant and Allen (Primary Sponsors); and Daughtridge:

H.B. 2255, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE NASH COUNTY WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.J.R. 1578, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MEET IN GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA, AT NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY IN HONOR OF GREENSBORO’S BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY, is read the first time.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (109-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

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The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Luebke, the House adjourns at 3:22 p.m. to reconvene May 21 at 2:00 p.m.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 21, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"God of every person:

"You created us in Your image, male and female; You created us and breathed into us the breath of life. Indeed, it is Your heart’s desire to see that all people receive proper respect and liberty. There will always be people amongst us who experience physical, mental and emotional difficulties. In no way would You deny these, Your children, the necessary assistance they need to live productive and whole lives. This Honorable Body has some measure of control over how people living with mental illness can live more fully into the measure of wholeness that You would have for us all. So, help us to see the needs of every person and shape legislation that clearly demonstrates that we are all brothers and sisters; and we are all walking on this pilgrimage of life together. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 20 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Brown and Parmon for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

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By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**S.B. 1480** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND THE POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AND PAROLE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE FOR MEDICAL RELEASE OF NO-RISK INMATES WHO ARE EITHER PERMANENTLY AND TOTALLY DISABLED, TERMINALLY ILL, OR GERIATRIC, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Wilkins and Carney:

**H.J.R. 2263**, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE PERSON HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL TEAM.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on today's Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

By Representatives Rapp and Haire:

**H.J.R. 2274**, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE BICENTENNIAL OF HAYWOOD COUNTY AND HONORING JOHN HAYWOOD, FOR WHOM THE COUNTY IS NAMED.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on today's Calendar for immediate consideration.

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The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

By Representatives Gillespie and Frye:

**H.B. 2256**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE REPORT OF THE INSTITUTE FOR THE ECONOMY AND THE FUTURE OF WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY CONCERNING THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INLAND PORT BE PRESENTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE,** is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Gillespie, Current, Earle, Frye, Neumann, and Parmon:

**H.B. 2257**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A RAIL AND INFRASTRUCTURE STUDY COMMITTEE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE,** is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Gillespie and Frye:

**H.B. 2258**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE INLAND PORT INTERSTATE COMPACT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE,** is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Gillespie and Frye:

**H.B. 2259**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO AUTHORIZE USE OF THREE-SIDED, OPEN-BOTTOM, OR BOTTOMLESS CULVERTS ON PRIVATE PROPERTY, BASED ON SOUND ENGINEERING PRACTICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE,** is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

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By Representatives Gillespie and Folwell (Primary Sponsors); Brown, Clary, Current, Dockham, Earle, Frye, Hilton, Hughes, Lewis, McGee, Neumann, Samuelson, Setzer, Walend, and Wray:

**H.B. 2260.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A DONATE LIFE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Gillespie and Frye (Primary Sponsors); Brown, Earle, McGee, and Setzer:

**H.B. 2261.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA GOLD FOUNDATION, INC., is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Saunders and Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Carney, Cotham, Dockham, Earle, Gulley, Hughes, Killian, and Samuelson:

**H.B. 2262.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE ONE NORTH CAROLINA FUND TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO JOHNSON & WALES UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tarleton, Hughes, and Underhill:

**H.B. 2264.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE CLOSING OF THE UPPER MOUNTAIN RESEARCH STATION LOCATED IN LAUREL SPRINGS AND TO PROHIBIT THE SALE OF THE REAL PROPERTY UPON WHICH THE RESEARCH STATION IS LOCATED, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Carney, Cole, Allen, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Brisson, Cleveland, Coates, Folwell, Hilton, Hughes, Langdon, Tarleton, Tolson, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2265.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

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H.R. 2266, A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY RESERVE, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative Boylan:

H.B. 2267, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Sutton, Pierce, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Blue, Bryant, and Hughes:

H.B. 2268, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE RECURRING FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA INDIAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Sutton, Pierce, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); and Faison:

H.B. 2269, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

By Representatives Sutton, Pierce, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Earle and Hughes:

H.B. 2270, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, May 21, 2008
AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, FOR ALLOCATION TO SOUTHEASTERN REGIONAL MEDICAL CENTER TO OFFER NON-HOSPITAL MEDICAL DETOXIFICATION AS AN ENHANCEMENT TO ITS PATIENT SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Goodwin:

H.B. 2271, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Frye, Allen, Haire, and Walker (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hughes, Insko, Justice, Tarleton, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2272, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO REGIONAL COUNCILS OF GOVERNMENT TO ASSIST LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ON A REGIONAL BASIS IN THE AREAS OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, INFRASTRUCTURE, AND OTHER SIGNIFICANT LOCAL NEEDS AND TO PROVIDE TARGETED ASSISTANCE TO AID LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN DISTRESSED COUNTIES WITH ECONOMIC RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Rapp, McLawhorn, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blue, Carney, Church, Dickson, England, Faison, Folwell, Harrison, Insko, Johnson, Justus, Lucas, Martin, Neumann, Parmon, Pate, Underhill, Wainwright, Weiss, Wiley, and Womble:

H.B. 2273, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE FUNDING FOR ACADEMICALLY OR INTELLECTUALLY GIFTED CHILDREN, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, England, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Justice, Luebke, McLawhorn, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2275, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE TO CONDUCT STUDIES RELATED TO MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOP-
MENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Justice and Hughes (Primary Sponsors); and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2276**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ASSIST THE TOWN OF TOPSAIL BEACH WITH ITS EMERGENCY BEACH NOURISHMENT PROJECT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Parmon, Fisher, Tarleton, and Bryant (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Bell, Carney, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Daughtridge, Dockham, Earle, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Justice, Lucas, Luebke, McAllister, McElraft, McLawhorn, Mobley, Moore, Neumann, Pate, Pierce, Ross, Samuelson, Underhill, Wainwright, Walker, Weiss, Wiley, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2277**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC., PROGRAMS AND SERVICES AND TO PLACE NO FEWER THAN ONE HUNDRED GRADUATION COACHES IN EITHER MIDDLE OR HIGH SCHOOLS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Lewis:

**H.B. 2278**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Allen:

**H.B. 2279**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PERMIT EXEMPTION FOR OPEN FIRES WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF AN OCCUPIED DWELLING WITHIN THE LAKE ROYALE COMMUNITY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representative Tucker:

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H.B. 2280, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF BEULAVILLE TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OR ON PROPERTY OWNED OR LEASED BY THE TOWN, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives Goodwin and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Brisson, Bryant, Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Hughes, Insko, Sutton, Underhill, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2281, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A TEACHER HOUSING PILOT PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue, McLawhorn, Lucas, and Bell (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allred, Blackwood, Boylan, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Jeffus, Pierce, Rapp, Samuelson, Spear, Sutton, Tolson, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Womble:

H.B. 2282, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ENSURE THE EFFICIENT, GREEN OPERATION OF SCHOOL FACILITIES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue, Bell, Glazier, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Hughes, Pierce, Rapp, Sutton, Tolson, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Womble:

H.B. 2283, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO HIRE A CONSULTANT TO STUDY THE ROLE THAT REGIONAL EDUCATION SERVICE CENTERS THAT ARE CREATED WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION COULD PLAY IN THE DELIVERY OF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT THROUGHOUT THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Boylan, Blackwood, Clary, Cleveland, Current, Dockham, Folwell, Hilton, Justice, McElraft, Moore, Pate, and Walker:

H.J.R. 2284, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY, REGULAR SESSION 2008, TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE GOVERNMENT-

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ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION AT THE POLLING LOCATION AND ELIMINATING THE FEE FOR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARDS, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Wilkins, Luebke, and Hall (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2285**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO DEVELOP A MASTER PLAN FOR THE HISTORIC STAGVILLE PLANTATION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives J. Harrell and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blackwood, Church, Faison, Spear, Wainwright, Walker, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2286**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT THAT MAY BE OFFERED AS A REWARD BY THE GOVERNOR FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO THE ARREST AND CONVICTION OF A PERSON WHO COMMITS A FELONY IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Ross, Faison, Glazier, and Moore:

**H.B. 2287**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE RECEIPTS UNDER RULE 4 OF THE RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE WHEN SERVICE OF PROCESS IS PROVIDED BY A DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY SERVICE, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES REGARDING PROOF OF SERVICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Parmon, Fisher, Tarleton, and Current (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Bell, Blue, Boylan, Bryant, Coates, Coleman, Dollar, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Insko, Jones, Luebke, McElraft, McLawhorn, Mobley, Pate, Pierce, Ross, Underhill, Wainwright, Weiss, Wiley, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2288**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, is referred to the Committee on Education.

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By Representatives Parmon, Bryant, Fisher, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Bell, Blue, Bordsen, Carney, Coates, Coleman, Current, Dollar, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Jones, Killian, Luebke, McAllister, Mobley, Pierce, Ross, Wainwright, Weiss, Wiley, and Womble:

H.B. 2289, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO STUDY THE IMPACTS OF RAISING THE COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE AGE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FROM SIXTEEN TO SEVENTEEN OR EIGHTEEN, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Hughes and Church:

H.B. 2290, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF BURGAW TO LEVY A PREPARED FOOD AND BEVERAGES TAX, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hughes, Justice, and McComas (Primary Sponsors); Blue and Church:

H.B. 2291, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO INCREASE SUPPORT FOR TUTORING AND MENTORING PROGRAMS IN NEW HANOVER AND PENDER COUNTIES TARGETING AT-RISK YOUTH AS RECOMMENDED BY THE 1898 WILMINGTON RACE RIOT COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Boylan:

H.B. 2292, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SHERIFF AND APPROPRIATE DEPUTY SHERIFFS IN MOORE COUNTY TO ACCESS INFORMATION IN THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG DATABASE MAINTAINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES WHEN THE SHERIFF OR DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE ENGAGED IN A BONA FIDE INVESTIGATION RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF LEGAL DRUGS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Crawford and Wray:

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H.B. 2293, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds to establish a corporate campus of Vance-Granville Community College in Triangle North, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Sutton and Pierce:

H.B. 2294, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds for American Indian Mothers, a nonprofit organization, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Sutton, Frye, Insko, Justice, Justus, and Underhill:

H.B. 2295, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds for operational funds for the Floodplain Mapping Program, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Sutton:

H.B. 2296, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds to ensure adequate fire protection services at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Sutton, Carney, and Glazier:

H.B. 2297, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds for the North Carolina Indian Cultural Center, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Sutton:

H.B. 2298, a bill to be entitled an act to appropriate funds to continue funding for increased capacity for the treatment of male inmates with drug and alcohol addiction, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Sutton and Hughes:

H.B. 2299, a bill to be entitled an act to establish the Floodplain Mapping Trust Fund, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Insko, Coleman, Clary, and Howard (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blue, Farmer-Butterfield, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Hughes, Luebke, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2300**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR SCHOOL-BASED AND SCHOOL-LINKED ADOLESCENT HEALTH CARE CENTERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Earle, and England (Primary Sponsors); Blue, Brisson, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Farmer-Butterfield, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Justus, Luebke, McLawhorn, Neumann, Parmon, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2301**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT VARIOUS LAWS TO IMPROVE THE MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE ON MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Alexander, Barnhart, Church, Faison, Glazier, Insko, and Walend:

**H.B. 2302**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, DIVISION OF COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS, FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE CONTINUOUS ALCOHOL MONITORING SYSTEM PROGRAM TO ALLOW COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS OFFICERS TO MONITOR MORE CLOSELY AND REGULARLY THOSE INDIVIDUALS WHO NEED MORE DIRECT SUPERVISION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


**H.B. 2303**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE ADOLESCENT PREGNANCY PREVENTION COALITION OF NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives England, Alexander, Brisson, Faison, Glazier, and Insko:

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H.B. 2304, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION TO STUDY THE UNIFORM EMERGENCY VOLUNTEER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ACT AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Health.

By Representatives England, Alexander, Coleman, Faison, Glazier, and Harrison:

H.B. 2305, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE NEWBORN SCREENING FEE, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Glazier, Lucas, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Church, Cotham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Hughes, McLawhorn, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2306, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT'S IEP TEAM TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED APPROPRIATENESS OF HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Glazier, Yongue, Lucas, and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blue, Brisson, Church, Faison, Fisher, Hughes, Pierce, Wainwright, Wiley, and Womble:

H.B. 2307, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE NORTH CAROLINA PTA PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT INITIATIVE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, and Faison:

H.B. 2308, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Cole, Faison, Harrison, and Spear:

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H.B. 2309, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and, if favorable, to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Cole, Faison, and Insko:

H.B. 2310, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, and Faison:

H.B. 2311, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HAZARDOUS MATERIALS" AND "STATE" UNDER NORTH CAROLINA'S MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Cole, Faison, Folwell, and McComas:

H.B. 2312, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COMMISSION CONTRACT AGENTS TO ACCEPT PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD, CHARGE CARD, OR DEBIT CARD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Cole, Carney, Faison, and Tillis:

H.B. 2313, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, Faison, and Tillis:

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H.B. 2314, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Cole, Faison, Hughes, Neumann, and Tillis:

H.B. 2315, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS AT TOLL FACILITIES OPERATED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY AND TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, Faison, and Tillis:

H.B. 2316, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR ALL TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, and Faison:

H.B. 2317, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE THE INFORMAL BID LIMITS FOR DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE CONTRACTS PER YEAR LIMITS FOR MULTIYEAR CONTRACTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, Faison, and Tillis:

H.B. 2318, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT

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LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Cole, Boylan, Brisson, Faison, Glazier, and Tillis:

**H.B. 2319.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Cole, Faison, and Folwell:

**H.J.R. 2320.** A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET A CRIMINAL AND CIVIL PENALTY FOR SECURITY INTEREST HOLDERS THAT FAIL TO RELEASE THE SECURITY LIEN WITHIN THIRTY DAYS OF THE SATISFACTION OR DISCHARGE OF THE SECURITY INTEREST, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Allen, Alexander, Church, Dickson, Faison, Glazier, Insko, Lucas, Luebke, McLawhorn, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2321.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR THE STATEWIDE PROGRAM FOR INFECTION CONTROL AND EPIDEMIOLOGY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives R. Warren, Church, Hilton, and Setzer:

**H.B. 2322.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR THE HOSIERY CENTER AT CATAWBA VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE MAY BE USED, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives R. Warren, Church, Hilton, and Setzer:

**H.B. 2323.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE SALT BLOCK FOUNDATION, INC., FOR THE RENOVATION OF THE AUDITORIUM IN THE ARTS AND SCIENCE

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CENTER OF CATAWBA VALLEY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Pierce, and Boylan (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Brisson, Church, Clary, Coleman, Dickson, England, Faison, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Parmon, Ross, Tolson, Wainwright, Walend, and Womble:

**H.B. 2324**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE FIVE-YEAR STATEWIDE STUDY OF THE STATE'S READINESS TO RESPOND TO THE COMING WAVE OF OLDER ADULTS BY ESTABLISHING A STEERING COMMITTEE FOR THE STUDY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO PROVIDE STAFF TO SUPPORT THE COMMITTEE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF THE STUDY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Aging and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Boylan, Pierce, and England (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Bordsen, Brisson, Church, Clary, Coleman, Current, Dickson, Faison, Fisher, Gillespie, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Luebke, Parmon, Tarleton, Tillis, Tolson, Wainwright, Walend, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2325**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR PROJECT C.A.R.E. (CAREGIVER ALTERNATIVES TO RUNNING ON EMPTY) WHICH PROVIDES CONSUMER-DIRECTED RESPITE CARE AND COMPREHENSIVE SUPPORT TO DEMENTIA CAREGIVERS WITH A GOAL OF INCREASING RESPITE AND SUPPORT SERVICES TO LOW-INCOME RURAL AND MINORITY CAREGIVERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Hilton, Setzer, and R. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Boylan, Clary, Current, Justice, McComas, McElraft, Moore, Pate, Samuelson, Tarleton, Tillis, and Walker:

**H.J.R. 2326**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE INCOME ELIGIBILITY LIMIT FOR THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION TO THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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By Representatives Carney, Adams, Grady, and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Clary, Cotham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Luebke, McLawhorn, Moore, Parmon, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, and Womble:

H.B. 2327, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FEDERAL FUNDS UNDER THE TANF BLOCK GRANT FOR BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Faison and Insko:

H.B. 2328, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHILDREN’S HOSPITAL TOWER AT PITTCOUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren, Hughes, McLawhorn, and Underhill:

H.B. 2329, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE SENATOR BOB MARTIN EASTERN AGRICULTURAL CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and Underhill:

H.B. 2330, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR THE MODMON PROGRAM TO BE USED AS A MATCH TO THE NEUSE RIVER COMPLIANCE ASSOCIATION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren, Faison, Glazier, and Hughes:

H.B. 2331, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO SUPPORT TWO NEW DAIRY EXTENSION POSITIONS AT NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and Underhill:

H.B. 2332, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE FERRYMON PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives E. Warren, McLawhorn, and Carney (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Glazier, Justice, and Womble:

**H.B. 2333**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA BIOTECHNOLOGY CENTER, INC., TO SUPPORT THE SCIENCE, EDUCATION, AND TRAINING PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Crawford and Wray (Primary Sponsors); and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2334**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO IMPLEMENT A RURAL-URBAN DROPOUT PREVENTION PILOT PROGRAM IN DURHAM AND VANCE COUNTIES TO BENEFIT ALL NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Luebke, Wainwright, and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allred, Barnhart, Blackwood, Bordsen, Boylan, Brubaker, Camey, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Current, Daughtridge, Dickson, Dockham, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Folwell, Glazier, Harrison, Hill, Hilton, Holliman, Howard, Hughes, Insko, Justice, Martin, McComas, McElraft, McGee, McLawhorn, Moore, Parmon, Pate, Ross, Samuelson, Setzer, Spear, Tarleton, Tillis, Walend, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2335**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE CREDIT FOR SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Weiss, Luebke, Wainwright, and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Brubaker, Coleman, Daughtridge, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Hill, McComas, McElraft, McGee, Parmon, Ross, Tillis, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2336**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE CREDIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Weiss, Alexander, and Walend (Primary Sponsors); England, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, McLawhorn, Parmon, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2337**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT OSTEOPOROSIS EDUCATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Weiss, Clary, and Earle (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Brisson, Coleman, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Insko, Pierce, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2338, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Children, Youth and Families and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Weiss and Clary (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Coates, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Insko, and Parmon:

H.B. 2339, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Children, Youth and Families and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Weiss, Pierce, Earle, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Faison, Fisher, Insko, Parmon, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2340, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTIONS THAT MAKE ALLOWANCES FOR SMALL COUNTIES AND ADULTS RIDING WITH CHILDREN, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES TO BE IN LINE WITH OTHER CHILD SAFETY VIOLATIONS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Children, Youth and Families and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Weiss, Martin, Earle, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Folwell, Glazier, Harrison, Insko, Lucas, Neumann, Ross, Wainwright, and E. Warren:

H.B. 2341, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS WHEN ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THEIR TRAINING AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

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By Representatives Luebke, Brubaker, Hill, and McComas (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, Glazier, Harrison, McGee, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2342, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING, AS REQUESTED BY THE LEAGUE OF MUNICIPALITIES AND THE SOUTHEAST ASSOCIATION OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS OFFICERS AND ADVISORS, is referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hall, Luebke, Michaux, and Wilkins:

H.B. 2343, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representative Williams:

H.B. 2344, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE TURNAGE THEATER IN BEAUFORT COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Rapp and Williams (Primary Sponsors); Brisson, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Hill, Pate, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wray:

H.B. 2345, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH A COST SHARE PROGRAM TO ASSIST NORTH CAROLINA FARMERS WHO SUFFERED DAMAGE FROM THE SEVERE AND EXTREME DROUGHT CONDITIONS IN NORTH CAROLINA IN 2007 AND, IN FURTHER RESPONSE TO THE 2007 DROUGHT, TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES TO ASSIST THE GREEN INDUSTRIES AND TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT A POSITION TO COORDINATE A STATEWIDE AGRICULTURE RESPONSE TEAM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE AGRICULTURAL DROUGHT RESPONSE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wray and Mobley (Primary Sponsors); Farmer-Butterfield, Hughes, and Womble:

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H.B. 2346, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE ROANOKE-CHOWAN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE OFFENDER PROGRAM SERVING BERTIE, HERTFORD, AND NORTHAMPTON COUNTIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McGee and Parmon (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2347, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY AND LIMIT THE USES THAT MAY BE MADE OF THE PROPERTY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representative McGee:

H.B. 2348, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A CAROLINA REGIONAL VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren, and Williams (Primary Sponsors); and Pate:

H.B. 2349, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO UPGRADE THE CONTENTNEA METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE DISTRICT WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Bell, Spear, and R. Warren (Primary Sponsors): Barnhart, Blue, Boylan, Brisson, Cotham, Current, Faison, Glazier, Gulley, Hall, Hughes, Justus, Martin, McComas, Pate, Ross, Tarleton, Tillis, Wainwright, Walker, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2350, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE TEACHERS’ AND STATE EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM OR THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RETIRE WITH UNREDUCED BENEFITS AFTER REACHING AGE FIFTY AND COMPLETING TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF SERVICE, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Fisher, Goforth, Thomas, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen, Glazier, Haire, Harrison, and Martin:

**H.B. 2351**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH THE INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR NATURAL BIOTECHNOLOGY AND INTEGRATIVE MEDICINE AT THE NORTH CAROLINA ARBORETUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss (Primary Sponsors); Brubaker, Hill, McComas, McGee, and Yongue:

**H.B. 2352**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Gibson and Carney (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Allen, Blue, Brubaker, Church, Daughtridge, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hill, Lucas, Ross, Wilkins, and Williams:

**H.B. 2353**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Gibson:

**H.B. 2354**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF WADESBORO TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representative Gibson:

**H.B. 2355**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT THE ROTARY PLANETARIUM AND SCIENCE CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazer, Lucas, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blackwood, Church, Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Jeffus, McLawhorn, and Wainwright:

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H.B. 2356, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STUDY THE PARTICIPATION AND DROPOUT RATES OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES IN LEARN AND EARN EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOLS, REDESIGNED HIGH SCHOOLS, THE NORTH CAROLINA VIRTUAL PUBLIC SCHOOL, AND NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS THAT HAVE BLOCK SCHEDULING, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Glazier, Wiley, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Church, Faison, and Hurley:

H.B. 2357, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE RESPONSIVENESS TO INSTRUCTION INITIATIVE IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Boylan:

H.B. 2358, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIVIDE DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT 19B INTO DISTRICTS 19B AND 19D, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Jeffus, Jones, and Adams (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, Harrison, Holliman, Hughes, and Wiley:

H.B. 2359, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO PROVIDE OPERATING FUNDS FOR THE JOINT SCHOOL OF NANOSCIENCE AND NANOENGINEERING AT THE CAMPUS OF THE GATEWAY UNIVERSITY RESEARCH PARK OF NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Jeffus, Lucas, Bell, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Hughes, Pate, Tolson, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2360, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS TO SERVE AS FULL-TIME MENTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Education.

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By Representatives Jeffus, Alexander, England, and Neumann (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Carney, Cotham, Current, Farmer-Butterfield, Gillespie, Glazier, Haire, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Insko, Justice, Justus, Lucas, Luebke, McLawhorn, Parmon, Samuelson, Spear, Stam, Tolson, Walend, Weiss, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2361.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, TO PROVIDE A STATE/FEDERAL MATCH FOR ADDITIONAL CAP/MR-DD SLOTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cotham, Holliman, England, and Barnhart (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Current, Dickson, Faison, Glazier, Goodwin, T. Harrell, Harrison, Insko, Lucas, Mobley, Samuelson, Saunders, Tarleton, Thomas, Tolson, and Wainwright:

**H.J.R. 2362.** A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF SMOKING PROHIBITIONS IN FOSTER CARE HOMES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Carney, Allen, Ross, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Blue, Church, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Current, Dickson, Faison, Fisher, Goforth, Haire, Hall, Johnson, Lucas, Martin, Parmon, Samuelson, Tarleton, Weiss, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2363.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A CONGESTION RELIEF AND INTERMODAL TRANSPORTATION 21ST CENTURY FUND, TO PROVIDE FOR ALLOCATION OF THOSE FUNDS TO: (1) LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, (2) SHORT-LINE RAILROADS, FOR ASSISTANCE IN MAINTAINING AND EXPANDING FREIGHT SERVICE STATEWIDE, (3) RAILROADS FOR INTERMODAL FACILITIES, MULTIMODAL FACILITIES, AND INLAND PORTS, (4) MAKE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ON RAIL LINES TO ALLOW IMPROVED FREIGHT SERVICE TO THE PORTS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, (5) EXPAND INTERCITY PASSENGER RAIL SERVICE, AND TO EXTEND COMMON LEVELS OF LOCAL TRANSIT FUNDING AUTHORIZATION TO THREE URBAN REGIONS, AND ALLOW OTHER LOCAL GOVERNMENTS SIMILAR

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OPTIONS FOR LOCAL TRANSIT FUNDING, AND TO EXTEND THE STATE PORTS TAX CREDIT, ALL AS RECOMMENDED BY THE 21ST CENTURY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McComas, Hughes, and Justice (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2364, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ENCROACHMENT OF AIR SPACE ABOVE STATE ROAD 1100, RIVER ROAD, IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MATERIAL CONVEYANCE SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives McComas, Hughes, and Justice (Primary Sponsors); and McElraft:

H.B. 2365, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS AUTHORITY FOR EXPANSION OF PROGRAMS AT THE PORTS OF WILMINGTON, MOREHEAD CITY, AND RADIO ISLAND, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McComas, Wainwright, and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Brubaker, Carney, Hill, Hughes, Justice, McElraft, and McGee:

H.B. 2366, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE TAX CREDIT FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS AUTHORITY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Goforth, Luebke, Dollar, and Steen (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Blackwood, Blust, Boylan, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Cleveland, Coates, Coleman, Current, England, Faison, Folwell, Hall, Hilton, Holmes, Hurley, Johnson, Justice, Justus, Killian, Kiser, Langdon, McComas, McElraft, Neumann, Pate, Samuelson, Starnes, Thomas, Tillis, Walend, Walker, Womble, and Yongue:

H.B. 2367, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION, is referred to the Committee on Finance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

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By Representatives Glazier, Insko, Bordsen, and Dickson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Carney, Church, Clary, Cotham, England, Faison, Furr, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Lucas, Parmon, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, and Wiley:

H.B. 2368, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives England and Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Current, Hurley, Neumann, and Rapp:

H.B. 2369, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE EMERGENCIES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives England and Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Brisson, Clary, Coleman, Current, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Justus, Luebke, Rapp, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Weiss:

H.B. 2370, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO IMPLEMENT HIGH PRIORITY INITIATIVES WITHIN THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLAN, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives England and Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Clary, Coleman, Faison, Justus, Neumann, Rapp, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2371, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATOR PROGRAM WITHIN THE NORTH CAROLINA INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC HEALTH, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Health.

By Representatives England, Alexander, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Brisson, Clary, Coleman, Cotham, Faison, Goodwin, Harrison, Luebke, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

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H.B. 2372, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AUTISM COMMUNITY INITIATIVES, INC., PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives England, Glazier, Alexander, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Bryant, Fisher, and Insko:

H.B. 2373, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY CORPORAL PUNISHMENT POLICIES IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Barnhart, England, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Clary, Coleman, Faison, Glazier, and Justus:

H.B. 2374, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATORS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Johnson, Steen, Tolson, and Barnhart (Primary Sponsors); Carney, Coates, Daughtridge, Faison, Glazier, Hughes, and Moore:

H.B. 2375, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA RESEARCH CAMPUS AT ROWAN-CABARRUS COMMUNITY COLLEGE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Braxton, Bell, and Pate (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2376, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT VALIDATING THE ACTIONS OF THE CITY OF GOLDSBORO IN FAILING TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAWS RELATED TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS WHEN REBUILDING A PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

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S.J.R. 1578, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MEET IN GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA, AT NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY IN HONOR OF GREENSBORO'S BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY. (RESOLUTION 2008-3)

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.B. 1646, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY FISCAL MANAGEMENT OF ANY MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF THE 1943 AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWAIN COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2150, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH AND WITHOUT A PERMIT, CHANGE THE FEE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT FOR RECREATIONAL BOATS AND TRAILERS, AND CHANGE THE PENALTY FOR PERMIT VIOLATIONS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Transportation and re-referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2167, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON THE PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH A PERMIT AND TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS AND TRAILERS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED OR HAULED ON A PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTE WITH A PERMIT DURING THE DAY-LIGHT HOURS ONLY, is withdrawn from the Committee on Transportation and re-referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2189, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND TO STUDY A STATEWIDE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PERSONS WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDER VIOLATIONS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary I and re-referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary III and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Jones, the House adjourns at 2:58 p.m. to reconvene at 11:00 a.m. on May 22, 2008, at Harrison Auditorium on the campus of North Carolina A & T State University in Greensboro, North Carolina.

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, May 22, 2008
Harrison Auditorium
North Carolina A&T State University
Greensboro, North Carolina

The House meets at 11:00 a.m. in Greensboro, North Carolina, pursuant to adjournment and S.J.R. 1578, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MEET IN GREENSBORO, NORTH CAROLINA, AT NORTH CAROLINA A&T STATE UNIVERSITY IN HONOR OF GREENSBORO'S BICENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY, and is called to order by the Speaker.

Prayer is offered by Dr. Diane Givens-Moffett, Pastor of St. James Presbyterian Church, Greensboro, North Carolina:

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 21 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Braxton, Church, Hill, McGee, Ray, and Sutton for today.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

Pages for today's Session are introduced to the Body. They are Quentin Edwards and Monte Lewis from Smith High School and William Curtis and Hailey Barringer from Grimsley High School.

Honorary Page for the day is Aaron Ty Lindsay.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Adams, Jones, Jeffus, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); Bell, T. Harrell, Setzer, and Wiley:


Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on today's Calendar for immediate consideration.

Without objection, the resolution passes its second reading, by voice vote, and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

COURTESIES EXTENDED

The courtesies of the House are extended to the following guests:

City Council Members: The Honorable Yvonne Johnson, Mayor; Sandra Anderson Groat, Mayor Pro Tem.

County Commissioners: Kay S. Cashion and C.F. "Kirk" Perkins, III.

UNC System Board of Governors: Jim W. Phillips, Jr., Chair; J. Craig Souza, Vice Chair; Gladys Ashe Robinson; Fred Mills.

General Administration: Dr. Harold Martin, Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs; Erin Schuettpelz, Director of State Government Relations; Andy Willis, Vice President for Government Relations.

North Carolina A&T Board of Trustees: Dr. Velma Speight Buford, Chair; Al Lineberry.

North Carolina A&T Cabinet Members: Chancellor Stanley F. Battle; Dr. Janice Brewington, Provost; Dr. Mark Kiel; Dr. Rahda; Vijay Verma; Dr. Sullivan Welborne; Valerie Green; Linda McAbee; William Clay, Chief of Staff; Dr. Dorothy Browne; Larry Keiser.

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North Carolina A&T Foundation Board of Directors: Mrs. Shirley T. Frye; A.V. Blount, President Emeritus.

Bicentennial Representatives: Elizabeth "Boo" Stauffer, Executive Director; Al Lineberry, Chair; Otis Hairston, Jr.; Lila Lloyd; Don Saunders; Willie Taylor; Zana Wall; and all other commissioners in the audience.

Higher Education: Dr. Patricia Sullivan, Chancellor, UNC-Greensboro; Dr. Don Cameron, President, Greensboro Technical Community College; Dr. Gwendolyn Bookman, Associate Provost, Bennett College; Dr. John Jones, Associate Provost, Bennett College; Michael Poston, Vice President for Advancement, Guilford College.

Chamber of Commerce: Chuck Greene; April Harris; Edward Kitchen; Jon Obermeyer; Kathleen Patterson; The Honorable Kirk Perkins.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by North Carolina A&T graduates, Representatives Adams, Bell, Hughes, Earl, and Coleman along with other Guilford County Representatives Jeffus, Harrison, Jones, Blust, and Wiley, that the House adjourn, upon completion of the presentation ceremony to the City of Greensboro, to reconvene Monday, May 26, 2008, in the House Chamber of the Legislative Building in Raleigh, at 7:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

PRESENTATION

Remarks are made by Al Lineberry and Elizabeth Stauffer of the Bicentennial Committee; Dr. Velma Speight Buford, Chair of the North Carolina A&T State University Board of Trustees; Chancellor Stanley T. Battle; and The Honorable Yvonne Johnson, Mayor of the City of Greensboro. A plaque is presented to the Mayor in recognition of the Bicentennial Celebration of the City of Greensboro by Speaker Hackney and President Pro Tem Basnight on behalf of the North Carolina General Assembly.

The House stands adjourned at 11:47 a.m.
ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, May 26, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer and moment of silence are offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

----------Moment of Silence----------

"Almighty God, before whom stand the living and the dead, we Your children, whose mortal life is but a hand’s breadth, give thanks to You:

"For all those through whom You have blessed our pilgrimage, whose lives that have empowered us, whose influence is a healing grace, we lift up thankful hearts.

"For the dear friends and family members whose faces we see no more, but whose love is with us forever.

"For those who sacrificed themselves, our brothers and sisters, who have given their lives for the sake of others, and all who have died that we might live in freedom, that we may hold them all in continual remembrance, and ever think of them as with You in that city whose gates are not shut by day and where there is no night…

"We honor and give thanks to Thee, O God. Amen."

(Adapted from a Memorial Day Prayer, by John Hunter, Scotland 20th Century)

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 22 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

There are no excused absences for today.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Gulley, Blackwood, Killian, and Tillis:

H.J.R. 2377, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE COUNTY SERVICE DISTRICT ACT OF 1973 TO ALLOW REFUNDS AND RELEASES WHEN PART OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT SERVICE DISTRICT IS Annexed BY A MUNICIPALITY DURING A FISCAL YEAR, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Mobley, and Tolson:

H.B. 2378, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO WILSON COUNTY TO PLAN THE WHIRLIGIG ARTISANS MARKETING CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Bordsen, Barnhart, and Goodwin (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Boylan, Clary, Coleman, Current, Dickson, England, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Lewis, Parmon, Pierce, Ross, Samuelson, Stam, Wainwright, Walend, and Weiss:

H.B. 2379, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, is referred to the Committee on Children, Youth and Families and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Insko:

H.B. 2380, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Insko and Harrison:

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H.B. 2381, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE GREATER ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND USE OF RENEWABLE ENERGY IN NEW DEVELOPMENT AND REDEVELOPMENT AS PART OF BUILDING CODES, is referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and, if favorable, to the Committee on Insurance.

By Representative Insko:

H.B. 2382, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REGULATE OR PROHIBIT NEW IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS USED FOR LAWNS AND LANDSCAPING THAT ARE CONNECTED TO THE PUBLIC POTABLE WATER SUPPLY, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Underhill and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Church, Coates, Glazier, Harrison, Martin, Pate, Wilkins, and Williams:

H.B. 2383, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE VETERINARY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES FOR A NEW INCINERATOR AND FOR TWO NEW FREEZERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Underhill and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Church, Coates, Glazier, Harrison, Lewis, Martin, Pate, and Williams:

H.B. 2384, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ENHANCE THE ABILITY OF THE PLANT INDUSTRY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES TO RESPOND TO PEST INFESTATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Underhill and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Church, Coates, Glazier, Langdon, Martin, Spear, Tarleton, and Williams:

H.B. 2385, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT AN AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM SPECIALIST IN THE EMERGENCY PROGRAMS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Underhill and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Church, Coates, Martin, and Williams:

**H.B. 2386**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT A COMMUNICATIONS PROCESSING ASSISTANT (ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II) POSITION IN THE EMERGENCY PROGRAMS DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Underhill, Church, and Harrison:

**H.B. 2387**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT A POSITION WITHIN THE DIVISION OF COASTAL MANAGEMENT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO COORDINATE THE CLEAN MARINA PROGRAM AND TO ASSIST IN OTHER DIVISION PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bell, Alexander, Cotham, Current, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, T. Harrell, and Hurley:

**H.J.R. 2388**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OFFER A COMPREHENSIVE PHYSICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Bordsen, Love, and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Braxton, Brisson, Bryant, Carney, Coates, Current, Dickson, Dollar, England, Fisher, Frye, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Howard, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Justice, Justus, Lucas, Luebke, McElraft, McLawhorn, Pate, Pierce, Ray, Ross, Spear, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, Weiss, Williams, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2389**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELINQUENCY PREVENTION FOR THE LOCAL JUVENILE CRIME PREVENTION COUNCILS THROUGHOUT THE STATE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bordsen, Goodwin, Farmer-Butterfield, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Boylan, Bryant, Carney, England, Fisher, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Lucas, Underhill, and Wainwright:

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H.B. 2390, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Bordsen, Goodwin, Farmer-Butterfield, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Bryant, Carney, England, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Lucas, Underhill, and Weiss:

H.B. 2391, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVER'S LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives England, Alexander, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2392, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM SPECIAL ASSISTANCE RATE IN ADULT CARE HOMES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives England, Alexander, Neumann, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Glazier, McLawhorn, Wainwright, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2393, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, OFFICE OF RESEARCH, DEMONSTRATIONS, AND RURAL HEALTH DEVELOPMENT, FOR A GRANT PROGRAM TO ASSIST IN THE PROVISION OF PRIMARY AND PREVENTIVE MEDICAL SERVICES TO UNINSURED OR MEDICALLY INDIGENT PATIENTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Holliman, Alexander, Allred, Bell, Current, Dollar, Fisher, Frye, Glazier, T. Harrell, Harrison, Martin, McGee, McLawhorn, Neumann, Pate, Setzer, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, Wray, and Yongue:

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H.B. 2394, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE
BENEFITS PAYABLE THROUGH THE NATIONAL GUARD PENSION
FUND, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Cole:

H.B. 2395, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL A
LOCAL CHARTER PROVISION OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE, is
referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Setzer, R. Warren, and Hilton (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2396, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE
FUNDS TO ESTABLISH THE NORTH CAROLINA NARROW GAUGE
MUSEUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bordsen, Farmer-Butterfield, Boylan, and Pierce
(Primary Sponsors); Carney, England, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes,
Hurley, Johnson, Justice, McLawhorn, Pate, Underhill, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2397, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE
NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING
HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD
CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME
ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA
STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Aging
and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Pierce, and Boylan (Primary
Sponsors); Alexander, Blackwood, Bordsen, Clary, England, Glazier, Harrison,
McLawhorn, Parmon, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2398, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY
ISSUES RELATING TO RESPITE CARE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE
STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Aging.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Boylan, and Pierce (Primary
Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Clary, England, Glazier, Harrison,
Hughes, Justus, Lewis, McLawhorn, Parmon, Spear, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2399, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE
FUNDS TO ENACT A PILOT PROGRAM TO ASSESS CHANGES
PROPOSED BY THE ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES TASK FORCE

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WITH A GOAL OF IMPROVING NORTH CAROLINA'S SYSTEM OF RESPONDING TO ALLEGATIONS OF ABUSE, NEGLECT, EXPLOITATION, OR SUBSTANTIAL RISK OF VULNERABLE OR ELDER ADULTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield and Boylan (Primary Sponsors); Bryant, Hughes, Mobley, Parmon, Pierce, and Womble:

H.B. 2400, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC., is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Boylan, Pierce, and England (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Clary, Coleman, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Lewis, McGee, McLawhorn, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2401, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AN ADULT CARE HOME SCREENING PROCESS FOR MENTAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY CONDITIONS, APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR TRANSITIONAL RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAM PILOT SITES, APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT ASSESSMENT AND SERVICE PLAN DEVELOPMENT IN ADULT CARE HOMES, AND TO STUDY SUITABLE METHODS TO PROVIDE DIRECT CARE WORKERS WITH TARGETED AND COST-EFFECTIVE TRAINING ON THE CARE OF INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Womble and McGee:

H.B. 2402, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT SUBSTITUTING THE WORD "NOTICE" FOR "COMPLAINT OR ORDER" IN THE LAW THAT AUTHORIZES THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S GARBAGE AND TRASH ORDINANCE AND THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Jones and Church:

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**H.B. 2403**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE PUBLIC AGAINST THE HEALTH AND SAFETY RISKS POSED BY INHERENTLY DANGEROUS WILD ANIMALS, TO PROTECT THE WELFARE OF INHERENTLY DANGEROUS WILD ANIMALS, AND TO AUTHORIZE A FEE FOR REGISTERING INHERENTLY DANGEROUS WILD ANIMALS, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives England, Farmer-Butterfield, Boylan, and Bordsen (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Clary, Current, Dollar, Frye, Harrison, Justice, Justus, Lewis, McLawhorn, Parmon, Pate, Pierce, Spear, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wiley:

**H.B. 2404**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE TAX CREDIT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Aging and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Jones, Church, and Harrison:

**H.J.R. 2405**. A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION TO STUDY ISSUES RELATED TO THE PUBLIC BENEFITS OF ALLOWING MARIJUANA OR ITS CHEMICAL EQUIVALENT TO BE USED FOR MEDICINAL PURPOSES, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representative Haire:

**H.B. 2406**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY FISCAL MANAGEMENT OF ANY MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF THE 1943 AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWAIN COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Ross, Glazier, and Martin (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Harrison, McComas, Parmon, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2407**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NON-PROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS,
H.B. 2408, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PERSONS WHO HOLD A CLASS C LICENSE TO OPERATE SPECIFIED VEHICLE AND BOAT TRAILER COMBINATIONS; TO PROVIDE DIRECTION FOR THE OPERATION OF SEMITRAILERS OF NOT MORE THAN FIFTY-THREE FEET ON PRIMARY ROADS IN THIS STATE; TO INCREASE THE ALLOWABLE AXLE AND TOTAL WEIGHT OF SELF-PROPELLED, SELF-LOADING BEDS FOR COTTON TRANSPORT FROM FARM TO GIN, REGARDLESS OF AXLE WEIGHT; TO REMOVE THE WIDTH RESTRICTION ON FARM EQUIPMENT THAT IS SELF-PROPELLED, HAULED, OR PULLED ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY, AND TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON THE PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH A PERMIT AND TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS AND TRAILERS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED OR HAULED ON A PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTE WITH A PERMIT DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives England, Farmer-Butterfield, Bordsen, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); and Weiss:

H.B. 2409, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Aging and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives England, Farmer-Butterfield, Bordsen, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

H.B. 2410, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES, AND DIVISION OF MEDICAL

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ASSISTANCE, TO STUDY IMPLEMENTATION OF AN INCOME DISREGARD POLICY FOR CURRENT STATE/COUNTY SPECIAL ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS WHO ARE ADVERSELY IMPACTED DUE TO COST OF LIVING OR OTHER INCOME INCREASES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is referred to the Committee on Aging.

By Representatives Faison and Bryant (Primary Sponsors):

H.R. 2411, A HOUSE RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CONVENING OF THE E-NC AUTHORITY’S DIGITAL BROADBAND SUMMITS, is referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and, if favorable, to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Faison and Bryant (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2412, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE, is referred to the Committee on Agribusiness and Agricultural Economy and, if favorable, to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Hughes, Justice, and McComas (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

H.B. 2413, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE USE OF INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING IN WILMINGTON CITY ELECTIONS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform.

By Representatives Glazier, Dickson, Lucas, and McAllister (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2414, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Luebke:

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H.B. 2415, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAINTAIN
THE SAME RATES IN 2008 FOR THE INSURANCE REGULATORY
FEE AND THE UTILITIES COMMISSION REGULATORY FEE, is referred
to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Luebke, Wainwright, Weiss, and Gibson (Primary
Sponsors); Brubaker, Hill, McComas, and McGee:

H.B. 2416, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO UPDATE THE
REFERENCE TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE USED IN DEFINING
AND DETERMINING CERTAIN STATE TAX PROVISIONS, is referred
to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Luebke, Harrison, Coleman, and Jones (Primary
Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Caney, Cotham, Farmer-Butterfield,
Fisher, Glazier, Hall, T. Harrell, Hill, Hurley, Insko, Martin, Michaux,
Mobley, Parmon, Pierce, Ross, Underhill, Wainwright, Weiss, Wilkins,
and Womble:

H.B. 2417, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE
STATUTORY CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF TORTURE AND ENFORCED
DISAPPEARANCE AND TO ADD THESE OFFENSES TO THOSE FOR
WHICH AN INVESTIGATIVE GRAND JURY MAY BE CONVENED
AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA SENTENCING
AND POLICY ADVISORY COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee
on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Parmon, Fisher, Bryant, and Tarleton (Primary
Sponsors); Alexander, Current, Glazier, Harrison, McLawhorn, Wainwright,
Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2418, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REESTABLISH
THE COMMITTEE ON DROPOUT PREVENTION TO AWARD ADDI-
TIONAL DROPOUT PREVENTION GRANTS, TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS
FOR THE GRANTS, AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A CONS-
ULTANT TO STAFF THE COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee
on Appropriations.

By Representatives Williams, Bell, and McLawhorn:

H.B. 2419, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE
FUNDS TO METROPOLITAN HOUSING AND CDC, INC., FOR OPER-
ATING AND OTHER EXPENSES, is referred to the Committee on
Appropriations.

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By Representative Williams:

**H.B. 2420**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICES, INC., FOR THE LIQUIDATION OF CONSTRUCTION DEBT SERVICES FOR THE NEW AGAPE COMMUNITY HEALTH CLINIC MEDICAL FACILITY PUT INTO OPERATION ON MAY 2, 2006, IN BEAUFORT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Neumann and McLawhorn:

**H.B. 2421**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR FEDERALLY QUALIFIED HEALTH CENTERS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Justice, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tarleton, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2422**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Harrison, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2423**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE VETERINARY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES TO COMPLETE RENOVATION OF ROLLINS LABORATORY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Harrison, Justice, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Setzer, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

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H.B. 2424, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE FOOD AND DRUG PROTECTION DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES FOR THE PURCHASE OF AN EMERGENCY GENERATOR, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Fisher, Harrison, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tarleton, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, Weiss, West, Williams, and Wray:

H.B. 2425, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO EXPAND INFLUENZA VACCINES FOR CHILDREN, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

H.B. 2426, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH TO RENT SPACE TO STORE VITAL RECORDS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Coates, Coleman, Daughtry, Harrison, Kiser, Langdon, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

H.B. 2427, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT ADDITIONAL FOOD SAFETY POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Blackwood, Coates, Coleman, Daughtry, Justice, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Setzer, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2428**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL EXAMINER TO ADDRESS THE BACKLOG OF AUTOPSIES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE IN EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, R. Warren, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2429**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE DEATHS THAT OCCUR AT FACILITIES OPERATED BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Justus, Kiser, Lucas, McComas, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Wainwright, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2430**. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION TO STUDY THE UNIFORM EMERGENCY VOLUNTEER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ACT AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND BIOTERRORISM OF THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs.

By Representatives Martin, Glazier, McComas, and Wainwright (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Harrison, Justice, Kiser, Lucas, Pate, Rapp, Tarleton, Tillis, Underhill, Weiss, West, Williams, and Wray:

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H.B. 2431, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs.

By Representatives Martin, Glazier, McComas, and Wainwright (Primary Sponsors); Barnhart, Coleman, Daughtry, Harrison, Justice, Kiser, Lucas, Pate, Rapp, Tillis, Underhill, Weiss, West, Williams, and Wray:

H.B. 2432, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, TO STUDY AND DEVELOP PLANS TO ENHANCE DISASTER MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES AT THE COUNTY LEVEL, is referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Barnhart, Insko, and Earle (Primary Sponsors); Boylan, Bryant, England, Justus, Parmon, Pierce, Stam, Wainwright, Weiss, and Womble:

H.B. 2433, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL MANAGEMENT ENTITIES PROVIDING MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES TO USE A PERCENTAGE OF FUNDS TO PROVIDE DISCHARGE PLANNING FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES CLIENTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Justice, Brown, McGee, and Parmon (Primary Sponsors); Clary, Coates, Grady, Harrison, Howard, McComas, Setzer, and Womble:

H.B. 2434, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A RETIRED PIEDMONT AIRLINES EMPLOYEE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Cole:

H.B. 2435, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE HORSE PARK OF THE SOUTH, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Michaux, Adams, Alexander, and Crawford (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2436.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Michaux, Haire, and Jeffus (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2437.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Michaux, Tolson, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2438.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Michaux:

**H.B. 2439.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Michaux:

**H.B. 2440.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Stiller:

**H.B. 2441.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY THE COLLECTION OF PROPERTY TAXES THAT ARE DUE UNDER G.S. 105-277.8 ON PROPERTY OWNED BY CERTAIN NONPROFIT HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Stiller and Hill (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2442.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT AN ASSISTANT COUNTY RANGER POSITION FOR COLUMBUS COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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H.B. 2443, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES, RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS, AND PERTAINING TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Representatives Harrison, Jones, Adams, and Jeffus (Primary Sponsors): H.B. 2444, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO TO CLARIFY THE INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL PETITION PROCESS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Harrison, Jones, Adams, and Jeffus (Primary Sponsors); and Tarleton:

H.B. 2445, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE CITY OF GREENSBORO TO ESTABLISH JOB TRAINING SERVICES FOCUSING ON THE NEEDS OF THE HOMELESS AND EX-OFFENDER POPULATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Saunders:

H.B. 2446, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Allen, Blackwood, Current, Harrison, and Samuelson:

H.B. 2447, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AND MAINTENANCE IN THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

May 26, 2008
By Representatives Allen and Harrison:

**H.B. 2448.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY THE PROCESS BY WHICH THE NORTH CAROLINA MEMBERS OF THE ROANOKE RIVER BASIN ADVISORY COMMISSION ARE APPOINTED, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Haire and Rapp (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2449.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN'S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hill, E. Warren, Lewis, and Brisson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Braxton, Coates, Glazier, Justice, Langdon, Starnes, Tarleton, Tucker, Underhill, R. Warren, and Wray:

**H.B. 2450.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT A JOINT EFFORT TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF, AND TO DEVELOP A STRATEGIC PLAN FOR, THE AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH STATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Representative J. Harrell:

**H.B. 2451.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUND FOR VOLUNTEER FIREMEN IN THE TOWN OF ELKIN, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives J. Harrell and Tucker (Primary Sponsors); Boylan, Current, Folwell, Glazier, Hurley, McGee, McLawhorn, Moore, Pate, Samuelson, Setzer, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2452.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO WAIVE TUITION AT ANY PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR ANY ACTIVE DUTY MEMBER OF THE ARMED SERVICES WHO IS A PURPLE HEART RECIPIENT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Faison and Bryant (Primary Sponsors):

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H.B. 2453, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING COMPANIES AND OTHER ENTITIES OFFERING BROADBAND INTERNET SERVICES TO PROVIDE ANNUAL REPORTS TO THE E-NC AUTHORITY REGARDING SERVICE AREAS AND AVAILABILITY OF BROADBAND SERVICES WITHIN THOSE AREAS, is referred to the Committee on Agribusiness and Agricultural Economy and, if favorable, to the Committee on Public Utilities.

By Representatives Crawford and Wray:

H.B. 2454, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE KERR-TAR REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION FOR A FOUR-COUNTY PILOT PROJECT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Crawford:

H.B. 2455, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CITY OF OXFORD TO LEVY A MOTOR VEHICLE PRIVILEGE TAX OF UP TO TWENTY DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT VEHICLE LOCATED IN THE TOWN, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hill, Allen, and Gibson (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2456, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A PORTION OF LAKE WACCAMAW STATE PARK FROM THE STATE NATURE AND HISTORIC PRESERVE AND THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE REALIGNMENT ON BELLA COOLA ROAD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Earle, Weiss, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Clary, England, Fisher, Glazier, Hall, Insko, Lucas, McLawhorn, Parmon, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2457, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REDUCE PRETERM BIRTHS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Earle and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Hall, Parmon, Pierce, and Wainwright:

May 26, 2008
H.B. 2458. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE TO PROMOTE AND MARKET THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Earle and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Bell, England, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Harrison, Insko, McLawhorn, Parmon, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2459. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLECTION OF RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA IN HEALTH CARE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Martin, England, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); Glazier, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2460. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE LABOR LAWS OF NORTH CAROLINA TO ADD AGRICULTURAL WORKERS TO THOSE PROTECTED AGAINST RETALIATION IN THE WORKPLACE; DIRECTING THE PESTICIDE BOARD TO ADOPT RULES REQUIRING LICENSED PESTICIDE APPLICATORS TO RECORD THE SPECIFIC TIME OF DAY WHEN EACH PESTICIDE APPLICATION IS COMPLETED; EXTENDING THE RETENTION PERIOD FOR RECORDS RELATED TO GENERAL-USE PESTICIDES FROM THIRTY DAYS TO TWO YEARS; AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO PREVENT AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE EXPOSURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON PREVENTING AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE EXPOSURE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Church, and Carney (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Coates, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Martin, Ross, Spear, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

H.B. 2461. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR TO BE USED FOR THE PROVISION OF LEGAL SERVICES TO LOW-INCOME HOMEOWNERS IN NORTH CAROLINA IN ORDER TO HELP PREVENT FORECLOSURE AND HOME LOSS AND PRESERVE HOME EQUITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Church, Carney, and Weiss (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Coates, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Lewis, Martin, Ross, Spear, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wray:

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H.B. 2462, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TO BE USED FOR THE PROVISION OF HOUSING COUNSELING TO HELP PREVENT FORECLOSURE AND HOME LOSS AND PRESERVE HOME EQUITY AMONG HOMEOWNERS IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Church, and Carney (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Coates, Harrison, Spear, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2463, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, is referred to the Committee on Financial Institutions.

By Representative E. Warren:

H.B. 2464, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY IN MARTIN COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Earle, Weiss, Pierce, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Bryant, Clary, Cotham, Crawford, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Hall, Harrison, Love, McLawhorn, Parmon, Tolson, Wainwright, E. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

H.B. 2465, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO IMPROVE THE HEALTH OF WOMEN AND INFANTS IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Earle, Weiss, and Pierce (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Bryant, Clary, Cotham, Crawford, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Lewis, Love, Lucas, McLawhorn, Parmon, Tolson, Wainwright, E. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

H.B. 2466, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME (SIDS) RISK REDUCTION EFFORTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Gibson, Ross, and Adams (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Church, Coleman, Daughtridge, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Insko, Martin, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wiley:

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H.B. 2467, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO COMPLETE THE EXPANSION AT THE NORTH CAROLINA MUSEUM OF ART, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Ray and Howard (Primary Sponsors); and Setzer:

H.B. 2468, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Ray and Howard (Primary Sponsors); and Setzer:

H.B. 2469, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REMOVING THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWN OF TROUTMAN, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Brubaker, Hill, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); and Lewis:

H.B. 2470, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO TRANSFER CERTAIN RESPONSIBILITIES AND FUNDS FOR AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Agriculture and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Weiss, Glazier, and Carney (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

H.B. 2471, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY AND TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Insurance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Wainwright and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); Brubaker, Hill, McComas, and McGee:

May 26, 2008
H.B. 2472, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PLACE A SUNSET ON THE CREDIT FOR INVESTING IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO EXTEND THE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Wainwright, Coleman, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Harrison, and Wray:

H.B. 2473, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA MINORITY SUPPORT CENTER, INC., TO EXPAND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LENDING AND FINANCIAL LITERACY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Hill, Spear, Blackwood, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allred, Bell, Braxton, Church, Coates, Gibson, Glazier, Harrison, Hurley, Justus, Langdon, Lewis, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Wilkins, Williams, and Wray:

H.B. 2474, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE REVOLVING FUNDS FOR THE FARM TO SCHOOL PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, McLawhorn, Glazier, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, and Hall:

H.B. 2475, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT EXPLORNET AND ITS PROGRAMS AND SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Brubaker and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Gibson, Lewis, Luebke, McComas, McGee, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.B. 2476, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO TREAT MOBILE HOMES THE SAME AS OTHER HOMES WITH RESPECT TO PROPERTY TAX LIENS, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, AND TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

May 26, 2008
By Representatives Coleman, Fisher, Ross, and Stam (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Harrison, Wainwright, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2477.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, TO ASSIST PEOPLE WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES IN CERTAIN HOUSING PROJECTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Womble, Coleman, and Wainwright (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Harrison, Jeffus, Jones, Lucas, McAllister, and Mobley:

**H.B. 2479.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE AFRICAN-AMERICAN HERITAGE COMMISSION IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL RESOURCES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Coleman, Wainwright, and McAllister (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Jeffus, Jones, Langdon, Lucas, McLawhorn, Mobley, Tarleton, Weiss, Wiley, and Wray:

**H.B. 2480.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA ARTS COUNCIL PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Coleman, Wainwright, and McAllister (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Farmer-Butterfield, Harrison, Jeffus, Jones, Lucas, and Mobley:

**H.B. 2481.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY FOR LAND ACQUISITION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Coleman, and Wainwright (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Harrison, Jeffus, McAllister, Mobley, Weiss, and Wray:

**H.B. 2482.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE INTERNATIONAL CIVIL RIGHTS CENTER AND MUSEUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Brubaker and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Carney, Gibson, Luebke, McComas, McGee, Wainwright, and Weiss:

May 26, 2008
H.B. 2483, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Goforth, Blackwood, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Frye, Glazier, Hilton, Justus, and Weiss:

H.B. 2484, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOCATE ADDITIONAL LOTTERY PROCEEDS FOR SCHOOL CAPITAL PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Goforth:

H.J.R. 2485, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF DRIVERS LICENSE POINTS REQUIRED TO BE ASSESSED BY THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES BEFORE A DRIVER IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN A DRIVER IMPROVEMENT CLINIC, TO REMOVE THREE POINTS FROM THE DRIVER'S RECORD AT THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES, FROM SEVEN POINTS TO SIX POINTS, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Allred and Justice:

H.R. 2486, A HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO ELIMINATE UNFAIR TAX ADVANTAGES FOR CONGRESSIONAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Folwell, Pierce, McElraft, and Faison (Primary Sponsors); and Hurley:

H.B. 2487, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE

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EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representative Tillis:

**H.B. 2488.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY’S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

By Representatives Yongue, Pate, Carney, and Jeffus (Primary Sponsors); Fisher and Glazier:

**H.B. 2489.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO STUDY AN INNOVATIVE GRADUATION INITIATIVE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


**H.B. 2490.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CREATING THE LEGISLATIVE SPECIAL COMMISSION ON THE EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Pate, Allred, Bell, Braxton, Cleveland, Current, Dollar, Fisher, Frye, Glazier, Gulley, Harrison, Jeffus, Justice, Justus, Langdon, Setzer, Tarleton, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2491.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO INCREASE THE PAY OF CERTAIN TEACHER ASSISTANTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


**H.B. 2492.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Fisher, Goforth, Thomas, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2493.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PLAN THE NATURAL PRODUCTS RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT AND INNOVATION LABORATORY AT THE NORTH CAROLINA ARBORETUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Langdon and Daughtry (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2494.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE THE COURT-HOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Tarleton, Walend, and Justus (Primary Sponsors); and Fisher:

**H.B. 2495.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE MARKETING ASSOCIATION FOR REHABILITATION CENTERS, INC., (MARC), A NONPROFIT CORPORATION, TO PURCHASE CAPITAL EQUIPMENT AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Tarleton, Allen, Gibson, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2496**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADDITION OF BEAR PAW STATE NATURAL AREA AND YELLOW MOUNTAIN STATE NATURAL AREA TO THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen, Gibson, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Glazier, and Justice:

**H.B. 2497**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE BERNARD ALLEN MEMORIAL EMERGENCY DRINKING WATER FUND TO ALLOW FOR PAYMENT OF ADDITIONAL NOTIFICATION AND TESTING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander and Harrison:

**H.B. 2498**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS, (2) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS, (3) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS, (4) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS, AND (5) TO MAKE OTHER IMPROVEMENTS TO THE UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CLEANUP PROGRAM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen, Gibson, and Tucker (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Glazier, Harrison, and Ross:

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H.B. 2499, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT WATER MANAGEMENT AND DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE MEASURES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Allen, Gibson, and Samuelson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander and Harrison:

H.B. 2500, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR COMPUTER EQUIPMENT MANAGEMENT ENACTED BY SL 2007-550 TO (1) CLARIFY THAT THE PROGRAM APPLIES ONLY TO COMPUTER EQUIPMENT DISCARDED BY CONSUMERS IN THE STATE AND (2) ADD TELEVISIONS DISCARDED BY CONSUMERS IN THE STATE TO THE EQUIPMENT THAT MUST BE RECOVERED FOR REUSE OR RECYCLING, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Gibson and Allen (Primary Sponsors); Alexander and Harrison:

H.B. 2501, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AND PROMOTE THE USE OF RECLAIMED WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Allen, Gibson, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2502, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPENSATORY MITIGATION BY PRIVATE MITIGATION BANKS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Allen and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

H.B. 2503, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Allen and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

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H.B. **2504**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF IMPERVIOUS SURFACE OF VEHICULAR SURFACE AREAS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Allen and Gibson (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

H.B. **2505**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND OR REPEAL VARIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representative Allen:

H.B. **2506**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS FOR APPEALS FROM CIVIL PENALTIES ASSESSED BY A LOCAL GOVERNMENT THAT HAS ESTABLISHED AND ADMINISTERS AN EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL PROGRAM APPROVED UNDER G.S. 113A-60, AND TO PROVIDE THAT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH APPROVED PROGRAMS MAY ISSUE STOP-WORK ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

By Representatives Allen, Gibson, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. **2507**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Gibson, Luebke, Wainwright, and Weiss (Primary Sponsors); Brubaker, Hill, McComas, McGee, and Tarleton:

H.B. **2508**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLOSE FRANCHISE TAX LOOPHOLES BY REQUIRING A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THAT ELECTS TO BE TREATED AS A CORPORATION AND A CAPTIVE REIT TO PAY FRANCHISE TAX AND TO REQUIRE

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PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIPS TO GIVE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE A LIST OF THE PARTNERS WHO RECEIVED MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF INCOME FROM THE PARTNERSHIP, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Gibson:

**H.B. 2509**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD PRODUCERS OF DIGITAL INTERACTIVE MEDIA TO THE INDUSTRIES ELIGIBLE FOR TAX CREDITS FOR GROWING BUSINESSES, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Gibson and Wray:

**H.B. 2510**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR PRODUCTION COMPANIES AND TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR PRODUCERS OF DIGITAL INTERACTIVE MEDIA, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Gibson, Tarleton, and Wray:

**H.B. 2511**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CREDIT FOR QUALIFYING EXPENSES OF A PRODUCTION COMPANY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Gibson, Frye, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2512**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE BUSINESSES SEEKING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES TO DISCLOSE INCENTIVES OFFERS FROM OTHER JURISDICTIONS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE TO WORK WITH OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A MODEL AGREEMENT LIMITING THE USE OF INCENTIVES, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Cotham, Yongue, Bell, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Brisson, Dickson, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Jeffus, Lucas, Thomas, Wainwright, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2513**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A FRAMEWORK FOR A NORTH CAROLINA BOARD CERTIFICATION PROCESS FOR PRINCIPALS AND ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS, is referred to the Committee on Education.

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By Representative Boylan:

**H.B. 2514**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE THE CORPORATE INCOME TAX RATE TO FIVE PERCENT FOR CORPORATIONS THAT DO NOT REDUCE THEIR WORKFORCE DURING THE TAXABLE YEAR AND THAT DERIVE AT LEAST SIXTY PERCENT OF THEIR NET INCOME FROM DOING BUSINESS IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Martin, Glazier, McComas, and Wainwright (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Barnhart, Brisson, Coleman, Daughtry, Fisher, Frye, Hall, Harrison, Kiser, Lucas, Moore, Pate, Rapp, Tarleton, Tillis, Underhill, Weiss, West, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2515**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE CREATION OF ADDITIONAL FAMILY ASSISTANCE CENTERS TO BENEFIT MILITARY PERSONNEL AND THEIR FAMILIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, McLawhorn, Blackwood, and Faison (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Harrison, Langdon, Pate, Tarleton, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2516**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR TEXTBOOKS AND TO MODIFY THE TEXTBOOK FUNDING FORMULA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier and Bell (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Harrison, Wainwright, and Wray:

**H.B. 2517**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LOW-WEALTH SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, McLawhorn, Rapp, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bell, Blackwood, Faison, Fisher, Harrison, Hurley, Langdon, McGee, and Wainwright:

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H.B. 2518, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION AND TO STUDY THE ALLOTMENT FORMULA FOR SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION FUNDS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Blust:

H.B. 2519, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOWN OF SUMMERFIELD SHALL FOLLOW THE GENERAL LAW FOR THE FILLING OF TOWN COUNCIL VACANCIES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Dickson, Glazier, Brisson, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Martin, McAllister, and Pierce:

H.B. 2520, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA VETERANS PARK, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Brisson and McAllister:

H.B. 2521, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR FAYETTEVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY TO CONSTRUCT A FIRE TRAINING TOWER FOR ITS FIRE SCIENCE PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Pierce, Cole, and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Carney, Crawford, Farmer-Butterfield, Harrison, Lewis, Lucas, and McLawhorn:

H.B. 2522, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA HORSE COUNCIL, INC., is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives England and Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Boylan, Glazier, McLawhorn, R. Warren, Weiss, and Wray:

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H.B. 2523, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE AND FUND THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN RESPONDING TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Insko, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Fisher, Hall, and Luebke:

H.B. 2524, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Agriculture and, if favorable, to the Committee on Health.

By Representatives Harrison, Jeffus, Allen, and Hill (Primary Sponsors); Adams, Alexander, Bell, Blue, Bordsen, Braxton, Brown, Bryant, Carney, Church, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Current, Dickson, Dollar, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Glazier, Goforth, Grady, Hall, Holliman, Howard, Hughes, Insko, Jones, Justice, Langdon, Love, Lucas, Luebke, Martin, McAllister, McGee, McLawhorn, Mobley, Owens, Parmon, Pierce, Ross, Samuelson, Setzer, Starnes, Tarleton, Thomas, Tillis, Tucker, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, Weiss, Wiley, Wilkins, Williams, Womble, and Yongue:

H.B. 2525, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR FARMLAND PRESERVATION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Martin, Samuelson, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Fisher, Glazier, Hall, Insko, Luebke, Underhill, Weiss, and Womble:

H.B. 2526, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, TO STUDY THE COSTS AND BENEFITS OF THE ADOPTION OF CALIFORNIA MOTOR VEHICLE EMISSIONS STANDARDS IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

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By Representatives Harrison, Martin, Bryant, and Justice (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, T. Harrell, Holliman, Insko, Luebke, Ross, Thomas, Underhill, Weiss, Wilkins, and Womble:

**H.B. 2527**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE CERTAIN RETAILERS IN THE STATE TO IMPLEMENT A PROGRAM TO RECYCLE THE PLASTIC BAGS PROVIDED TO CUSTOMERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

By Representatives Harrison, Tolson, Cotham, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Bryant, Coleman, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Hall, T. Harrell, Holliman, Insko, Luebke, Martin, Mobley, Samuelson, Tarleton, Thomas, Underhill, Wainwright, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2528**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE GREEN SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION REVOLVING LOAN FUND TO BE USED FOR NO-INTEREST LOANS TO LOCAL BOARDS OF EDUCATION FOR CERTAIN ENERGY-RELATED CONSTRUCTION, COMMISSIONING, AND INSTALLATION PROJECTS AND TO ESTABLISH THE GREEN SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM, A VOLUNTARY PROGRAM FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OR MAJOR RENOVATION OF HIGH-PERFORMANCE SCHOOL BUILDINGS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Thomas, Underhill, and Wilkins (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Hall, T. Harrell, Holliman, Insko, Luebke, Martin, Weiss, and Womble:

**H.B. 2529**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives Harrison, T. Harrell, Luebke, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Fisher, Glazier, Hall, Hill, Insko, Lucas, Martin, Ross, Samuelson, Tarleton, Tolson, Underhill, Womble, and Wray:

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H.B. 2530, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO A TAXING ENTITY FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY, is referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Harrison, Carney, and Cotham (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Bryant, Coleman, Glazier, Holliman, Insko, Martin, Mobley, Ross, Thomas, Tolson, Underhill, Weiss, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2531, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS AND TO EXTEND THOSE STANDARDS TO MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING BUILDINGS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND ANY OTHER ENTITIES THAT RECEIVE FUNDING FOR THE PROJECT IN THE STATE CAPITAL BUDGET, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Carney, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Hall, T. Harrell, Holliman, Insko, Luebke, Martin, Mobley, Ross, Samuelson, Thomas, Tolson, Underhill, Weiss, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2532, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and, if favorable, to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

By Representatives McLawhorn, E. Warren, Tucker, and Haire (Primary Sponsors); and Harrison:

H.B. 2533, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONTINUE THE ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL RESEARCH ON THE QUEEN ANNE’S REVENGE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Jeffus and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); Fisher, Glazier, and McLawhorn:

**H.B. 2534**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE A+ SCHOOLS PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Jeffus, Fisher, Glazier, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Church, Grady, Gulley, Harrison, Howard, Hughes, Justus, Lucas, Martin, McLawhorn, Pate, Pierce, Setzer, Tarleton, Tolson, Walend, R. Warren, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2535**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE KIDS VOTING OF NORTH CAROLINA PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Bell and Braxton:

**H.B. 2536**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR FRIENDS OF AGRICULTURE, YOUTH AND EDUCATION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Braxton, Langdon, Lewis, and McGee:

**H.B. 2537**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE MAINTENANCE, UPKEEP, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA CENTER AT WHITE LAKE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Braxton, and Langdon:

**H.B. 2538**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AN AGRICULTURAL CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR AT NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Braxton, Glazier, Langdon, Lewis, Tarleton, and Tucker:

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H.B. 2539. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO ENHANCE AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION IN THE CLASSROOM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Justice, Hughes, McComas, and Hill (Primary Sponsors); and McGee:

H.B. 2540. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REPLACE THE RESEARCH VESSEL DAN MOORE USED BY CAPE FEAR COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR MARINE TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen, Gibson, and Harrison (Primary Sponsors); and Killian:


By Representatives Glazier, Stam, E. Warren, and Wiley (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Fisher, Pate, Tarleton, and Walend:

H.B. 2542. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Ethics.

By Representatives Glazier, E. Warren, McGee, and Wiley (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Fisher, Harrison, Justice, Ross, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2543. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION TO FUND ADDITIONAL POSITIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Stam, Lucas, and McGee (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Harrison, Pate, and Walend:

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H.B. 2544, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY JURISDICTION UNDER THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT WITH REGARDS TO OFFICE OF THE STATE AUDITOR AS RECOMMENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Ethics.

By Representatives McLawhorn and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Lewis, Setzer, and R. Warren:

H.B. 2545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING FOR THE VOICE INTEROPERABILITY PLAN FOR EMERGENCY RESPONDERS (VIPER) SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Neumann, Stam, Dollar, and Hurley (Primary Sponsors); Cleveland, Current, Killian, Langdon, McGee, and Moore:

H.B. 2546, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO TAKE CERTAIN ACTIONS TO REDUCE OVEREXPENDITURES IN COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES AND TO REALLOCATE SAVINGS REALIZED FROM THE REDUCTION; AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES SHALL NOT CONSOLIDATE LOCAL MANAGEMENT ENTITIES, is referred to the Committee on Mental Health Reform and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Neumann, Clary, and Current (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2547, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY PIEDMONT AND NORTHERN RAILWAY LINE IN GASTON COUNTY TO DETERMINE THE COST OF BRINGING BACK INTO SERVICE THE FULL LINE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Wilkins and Luebke (Primary Sponsors); Cleveland, Frye, Glazier, Langdon, Lewis, Setzer, Tarleton, Tucker, R. Warren, and Weiss:

H.B. 2548, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS AND TO REENACT THE SALES AND USE TAX REFUND FOR LOCAL SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNITS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

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By Representatives Holliman and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Gibson, Glazier, McGee, Ross, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, and Williams:

**H.B. 2549**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA BIOTECHNOLOGY CENTER FOR ITS LOAN PROGRAM INITIATIVE IN ORDER TO EXPAND THE BIOTECHNOLOGY INDUSTRIAL SECTOR OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ECONOMY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Holliman and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Braxton, Cleveland, Coates, Dollar, Fisher, Frye, Gibson, Glazier, Harrison, Hilton, Hurley, Killian, McGee, McLawhorn, Ross, Setzer, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, Weiss, Williams, and Wray:

**H.B. 2550**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF THE CREDIT FOR SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS AND TO EXTEND THE SUNSET DATE OF THE CREDIT, is referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Tolson and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Cleveland, Hurley, Justice, Langdon, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Wray:

**H.B. 2551**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT FUND, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko and Braxton (Primary Sponsors); Justus, McLawhorn, Wainwright, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2552**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES FOR TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Gulley:

**H.B. 2553**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE MATTHEWS AND MINT HILL DEPARTMENTS FOR GANG VIOLENCE AND CRIME PREVENTION EFFORTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Gulley and Alexander:

**H.B. 2554**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE IDLEWILD, MINT HILL, MATTHEWS, AND ROBINSON VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Cleveland, Justice, Langdon, Tarleton, and Wray:

**H.B. 2555**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND TO CREATE A SALES AND USE TAX REFUND FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Tolson and T. Harrell:

**H.B. 2556**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR A STATE AGENCY ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS MANAGEMENT PILOT BY THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, T. Harrell, and Wray:

**H.B. 2557**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE E-NC AUTHORITY TO SUPPORT CONNECTIVITY INITIATIVES AND TO ADVANCE TECHNOLOGY-BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT JOBS THROUGHOUT THE STATE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Ross:

**H.B. 2558**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Bordsen, Glazier, and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Carney, Coates, Fisher, Hughes, and Underhill:

**H.B. 2559**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES,
AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, TO SUPPORT THE TREATMENT ACCOUNTABILITY FOR SAFER COMMUNITIES (TASC) PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bordsen and Faison (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2560**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONSTRUCT A TRIBAL CENTER FOR THE OCCANECHI BAND OF THE SAPONI NATION IN ALAMANCE COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 274** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION ACT, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of May 27.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**S.B. 1358** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO PREVENT YOUTH INVOLVEMENT IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY, AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION ACT", is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Alexander, the House adjourns at 7:32 p.m. to reconvene May 27 at 2:00 p.m.

**ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOURTH DAY**

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, May 27, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

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The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Patient God:

"As bills are innumerably filed and introduced, and as committee meetings crank up to expedite their dockets, we find ourselves running from room to room, building to building, and simply running out of breath both literally and emotionally. As You have patience with us when we forget to engage You in our lives, grant us this same patience to know that all that is good and necessary will prevail in the busy lives we lead. Teach us to rest for a moment to catch our breath. Perhaps, in doing so, You may even hear from us. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 26 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Glazier, Love, and Thomas for today. Representative Lewis is excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


H.J.R. 2263, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE PERSON HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL TEAM. (RESOLUTION 2008-5)

H.J.R. 2274, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE BICENTENNIAL OF HAYWOOD COUNTY AND HONORING JOHN HAYWOOD, FOR WHOM THE COUNTY IS NAMED. (RESOLUTION 2008-6)


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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Goodwin:

H.B. 2561, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWNS OF TROY, MOUNT GILEAD, STAR, BISCOE, AND CANDOR, AND MONTGOMERY COUNTY GOVERNMENT, THE HANDY SANITARY DISTRICT, AND THE TROY HOUSING AUTHORITY TO ENROLL THEIR EMPLOYEES AND RETIRED EMPLOYEES IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representative Goodwin:

H.B. 2562, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO THE COMMUNITY RESOURCE COUNCIL AT MORRISON CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Goodwin:

H.B. 2563, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW RICHMOND COUNTY TO REMOVE UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES FROM PRIVATE lots, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Haire, Carney, Faison, Hughes, Justice, McGee, McLawhorn, Stiller, Tarleton, Underhill, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2564, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE TO PROMOTE TRAVEL AND TOURISM THROUGHOUT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Rapp, Faison, and McGee (Primary Sponsors): Alexander, Bell, Coleman, Glazier, Hughes, Luebke, Tarleton, Underhill, R. Warren, Weiss, and Womble:

H.B. 2565, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR MENTORING SERVICES FOR TEACHERS AND TO MODIFY THE MANNER IN WHICH THESE FUNDS MAY

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BE USED, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McLawhorn, Glazier, McGee, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Blackwood, Faison, Goforth, Hughes, Rapp, and Underhill:

H.B. 2566, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS TO EXTEND ITS REVIEW OF PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Jeffus and Adams (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, Harrison, and Hughes:

H.B. 2567, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO PLAN, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCT A JOINT PRIMARY DATA CENTER THAT IS A COLLABORATIVE PROJECT OF NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Jeffus and Adams (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Harrison, and Hughes:

H.B. 2568, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR EQUIPMENT AND TO COVER OTHER NONRECURRING EXPENSES FOR THE JOINT SCHOOL OF NANO-SCIENCE AND NANOENGINEERING ON THE CAMPUS OF THE GATEWAY UNIVERSITY RESEARCH PARK OF NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY AND THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Braxton:

H.B. 2569, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN LENOIR COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

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By Representatives Braxton and Brisson:

**H.B. 2570**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PERMIT FOR TRANSPORTATION OF TRANSFER TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING SIXTEEN FEET TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN FIVE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

**CALENDAR**

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 274** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION ACT.

On motion of Representative Michaux, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (107-0), and conferees are requested.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

**S.B. 1480** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND THE POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AND PAROLE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE FOR MEDICAL RELEASE OF NO-RISK INMATES WHO ARE EITHER PERMANENTLY AND TOTALLY DISABLED, TERMINALLY ILL, OR GERIATRIC, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (101-12), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill.

**INTRODUCTION OF PAGES**

Pages for the week of May 26 are introduced to the membership. They are: Crystal Blue of Hoke; Jasmine Bowers of Mecklenburg; Caretta Davis of Forsyth; Candace Eaton of Franklin; Lauren Frederick of Wake; Caitlin Goforth of Cabarrus; Ross Hardeman of Craven; Morgan Johnson of Anson; Wesley Luck of Wake; Carolyn Miller of Forsyth; Nathan Miller of Anson.
On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Adams, the House adjourns at 2:31 p.m. to reconvene May 28 at 2:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, May 28, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Loving God:

"Innate within every human being is the need to be accepted and loved. Despite our many outward appearances or behavior to the contrary, we each want to know that we are important, special and uniquely loved by someone. In addition to those in our lives who care deeply for us, help us to surrender our souls to Your Spirit and come to the wonderful knowledge that Your love for us is immeasurable and stretches as far as the east is from the west. Pour out Your love upon us, dear Lord, we pray. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 27 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Glazier, McElraft, and Tucker for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

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By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**H.B. 2178,** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of May 29.

**H.B. 2287,** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE RECEIPTS UNDER RULE 4 OF THE RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE WHEN SERVICE OF PROCESS IS PROVIDED BY A DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY SERVICE, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES REGARDING PROOF OF SERVICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of May 29. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Farmer-Butterfield, Chair, for the Committee on Aging:

**H.B. 2324,** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A COMPREHENSIVE FIVE-YEAR STATEWIDE STUDY OF THE STATE'S READINESS TO RESPOND TO THE COMING WAVE OF OLDER ADULTS BY ESTABLISHING A STEERING COMMITTEE FOR THE STUDY, APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO PROVIDE STAFF TO SUPPORT THE COMMITTEE, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE FIRST YEAR OF THE STUDY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 932,** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A "CHOOSE LIFE" SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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H.B. 2106, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE PAMLICO-TAR RIVER FOUNDATION, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

H.B. 2260, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A DONATE LIFE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

H.B. 2261, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA GOLD FOUNDATION, INC., with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

H.B. 2308, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of May 29.

H.B. 2313, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

H.B. 2348, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A CAROLINA REGIONAL VOLLEYBALL ASSOCIATION SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2364**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ENCROACHMENT OF AIR SPACE ABOVE STATE ROAD 1100, RIVER ROAD, IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MATERIAL CONVEYANCE SYSTEM, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

**H.B. 2400**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONALS, INC., with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2434**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A RETIRED PIEDMONT AIRLINES EMPLOYEE SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2522**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA HORSE COUNCIL, INC., with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Hill:

**H.B. 2571**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR THE PAYMENT OF DEBT OWED ON A SHELL BUILDING IN COLUMBUS COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Hill and Hughes:

**H.B. 2572**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR BEAVER CONTROL AT TABOR CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Hill and Hughes:

**H.B. 2573**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BRUNSWICK COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL FOR ITS ARTS IN SCHOOLS INITIATIVE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Hill:

**H.B. 2574**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A JUDICIAL ASSISTANT FOR DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT 13, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Justus:

**H.B. 2575**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF FLETCHER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO THE TOWN IN LIEU OF ANNEXATION, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Rapp, Blackwood, Faison, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Folwell, Glazier, Harrison, McLawhorn, Pierce, Weiss, and Wiley:

**H.B. 2576**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE FUNDING CAP ON CHILDREN RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING FOR ACADEMICALLY OR INTELLECTUALLY GIFTED CHILDREN, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Luebke, Hall, Insko, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2577**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE CREDITS RELATING TO MANUFACTURING CIGARETTES FOR EXPORTATION, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Insko and Ray (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, Dockham, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, McComas, and McLawhorn:

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H.B. 2578, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE CENTER FOR WOMEN'S HEALTH RESEARCH AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Insko:

H.B. 2579, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN'S HISTORIC DISTRICT, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representative Insko:

H.B. 2580, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE PAYMENTS-IN-LIEU FOR RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Saunders, Alexander, Carney, and Cotham:

H.B. 2581, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW COMPANY POLICE OFFICERS CONTRACTED BY THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO EXERCISE POLICE POWERS ON CHARLOTTE AREA TRANSIT SYSTEM VEHICLES, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary III and, if favorable, to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives Spear, Mobley, and Bryant (Primary Sponsors); and Faison:

H.B. 2582, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE WOW E-COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION TO PROVIDE THE STATE WITH BROADBAND ACCESSIBILITY STUDIES FOR NINE RURAL EASTERN COUNTIES AS A TOOL FOR PLANNING BROADBAND DEPLOYMENT AND TO ENSURE ACCOUNTABILITY FOR STATE FUNDS USED FOR DEPLOYMENT OF BROADBAND AND TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR BROADBAND INFRASTRUCTURE FOR FOUR NORTHEASTERN COUNTIES TO DETERMINE THE EFFICACY OF WIRELESS BROADBAND AS A PREFERRED SOLUTION FOR PROVIDING THE REMOTE RURAL COMMUNITIES IN NORTH CAROLINA WITH BROADBAND, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representative Insko:

**H.B. 2583**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO TOWN CHARTER TO CLARIFY THAT TOWN EMPLOYEES ENGAGED IN THE ENFORCEMENT OF AN ILLICIT DISCHARGE ORDINANCE ADOPTED TO FULFILL THE TOWN'S STATE-MANDATED OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE TOWN'S NATIONAL POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM PERMIT MAY ENTER ANY PREMISES WITHIN THE TOWN FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING INSPECTIONS OR CARRYING OUT OTHER ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS UNDER SUCH ORDINANCE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Insko, Faison, and Hughes:

**H.B. 2584**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO ESTABLISH A PILOT REGIONAL SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND TO SUPPORT MULTIDISCIPLINARY ASSESSMENT SERVICES FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Tucker:

**H.B. 2585**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWN OF KENANSVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Tucker, Bryant, Coleman, Farmer-Butterfield, Hughes, McLawhorn, Pierce, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2586**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO PROVIDE INDIGENTS WITH FUNERAL AND BURIAL SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allred, Blust, Hurley, Johnson, Justice, Justus, Moore, Setzer, Steen, Walker, and West:

**H.B. 2587**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE GASOLINE AND DIESEL FUEL TAXES BY ELIMINATING THE VARIABLE PORTION OF THE MOTOR FUEL EXCISE TAX, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

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By Representatives Allred, Blust, Folwell, Frye, Hilton, Hughes, Hurley, Johnson, Jones, Justice, Justus, McComas, McGee, Moore, Setzer, Starnes, Steen, Walker, and West:

**H.B. 2588**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX ON HOME HEATING FUELS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Allred, McComas, McGee, Steen, Walker, and West:

**H.B. 2589**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE SPEED LIMIT FOR MOPEDS, REQUIRE A DRIVERS LICENSE FOR MOPED OPERATORS UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OPERATING MOPEDS WITH A MOTOR THAT HAS A PISTON DISPLACEMENT OF FIFTY CUBIC CENTIMETERS TO ONE HUNDRED FIFTY CUBIC CENTIMETERS, AND TO ALLOW INDIVIDUALS EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER TO OPERATE MOPEDS WITHOUT A DRIVERS LICENSE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Wainwright, Hughes, and Underhill:

**H.B. 2590**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE COASTAL CAROLINA CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN RED CROSS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wainwright and Underhill (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2591**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Bell and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Lucas, Luebke, McLawhorn, Pierce, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Womble:

**H.B. 2592**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO COLLECT AND ANALYZE BASELINE DATA RELATED TO CHILDHOOD OBESITY AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Education.

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By Representatives Owens and E. Warren (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bryant, Faison, Goforth, Hughes, McLawhorn, Pierce, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wray:

H.B. 2593, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE RURAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CENTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT WATER AND SEWER GRANTS AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR WATER AND SEWER GRANTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND NONPROFIT WATER CORPORATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier and Martin (Primary Sponsors); Cotham, Harrison, Lucas, and Pierce:

H.B. 2594, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN OPTIONAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR CERTAIN GRADUATES OF THE PRINCIPAL FELLOWS PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier and Jeffus (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Lucas, McLawhorn, Pierce, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2595, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE PROGRAM OPERATED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA HUMANITIES COUNCIL, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Williams:

H.B. 2596, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO NAME THAT PORTION OF THE NEW U.S. HIGHWAY 17 BYPASS AROUND WASHINGTON, BEAUFORT COUNTY, AFTER THE LATE ASHLEY FUTRELL AND TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR SIGNAGE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Spear:

H.B. 2597, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE COSTS OF CONSTRUCTING A FORESTRY HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Howard, Current, Faison, Justus, Lewis, and Lucas:

**H.B. 2598**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, IN MAKING CERTIFICATE OF NEED DETERMINATIONS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EXPANSION OR RENOVATION OF EXISTING HEALTH CARE FACILITIES, TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION CERTAIN FACTORS WITH RESPECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF SUITABLE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES SERVING COUNTIES WITH RELATIVELY SMALL POPULATIONS; TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED REQUIREMENTS ON THE AVAILABILITY OF LOCAL HOSPITAL SERVICES; AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A DHHS STUDY OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED REVIEW CRITERIA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Furr:

**H.B. 2599**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO PAY FOR NONBETTERMENT COSTS WHEN RELOCATING WATER AND SEWER LINES FOR STATE HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS INITIATED ON OR AFTER MAY 1, 2008, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Holloway:

**H.B. 2600**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MAYODAN TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OR ON PROPERTY OWNED OR LEASED BY THE TOWN, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representative Holloway:

**H.B. 2601**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE TOWN OF DANBURY FOR VARIOUS LOCAL PROJECTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Spear, Justice, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2602**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A "CAMOUFLAGE COALITION" SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA WILDLIFE FEDERATION, INC., is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

May 28, 2008
By Representative J. Harrell:

**H.B. 2603**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY’S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government.

By Representatives J. Harrell, Clary, Faison, Hughes, Lucas, Pierce, Wainwright, Walker, and Womble:

**H.B. 2604**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SALARY SCHEDULE RATE INCREASE FOR TEACHERS WHO HAVE TWO MASTER'S DEGREES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Luebke, Harrison, Weiss, and Allen (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Lucas, Pierce, Spear, Tarleton, Underhill, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2605**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A NEW SALES TAX HOLIDAY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Yongue, Holliman, Ross, and Faison (Primary Sponsors); Glazier, Hughes, Sutton, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2606**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE OPERATION OF THE CENTER FOR UNIVERSAL DESIGN AT NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue and Jeffus (Primary Sponsors); Cotham, Faison, Glazier, Insko, Justice, Lucas, Tarleton, Underhill, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2607**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENABLE RETIRED HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPALS TO RETURN TO EMPLOYMENT AS PRINCIPALS OF "PRIORITY" HIGH SCHOOLS WITHOUT LOSING RETIREMENT BENEFITS, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives Yongue and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Insko, Lucas, McLawhorn, and Tarleton:

**H.B. 2608**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE OPERATING AND CAPITAL FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Bell, Allred and Bordsen (Primary Sponsors); Lucas and Wainwright:

H.B. 2609, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO END DEPART-MENT OF ADMINISTRATION SUPERVISION OF EMPLOYEES OF COUNTIES, CITIES, AND TOWNS THAT ARE ENGAGED IN VETERANS SERVICE IN ALAMANCE, SAMPSON, AND WAYNE COUNTIES, is referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Representatives Thomas and Neumann (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Brown, Brubaker, Current, Dollar, Goforth, T. Harrell, Langdon, Moore, and Walend:

H.B. 2610, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT EMPLOYERS IN THIS STATE USE THE FEDERAL E-VERIFY PRO-GRAM OR A SIMILAR VERIFICATION OF WORK AUTHORIZATION PROGRAM; AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH AND SUPPORT A POSITION TO ASSIST IN THE IMPLEMENTATION AND EXECUTION OF THIS ACT, is referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs.

By Representatives Allen and Bryant (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2611, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE TOWN OF LITTLETON FOR RENOVATION OF A BUILDING TO BE USED AS A TOWN HALL, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen, Coleman, Faison, Frye, Glazier, Harrison, Insko, McLawhorn, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2612, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES FOR REGIONAL COUNCILS OF GOVERNMENT TO DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT A WATER RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen, Carney, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2613, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE APPLICABILITY THRESHOLD FOR MANDATORY MONTHLY PREPAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING MONTH'S SALES AND USE TAX LIABILITY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

May 28, 2008
By Representative Crawford:

**H.B. 2614**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF STOVALL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT PROVIDING PRIOR SERVICE CREDITS TO ITS EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives Tolson, Yongue, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, Current, Dockham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Jones, Langdon, Pierce, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wray:

**H.B. 2615**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES SYSTEM OFFICE FOR ADDITIONAL SYSTEM OFFICE SUPPORT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, Dockham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Jones, Langdon, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Wainwright, Walker, R. Warren, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2616**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR EQUIPMENT FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, McLawhorn, Pierce, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wray:

**H.B. 2617**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR SALARY AND BENEFIT ADJUSTMENTS FOR STAFF WITHIN THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES SYSTEM OFFICE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Tolson, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Hughes, Lucas, McLawhorn, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2618**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO RETAIN AND EXPEND FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR LEARN AND EARN ONLINE FOR UP TO TWO FISCAL YEARS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Blue, Avila, Faison, Harrison, and Samuelson:

**H.B. 2619.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REFLECT THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT IN STATE BUDGET OPERATIONS, TO AUTHORIZE THE JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT TO CONDUCT POSITION MANAGEMENT TO ALLOW FOR THE MOST EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT OVERALL OPERATION OF THE COURTS, AND TO ENSURE THE FISCAL INTEGRITY AND ACCOUNTABILITY OF THE JUDICIAL BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Avila, Faison, Harrison, Jones, Lucas, Samuelson, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2620.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE AND PRESERVE THE QUALITY OF THE JUDICIARY BY IMPROVING SALARIES AND ESTABLISHING AN EQUITABLE SALARY STRUCTURE FOR JUDICIAL OFFICIALS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Faison, and Harrison:

**H.B. 2621.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD A STATE FACILITIES FEE TO COURT COSTS AND CREATE A JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT FACILITIES FEE RESERVE FUND FOR THE USE OF STATE COURT FACILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Blue, Faison, Harrison, Lucas, Samuelson, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2622.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATE BUDGET ACT REGARDING THE JUDICIAL BRANCH, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Church, Carney, and Weiss (Primary Sponsors); Bryant, Coates, Coleman, Current, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goforth, Hall, Harrison, Jones, Lucas, Luebke, Ross, Wainwright, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2623.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE FORECLOSURES AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TO ESTABLISH A FORECLOSURE PREVENTION RESERVE, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Blue, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, Hall, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, Luebke, Pierce, Wainwright, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2624**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA BIOTECHNOLOGY CENTER FOR THE HISTORICALLY MINORITY UNIVERSITY INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT (HIG) PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Tucker:

**H.B. 2625**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE DULONG COUNTY TO ENROLL ITS EMPLOYEES OR RETIREES IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives Neumann and Current (Primary Sponsors); and Hughes:

**H.B. 2626**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE EAST CAMPUS TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ON THE CAMPUS OF GASTON COLLEGE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Lucas and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Cotham and Faison:

**H.J.R. 2627**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BUILDING CODE STANDARDS FOR BUILDINGS USED BY HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS ATTENDING CLASSES ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Tarleton, Coates, Hilton, and R. Warren:

**H.J.R. 2628**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE ALLOWABLE LENGTH OF SEMI-TRAILERS INCLUDES TRAILERS WITH A LENGTH OF FIFTY-THREE FEET, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

May 28, 2008
By Representative J. Harrell:

**H.B. 2629**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REDEFINE THE NEWSPAPERS ELIGIBLE TO ACCEPT LEGAL ADVERTISING IN SURRY COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representative J. Harrell:

**H.B. 2630**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE REGIONAL AIRPORT IN SURRY COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin, Dickson, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Allred, Bryant, Coates, Current, Faison, Frye, Glazier, Goforth, Hall, Hughes, Justice, Justus, Lewis, Lucas, McElraft, McGee, McLawhorn, Moore, Pierce, Spear, Tarleton, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2631**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROPERTY TAX EXCLUSION FOR HONORABLY DISCHARGED DISABLED VETERANS AND THEIR SURVIVING SPOUSES AND TO REIMBURSE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR THE RESULTING REVENUE LOSS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Alexander and Carney:

**H.B. 2632**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE CENTER FOR COMMUNITY TRANSITIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Brubaker and Hurley (Primary Sponsors); Dockham, Hughes, Moore, and Wray:

**H.B. 2633**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A VICTORY JUNCTION GANG CAMP SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Faison:

**H.B. 2634**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Wilkins and Hughes:

**H.B. 2635**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT GRANVILLE COUNTY IN BUILDING NECESSARY INFRASTRUCTURE FOR THE PROPOSED NATIONAL BIO-AGRO DEFENSE FACILITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Rapp, Glazier, McLawhorn, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); and Hughes:

**H.B. 2636**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING THE USE OF GED TESTING FEES BY COMMUNITY COLLEGES, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Rapp, Glazier, McLawhorn, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Langdon and Tarleton:

**H.B. 2637**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO CARRY FORWARD AND EXPEND FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR CUSTOMIZED TRAINING PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Rapp, Glazier, Lucas, and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Hughes, Langdon, and Tarleton:

**H.B. 2638**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONSOLIDATING THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE CUSTOMIZED TRAINING PROGRAMS, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Tolson, Faison, and Hughes:

**H.B. 2639**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS OF NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Hall, Luebke, Michaux, and Wilkins (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2640**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Yongue, Tolson, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Clary, Current, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, Pierce, Wainwright, Walend, R. Warren, Weiss, and Womble:

**H.B. 2641**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT SCHOOL SCIENCE COMPETITIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wainwright, Weiss, Luebke, and Ross (Primary Sponsors); Blue, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Goforth, Hall, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Lucas, Tarleton, and Womble:

**H.B. 2642**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT TO FIVE PERCENT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives E. Warren and McLawhorn (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Goforth, Hughes, and R. Warren:

**H.B. 2643**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT AND ENHANCEMENT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives E. Warren, Barnhart, Hughes, Johnson, Justice, and Walker:

**H.B. 2644**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICTS SUPERVISORS’ TRAVEL AND FOR MATCHING FUNDS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Haire, Sutton, Dickson, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Blue, Bryant, Carney, Cotham, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Insko, Saunders, Wainwright, Walend, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2645**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE CHILD WELFARE COLLABORATIVE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Underhill and Wainwright (Primary Sponsors):

May 28, 2008
H.B. 2646, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE TERCENTENARY CELEBRATION OF THE CITY OF NEW BERN, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goodwin, Fisher, Martin, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2647, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON TELEVISION ACCESS TO STATE GOVERNMENT AND TO ESTABLISH THAT COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goodwin and Underhill (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Faison, Pierce, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2648, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON COMPENSATION FOR COUNTY ELECTION DIRECTORS AND TO ESTABLISH THAT COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goodwin, Alexander, Bryant, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Lucas, Martin, Pierce, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2649, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR VOTER-OWNED ELECTIONS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goodwin, Alexander, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, and Wainwright:

H.B. 2650, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE AND TO ESTABLISH THAT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goodwin and Furr (Primary Sponsors); Brown, Brubaker, Coates, Dockham, Gibson, Harrison, and Hurley:

H.B. 2651, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT CENTRAL PARK NC, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Goodwin and Hughes:

**H.B. 2652**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO MONTGOMERY COUNTY TO BE USED TO IDENTIFY AND TO ADDRESS WELLS CONTAMINATED WITH PESTICIDES THAT ARE LOCATED IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY OR THAT EXTEND INTO AN ADJOINING COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


**H.B. 2653**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF TELEVISION ALL LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS AND SELECTED COMMITTEE MEETINGS, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Cleveland, Blust, Brown, Current, Furr, Gulley, Killian, Langdon, McComas, McElraft, McGee, and Moore:

**H.B. 2654**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SALES TAX ON DIESEL FUEL SOLD AT MARINAS FOR USE IN WATERCRAFT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Justice, Coleman, Carney, and McComas (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Brisson, Clary, Cleveland, Cotham, Frye, Glazier, Grady, Haire, Harrison, Howard, Hughes, Johnson, Justus, Langdon, Lewis, Lucas, McGee, Moore, Ray, Setzer, Starnes, Stiller, Tillis, Underhill, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2655**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CAP THE HIGHWAY USE TAX ON EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE VEHICLES OWNED BY UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Wray and Allen (Primary Sponsors); and Bryant:

May 28, 2008
H.B. 2656. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA CENTER FOR AUTOMOTIVE RESEARCH, INC., is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Avila and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Blust, Brown, Cleveland, Dollar, Folwell, Furr, Killian, Lewis, Martin, McElraft, Setzer, and Wiley:

H.B. 2657. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR AN INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD AUXILIARY, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Pate, Howard, McGee, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2658. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW PSAPS TO USE 911 FUNDS TO PURCHASE TWO-WAY RADIOS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Pate, Braxton, and Bell (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2659. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE PRESERVATION AND REHABILITATION OF THE HISTORIC BORDEN MILL COMPLEX IN GOLDSBORO BY DIRECTING THE NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD TO TRANSFER MILL BUILDING ENCROACHMENTS FOR USE IN THE HISTORIC MILL REHABILITATION PROJECT, AND BY PROHIBITING THE RAILROAD FROM REMOVING OR DEMOLISHING ANY HISTORIC MILL BUILDING IN GOLDSBORO THAT ENCROACHES ON ITS RIGHT-OF-WAY, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representatives Glazier, Luebke, and Weiss (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Fisher, and Insko:

H.B. 2660. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE TAX FOR CIGARETTES, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Glazier, McLawhorn, Lucas, and Rapp (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Hughes, Insko, Pierce, Tarleton, Wainwright, Walker, Womble, and Wray:

May 28, 2008
H.B. 2661, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING COMMUNITY COLLEGES TO USE CERTAIN FUNDS FOR CAMPUS SECURITY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Glazier, Rapp, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Hughes, McLawhorn, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Wray:

H.B. 2662, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES TO STUDY THE APPROPRIATE ROLE OF AND REIMBURSEMENT TO THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM IN OFFERING COURSES OF INSTRUCTION TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goforth, Haire, Fisher, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors); Hughes, Justus, and Walend:

H.B. 2663, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT THE WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Fisher, Goforth, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2664, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO EXPAND THE ASHEVILLE ART MUSEUM'S FACILITIES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Coates and Carney (Primary Sponsors); Church, Dockham, Faison, Frye, Harrison, Johnson, Justus, Lucas, McGee, McLawhorn, Pierce, Samuelson, Setzer, Steen, Tarleton, Underhill, Wainwright, Wiley, and Womble:

H.J.R. 2665, A JOINT RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO END NORTH CAROLINA'S STATUS AS A DONOR STATE OF FEDERAL HIGHWAY TAX REVENUES, AND TO RETURN ONE HUNDRED PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY REVENUES THE STATE REMITS TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT EACH YEAR, IN ORDER FOR THE STATE TO ADDRESS ITS URGENT TRANSPORTATION NEEDS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE 21ST CENTURY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

May 28, 2008
By Representatives Tarleton and Womble:

**H.B. 2666**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COMPANY POLICE OFFICERS CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74E OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, THE COMPANY POLICE ACT, SERVING LOCAL HOSPITALS OR HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES IN ASHE AND WATAUGA COUNTIES TO HAVE JURISDICTION ON STREETS AND HIGHWAYS THAT RUN ADJACENT TO THE HOSPITAL CAMPUS LIKE THAT OF A CAMPUS POLICE OFFICER CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74G OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Wilkins, Luebke, and Hall (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2667**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE CITY OF DURHAM FOR PLANNING AND PRELIMINARY DESIGN OF A MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL MUSEUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Wilkins, Hall, and Michaux:

**H.B. 2668**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Adams and Jones (Primary Sponsors); Harrison and Hughes:

**H.B. 2669**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL AND TECHNICAL STATE UNIVERSITY FOR PLANNING ACTIVITIES RELATED TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF A VISUAL ARTS AND PERFORMING ARTS CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Alexander, Bryant, Coleman, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Lucas, Pierce, and Wainwright:

**H.J.R. 2670**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT PROVIDING FOR HEALTHY FAMILIES AND HEALTHY WORKPLACES BY ENSURING THAT ALL WORKERS HAVE PAID

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SICK DAYS TO ADDRESS THEIR OWN HEALTH NEEDS AND THE HEALTH NEEDS OF THEIR FAMILIES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Barnhart, Johnson, and Steen (Primary Sponsors); and Coates:

H.B. 2671, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA RESEARCH CAMPUS IN KANNAPOLIS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cotham, Tolson, Yongue, and Tarleton (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Bryant, Carney, Coates, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goodwin, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Lucas, Martin, McLawhorn, Pierce, Ross, Spear, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Womble:

H.B. 2672, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT TEACHERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR TAKING PERSONAL LEAVE TIME UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on State Personnel.


H.B. 2673, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT RAPE AND SEXUAL ASSAULT VICTIMS DO NOT HAVE TO PAY FOR THE COST OF A FORENSIC MEDICAL EXAMINATION; AND TO OTHERWISE ENHANCE THE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR VICTIMS OF RAPE AND SEX OFFENSES, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bordsen and Love (Primary Sponsors); Bryant, Faison, Glazier, and Lucas:

H.B. 2674, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO STUDY EXPANDING THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUVENILE JUSTICE AND DELinquency PREVENTION TO INCLUDE CRIMINAL ACTS OF

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SIXTEEN- AND SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLDS AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONDUCT THE STUDY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Allen, Carney, Bordsen, and Wiley (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Bryant, Church, Clary, Coates, Current, Dickson, Dollar, Faison, Fisher, Gibson, Glazier, Haire, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hughes, Justice, Killian, Lucas, Martin, McElraft, McLawhorn, Ross, Tarleton, Underhill, E. Warren, Weiss, and Womble:

H.B. 2675, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FUNDING FOR THE ADOPT-A-TRAIL PROGRAM WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Coleman and Lucas:

H.J.R. 2676, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO EXEMPT POLICYMAKING POSITIONS IN THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Gibson, Barnhart, Current, Faison, Frye, Goforth, Hilton, Hughes, Samuelson, Setzer, and Walker:

H.J.R. 2677, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A DISTRICT ATTORNEY OR ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTORNEY WHO HAS A CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMIT MAY CARRY OR POSSESS A CONCEALED HANDGUN WHILE IN A COURTHOUSE TO DISCHARGE OFFICIAL DUTIES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative Gibson:

H.B. 2678, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ANSON COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS TO RESTRUCTURE THEIR FORM OF GOVERNMENT, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

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By Representatives Gibson, Justice, Lucas, and Sutton:

**H.B. 2679.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A TAX CREDIT TO ABC PERMITTEES WHO ARE REQUIRED TO RECYCLE BEVERAGE CONTAINERS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Johnson, Barnhart, and Steen (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2680.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA RESEARCH CAMPUS AT KANNAPOLIS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Glazier, Lucas, and Brisson (Primary Sponsors); and Tolson:

**H.B. 2681.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO FAYETTEVILLE TECHNICAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO ESTABLISH AN INTERACTIVE 3-D CENTER, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Dickson (Primary Sponsors); Braxton, Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goforth, Hall, T. Harrell, Harrison, Holliman, Hughes, Lucas, Parmon, Pierce, Underhill, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2682.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE BENEFITS PAID TO STUDENTS ATTENDING STATE EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS ON SCHOLARSHIPS FOR CHILDREN OF WAR VETERANS, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Martin, Glazier, and Underhill (Primary Sponsors); Braxton, Church, Coates, Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Goodwin, Hall, T. Harrell, Harrison, Howard, Lucas, McAllister, McElraft, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2683.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Glazier, Lucas, and McAllister (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen, Brisson, Bryant, Coates, Current, Faison, Hughes, Insko, and Tolson:

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H.B. 2684, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ESTABLISH THREE PILOT CAREER AND TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Glazier, and Lucas (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Brisson, Church, Coates, Faison, Frye, Hall, Hughes, Justice, Lewis, McAllister, Pierce, Tarleton, and Tolson:

H.B. 2685, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO COUNTY VETERANS PROGRAMS AND TO RAISE THE AMOUNT OF ASSISTANCE THAT MUST BE PROVIDED, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Pierce and Bryant (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, and Womble:

H.B. 2686, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ESTABLISHING TWO NEW PERSONNEL POSITIONS IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DEDICATED TO POVERTY REDUCTION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Pierce and Bryant (Primary Sponsors); Faison and Farmer-Butterfield:

H.B. 2687, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CREATING THE POVERTY REDUCTION AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, Holliman, Wainwright, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Allred, Barnhart, Bell, Braxton, Brisson, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Dickson, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Gibson, Goodwin, J. Harrell, Harrison, Hill, Hughes, Jeffus, Jones, Luebke, Martin, McLawhorn, Michaux, Mobley, Owens, Parmon, Pierce, Ross, Saunders, Spear, Tarleton, Tolson, Underhill, Walend, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2688, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE BILL MARTIN AND RUTH EASTERLING HEALTH CARE POLICY COUNCIL, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Michaux, Hall, Luebke, and Wilkins (Primary Sponsors); and Hughes:

**H.B. 2689.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE DURHAM CITY ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL VEHICLE TAX, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Michaux, Hall, Luebke, and Wilkins (Primary Sponsors); and Hughes:

**H.B. 2690.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF DURHAM TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ON RESTAURANT MEALS IN THE COUNTY OF DURHAM IF APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Allred:

**H.B. 2691.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING LOCAL SCHOOL BOARDS TO ADOPT POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN SCHOOL BUILDINGS, FACILITIES, CAMPUSES, AND SCHOOL-SPONSORED EVENTS, is referred to the Committee on Education.

By Representatives Allred, Blust, Brubaker, Dockham, Johnson, Justus, Kiser, McComas, Steen, and Stiller:

**H.B. 2692.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REFORM THE METHOD OF COLLECTING PROPERTY TAXES ON MOTOR VEHICLES BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PROVIDE A LISTING OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO COUNTY ASSESSORS WHO WILL THEN COLLECT THE PROPERTY TAX DUE, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Allred, Blust, Brubaker, Dockham, Johnson, McGee, Stam, Steen, Stiller, and Walker:

**H.B. 2693.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO FACILITATE THE COLLECTION OF USE TAX ON ITEMS COSTING ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS OR MORE, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Allred, Blust, Brubaker, Dockham, Johnson, and Stiller:

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H.B. 2694. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A LEGISLATIVE TUITION GRANT PROGRAM FOR PRIVATE SCHOOL STUDENTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Daughtridge, Dockham, and McGee (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Blackwood, Blust, Boylan, Brown, Brubaker, Clary, Cleveland, Daughtry, Dollar, Folwell, Frye, Gibson, Gulley, Hilton, Howard, Hurley, Johnson, Justus, Kiser, McComas, Moore, Pate, Ray, Setzer, Starnes, Steen, Stiller, Walker, West, and Wiley:

H.B. 2695. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM CORPORATE INCOME TAX THE FIRST EIGHTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS OF STATE TAXABLE INCOME AS AN ECONOMIC ENHANCEMENT TO CREATE JOBS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Daughtridge:

H.B. 2696. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF NASHVILLE AND GRANITE QUARRY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Michaux, Tolson, Alexander, and Yongue (Primary Sponsors); Coleman and Lucas:

H.B. 2697. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007 AND TO MAKE OTHER CHANGES IN THE BUDGET OPERATIONS OF THE STATE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McAllister, Brisson, Dickson, Glazier, Hughes, Lucas, Parmon, and Pierce:

H.B. 2698. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. PARK IN THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Goforth, Haire, Fisher, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2699. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA FARMERS MARKET, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Goforth, Fisher, and Thomas (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2700.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONDUCT A SITE STUDY TO DETERMINE A LOCATION FOR THE WESTERN REGIONAL HISTORY MUSEUM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Blue, Coleman, Faison, Glazier, Harrison, Luebke, Ross, Weiss, and Womble:

**H.B. 2701.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA FREEDOM MONUMENT PROJECT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Wainwright, Blue, and Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Lucas, Luebke, McLawhorn, Mobley, Pierce, Setzer, Spear, Tarleton, R. Warren, Weiss, and Womble:

**H.B. 2702.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NEW SALARY SCHEDULE FOR NONCERTIFIED PERSONNEL OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Thomas and Tillis (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Barnhart, Clary, Current, Glazier, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Justice, McElraft, Tarleton, and Walker:

**H.B. 2703.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO CHILDREN OF NORTH CAROLINA’S FALLEN HEROES WHO ENROLL AS STUDENTS AT CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA OR AT THE STATE’S COMMUNITY COLLEGES, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Tolson, Bordsen, and Boylan (Primary Sponsors); Carney, Coleman, Current, Faison, Goodwin, Hughes, Justice, Justus, Parmon, Pierce, and Womble:

**H.B. 2704.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF OPERATING A LICENSED ADULT CARE HOME IN A PUBLIC HOUSING FACILITY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, McLawhorn, Underhill, and Tolson (Primary Sponsors); Allen and Hughes:

**H.B. 2705**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE SCIENCE MUSEUMS OF WILSON, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Cole and Allred (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2706**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE COMBINED MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION RENEWAL AND PROPERTY TAX COLLECTION SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Boylan and Hughes:

**H.B. 2707**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW COMPANY POLICE OFFICERS THAT ARE CONTRACTED WITH A LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD TO HAVE THE SAME TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION AS CAMPUS POLICE OFFICERS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representatives Blackwood, Brown, Moore, and Walend:

**H.B. 2708**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO TRANSFER TWENTY PERCENT OF ALL UNAPPROPRIATED FUNDS TO THE HIGHWAY FUND TO PROVIDE FOR MAINTENANCE AND PRESERVATION OF THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Luebke, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Glazier, Insko, and Parmon:

**H.B. 2709**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ANY PUBLIC UTILITY THAT OPERATES A COAL-FIRED GENERATING UNIT LOCATED IN NORTH CAROLINA TO GENERATE ELECTRICITY FROM PURCHASING OR USING COAL EXTRACTED BY MOUNTAINTOP REMOVAL COAL MINING, TO PROVIDE FOR COST RECOVERY FOR ANY SUCH UTILITY OF ANY INCREMENTAL COSTS FOR PURCHASING OR USING COAL EXTRACTED BY SOME METHOD OTHER THAN MOUNTAINTOP REMOVAL COAL MINING, AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS, is referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and, if favorable, to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

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By Representatives Harrison, Carney, Hughes, and Insko (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen, Bryant, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Dickson, Faison, Fisher, T. Harrell, Jones, Lucas, McLawhorn, Mobley, Parmon, Spear, Tarleton, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2710**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR BUILDERS OF ENERGY-EFFICIENT HOMES, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Harrison, and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Blue, Bryant, Coleman, Current, Glazier, Insko, Jones, Lucas, Martin, Mobley, Parmon, Tarleton, and Womble:

**H.B. 2711**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE BIOFUELS INDUSTRY IN THIS STATE, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Stiller and Hughes:

**H.J.R. 2712**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY THE COLLECTION OF PROPERTY TAXES THAT ARE DUE UNDER G.S. 105-277.8 ON PROPERTY OWNED BY CERTAIN NONPROFIT HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATIONS, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative Stiller:

**H.B. 2713**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISTANCE FROM THE PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS OF A SATELLITE ANNEXATION BY THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Stiller:

**H.B. 2714**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE POSITION OF CHIEF MAGISTRATE AND TO REVISE THE PROCESS FOR SUBMISSION OF NOMINEES FOR MAGISTRATE POSITIONS BY THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Stiller:

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H.B. 2715. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR AN ADDITIONAL RESIDENT SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE FOR DISTRICT 13B, AN ADDITIONAL CHIEF DISTRICT COURT JUDGE FOR DISTRICT 13, FIVE ADDITIONAL MAGISTRATES FOR BRUNSWICK COUNTY, AND FIVE ADDITIONAL PROBATION OFFICERS TO SERVE BRUNSWICK COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Stiller:

H.B. 2716. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A JUDICIAL ASSISTANT FOR DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT 13, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Luebke, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Faison, Fisher, Insko, Jones, Lucas, Parmon, and Weiss:

H.B. 2717. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AND THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES FROM SOLICITING INFORMATION REGARDING THE IMMIGRATION STATUS OF PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison and Fisher (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Coleman, Cotham, Faison, Glazier, Hughes, Insko, Jones, Luebke, Martin, Mobley, Parmon, Samuelson, Tarleton, Wilkins, and Womble:

H.B. 2718. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NC GREEN BUSINESS FUND FROM A GRANT-MAKING FUND TO A NO-INTEREST LOAN-MAKING FUND AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FOR THE NC GREEN BUSINESS FUND, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Harrison, Cotham, and Faison (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Coleman, Dickson, Fisher, Glazier, T. Harrell, Hughes, Insko, Jeffus, Jones, Justus, Luebke, Martin, Mobley, Parmon, Tarleton, Weiss, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2719. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE SPAY/NEUTER ACCOUNT AND TO TRANSFER ADMINISTRATION OF THE VOLUNTARY SPAY/NEUTER PROGRAM TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Thomas, Harrison, and Martin (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Bordsen, Bryant, Carney, Coleman, Cotham, Current, Dickson, Fisher, Glazier, Goforth, Hughes, Insko, Jones, Justice, Luebke, McLawhorn, Mobley, Parmon, Samuelson, Tarleton, Underhill, Walend, Wilkins, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2720**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE EVERY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLE TRANSFERRED TO OR PURCHASED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY RATING, AS DETERMINED BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR THE NEW VEHICLE’S MODEL YEAR, IN THE TOP TEN PERCENT FOR ITS CLASS OF VEHICLES, is referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Parmon and Womble:

**H.B. 2721**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS AND TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THE SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives McAllister, Brisson, Dickson, Glazier, Lucas, and Pierce:

**H.B. 2722**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE SECOND HARVEST FOOD BANK OF SOUTHEAST NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives T. Harrell, Clary, Tolson, and Tillis (Primary Sponsors); Current, Faison, Harrison, and Wilkins:

**H.B. 2723**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT PROVIDING FOR AN ELECTRONIC DOCUMENT MANAGEMENT PILOT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue and Lucas:

**H.B. 2724**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

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By Representatives Yongue, Insko, and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Bordsen and Faison:

**H.B. 2725**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE OPERATING AND CAPITAL FUNDS TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AND TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Clary:

**H.B. 2726**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN OBSOLETE AND UNENFORCEABLE PROVISION OF THE POLKVILLE TOWN CHARTER, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives Weiss and Glazier (Primary Sponsors); Blue, Harrison, Hilton, Lucas, McComas, Moore, and Setzer:


By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); and Lucas:

**H.B. 2728**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA 401(K) PLAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN INTO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Allen, Bryant, Coleman, Daughtridge, Glazier, Hughes, Justice, McLawhorn, Pierce, Tarleton, Wainwright, R. Warren, and Wray:

**H.B. 2729**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MONTHLY PENSION FOR MEMBERS OF THE FIREMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD WORKER'S PENSION FUND AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REPAY THE FIREMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD

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WORKERS’ PENSION FUND IN FULL, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives T. Harrell, Harrison, Samuelson, and Avila (Primary Sponsors); Blust and Lucas:

H.B. 2730, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY AMENDING ITS STANDARDS FOR PLACEMENT OF SOUND BARRIERS IN ORDER TO PROTECT RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITIES LOCATED NEAR ITS FACILITIES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Representatives Bryant, Alexander, Cotham, Current, Goforth, Hall, Harrison, Hughes, Luebke, Pierce, Wainwright, Weiss, Womble, and Wray:

H.B. 2731, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION PROGRAMS IN UNDERSERVED COMMUNITIES ACROSS THE STATE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bryant and Farmer-Butterfield (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2732, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE EDGECOMBE/NASH CENTER FOR FAMILY GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Allred:

H.B. 2733, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION TO PAY THE TUITION OF ORANGE COUNTY RESIDENTS ATTENDING THE ALAMANCE COUNTY SCHOOLS AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO COVER THE COSTS FOR THE 2008-2009 FISCAL YEAR, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue, Jeffus, Glazier, and Carney (Primary Sponsors); Cotham, Faison, Harrison, Lucas, McLawhorn, Pierce, Ross, Spear, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2734, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR DISADVANTAGED STUDENT SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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By Representatives Yongue, Carney, Glazier, and Johnson (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Cotham, Faison, Hughes, Lucas, Pierce, Wainwright, Womble, and Wray:

**H.B. 2735**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A MENTOR PROGRAM TO PROVIDE ONGOING SUPPORT FOR PRINCIPALS ENTERING THE PROFESSION, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue, Carney, Tolson, and Johnson (Primary Sponsors); Brown, Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Lucas, McLawhorn, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2736**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY FACILITATORS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Yongue, Carney, Jeffus, and Bell (Primary Sponsors); Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Hughes, Lucas, McLawhorn, Underhill, and Wainwright:

**H.B. 2737**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR TESTING COORDINATORS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Haire, Braxton, Farmer-Butterfield, and Kiser (Primary Sponsors); Brubaker, Howard, Hurley, Neumann, Ray, Setzer, Starnes, Tolson, Walend, and Williams:

**H.B. 2738**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin, T. Harrell, and Weiss:

**H.B. 2739**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO CONSTRUCT A RESIDENTIAL FACILITY AT THE PRAIRIE RIDGE FACILITY ECOSTATION FOR WILDLIFE AND LEARNING, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Martin and Killian (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, and Moore:

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H.B. 2740, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE
THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL
PLATE FOR GRADUATES OF THE UNITED STATES SERVICE
ACADEMIES, WHICH INCLUDE THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
ACADEMY, THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD ACADEMY, THE
UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, AND THE UNITED STATES
NAVAL ACADEMY, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and,
if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Pierce, and Goodwin (Primary
Sponsors); Alexander, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Hurley, Tarleton, and
Wainwright:

H.B. 2741, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE
FUNDS TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE NC PRE-
SCRIPTION DRUG ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO HELP LOW-INCOME
INDIVIDUALS WHO DO NOT QUALIFY FOR THE "EXTRA HELP
SUBSIDY" AVAILABLE UNDER MEDICAIRE PART D, is referred to
the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Adams, Bryant, Faison, Harrison, Hughes, Pierce,
Wainwright, and Womble:

H.B. 2742, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN
EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE FORECLOSURES AND TO
APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO ENHANCE HOUSING COUNSELING IN
THIS STATE, PREVENT FORECLOSURES OF SUBPRIME LOANS,
STIMULATE THE HOUSING MARKET, AND PROVIDE CONTINUED
SUPPORT OF THE HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY, is referred to the
Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on
 Appropriations.

By Representatives McComas and Insko (Primary Sponsors); Faison,
Glazier, Harrison, Hughes, Jones, and Womble:

H.B. 2743, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE
FUNDS TO THE CENTER FOR WOMEN'S HEALTH RESEARCH AT
THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL, is
referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Insko, England, Weiss, and Martin (Primary Sponsors);
Barnhart, Bordsen, Bryant, Faison, Fisher, Harrison, Hughes, Luebke,
McLawhorn, Pierce, Ross, Tarleton, Wainwright, and Wray:

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H.B. 2744, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN SERVED BY THE NC HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Dickson, Faison, Glazier, Hughes, and Lucas:

H.B. 2745, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CERTIFIED CHILD CARE FACILITIES TO BE LICENSED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND ALLOWING DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CERTIFIED CHILD CARE FACILITIES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE SUBSIDIZED CHILD CARE PROGRAM, is referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Alexander, Faison, and Lucas:

H.B. 2746, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT, TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP ON THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BOARD UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO AMEND THE LAWS REQUIRING A PASSING SCORE ON AN ORAL EXAMINATION THEREBY AFFECTING FEES CHARGED BY THE BOARD UNDER THE LAWS REGULATING SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONALS, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Glazier, Harrison, Cole, and Wiley (Primary Sponsors); Alexander, Allen, Allred, Blue, Carney, Cotham, Faison, Fisher, Hurley, Luebke, McLawhorn, and Weiss:

H.B. 2747, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING THE COURT AFTER JUDICIAL DETERMINATION OF INVOLUNTARY COMMITMENT TO REPORT THE FACT OF THE COMMITMENT TO THE NATIONAL CRIMINAL BACKGROUND SYSTEM, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Ross, Church, and T. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Lucas, Martin, and Weiss:

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H.B. 2748. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE RULES ADOPTED BY THE STATE PERSONNEL COMMISSION RELATING TO TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on State Personnel.

By Representatives Bryant, Allen, and Wray (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2749. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION NOT TO RECOUP OVERPAYMENTS IN DOLLAR AND POSITION ALLOTMENTS OR RELATED PENALTIES FROM THE HALIFAX COUNTY SCHOOLS, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Haire, Frye, Goforth, Hughes, and Tarleton:

H.B. 2750. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO SUPPORT THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BLUE RIDGE PARKWAY, is referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Allred:

H.B. 2751. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE HIGHWAY FUND TO THE HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE FUND AND THE HIGHWAY TRUST FUND TO THE HIGHWAY SPECIAL PROJECT FUND AND TO ELIMINATE THE SIX AND ONE-HALF PERCENT DISTRIBUTION TO URBAN AREAS UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE POWELL BILL, is referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2363, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A CONGESTION RELIEF AND INTERMODAL TRANSPORTATION 21ST CENTURY FUND, TO PROVIDE FOR ALLOCATION OF THOSE FUNDS TO: (1) LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITIES FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, (2) SHORT-LINE RAILROADS, FOR ASSISTANCE IN MAINTAINING AND EXPANDING FREIGHT SERVICE STATEWIDE, (3) RAILROADS FOR INTERMODAL FACILITIES, MULTIMODAL FACILITIES, AND INLAND PORTS, (4) MAKE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ON RAIL LINES TO ALLOW IMPROVED FREIGHT SERVICE TO THE PORTS AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, (5) EXPAND INTERCITY PASSENGER RAIL SERVICE, AND TO EXTEND COMMON LEVELS OF LOCAL

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TRANSIT FUNDING AUTHORIZATION TO THREE URBAN REGIONS, AND ALLOW OTHER LOCAL GOVERNMENTS SIMILAR OPTIONS FOR LOCAL TRANSIT FUNDING, AND TO EXTEND THE STATE PORTS TAX CREDIT, ALL AS RECOMMENDED BY THE 21ST CENTURY TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2417, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE STATUTORY CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF TORTURE AND ENFORCED DISAPPEARANCE AND TO ADD THESE OFFENSES TO THOSE FOR WHICH AN INVESTIGATIVE GRAND JURY MAY BE CONVENED AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA SENTENCING AND POLICY ADVISORY COMMISSION, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary II and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Spear, the House adjourns at 2:43 p.m. to reconvene May 29 at 11:00 a.m.

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ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, May 29, 2008

The House meets at 11:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God:

"By Your grace you allow us a part in the governance of your people. By Your grace You have endowed us with the necessary gifts to do this work. By Your grace You sustain our comings and goings. By Your grace You have brought us here safely. Thus, O Lord, by Your grace, grant us safety in our travels, fulfillment in our lives outside of this Chamber, and to all for whom love is a stranger, may they find in us, kind and generous friends. Amen."

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 28 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Glazier, Howard, McElraft, and Tillis for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**H.B. 2189**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND TO STUDY A STATEWIDE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PERSONS WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 2.

**H.B. 2558**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2135**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL PLATES RECOGNIZING THE SEVERAL BRANCHES OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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H.B. 2165, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR ARTS NORTH CAROLINA, INC., TO CREATE SPECIAL PLATES FOR AIR FORCE COMBAT ACTION MEDAL RECIPIENTS, COMBAT ACTION BADGE RECIPIENTS, COMBAT ACTION RIBBON RECIPIENTS, AND FOR COMBAT MEDICAL BADGE RECIPIENTS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 2335, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE CREDIT FOR SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 2. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2336, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE CREDIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 2. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2366, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE TAX CREDIT FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS AUTHORITY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 2.

H.B. 2416, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO UPDATE THE REFERENCE TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE USED IN DEFINING AND DETERMINING CERTAIN STATE TAX PROVISIONS, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 2.

**H.B. 2508.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLOSE FRANCHISE TAX LOOPHOLES BY REQUIRING A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THAT ELECTS TO BE TREATED AS A CORPORATION AND A CAPTIVE REIT TO PAY FRANCHISE TAX AND TO REQUIRE PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIPS TO GIVE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE A LIST OF THE PARTNERS WHO RECEIVED MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF INCOME FROM THE PARTNERSHIP, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 2. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Love:

**H.B. 2752.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION TO THE CITY OF SANFORD BY ALLOWING THE CITY TO EXPAND THE LEE COUNTY WATER SYSTEM WHICH IS NOW OPERATED BY THE CITY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Adams, Alexander, Coleman, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Harrison, Lucas, Pierce, Rapp, and Womble:

**H.J.R. 2753.** A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AUTOMATIC ADJUSTMENT OF THE STATE’S MINIMUM WAGE BASED ON INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Steen and Coates (Primary Sponsors):

**H.B. 2754.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS BY THE MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN ROWAN COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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By Representative Stiller:

**H.B. 2755**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Stiller:

**H.B. 2756**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Hurley, Coleman, and Dockham:

**H.B. 2757**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZER THE RANDOLPH COUNTY CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE TO ESTABLISH A FIVE-YEAR HEALTH INSURANCE PILOT PROJECT IN RANDOLPH COUNTY TO PROVIDE A MODEL FOR AFFORDABLE EMPLOYER-BASED HEALTH INSURANCE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Insurance.

By Representatives Coleman, Wainwright, Dollar, and Hurley (Primary Sponsors); Lucas and Pierce:

**H.B. 2758**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES WITH SOLE AUTHORITY OVER INVESTMENT OF RETIREMENT SYSTEM FUNDS, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative Allen:

**H.B. 2759**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF FRANKLINTON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY’S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

By Representative Holloway:

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H.B. 2760, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR TAKING FOXES WITH WEAPONS AND BY TRAPPING IN STOKES COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Johnson and Barnhart (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2761, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform.

By Representatives Brubaker and Hurley (Primary Sponsors); and Dockham:

H.B. 2762, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT FOR RANDOLPH COUNTY TO ACCEPT PAYMENT OF THE FEE CHARGED BY THE COUNTY SHERIFF FOR OFFENDERS ORDERED TO PARTICIPATE IN PRETRIAL ELECTRONIC MONITORING, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Owens:

H.B. 2763, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CURRITUCK COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FROM SIX TO EIGHT MEMBERS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives McComas and Justice (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2764, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS BY MUNICIPALITIES IN NEW HANOVER COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Ray, Howard, and Setzer:

H.B. 2765, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Spear:

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H.B. 2766, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DARE COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION'S AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT AND PROVIDE AFFORDABLE RENTAL HOUSING FOR TEACHERS AND OTHER BOARD OF EDUCATION EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representative Spear:

H.B. 2767, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS IN HYDE COUNTY HOLDING MEETINGS BY CONFERENCE TELEPHONE OR OTHER ELECTRONIC MEANS MAY ADOPT PROCEDURES FOR MEMBERS VOTING REMOTELY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Faison and Insko:

H.B. 2768, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representative Brubaker:

H.B. 2769, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Parmon, Folwell, and Womble (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2770, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT INCREASING THE FORCE ACCOUNT LIMIT FOR THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM FOR CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR PROJECTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative E. Warren:

H.B. 2771, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SHERIFF OF MARTIN COUNTY AND THE SHERIFF'S LAWFUL DEPUTIES HAVE JURISDICTION TO SERVE CIVIL AND

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Criminal process on inmates who are in the custody of and on premises of the Bertie-Martin Regional Jail, is referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); Coleman, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Lucas, McLawhorn, Pierce, Ross, Spear, Tarleton, Weiss, and Womble:

H.B. 2772, a bill to be entitled an act to enhance the benefits of members of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System and to provide cost-of-living increases for retirees of the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System, the Judicial Retirement System, and the Legislative Retirement System, and the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell (Primary Sponsors); and Coleman:

H.B. 2773, a bill to be entitled an act to make technical corrections to the statutes governing the Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System, the Judicial Retirement System, the Legislative Retirement System, the Local Governmental Employees' Retirement System, and the Firemen's and Rescue Squad Workers' Pension Fund, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives J. Harrell, Justice, and McComas (Primary Sponsors); Alexander and Harrison:

H.J.R. 2774, a joint resolution honoring the life and memory of Frank Warner Capra, Jr., for his contributions to the development of the film industry in North Carolina, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative Fisher:

H.B. 2775, a bill to be entitled an act to annex to the City of Asheville certain described State-owned property, to remove from the corporate limits of the Town of Woodfin and annex to the City of Asheville other certain State-owned property, and to annex to

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THE TOWN OF WOODFIN CERTAIN DESCRIBED STATE-OWNED PROPERTY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Gibson and Faison:

H.B. 2776, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE TREASURER TO INCLUDE IN THE QUARTERLY REPORT ON THE PERFORMANCE OF STATE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS FUNDS A COMPARISON WITH APPROPRIATE INVESTMENT BENCHMARKS, is referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives Wainwright and Underhill (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2777, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives Bordsen, Allred, and Ray (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2778, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARK AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF CERTAIN LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN ALAMANCE COUNTY AND THE TOWN OF MOORESVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representatives Mobley and Wray:

H.B. 2779, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

By Representatives Barnhart and Johnson (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2780, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF CONCORD FROM STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING PUBLIC CONTRACTING WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representatives Barnhart and Johnson (Primary Sponsors):

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H.B. 2781, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

By Representative Lewis:

H.B. 2782, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TEMPORARILY REMOVING THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWN OF LILLINGTON, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative West:

H.B. 2783, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CHEROKEE COUNTY TO LEVY UP TO A SIX PERCENT ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, is referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Dickson, Brisson, Lucas, and McAllister (Primary Sponsors):

H.B. 2784, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENTS OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

By Representatives Glazier, Dickson, Lucas, and Brisson (Primary Sponsors); and McAllister:

H.B. 2785, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, is referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

By Representatives Holliman, Coleman, Dockham, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Frye, Harrison, Lucas, McLawhorn, Walend, and Wray:

H.B. 2786, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE REQUIREMENTS FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT PARTICIPATION IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, is referred to the Committee on Health and, if favorable, to the Committee on Insurance.

By Representatives Barnhart and Johnson (Primary Sponsors):

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H.B. 2787, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE CABARRUS COUNTY WITH A MECHANISM TO FINANCE LONG-TERM INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS WITH ASSESSMENTS, is referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2178, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2287 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE RECEIPTS UNDER RULE 4 OF THE RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE WHEN SERVICE OF PROCESS IS PROVIDED BY A DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY SERVICE, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES REGARDING PROOF OF SERVICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2308, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-3), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2436, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY

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THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Holmes, the House adjourns at 11:37 a.m. to reconvene Monday, June 2, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Creator God:

"By Your imagination You created the world and all that is in it. In the blink of an eye, light entered the darkness. With a wave of Your hand, the land and seas were formed. And with Your divine breath You gave us life. Breathe into our hearts once more, O Lord, a desire to perfectly love You. Sing into our souls, O Melodious God, a song of hope. Shape our thoughts, O Lover of every heart and mind, to do good, to love justice and to walk humbly with our God. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of May 29 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Boylan, Glazier, and Wray for today.

THE RECEIVING OF PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND PAPERS ADDRESSED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OR TO THE HOUSE

June 2, 2008
THE APPOINTMENT OF KELLY M. ALEXANDER, JR.

2007-2008

BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Honorable W. Pete Cunningham, elected Representative from the 107th House District 2007-2008 General Assembly, has resigned; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of General Statute § 163-11 require that the vacancy created by the resignation of the Honorable W. Pete Cunningham be filled by appointment of the person recommended by the 107th State House of Representatives District Committee of the Democratic Party; and

WHEREAS, the 107th State House of Representatives District Committee of the Democratic Party has notified me of its recommendation of Kelly M. Alexander, Jr., of Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, to fill the unexpired term,

I do by these presents appoint

KELLY M. ALEXANDER, JR.

as a member of the

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in the City of Raleigh, this thirtieth day of May in the year of our Lord two thousand and eight, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and thirty-second.

S/ Mike Easley
Governor

ATTEST:

S/ Elaine F. Marshall
Secretary of State

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The Speaker appoints Representatives M. Alexander, Carney, Cotham, Earle, Gulley, Killian, Samuelson, Saunders, and Tillis to escort the Member to the podium for the administration of the oath.

The following oath of office is administered to Kelly M. Alexander, Jr., by the Speaker, pursuant to G.S. 120-5.

OATH FOR MEMBERS OF THE
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"I, KELLY M. ALEXANDER, JR., do solemnly and sincerely swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States; that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to the State of North Carolina, and to the constitutional powers and authorities which are or may be established for the government thereof; and that I will endeavor to support, maintain and defend the Constitution of said State, not inconsistent with the Constitution of the United States, to the best of my knowledge and ability; so help me God."

"I, KELLY M. ALEXANDER, JR., do swear (or affirm) that I will well and truly execute the duties of the office of a member of the House of Representatives according to the best of my skill and ability, according to law; so help me, God."

Representative M. Alexander escorts Representative K. Alexander to Seat 83.

Courtesies of the floor are extended to Mrs. Margaret Alexander, mother of Representative K. Alexander.

ADDENDA TO COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

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The Speaker makes the following committee assignments:

The Speaker appoints Representative K. Alexander to the following committees: Environment and Natural Resources; Finance; Homeland Security, Military and Veterans Affairs; Juvenile Justice; and Public Utilities.

**HEALTH:** Add Representative McComas.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Owens:

**H.B. 2788**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPOINT PERSONS TO VARIOUS PUBLIC OFFICES UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bill is duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**S.B. 1480**, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND THE POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AND PAROLE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE FOR MEDICAL RELEASE OF NO-RISK INMATES WHO ARE EITHER PERMANENTLY AND TOTALLY DISABLED, TERMINALLY ILL, OR GERICATRIC.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following is received from the Senate:

**S.J.R. 1634**, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF DAVID MCCOY AS STATE CONTROLLER, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, the following bills are withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 9.

**H.B. 2416**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO UPDATE THE REFERENCE TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE USED IN DEFINING AND DETERMINING CERTAIN STATE TAX PROVISIONS.

**H.B. 2508** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLOSE FRANCHISE TAX LOOPHOLES BY REQUIRING A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THAT ELECTS TO BE TREATED AS A CORPORATION AND A CAPTIVE REIT TO PAY FRANCHISE

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TAX AND TO REQUIRE PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIPS TO GIVE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE A LIST OF THE PARTNERS WHO RECEIVED MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF INCOME FROM THE PARTNERSHIP.

**H.B. 2335** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CREDIT FOR SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS AND TO EXTEND THE SUNSET.

**H.B. 2336** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE CREDIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, THE LOW-INCOME HOUSING CREDIT, AND THE MILL REHABILITATION CREDIT; AND TO PROVIDE A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY PURCHASED WITH A CLIENT ASSISTANCE DEBIT CARD ISSUED FOR DISASTER ASSISTANCE RELIEF BY A STATE AGENCY OR A FEDERAL AGENCY OR INSTRUMENTALITY.

**H.B. 2366**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE TAX CREDIT FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS AUTHORITY.

**CALENDAR**

Action is taken on the following:

**H.B. 2189**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND TO STUDY A STATEWIDE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PERSONS WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**INTRODUCTION OF PAGES**

Pages for the week of June 2 are introduced to the membership. They are: Cameron Agerston of Durham; Lauren Bass of Chowan; Tyson Blount of Bladen; Julia Bryant of Cumberland; Natalie Caviness of Randolph; Hal Cooley of Wake; Stuart Hamm of Greene; Nathan Heath of Chatham; Carlie

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Herron of Iredell; Derrick Inman of Wake; John Kempf of Mecklenburg; Allie Manasco of Wake; D. J. Morrow of Wake; Ben Peery of Pitt; Jason Riley of Mecklenburg; Liza White of Chowan; and Malcolm Williams of Guilford.

SPECIAL MESSAGE TO THE SENATE

The Speaker orders a Special Message sent to the Senate informing that Honorable Body of the seating of Representative K. Alexander as a Member of the 2007 House of Representatives.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative K. Alexander, the House adjourns at 7:35 p.m. to reconvene June 3 at 10:00 a.m.

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 3, 2008

The House meets at 10:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Merciful God:

"We do not assume we can seek Your blessing without humble reverence. We ought not to assume that You will answer our prayers without careful consideration of what we ask. So, as we turn our focus in these next days upon the whole pie, understanding that there is never enough for everyone at the table, we humble ourselves before You. Let our deliberations and decisions be measured with great care. Allow debate to be conducted with kindness and dignity for one another. As we slice up and prepare to distribute the pieces, grant us grace to see with Your eyes, to hear with Your heart, and to be merciful with Thy Spirit. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 2 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Glazier and Killian for today.

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Cole:

**H.B. 2789**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE TO ENFORCE WRECKER SERVICE RULES, is referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

**S.B. 1579**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CARY TO USE ELECTRONIC MEANS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC HEARINGS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

**S.B. 1597**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CARY TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

**S.B. 1657**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVERSE THE INTERPRETATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE CONCERNING THE IMPOSITION OF SALES TAX ON INTERIOR DESIGN SERVICES PROVIDED IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE SALE OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1703**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY PURCHASED WITH A CLIENT ASSISTANCE DEBIT CARD ISSUED FOR DISASTER ASSISTANCE RELIEF BY A STATE AGENCY OR A FEDERAL AGENCY OR INSTRUMENTALITY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1745** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO TREAT A PERSON WHO REPAIRS AND REFURBISHES INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY THE SAME AS A MANUFACTURER OF THE MACHINERY FOR SALES TAX PURPOSES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

**H.B. 2436**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, as amended, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill, as amended, be re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

Without objection, the committee substitute bill, as amended, is re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The committee substitute bill, as amended, is ruled to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

CONFERENCE APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 274** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION ACT: Representative Michaux, Chair; Representatives Frye, Cotham, Walker, Current, Blue, Carney, Hall, and Sutton.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 10:20 a.m.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

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By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell, Chairs, for the Committee on Pensions and Retirement:

**H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.**

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Hill, that the House adjourn, subject to the referrals and re-referrals of bills and the receipt of Committee Reports, to reconvene June 4 at 2:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

**H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.**

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EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of June 4. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

Without objection, the House stands adjourned.

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ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, June 4, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God, to You all hearts are open and no secrets are hidden. As we continue to work feverishly on the Appropriations Bill, many will see, many will critique, and many will seek to justify the reasons behind this or that. But only You, O God, know what is truly within our hearts and why we make the choices that are being made. So, in the midst of the transparency of the process help everyone to pause, consider and understand the complexities involved in making these difficult decisions. Guide our ways. Direct our paths. Keep true in us our convictions, resolve and integrity befitting the people that we serve. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 3 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

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Leaves of absence are granted Representatives M. Alexander, Glazier, and Tarleton for today.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Spear:

**H.J.R. 2790**, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE 2007 PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following is received from the Senate:

**S.B. 1766** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AND THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative Faison, Chair, for the Committee on Agribusiness and Agricultural Economy:

**H.B. 2412**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

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Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Stam requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because Section 25.5(b) and (d) and Item 22 on Page K-4 of the money report (Triangle Expressway) directly impacts the real property of his spouse, her relatives, and his clients. This request is granted.

Representative Michaux offers Amendment No. 1.

Representative Stam moves that Rule 24.1A(c) be suspended in order that he might be allowed to debate and offer amendments to the bill. The motion to suspend the rules carries by electronic vote (115-0).

Amendment No. 1 is adopted by electronic vote (114-0).

Representative Allred offers Amendment No. 2 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (18-95).

Representative Cole offers Amendment No. 3 which is adopted by electronic vote (107-6).

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Representative Allred offers Amendment No. 4 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (39-76).

Representative Goforth requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "aye" to "no". The adjusted vote total is (38-77).

Representative Earle offers Amendment No. 5 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-1).

Representative Hughes requests and is granted permission to change her vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-0).

Representative Daughtridge offers Amendment No. 6 which is adopted by electronic vote (116-0).

Representative R. Warren offers Amendment No. 7 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-0).

Representative Dollar offers Amendment No. 8 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (51-64).

Representative Bryant requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "no". The adjusted vote total is (51-65).

Representative Daughtry offers Amendment No. 9 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-0).

Representative T. Harrell offers Amendment No. 10 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-1).

Representative Luebke requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-0).

Representative Spear offers Amendment No. 11 which is adopted by electronic vote (82-34).

Representative Dollar offers Amendment No. 12 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (57-59).

Representative Moore offers Amendment No. 13.

Amendment No. 13 is temporarily displaced.

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The bill, as amended, passes its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Avila, Blackwood, Blust, Brown, Cleveland, Folwell, Hilton, Holloway, Killian, Lewis, Samuelson, and Tillis - 12.


Excused vote: Representative Stam.

Pursuant to a vote taken and granting consent by the House on June 5, 2008, Representative Tucker is recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (103-12).

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Blust, that the House adjourn, subject to the receipt of Committee Reports, to reconvene June 5 at 9:00 a.m.

The motion carries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Farmer-Butterfield, Chair, for the Committee on Aging:

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**H.B. 2397**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2398**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO RESPITE CARE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report. Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2409**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2410**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES, AND DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TO STUDY IMPLEMENTATION OF AN INCOME DISREGARD POLICY FOR CURRENT STATE/COUNTY SPECIAL ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS WHO ARE ADEVERSELY IMPACTED DUE TO COST OF LIVING OR OTHER INCOME INCREASES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report. Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

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By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2256**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE REPORT OF THE INSTITUTE FOR THE ECONOMY AND THE FUTURE OF WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY CONCERNING THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INLAND PORT BE PRESENTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2602**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A "CAMOUFLAGE COALITION" SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATE FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA WILDLIFE FEDERATION, INC., with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2633**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO ISSUE A VICTORY JUNCTION GANG CAMP SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House stands adjourned at 6:01 p.m.

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**ONE HUNDRED THIRTIETH DAY**

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, June 5, 2008

The House meets at 9:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Gracious and Merciful God:

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"We offer You our thanks for guiding us through this necessarily difficult process thus far. We trust in faith that since we sought Your Presence You have been a very present help throughout. Our conversation continues this day and once again, we ask You to be with us. Be in our heads and help us think. Be in our eyes and help us to see the joy in the simple things of life. Be in our ears so that we might hear what is right and good. Be in our hearts so that we might follow the path You set for us. Even though we are bold to pray, we are grateful that You are even more eager to listen and answer our prayers. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 4 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives M. Alexander, Folwell, Glazier, and Saunders for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

H.J.R. 2079, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM ON WINNING ITS THIRD CONSECUTIVE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

H.J.R. 2125, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE FOUNDERS OF BARBECUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DURING THE CHURCH'S TWO HUNDRED FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 9.

H.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF C. E. FOY, CRAVEN COUNTY COMMISSIONER AND FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ON THE ASSOCIATION'S CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY AND RECOGNIZING ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF COUNTY UNITY, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2318**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2487**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2740**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE A SPECIAL PLATE FOR GRADUATES OF THE UNITED STATES SERVICE ACADEMIES, WHICH INCLUDE THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY, THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD ACADEMY, THE UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY, AND THE UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**H.B. 2132**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2414**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2585**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWN OF KENANSVILLE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2603**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2765**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2785**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**SECOND SESSION 2008**

Senate Chamber

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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received on June 3, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to **H.B. 274** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION ACT, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Graham, Chair
Senator Boseman
Senator Clodfelter
Senator Hartsell
Senator Malone
Senator McKissick
Senator Nesbitt
Senator Rand
Senator Snow

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt

*Principal Clerk*

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Pate, Bell, and Braxton (Primary Sponsors):

H.J.R. 2791, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE BASEBALL TEAM ON BECOMING THE 2008 DIVISION II NATIONAL CHAMPIONS.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 9.

By Representatives Glazier, McGee, Folwell, and Parmon (Primary Sponsors):

H.J.R. 2792, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEN’S SOCCER TEAM AT WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY ON WINNING A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

S.J.R. 1996 (Committee Substitute), A JOINT RESOLUTION SETTING THE DATE FOR THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO ELECT MEMBERS TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERMS ON THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES, is read the first time and referred to the Education Subcommittee on Community Colleges.

S.B. 1756 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE FORMULA FOR CALCULATING NORTH CAROLINA ESTATE TAX ON ESTATES WITH PROPERTY IN MORE THAN ONE STATE AND TO ELIMINATE THE TAX ON TRANSFERRING PROPERTY WHILE LIVING BY REPEALING THE GIFT TAX, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN

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THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Stam be excused from voting on June 4 is continued.

The Speaker rules that several amendments brought forth by the following Members are out of order: Representatives Allred, Clary, Blue, and Stam.

Representative Stam inquires of the Chair if he could be advised under which rules his amendments are ineligible. The Speaker states that the amendment violates four rules.

Representative Stam moves to suspend the rules in order that his amendments might be considered.

Representative Owens calls the previous question on the motion and the call is sustained by electronic vote (58-56).

The motion to suspend the rules fails by electronic vote (54-59).

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 14 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (42-73).

Representative Goodwin offers Amendment No. 15 which is adopted by electronic vote (101-13).

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 16 which is ruled to be material. The amendment fails of adoption by the following vote:

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Representative Neumann offers Amendment No. 17 which is adopted by electronic vote (114-0).

Representative Dollar offers Amendment No. 18 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (55-58).

Representative Yongue offers Amendment No. 19 which is adopted by electronic vote (114-1).

Representative Thomas offers Amendment No. 20 which is adopted by electronic vote (113-1).

Representative Tucker moves that the rules be suspended in order that he might be allowed to vote "aye" on the second reading of the bill.

The motion carries by electronic vote (115-0). The adjusted vote total is (103-12).

Representative Sutton offers Amendment No. 21 which is adopted by electronic vote (110-2).

Representative Hughes requests and is granted permission to vote "aye". The adjusted vote total is (111-2).

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Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 22.

Representative Lewis withdraws his amendment.

Representative Allred moves that the rules be suspended in order that he might offer an amendment which was ruled out of order.

Representative Owens calls the previous question on the motion to suspend the rules and the call is sustained by electronic vote (82-32).

The motion to suspend the rules fails by electronic vote (48-65).

Representative Moore offers Amendment No. 23 which is adopted by electronic vote (114-0).

The bill as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Avila, Blackwood, Blust, Brown, Cleveland, Hilton, Holloway, Killian, Lewis, and Tillis - 10.


Excused vote: Representative Stam.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

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By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

**H.B. 2084**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2091**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2095**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF PINEHURST TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING GOLF CARTS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2101**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF OAKBORO AND LOCUST TO THE CITIES AND TOWNS THAT MAY REGULATE GOLF CARTS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2157**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

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H.B. 2162, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO ENTER INTO A COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF LAURINBURG, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2343, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

H.B. 2449, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN'S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Jeffus, the House adjourns at 11:37 a.m. to reconvene Monday, June 9, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, June 9, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Merciful God:

"When You breathed into us the breath of life, You did not discriminate between color, class or creed. You gave us this wonderful world in which to live and to share. Somewhere along the line, we divided ourselves in ways

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that were and are abhorrent to You. Lord, knit us together into a tapestry of acceptance and understanding. Let us embrace our world’s rich diversity as well as each other and we will sing in harmonies fit for a king. You are that King, O God, and tonight, we greet You with this hope in our hearts. Amen.”

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 5 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Bell, Cole, Glazier, J. Harrell, Holliman, Insko, Tillis, and Wray for today. Representative Justice is excused for a portion of the Session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Williams, Chair, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources:

H.B. 2121, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM, ON, OR ACROSS THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF A PUBLIC ROAD OR HIGHWAY IN JACKSON COUNTY, WITH CERTAIN EXCEPTIONS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 10. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2122, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SHINING OF LIGHTS IN DEER AREAS IN JACKSON COUNTY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 10. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2167, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON THE PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH A PERMIT AND TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS AND
TRAILERS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED OR HAULED ON A PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTE WITH A PERMIT DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Transportation. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2464**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY IN MARTIN COUNTY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 10. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2591**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 10.

By Representative Pierce, Chair, for the Committee on Children, Youth and Families:

**H.B. 2338**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

**H.B. 2339**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

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The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2340**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTIONS THAT MAKE ALLOWANCES FOR SMALL COUNTIES AND ADULTS RIDING WITH CHILDREN, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES TO BE IN LINE WITH OTHER CHILD SAFETY VIOLATIONS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE**, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2379**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS**, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

**H.R. 2266**, **A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY RESERVE**, with recommendation that it be adopted.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 10.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following are received from the Senate:

**S.B. 1862**, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A PORTION OF LAKE WACCAMAW STATE PARK FROM THE STATE NATURE AND HISTORIC PRESERVE AND THE STATE PARKS SYS-**

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TEM TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE REALIGNMENT ON BELLA COOLA ROAD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

S.B. 1872, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AND MAINTENANCE IN THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, the following bills are withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 23.

H.B. 2416, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO UPDATE THE REFERENCE TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE USED IN DEFINING AND DETERMINING CERTAIN STATE TAX PROVISIONS.

H.B. 2508 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLOSE FRANCHISE TAX LOOPHOLES BY REQUIRING A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THAT ELECTS TO BE TREATED AS A CORPORATION AND A CAPTIVE REIT TO PAY FRANCHISE TAX AND TO REQUIRE PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIPS TO GIVE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE A LIST OF THE PARTNERS WHO RECEIVED MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF INCOME FROM THE PARTNERSHIP.

H.B. 2335 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CREDIT FOR SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS AND TO EXTEND THE SUNSET.

H.B. 2336 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE CREDIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, THE LOW-INCOME HOUSING CREDIT, AND THE MILL REHABILITATION CREDIT; AND TO PROVIDE A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY PURCHASED WITH A CLIENT ASSISTANCE DEBIT CARD ISSUED FOR DISASTER ASSISTANCE RELIEF BY A STATE AGENCY OR A FEDERAL AGENCY OR INSTRUMENTALITY.

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H.B. 2366, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE TAX CREDIT FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS AUTHORITY.

BILL PLACED ON CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, H.J.R. 2793, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMBERS OF THE 1132ND MILITARY POLICE COMPANY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD, is placed on today's Calendar for its first reading.

By Representatives Bryant and Coates:

H.J.R. 2793, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMBERS OF THE 1132ND MILITARY POLICE COMPANY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a) the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Without objection, H.J.R. 2791, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MOUNT OLIVE COLLEGE BASEBALL TEAM ON BECOMING THE 2008 DIVISION II NATIONAL CHAMPIONS, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The Speaker appoints Representatives Pate, Tucker, Braxton, Farmer-Butterfield and E. Warren as an escort committee for the guests from Mt. Olive College.

The Mt. Olive College guests are escorted to the Well of the House for the reading of the resolution.

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Representative Pate offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (110-0).

The resolution, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (110-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message without engrossment.

Courtesies of the floor are extended to Dr. J. William Byrd, President of Mt. Olive College; Carl Lancaster, Head Baseball Coach; Aaron Akin and Robb Watt, Assistant Coaches; and Jeff Eisen, Athletics Director.

Dr. Byrd and Coach Lancaster make brief remarks to the Body before the guests are escorted from the Chamber.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

**H.J.R. 2125**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE FOUNDERS OF BARBECUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DURING THE CHURCH'S TWO HUNDRED FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (109-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2256**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE REPORT OF THE INSTITUTE FOR THE ECONOMY AND THE FUTURE OF WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY CONCERNING THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING AN INLAND PORT BE PRESENTED TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

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H.B. 710, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON TO PROVIDE THAT COUNCIL VACANCIES ARE FILLED UNDER GENERAL LAW, AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE MAYOR PRO TEMPORE SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE CITY COUNCIL, THE SAME AS UNDER THE GENERAL LAW.

CALENDAR (continued)

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2398, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO RESPITE CARE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2410, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES, AND DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TO STUDY IMPLEMENTATION OF AN INCOME DISREGARD POLICY FOR CURRENT STATE/COUNTY SPECIAL ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS WHO ARE ADVERSELY IMPACTED DUE TO COST OF LIVING OR OTHER INCOME INCREASES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

Pages for the week of June 9 are introduced to the membership. They are: Mary Carr Allen of Wake; Justin Barber of Wake; Jordan Baskett of Wake; Robert Bolick of Caldwell; Chak Brewington of Cumberland; Katie Burdge of Wake; Mary Chandler of Forsyth; Alex Cichan of Mecklenburg; Jennifer Clark of Northampton; Michael Comiskey of Gaston; Christian Crumpton of Moore; John Finlayson of Craven; Tanner Holden of Davie; Elizabeth Kennedy of Wake; Benjamin Lovin of Cabarrus; Erin Mecum of Harnett;

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Jessica Neville of Harnett; Courtney Newman of Gaston; Katie Robinson of Wake; Lacy Schupp of New Hanover; Adderson Scott of Wake; Andrew Sims of Caldwell; Chelsie Thibault of Stokes; and Olivia Wooten of Lenoir.

RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2154, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE HEIGHT OF STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN OF CASWELL BEACH, is withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government I and re-referred to the Committee on Local Government II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 1358 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO PREVENT YOUTH INVOLVEMENT IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY, AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION ACT", is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Love, the House adjourns at 8:17 p.m. to reconvene June 10 at 2:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, June 10, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God, Giver of every good and perfect gift. We thank You today for the gift of friendship. We are so very grateful for those special persons with whom You have graced our lives. Perhaps, it is for just a brief time. Sometimes our friendships are for a season. Quite often they are life-long. So, we pause in this midday moment to offer You our thanks for the gifts of acceptance, intimacy, vulnerability, openness and sharing in times of both trial and celebration. May our gratitude for these special persons in our lives lead us to become better people and better friends to those we love. Amen."

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 9 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Blue, Glazier, Hughes, and Tillis for today. Representative Lewis is excused for a portion of the Session.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittees are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

**H.B. 2390**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

**H.B. 2391**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED incompetent under the guardianship laws, as recommended by the house study committee on state guardianship laws and the study commission on aging, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

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H.B. 2492, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 2084, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

H.B. 2091, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

H.B. 2101, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF OAKBORO AND LOCUST TO THE CITIES AND TOWNS THAT MAY REGULATE GOLF CARTS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2156, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2449, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN’S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

**H.B. 2455**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CITY OF OXFORD TO LEVY A MOTOR VEHICLE PRIVILEGE TAX OF UP TO TWENTY DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT VEHICLE LOCATED IN THE TOWN, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2585** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF GRANITE QUARRY, KENANSVILLE, LILLINGTON, NASHVILLE, RICHLANDS, AND TROUTMAN, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

**H.B. 2689**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE DURHAM CITY ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL VEHICLE TAX, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

**H.B. 2765**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

**H.B. 2783**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CHEROKEE COUNTY TO LEVY UP TO A SIX PERCENT ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2785**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

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By Representatives Wray and Wilkins, Chairs, for the Education Subcommittee on Community Colleges, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

**S.J.R. 1996** (Committee Substitute), A JOINT RESOLUTION SETTING THE DATE FOR THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO ELECT MEMBERS TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERMS ON THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**H.B. 2341**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS WHEN ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THEIR TRAINING AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:


**H.J.R. 2794**, A JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL INTEGRATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 1195** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE TO RECALL ELECTED OFFICIALS IN THE TOWN OF PLEASANT GARDEN, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11.

**S.B. 1648**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF MIDDLESEX AND NASHVILLE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1650**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE NASH AND EDGEcombe COUNTIES WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

**S.B. 1653** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITIES OF LOUISBURG AND MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWNS OF FRANKLINTON, PINETOPS, SMITHFIELD, AND YADKINVILLE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY’S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

**S.B. 1825**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REPORT ANNUALLY AND TO MEET BIANNUALLY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education.

**S.B. 1828**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF MARSHVILLE AND WINGATE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWNS' OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

**S.B. 1970**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY OF WILSON TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE

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DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE CITY'S HISTORIC
DISTRICT, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local
Government II.

S.B. 1971, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY
OF WILSON TO DECLARE RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN COM-
MUNITY DEVELOPMENT TARGET AREAS UNSAFE AND TO HAVE
THE OPTION OF REMOVING OR DEMOLISHING THOSE BUILDINGS,
is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

S.B. 1989, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A
SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, is
read the first time and referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

S.B. 2136, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY
OF CONCORD FROM STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING
PUBLIC CONTRACTING WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSTRUCTION
OF CERTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, is read the first time and
referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.R. 2266, A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE HUNDREDTH
ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY RESERVE.

The resolution is adopted, by electronic vote (113-0), and ordered printed.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2092, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE
CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO CHANGE THE
NAME OF THE TOWN'S FIRE DEPARTMENT, passes its second reading
and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2121 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN
ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM FROM, ON,
OR ACROSS THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF AN IMPROVED STATE-
MAINTAINED ROAD OR HIGHWAY IN JACKSON COUNTY, WITH
ONE EXCEPTION, passes its second reading and there being no objection
is read a third time.

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The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2122** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SHINING OF LIGHTS IN DEER AREAS IN JACKSON COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2157**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2162** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO ENTER INTO A COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF LAURINBURG, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2343**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2464** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY IN MARTIN COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

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H.B. 2591, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2603 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWNS OF MARSHVILLE, WADESBORO, AND WINGATE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE MUNICIPALITIES' OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCES, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**GUESTS**

The Speaker appoints the following Members as an Escort Committee for the Appalachian State University football team, winners of the 2007 NCAA 1-AA Division Championship: Representatives M. Alexander, Dollar, Frye, J. Harrell, T. Harrell, Holloway, Holmes, Rapp, Tarleton, Walker, and Womble.

The Appalachian State University football team, coaches and other University officials are escorted to the Well of the House for the reading of H.J.R. 2079, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM ON WINNING ITS THIRD CONSECUTIVE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP, which is before the Body for consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (116-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Courtesies of the floor are granted Chancellor Ken Peacock and Coach Jerry Moore who make brief remarks.

Courtesies of the floor are extended to the following: Roseanne Peacock; Margaret Moore; Board of Trustees Chairman and Watauga County Commissioner, Jim Deal; and Faculty Athletic Representative, Alan Hauser.

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Department of Athletics: Reggie Hunt, Kim Sherrill, Jake Stroot, and Jay Sutton.

Players: Nic Cardwell, Trey Elder, Scott Suttle, and Justin Woazeah.

The guests are escorted from the Chamber by the Escort Committee.

CALENDAR (continued)

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

H.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF C. E. FOY, CRAVEN COUNTY COMMISSIONER AND FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, ON THE ASSOCIATION'S CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY AND RECOGNIZING ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF COUNTY UNITY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2318 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading by electronic vote (106-8).

Representative Hurley objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


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CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 710**, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON TO PROVIDE THAT COUNCIL VACANCIES ARE FILLED UNDER GENERAL LAW, AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE MAYOR PRO TEMPORE SERVES AT THE PLEASURE OF THE CITY COUNCIL, THE SAME AS UNDER THE GENERAL LAW. (S.L. 2008-1)

**S.B. 1480**, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION AND THE POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AND PAROLE COMMISSION TO PROVIDE FOR MEDICAL RELEASE OF NO-RISK INMATES WHO ARE EITHER PERMANENTLY AND TOTALLY DISABLED, TERMINALLY ILL, OR GERIATRIC. (S.L. 2008-2)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**H.B. 2185**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING ADOPTION AGENCIES ACTING AS CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO REPORT CERTAIN INFORMATION TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN RECORDS OF THIS INFORMATION AS WELL AS CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 11. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Bell, the House adjourns at 3:44 p.m. to reconvene June 11 at 2:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, June 11, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Byron Wade, Davie Street Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, North Carolina:

"God of Grace and God of Glory:

"We are thankful and blessed to be here today. Thank You for allowing us to awake from our homes and places of rest to experience another beautiful and warm day. We ask for Your blessings today for the Legislature as they begin their task. In their discussions and debates, let them be led not by their own wills but by Your will. Give them holy wisdom to do what is right. Bless them to make decisions that will positively impact not only their home constituents but also for all the people of the State of North Carolina. These and other blessings we ask in the name of God the Creator, Redeemer and Sustainer of the Universe. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 10 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

A leave of absence is granted Representative Glazier for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.J.R. 2079, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL TEAM ON WINNING ITS THIRD CONSECUTIVE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP. (RESOLUTION 2008-10)

H.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE MEMORY OF C. E. FOY, CRAVEN COUNTY COMMISSIONER AND FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY

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COMMISSIONERS, ON THE ASSOCIATION’S CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY AND RECOGNIZING ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF COUNTY UNITY.  (RESOLUTION 2008-11)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

**H.B. 2496**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADDITION OF BEAR PAW STATE NATURAL AREA AND YELLOW MOUNTAIN STATE NATURAL AREA TO THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

**H.B. 2529**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1862**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A PORTION OF LAKE WACCAMAW STATE PARK FROM THE STATE NATURE AND HISTORIC PRESERVE AND THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE REALIGNMENT ON BELLA COOLA ROAD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

**S.B. 1872**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AND MAINTENANCE IN THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

By Representative Harrison, Chair, for the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency:

**H.B. 2530**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO A TAXING ENTITY FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Church, Chair, for the Committee on Financial Institutions:

**H.B. 2463**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Saunders, Chair, for the Committee on Public Utilities:

**H.R. 2411**, A HOUSE RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CONVENING OF THE E-NC AUTHORITY'S DIGITAL BROADBAND SUMMITS, with a favorable report for adoption and recommendation that the resolution be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The resolution is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

**H.B. 2253**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE GROUNDS WITHIN A CERTAIN DISTANCE OF STATE-OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO DESIGNATE GROUNDS WITHIN A CERTAIN DISTANCE OF LOCALLY OWNED OR OPERATED

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BUILDINGS TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2254, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT COMMUNITY COLLEGE STUDENTS AND STAFF, AS WELL AS VISITING PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS, FROM EXPOSURE TO TOBACCO BY AUTHORIZING LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES TO ADOPT WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, IN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FACILITIES, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, OR AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-RELATED OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2523, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE AND FUND THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN RESPONDING TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Martin, Chair, for the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs:

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H.B. 2430, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION TO STUDY THE UNIFORM EMERGENCY VOLUNTEER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ACT AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND BIOTERRORISM OF THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

H.B. 2431, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

H.B. 2432, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, TO STUDY AND DEVELOP PLANS TO ENHANCE DISASTER MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES AT THE COUNTY LEVEL, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 1195 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE TO RECALL ELECTED OFFICIALS IN THE TOWN OF PLEASANT GARDEN.

On motion of Representative Jones, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (116-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

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WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Ray and without objection, **H.B. 2765**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**H.B. 2084**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

**H.B. 2091**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

**H.B. 2101** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCUST AND THE TOWN OF OAKBORO TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THOSE MUNICIPALITIES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

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Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

**H.B. 2449**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN’S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

**H.B. 2156** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

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Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

H.B. 2455 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CITY OF OXFORD TO INCREASE ITS MOTOR VEHICLE PRIVILEGE TAX FROM TEN DOLLARS TO TWENTY DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT VEHICLE LOCATED IN THE TOWN, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

H.B. 2689, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE DURHAM CITY ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL VEHICLE TAX, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

H.B. 2783 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CHEROKEE COUNTY TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL THREE PERCENT ROOM OCCUPANCY AND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT TAX AND TO MAKE OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

BILL TEMPORARILY DISPLACED

H.B. 2585 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF GRANITE QUARRY, KENANSVILLE, LILLINGTON, NASHVILLE, RICHLANDS, AND TROUTMAN.

On motion of the Chair, the bill is temporarily displaced.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2785, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (116-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Cole and without objection, H.B. 2318 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 12.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2185 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING ADOPTION AGENCIES ACTING AS CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO REPORT CERTAIN INFORMATION TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN RECORDS

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OF THIS INFORMATION AS WELL AS CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-2), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2341** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, passes its second reading by electronic vote (118-0).

Representative Blue objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2390**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, passes its second reading by electronic vote (118-0).

Representative Stam objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2391**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, passes its second reading by electronic vote (118-0).

Representative Stiller objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

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H.B. 2492, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

Representative Bordsen moves that the bill be withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Juvenile Justice.

Representative Bordsen calls the previous question on the motion and the call is sustained by electronic vote (100-18).

The motion fails by electronic vote (40-78).

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (93-25).

Representative Fisher objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

S.J.R. 1996 (Committee Substitute), A JOINT RESOLUTION SETTING THE DATE FOR THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO ELECT MEMBERS TO FILL UNEXPired TERMS ON THE STATE BOARD OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 724 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING AND OTHER CHANGES IN THE PUBLIC HEALTH LAW RELATED TO THE MEDICAL EXAMINER SYSTEM, INJURY CONTROL EFFORTS, TIMELINESS OF REPORTS BY SCHOOLS REGARDING IMMUNIZATIONS, AND THE CREATION, EXTENSION, AND DISSOLUTION OF SANITARY DISTRICTS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

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Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**S.B. 1631**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

**S.B. 1654**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1662**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Health.

**S.B. 1704** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1748**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1843**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REMOVING CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1876** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1902**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2127, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW ESTABLISHING REGIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCILS UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE WITH DISABILITIES, SO AS TO SAVE FUNDS AND AVOID DUPLICATION, is withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and re-referred to the Committee on Health.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 1646, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY FISCAL MANAGEMENT OF ANY MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF THE 1943 AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWAIN COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, is withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government II and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2614, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF STOVALL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT PROVIDING PRIOR SERVICE CREDITS TO ITS EMPLOYEES, is withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government II and re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committee are presented:

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

H.B. 2267, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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H.B. 2563, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW RICHMOND COUNTY TO REMOVE UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES FROM PRIVATE LOTS, with a favorable report.

The serial referral to the Committee on Finance is stricken and the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

H.B. 2762, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT FOR RANDOLPH COUNTY TO ACCEPT PAYMENT OF THE FEE CHARGED BY THE COUNTY SHERIFF FOR OFFENDERS ORDERED TO PARTICIPATE IN PRE-TRIAL ELECTRONIC MONITORING, with a favorable report.

The serial referral to the Committee on Finance is stricken, and the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

H.B. 2763, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CURRITUCK COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FROM SIX TO EIGHT MEMBERS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 12.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Goforth, the House adjourns at 3:55 p.m. to reconvene June 12 at 11:00 a.m.

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ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, June 12, 2008

The House meets at 11:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Gloria Johnson, Associate Pastor of Community Ministry, White Memorial Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, North Carolina:

"God of all People:

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"Thank You for this day, the work You have given us to do, and the abilities You have given each of us to get that work done. At the end of the day grant us the peace of knowing we have done our work well.

"We pray for the people of this State whose lives and circumstances are varied and diverse. Grant that the work done in this place addresses the needs of the people we have been chosen to govern.

"We pray for those whose livelihood depends on the rain, for those suffering from heat, for those for whom summer brings no vacation or leisure, and we pray for those everywhere who are trying to provide for themselves and loved ones amidst difficult financial struggles.

"Guide our work, and help us know that there are real faces behind every fact and figure whose lives depend on honest and fair government. Let us all work to solve the problems of today that those who come after us may have a better life. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 11 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Blue, Earle, Glazier, J. Harrell, and Setzer for today.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bill is duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**H.B. 2189, AN ACT TO PROVIDE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND TO STUDY A STATE-WIDE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PERSONS WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.**

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 1195, AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE TO RECALL ELECTED OFFICIALS IN THE TOWN OF PLEASANT GARDEN.**

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The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.J.R. 2125**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE FOUNDERS OF BARBECUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DURING THE CHURCH’S TWO HUNDRED FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY. (RESOLUTION 2008-12)


**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**H.B. 2280**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF BEULAVILLE TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OR ON PROPERTY OWNED OR LEASED BY THE TOWN, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2752**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION TO THE CITY OF SANFORD BY ALLOWING THE CITY TO EXPAND THE LEE COUNTY WATER SYSTEM WHICH IS NOW OPERATED BY THE CITY, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The serial referral to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House is stricken and the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2777**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL

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AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1579, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CARY TO USE ELECTRONIC MEANS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC HEARINGS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

H.B. 2252, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE AUTOMOBILES IN THE STATE MOTOR FLEET TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-OWNED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 2367, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

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H.B. 2255, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE NASH COUNTY WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

H.B. 2271, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2279, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PERMIT EXEMPTION FOR OPEN FIRES WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF AN OCCUPIED DWELLING WITHIN THE LAKE ROYALE COMMUNITY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

H.B. 2292, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SHERIFF AND APPROPRIATE DEPUTY SHERIFFS IN MOORE COUNTY TO ACCESS INFORMATION IN THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG DATABASE MAINTAINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES WHEN THE SHERIFF OR DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE ENGAGED IN A BONA FIDE INVESTIGATION RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF LEGAL DRUGS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2402, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT SUBSTITUTING THE WORD "NOTICE" FOR "COMPLAINT OR ORDER" IN THE LAW THAT AUTHORIZES THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S GARBAGE AND TRASH ORDINANCE AND THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

**H.B. 2488.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY’S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

**H.B. 2640.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

**H.B. 2769.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2257.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A RAIL AND INFRASTRUCTURE STUDY COMMITTEE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2258.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE INLAND PORT INTERSTATE COMPACT, AS RECOMMENDED

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BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2310**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2316**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR ALL TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 946** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN OFFENSE OF VANDALISM THAT RESULTS IN MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DAMAGES A CLASS I FELONY, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

**S.B. 1851** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE RECEIPTS UNDER RULE 4 OF THE RULES OF CIVIL

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PROCEDURE WHEN SERVICE OF PROCESS IS PROVIDED BY A DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY SERVICE AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES REGARDING PROOF OF SERVICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

S.B. 1860 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 724 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING AND OTHER CHANGES IN THE PUBLIC HEALTH LAW RELATED TO THE MEDICAL EXAMINER SYSTEM, INJURY CONTROL EFFORTS, TIMELINESS OF REPORTS BY SCHOOLS REGARDING IMMUNIZATIONS, AND THE CREATION, EXTENSION, AND DISSOLUTION OF SANITARY DISTRICTS.

On motion of Representative England, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (109-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2585 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF GRANITE QUARRY, KENANSVILLE, LILLINGTON, NASHVILLE, RICHLANDS, AND TROUTMAN.

Representative Tucker offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (111-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Voting in the negative: None.


H.B. 2084, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


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**H.B. 2091**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


**H.B. 2101** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCUST AND THE TOWN OF OAKBORO TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THOSE MUNICIPALITIES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2156 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


H.B. 2449, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION

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AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN’S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


**H.B. 2455** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CITY OF OXFORD TO INCREASE ITS MOTOR VEHICLE PRIVILEGE TAX FROM TEN DOLLARS TO TWENTY DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT VEHICLE LOCATED IN THE TOWN, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


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**H.B. 2689.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE DURHAM CITY ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL VEHICLE TAX, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


**H.B. 2783** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CHEROKEE COUNTY TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL THREE PERCENT ROOM OCCUPANCY AND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT TAX AND TO MAKE OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Bell, Blust, Bordsen, Braxton, Brisson, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Current, Daughtry, Dickson, Dockham, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Furr, Gibson, Goforth, Goodwin, Grady, Gulley, Haire, Hall, T. Harrell, June 12, 2008


WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Goodwin and without objection, H.B. 2390, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 18.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2563, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW RICHMOND COUNTY TO REMOVE UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES FROM PRIVATE LOTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2762, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT FOR RANDOLPH COUNTY TO ACCEPT PAYMENT OF THE FEE CHARGED BY THE COUNTY SHERIFF FOR OFFENDERS ORDERED TO PARTICIPATE IN PRETRIAL ELECTRONIC MONITORING, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

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H.B. 2763, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CURRITUCK COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FROM SIX TO EIGHT MEMBERS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2318 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

Representative Cole offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (109-3).

Representative Hurley offers Amendment No. 2 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (35-77).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (94-18), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Representative Fisher requests and is granted permission to change her vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (95-17).

H.B. 2341 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

Representative Ross offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (102-9).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

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H.B. 2391, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

Representative Goodwin offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (110-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2492, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Sutton, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

H.B. 2430, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION TO STUDY THE UNIFORM EMERGENCY VOLUNTEER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ACT AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH AND BIOTERRORISM OF THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2431, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

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H.B. 2432 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, TO STUDY AND DEVELOP PLANS TO ENHANCE DISASTER MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES AT THE COUNTY LEVEL; AND TO ALLOW THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL GUARD TO APPOINT A DEPUTY ADJUTANT GENERAL WHO HOLDS THE RANK OF MAJOR GENERAL, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (110-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2529 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (99-10), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

S.B. 1862, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A PORTION OF LAKE WACCAMAW STATE PARK FROM THE STATE NATURE AND HISTORIC PRESERVE AND THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE REALIGNMENT ON BELLA COOLA ROAD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by the following three-fifths vote, and there being no objection is read a third time.


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Voting in the negative: None.


The bill passes its third reading by the following three-fifths vote and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.


Voting in the negative: None.


**S.B. 1872**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AND MAINTENANCE IN THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR**

On motion of the Chair, **H.B. 2271** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE

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WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD, is withdrawn from the Calendar pursuant to Rule 36(b) and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 132 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committee are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

H.B. 2364, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ENCROACHMENT OF AIR SPACE ABOVE STATE ROAD 1100, RIVER ROAD, IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MATERIAL CONVEYANCE SYSTEM, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

S.B. 1646, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY FISCAL MANAGEMENT OF ANY MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF THE 1943 AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWAIN COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 16.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Hughes, the House adjourns at 12:32 p.m. to reconvene Monday, June 16, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, June 16, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God:

"You are the Giver of life. Our very breath is a gift from You. Our lives here are but a blip on the radar screen of time; and that makes each and every second a precious moment. As people who have the authority to affect so many lives, even within this tiny corner of Your great big world, grant that we would see in the reflection of the faces of our constituents, Your mandate to care for everyone into whom You have breathed the breath of life. May we be good and gracious stewards of the lives entrusted to us. For when our days here are accomplished, we will indeed discover if You were pleased with our efforts. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 12 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Dockham, Glazier, Hilton, Lewis, McAllister, Thomas, and Wainwright for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

H.B. 2444, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO TO CLARIFY THE INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL PETITION PROCESS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 17. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**H.B. 2186**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADULT ADOPTEES, AND FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED BIOLOGICAL PARENTS TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO ADOPTION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 17. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**H.B. 2770**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT INCREASING THE FORCE ACCOUNT LIMIT FOR THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM FOR CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR PROJECTS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**SUBCOMMITTEE REFERRALS**

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer **H.B. 2598**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, IN MAKING CERTIFICATE OF NEED DETERMINATIONS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION AND EXPANSION OR RENOVATION OF EXISTING HEALTH CARE FACILITIES, TO TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION CERTAIN FACTORS WITH RESPECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF SUITABLE HEALTH CARE FACILITIES SERVING COUNTIES WITH RELATIVELY SMALL POPULATIONS; TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF CERTIFICATE OF

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NEED REQUIREMENTS ON THE AVAILABILITY OF LOCAL HOSPITAL SERVICES; AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR A DHHS STUDY OF CERTIFICATE OF NEED REVIEW CRITERIA, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services.

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer H.B. 2630, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE REGIONAL AIRPORT IN SURRY COUNTY, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 1862, AN ACT TO REMOVE A PORTION OF LAKE WACCAMAW STATE PARK FROM THE STATE NATURE AND HISTORIC PRESERVE AND THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE REALIGNMENT ON BELLA COOLA ROAD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

S.B. 1872, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AND MAINTENANCE IN THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

H.B. 724, AN ACT TO NO LONGER REQUIRE THE USE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS ON NORTH CAROLINA CHILD SUPPORT COURT ORDERS.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 1195, AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE TO RECALL Elected OFFICIALS IN THE TOWN OF PLEASANT GARDEN.
(S.L. 2008-3)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

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By Representative Killian:

**H.B. 2795**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, is referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 933** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR FIRST-DEGREE SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE PUNISHABLE BY EITHER LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE OR A MANDATORY ACTIVE SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS, is returned for concurrence in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

Upon concurrence Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 changes the title.

**S.B. 1070** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

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S.B. 1590, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

S.B. 1598 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCUST AND THE TOWNS OF BEULAVILLE, BUTNER, HOBBGOOD, AND OAKBORO TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1736 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

S.B. 1797 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Ways and Means.

S.B. 1800 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HAZARDOUS MATERIALS" AND "STATE" UNDER NORTH CAROLINA'S MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

S.B. 1891 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

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AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

S.B. 1895, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE THE COURTHOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

S.B. 2126, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS IN THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2131, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

S.B. 2137, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOWN OF SUMMERFIELD SHALL FOLLOW THE GENERAL LAW FOR THE FILLING OF TOWN COUNCIL VACANCIES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

S.B. 2138, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE PROVIDING FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Cole and without objection, H.B. 2310 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 19.

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CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 946 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE AN OFFENSE OF VANDALISM THAT RESULTS IN MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DAMAGES A CLASS I FELONY.

On motion of Representative Grady, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (110-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.

Representative Daughtridge requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (111-0).

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Underhill and without objection, H.B. 2777 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 17.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2585 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF GRANITE QUARRY, KENANSVILLE, LILLINGTON, NASHVILLE, RICHLANDS, AND TROUTMAN.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Voting in the negative: None.


**H.B. 2255**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE NASH COUNTY WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS.

Representative Farmer-Butterfield offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (110-0). This amendment changes the title.

Representative Tarleton states that his voting equipment malfunctioned and he requests to be recorded as voting "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (111-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (111-0). The caption having been amended, the bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2279**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PERMIT EXEMPTION FOR OPEN FIRES WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF AN OCCUPIED DWELLING WITHIN THE LAKE ROYALE COMMUNITY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2402**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT SUBSTITUTING THE WORD "NOTICE" FOR "COMPLAINT OR ORDER" IN THE LAW THAT AUTHORIZES THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S GARBAGE AND TRASH ORDINANCE AND THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

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The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**S.B. 1579**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CARY TO USE ELECTRONIC MEANS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC HEARINGS, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**H.B. 2364**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ENCROACHMENT OF AIR SPACE ABOVE STATE ROAD 1100, RIVER ROAD, IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MATERIAL CONVEYANCE SYSTEM, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (110-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**S.B. 1646**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY FISCAL MANAGEMENT OF ANY MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF THE 1943 AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWAIN COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.

**INTRODUCTION OF PAGES**

Pages for the week of June 16 are introduced to the membership. They are: Caroline Allen of Person; Taylor Brown of Harnett; Ian Bryan of Pitt; Davis Bryson of Wake; Kevin Cheung of Alexander; Emily Fender of Haywood; Jasmine Gooch of Lee; Jason Hallman of Orange; Shannon Herndon of Watauga; Nick Hill of Buncombe; Tayla Howard of Johnston; Kenan Kerr of Gaston; Carol Kim of Durham; Molly McClure of Haywood; Christian O'Neal of Lee; Kelly Parker of Johnston; Taylor Payne of Forsyth; Rachel Radford of Buncombe; Mikel Santiago of Onslow; Logan Sitze of Lee; D. J. Smith of Wake; Meghan Strickland of Wake; Tammie Stroud of Carteret; Dylan Webster of Wake; and Andria' Williamson of Guilford.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Underhill, the House adjourns at 7:34 p.m. to reconvene June 17 at 2:00 p.m.

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The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Loving God:

"The soul of the earth cries out for Your people to discover the inner goodness of their hearts. As many people of this world are busy ripping apart the marrow of Your creation through war, violence, genocide, human trafficking, and endless destructive forces that widen the divisions that exist between us, raise up people who can find stronger voices of reason and justice. Give courage to the leaders of the world to seek avenues of peace that might spring forth a spirit of hope for all. Within this Assembly, O God, grant that we too can find the melody of hope within us so that the music we enact would be pleasing to the ears of Your people, but more importantly, be pleasing and acceptable to You. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 16 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Glazier, McComas, and Thomas for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 1646, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ORDERLY FISCAL MANAGEMENT OF ANY MONETARY SETTLEMENT OF THE 1943 AGREEMENT BETWEEN SWAIN COUNTY AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR.

H.B. 946, AN ACT TO MAKE AN OFFENSE OF VANDALISM THAT RESULTS IN MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DAMAGES A CLASS I FELONY.
The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.B. 1579**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CARY TO USE ELECTRONIC MEANS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC HEARINGS.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**S.B. 1358** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO PREVENT YOUTH INVOLVEMENT IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY, AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION ACT", with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

**H.B. 2127**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW ESTABLISHING REGIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCILS UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE WITH DISABILITIES, SO AS TO SAVE FUNDS AND AVOID DUPLICATION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

**S.B. 1662**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

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H.B. 2492, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 2095, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF PINEHURST TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING GOLF CARTS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

H.B. 2267, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

H.B. 2271 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

H.B. 2280 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER, CITY OF WILMINGTON, AND THE TOWN OF BEULAVILLE TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THAT UNIT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S JURISDICTION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

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H.B. 2765, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2769, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

S.B. 1630, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BAKED GOODS FROM STATE SALES AND USE TAXES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1636 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MOREHEAD CITY AND THE CITY OF WILSON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN'S PUBLIC NUISANCE ORDINANCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I.

S.B. 1669 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AND PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES IN ADOPTING WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED

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S.B. 1687 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATOR PROGRAM TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Health.

S.B. 1805 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

S.B. 1852 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1878 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, AND TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1925 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO EXEMPT SPECIAL INDEBTEDNESS FOR FACILITIES BY GATEWAY UNIVERSITY RESEARCH PARK, INC., FROM CERTAIN PROCUREMENT REQUIREMENTS; AND TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY
OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2118 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF WESLEY CHAPEL TO LEASE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY TO THE YMCA FOR A TERM OF MORE THAN TEN YEARS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

S.B. 2119, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE COUNTY OF BRUNSWICK THE AUTHORITY TO USE THE POWER OF EMINENT DOMAIN PURSUANT TO THE CONDEMNATION PROCESS SET OUT IN ARTICLE 9 OF CHAPTER 136 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR THE ACQUISITION OF LAND ON A SINGLE HIGHWAY TO BE USED FOR THE PUBLIC PURPOSE OF IMPROVING THE ROAD AND PROVIDING NEEDED LAND AND EASEMENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO MAINTAIN THE ROAD, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Underhill and without objection, H.B. 2777 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 18.

On motion of Representative Blue and without objection, S.B. 132 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary II and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

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Action is taken on the following:

**H.B. 2255**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE EDGECOMBE, NASH, AND WILSON COUNTIES WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

Representative Folwell requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (115-0).

**H.B. 2444** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO TO CLARIFY THE INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL PETITION PROCESS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2186** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADOPTEES, AND ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED BIOLOGICAL PARENTS TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES AND TO ALLOW AN AGENCY ACTING AS A CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY TO OBTAIN A COPY OF A DEATH CERTIFICATE OF THE PERSON WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF THE SEARCH AND DELIVER IT TO THE PERSON REQUESTING SERVICES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES, passes its second reading by electronic vote (114-1).

Representative Barnhart objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**RE-REFERRALS**

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 1726**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT PROVIDING STATE EMPLOYEES WITH UP TO FIVE DAYS OF PAID COMMUNITY SERVICE LEAVE WHEN VOLUNTEERING THEIR SERVICES IN THE

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EVENT OF EMERGENCIES DECLARED BY THE GOVERNOR, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 1727** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW SICK LEAVE TRANSFERS FOR STATE EMPLOYEES SUBJECT TO THE STATE PERSONNEL ACT AND FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2487** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of June 18.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2498**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS, (2) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS, (3) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS, (4) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS, AND (5) TO MAKE OTHER IMPROVEMENTS TO THE UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CLEANUP PROGRAM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, June 17, 2008
is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2757, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE RANDOLPH COUNTY CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE TO ESTABLISH A FIVE-YEAR HEALTH INSURANCE PILOT PROJECT IN RANDOLPH COUNTY TO PROVIDE A MODEL FOR AFFORDABLE EMPLOYER-BASED HEALTH INSURANCE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government I and re-referred to the Committee on Insurance.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 2138, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE PROVIDING FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL, is withdrawn from the Committee on Local Government I and re-referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

H.B. 2163, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SHERIFF AND APPROPRIATE DEPUTY SHERIFFS IN PITTCOUNTY TO ACCESS INFORMATION IN THE PRESCRIPTION DRUG DATABASE MAINTAINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES WHEN THE SHERIFF OR DEPUTY SHERIFFS ARE ENGAGED IN A BONA FIDE INVESTIGATION RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF LEGAL DRUGS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Harrison, Chair, for the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency:

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H.B. 2532, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report, as amended, and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Without objection, the bill, unengrossed, is re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Sutton, the House adjourns at 3:03 p.m. to reconvene June 18 at 2:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, June 18, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Patricia Peterson, Joyous Praise Christian Fellowship Church, Warsaw, North Carolina:

"O God, Our Father:

"We come to You acknowledging that You are the All Powerful, All Knowing, God. We thank You for the blessings of freedom that You have given us this day. We ask that You bless this meeting and those that You have granted this privilege of leadership. We pray for them both individually and collectively as they gather here today. Open their eyes to the opportunities to lead and to serve. Grant them wisdom as they make decisions that will benefit the citizens of this great State. We acknowledge that You govern the affairs of men, and that the hearts of the kings are in Your hands. We thank You, Heavenly Father, that the hearts of these Representatives are in Your hands also. Grant them graciously Your wisdom and direction. We ask this in Your name, O Sovereign God. Amen."

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 17 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Glazier and Thomas for today.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 2189**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITH INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE AND TO STUDY A STATEWIDE AUTOMATED NOTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR PERSONS WITH DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. (S.L. 2008-4)

**S.B. 1579**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF CARY TO USE ELECTRONIC MEANS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC NOTICE FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC HEARINGS. (S.L. 2008-5)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell, Chairs, for the Committee on Pensions and Retirement:

**H.B. 2451**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUND FOR VOLUNTEER FIREMEN IN THE TOWN OF ELKIN, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2614**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF STOVALL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT PROVIDING PRIOR SERVICE CREDITS TO ITS EMPLOYEES, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**H.B. 2728**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA 401(K) PLAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN INTO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**H.B. 2729**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MONTHLY PENSION FOR MEMBERS OF THE FIREMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD WORKERS' PENSION FUND AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO REPAY THE FIREMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD WORKERS' PENSION FUND IN FULL, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The serial referral to the Committee on Finance is stricken and pursuant to Rule 38(a), the bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

By Representative Hill, Chair, for the Committee on Agriculture:

**H.B. 2524**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Health.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Health.

By Representative Martin, Chair, for the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs:

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H.B. 2429. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE DEATHS THAT OCCUR AT FACILITIES OPERATED BY OR ON BEHALF OF THE DIVISION OF MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Bell and Lucas, Chairs, for the Committee on Education:

H.B. 2288, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

H.B. 2306, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT’S IEP TEAM TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED APPROPRIATENESS OF HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2360, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS TO SERVE AS FULL-TIME MENTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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H.B. 2490, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CREATING THE LEGISLATIVE SPECIAL COMMISSION ON THE EFFICIENCY AND EFFECTIVENESS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

H.B. 2463 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1, and recommendation that Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Lucas, Chair, for the Committee on Alcoholic Beverage Control:

H.B. 1230 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL ESTABLISHMENT TYPE CALLED "SCENIC BYWAYS BED AND BREAKFAST INNS" AND TO ALLOW THE ISSUANCE OF CERTAIN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL PERMITS TO A SCENIC BYWAYS BED AND BREAKFAST INN WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF AN ELECTION, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1, and recommendation that Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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By Representative Harrison, Chair, for the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency:

**H.B. 2720**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE EVERY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLE TRANSFERRED TO OR PURCHASED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY RATING, AS DETERMINED BY THE UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR THE NEW VEHICLE'S MODEL YEAR, IN THE TOP TEN PERCENT FOR ITS CLASS OF VEHICLES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

**H.B. 1134**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND BY IMPOSING AN ENVIRONMENTAL REMEDATION TAX ON THE SALE OF NEW AND USED MANUFACTURED HOMES TO ENSURE THAT FUNDS WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1340** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF BLOCKS OF 10 TEN-DAY COASTAL RECREATIONAL FISHING LICENSES, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1, and recommendation that House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

SUBCOMMITTEE REFERRAL

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer H.B. 2738, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2267, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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H.B. 2271 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


H.B. 2765 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE AND THE TOWN OF MOORESVILLE, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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H.B. 2769, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


H.B. 2267, H.B. 2271, H.B. 2765, and H.B. 2769 are local bills and without objection are voted on as a group. Representatives Blackwood and Allen request and are granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total for these bills is (113-4).

H.B. 2095, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF PINEHURST TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING GOLF CARTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

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The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2280** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER, CITY OF WILMINGTON, AND THE TOWN OF BEULAVILLE TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THAT UNIT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S JURISDICTION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2777** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY.

Representative Underhill offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (117-0). This amendment changes the title.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (117-0). The caption having been amended, the bill remains on the Calendar.

Without objection, **H.J.R. 2790**, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE 2007 PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2186** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADOPTEES, AND ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED BIOLOGICAL PARENTS TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES AND TO ALLOW AN AGENCY ACTING AS A CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY TO OBTAIN A COPY OF A DEATH CERTIFICATE OF THE

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PERSON WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF THE SEARCH AND DELIVER IT TO THE PERSON REQUESTING SERVICES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ADOPTEE BIRTH CERTIFICATES.

Representative Barnhart offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (116-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (116-1), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2390**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (117-0).

Representative Goodwin offers Amendment No. 2 which is adopted by electronic vote (116-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2127**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW ESTABLISHING REGIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCILS UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE WITH DISABILITIES, SO AS TO SAVE FUNDS AND AVOID DUPLICATION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (116-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2487** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED

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AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

Representative Folwell offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (114-1).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (115-1).

Representative Allred requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-0).

Representative Haire objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2492 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (107-10), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**S.B. 132 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill.

**S.B. 1358 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO PREVENT YOUTH INVOLVEMENT IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY, AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION ACT".**

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Representative Bryant offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (117-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment.

**S.B. 1662**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Steen requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**H.B. 2155**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR HOLDEN BEACH, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**H.B. 2278**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2347**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY AND LIMIT THE USES THAT MAY BE MADE OF THE PROPERTY, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**H.B. 2579**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN’S HISTORIC DISTRICT, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**H.B. 2580**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE PAYMENTS-IN-LIEU FOR RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2726**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN OBSOLETE AND UNENFORCEABLE PROVISION OF THE POLKVILLE TOWN CHARTER, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**S.B. 1653** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITIES OF LOUISBURG AND MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWNS OF FRANKLINTON, PINETOPS, SMITHFIELD, AND YADKINVILLE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY’S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

**S.B. 1828**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF MARSHVILLE AND WINGATE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWNS’ OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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S.B. 2136, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF CONCORD FROM STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING PUBLIC CONTRACTING WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 19.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 388, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW AN INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR PART OF THE EXPENSE OF AVOIDED PUBLIC EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS WHO REQUIRE SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES OUTSIDE THE REGULAR CLASSROOM AND TO AUTHORIZE COUNTIES TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THESE CHILDREN EDUCATED OTHER THAN IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Finance and re-referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Braxton, the House adjourns at 3:39 p.m. to reconvene June 19 at 11:00 a.m.

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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The House meets at 11:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Loving God:

"Holy are You and worthy are You to be praised. More than anything else of importance in our lives, taking the deliberate time to speak with Thee is Your welcome gift to us; and You are always more ready to hear us than we are to pray. Thank You for listening to us for these brief few seconds. We acknowledge that our work is challenging and often times frustrating. But, we also recognize with gratitude the good things that are done by this Body.

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Take all of our work, O God, and bless it. Make good our defects. Where it is good and pleasing to You, honor it in a way that will shower Your people with Your blessings. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 18 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Glazier, Hilton, Howard, and Thomas for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bill is duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**S.B. 1662.** AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**H.B. 2093.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWN OF LOWELL TO AREAS LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES MAY USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITH POSTED SPEED LIMITS OF THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR OR LESS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Transportation. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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H.B. 2666, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COMPANY POLICE OFFICERS CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74E OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, THE COMPANY POLICE ACT, SERVING LOCAL HOSPITALS OR HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES IN ASHE AND WATAUGA COUNTIES TO HAVE JURISDICTION ON STREETS AND HIGHWAYS THAT RUN ADJACENT TO THE HOSPITAL CAMPUS LIKE THAT OF A CAMPUS POLICE OFFICER CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74G OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2784, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENTS OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1895, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE THE COURTHOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

H.B. 2167 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON THE PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH A PERMIT AND TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS AND TRAILERS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED OR HAULED ON A PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTE WITH A PERMIT DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY, with a favorable report as to Committee June 19, 2008
Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1, and recommendation that Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2570, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PERMIT FOR TRANSPORTATION OF TRANSFER TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING SIXTEEN FEET TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN FIVE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Dockham, Boylan, Brown, Holliman, and Howard:

H.J.R. 2796, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF "EVERYBODY'S DAY," THE OLDEST FESTIVAL IN NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

S.B. 1651 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVISED ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO LOWER THE MINIMUM AGE FOR DONATING BLOOD FROM SEVENTEEN TO SIXTEEN, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

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S.B. 1681 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE AUTOMOBILES IN THE STATE MOTOR FLEET TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

S.B. 1686 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE GROUNDS WITHIN A CERTAIN DISTANCE OF STATE-OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO DESIGNATE GROUNDS WITHIN A CERTAIN DISTANCE OF LOCALLY OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

S.B. 1695 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PERSONS EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER WHO HOLD A CLASS C LICENSE TO OPERATE SPECIFIED VEHICLE COMBINATIONS; TO CLARIFY THE OPERATION OF VEHICLES WITH FARMER LICENSE PLATES; TO ELIMINATE MUNICIPAL CONCURRENCE FOR DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN TRUCK ROUTES; TO PROVIDE THAT FIFTY-THREE-FOOT SEMI-TRAILERS MAY OPERATE ON PRIMARY HIGHWAYS; TO PROVIDE THAT COMBINES UP TO TWENTY-FIVE FEET IN WIDTH MAY BE OPERATED ON SPECIFIED HIGHWAYS; TO CHANGE THE WIDTH LIMITS AND AUTHORIZED TIME OF OPERATION FOR TOWED BOAT TRAILERS; TO INCREASE SPECIFIED WEIGHT LIMITS FOR VEHICLES HAULING AGRICULTURAL CROPS AND COMPRESSED SEED COTTON; AND TO MODIFY THE WEIGHT EXCEPTION FOR VEHICLES TRANSPORTING RAW LOGS TO FIRST MARKET, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

S.B. 1955 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LIMITED RELEASE OF CERTAIN PRISONERS INTO THE CUSTODY OF IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS FOR REMOVAL, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

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S.B. 2045, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF KENANSVILLE, BELMONT, AND GRANITE QUARRY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2113 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET FOR THE SALES TAX REFUND FOR SALES AND USE TAXES PAID BY AN INTERSTATE PASSENGER AIR CARRIER AND TO EQUALIZE THE TAX TREATMENT BETWEEN HEATING SOURCES BY REDUCING THE STATE SALES TAX ON HOME HEATING FUEL TO ONE PERCENT, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 for H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, is returned for concurrence in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on today's Calendar.

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Upon concurrence Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 changes the title.

The Speaker rules Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Stam be excused from voting on June 4 is continued.

On motion of Representative Michaux, the House does not concur in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, by the following vote, and conferees are requested.


Voting in the negative: None.


Excused vote: Representative Stam.

The Speaker appoints the following Representatives as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message: Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, Yongue, Holliman, and Owens, Co-Chairs.

**SUBCOMMITTEE ON CAPITAL:** Representatives Womble, Owens, Church, Ross, and Grady.

**SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION:** Representatives Glazier, McLawhorn, Rapp, Bell, Lucas, Parmon, Wiley, Tarleton, and Johnson.

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SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATURAL AND ECONOMIC RESOURCES: Representatives McAllister, E. Warren, Bryant, Harrison, Justice, Wilkins, Wray, and Langdon.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION: Representatives Coates, Cole, Allen, Blue, Dickson, T. Harrell, Dockham, Martin, Saunders, Williams, J. Harrell, Current, and Carney.

SUBCOMMITTEE ON FINANCE: Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, Weiss, Carney, Cotham, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Hill, Howard, Jones, McComas, Ross, McGee, Setzer, and Holliman.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2267, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


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H.B. 2271 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


H.B. 2765 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE AND THE TOWN OF MOORESVILLE, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.

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**H.B. 2769.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


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**H.B. 2777** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD NONVOTING MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2155**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR HOLDEN BEACH, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2347**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY AND LIMIT THE USES THAT MAY BE MADE OF THE PROPERTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2451** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUND FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS IN THE TOWN OF ELKIN AND TO REPEAL THE PROVISIONS PROVIDING SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUNDS FOR FIREFIGHTERS IN THE CITY OF BURLINGTON, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2579**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN'S HISTORIC DISTRICT, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

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H.B. 2614, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF STOVALL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES’ RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT PROVIDING PRIOR SERVICE CREDITS TO ITS EMPLOYEE, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2726, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN OBSOLETE AND UNENFORCEABLE PROVISION OF THE POLKVILLE TOWN CHARTER, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

S.B. 1653 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITIES OF LOUISBURG AND MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWNS OF FRANKLINTON, PINETOPS, SMITHFIELD, AND YADKINVILLE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S.B. 1828 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF MARSHVILLE, WADESBORO, AND WINGATE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWNS' OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCES, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill.

S.B. 2136, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF CONCORD FROM STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING PUBLIC CONTRACTING WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

H.B. 2487 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON

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LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

Representative Sutton offers Amendment No. 2 which is adopted by electronic vote (68-46).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2288, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON DROPOUT PREVENTION AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Cole and without objection, H.B. 2310 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion of Representative Jeffus and without objection, H.B. 2360 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS TO SERVE AS FULL-TIME MENTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 24.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2306 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EDUCATIONAL SERVICES" FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES, TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT'S IEP TEAM

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TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED APPROPRIATENESS OF HOME-BOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; AND TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REPORT ON CONTESTED CASES BASED ON THE ADDITIONAL PROTECTION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Insko states that her voting equipment malfunctioned and she requests to change her vote from "no" to "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (115-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2728**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA 401(K) PLAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN INTO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2773**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING THE TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM, THE JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM, THE LEGISLATIVE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AND THE FIREMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD WORKERS' PENSION FUND, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

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By Representative Williams, Chair, for the Committee on Wildlife Resources:

**H.B. 2123.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES AND COYOTES IN ALAMANCE COUNTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

**H.B. 2634.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

**H.B. 2760.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR TAKING FOXES WITH WEAPONS AND BY TRAPPING IN STOKES COUNTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

**H.B. 2768.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2779.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

**S.B. 1989.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

**H.B. 2575**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF FLETCHER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO THE TOWN IN LIEU OF ANNEXATION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

**H.B. 2707**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW COMPANY POLICE OFFICERS THAT ARE CONTRACTED WITH A LOCAL SCHOOL BOARD TO HAVE THE SAME TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION AS CAMPUS POLICE OFFICERS, reported without prejudice and with recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

**H.B. 2759**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF FRANKLINTON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDNANCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2761**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1597**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CARY TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 2138**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE PROVIDING FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

On motion of Representative Rapp, the House observes a moment of silence in honor of Trooper David Shawn Blanton, Jr., who died in the line of duty in Haywood County.

----------MOMENT OF SILENCE----------

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**SECOND SESSION 2008**

Senate Chamber
June 19, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received today, June 19, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 to **H.B. 2436** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE

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OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Garrou, Co-Chair  
Senator Albertson, Co-Chair  
Senator Dannelly, Co-Chair  
Senator Atwater  
Senator Berger of Franklin  
Senator Bingham  
Senator Boseman  
Senator Clodfelter  
Senator Cowell  
Senator Dalton  
Senator Dorsett  
Senator Foriest  
Senator Goss  
Senator Graham  
Senator Hagan  
Senator Hartsell  
Senator Hoyle  
Senator Jones  
Senator Kerr  
Senator Kinnaird  
Senator Malone  
Senator McKissick  
Senator Nesbitt  
Senator Purcell  
Senator Queen  
Senator Rand  
Senator Shaw  
Senator Snow  
Senator Soles  
Senator Stevens  
Senator Swindell  
Senator Weinstein

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative Coleman, Chair, for the Committee on State Personnel:

**H.B. 2748**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE RULES ADOPTED BY THE STATE PERSONNEL COMMISSION RELATING TO TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2687, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CREATING THE POVERTY REDUCTION AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THAT PURPOSE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Rapp, that the House adjourn, subject to the receipt of Committee Reports and in honor of Trooper David Shawn Blanton, Jr., to reconvene Monday, June 23, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittee are presented:

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 2353, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2509, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD PRODUCERS OF DIGITAL INTERACTIVE MEDIA TO THE INDUSTRIES ELIGIBLE FOR TAX CREDITS FOR GROWING BUSINESSES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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H.B. 2752, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXEMPTION TO THE CITY OF SANFORD BY ALLOWING THE CITY TO EXPAND THE LEE COUNTY WATER SYSTEM WHICH IS NOW OPERATED BY THE CITY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2770 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT INCREASING THE FORCE ACCOUNT LIMIT FOR THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM FOR CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR PROJECTS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of June 23. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1654, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1748, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

S.B. 1843, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REMOVING CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

S.B. 1876 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX

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PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

By Representatives Earle, England, and Insko, Chairs, for the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

H.B. 2738, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE, with a favorable report, as amended.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

H.B. 2417, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE STATUTORY CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF TORTURE AND ENFORCED DISAPPEARANCE AND TO ADD THESE OFFENSES TO THOSE FOR WHICH AN INVESTIGATIVE GRAND JURY MAY BE CONVENEED AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA SENTENCING AND POLICY ADVISORY COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 212 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING APPEALS OF QUASI-JUDICIAL DECISIONS MADE UNDER ARTICLE 19 OF CHAPTER 160A AND ARTICLE 18 OF CHAPTER 153A OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 23. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Goforth and Holliman, Chairs, for the Committee on Insurance:

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**H.B. 2471, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY AND TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The House stands adjourned at 3:08 p.m.

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**ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-NINTH DAY**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**  
Monday, June 23, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by Dr. Ruth Peterson, The Anointed Ones Ministry, Ayden, North Carolina:

"Heavenly Father:

"We come boldly to the throne today in the authority of the name of Jesus.

"We pray for men everywhere and for those that are in positions of authority.

"We ask now, Father, that You give this General Assembly understanding and wisdom. We acknowledge our helplessness to lead such a great Nation without You. So we come to You, Father, with hearts of thanksgiving because

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You are with us, and You are perfect in knowledge. We thank You that skillful and Godly wisdom has entered into the hearts and minds of this great Assembly.

Your word declares that 'blessed is the Nation whose God is the Lord'. We receive Your blessing and we declare with our mouths that You are our Refuge and Stronghold, that Your people dwell safely in this land, and that we prosper.

We give thanks for this Nation, this State, and the leaders that You have given to us. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 19 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, Furr, and Sutton for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1653, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITIES OF LOUISBURG AND MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWNS OF FRANKLINTON, PINETOPS, SMITHFIELD, AND YADKINVILLE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE.

S.B. 2136, AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF CONCORD FROM STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING PUBLIC CONTRACTING WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

H.J.R. 2794, A JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL INTEGRATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

H.B. 2468, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 24. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2600, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MAYODAN TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OR ON PROPERTY OWNED OR LEASED BY THE TOWN, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 24. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

H.B. 1700, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO MANUFACTURED HOMEOWNERS OF A SALE OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY AND TO PROVIDE A TAX CREDIT FOR THE SALE OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY TO MANUFACTURED HOMEOWNERS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2188**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 24. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**SUBCOMMITTEE REFERRAL**

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer **H.B. 44**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE LAW RELATED TO VIOLATIONS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS BY INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives M. Alexander and Saunders (Primary Sponsors); K. Alexander, Carney, Cotham, Earle, Gulley, Killian, Samuelson, Tarleton, and Tillis:

**H.J.R. 2797**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF LOUISE SMITH BRENNAN, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Dollar, Pate, and England (Primary Sponsors); Allred, Church, Current, Hurley, Moore, Spear, Stam, Tarleton, and Walend:

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MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

S.B. 2106 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY SALES AND USE TAX REFUNDS FOR NONPROFIT ENTITIES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2107 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET THE INSURANCE AND PUBLIC UTILITY REGULATORY FEES, TO IMPOSE A FEE FOR FLOOD HAZARD DETERMINATION FORMS COMPLETED BY LENDERS, TO IMPOSE A STATE JUDICIAL FACILITIES FEE, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF FORTY MILLION DOLLARS OF SPECIAL INDEBTEDNESS FOR STATE JUDICIAL FACILITIES, TO ADJUST VARIOUS FEES, AND TO EXPAND THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENT FOR HOME CARE SERVICES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

CONFEREE APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints Representative Neumann as an additional conferee on Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE

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CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, on the Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2752 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SANFORD TO MAKE SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY WITHIN LEE COUNTY, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


S.B. 1748, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZED THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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S.B. 1654 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWN OF CAMERON, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

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**S.B. 1843**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REMOVING CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.


**H.B. 2123**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES AND COYOTES IN ALAMANCE COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2634**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2759** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF FRANKLINTON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN'S OVERGROWN

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VEGETATION ORDINANCE, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2760.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR TAKING FOXES WITH WEAPONS AND BY TRAPPING IN STOKES COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2770** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT INCREASING THE FORCE ACCOUNT LIMIT FOR THE CITIES OF WINSTON-SALEM AND ASHEBORO FOR CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR PROJECTS, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2779.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY, passes its second reading.

Representative Spear objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**S.B. 1989.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**S.B. 2138.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE PROVIDING FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**H.B. 2575.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF FLETCHER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO THE TOWN IN LIEU OF ANNEXATION.

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Representative Justus offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2738**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE.

On motion of Representative Haire, Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

**S.B. 1597** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CABARRUS COUNTY; THE CITIES OF CONCORD, KANNAPOLIS, AND LOCUST; AND THE TOWNS OF CARY, HARRISBURG, MIDLAND, MOUNT PLEASANT, AND STANFIELD TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION.

Representative Steen offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

Representative Luebke offers Amendment No. 2 which is adopted. This amendment changes the title.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading. The caption having been amended, the bill remains on the Calendar.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR**

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, the following bills are withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2416**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO UPDATE THE REFERENCE TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE USED IN DEFINING AND DETERMINING CERTAIN STATE TAX PROVISIONS.

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H.B. 2508 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLOSE FRANCHISE TAX LOOPHOLES BY REQUIRING A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THAT ELECTS TO BE TREATED AS A CORPORATION AND A CAPTIVE REIT TO PAY FRANCHISE TAX AND TO REQUIRE PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIPS TO GIVE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE A LIST OF THE PARTNERS WHO RECEIVED MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF INCOME FROM THE PARTNERSHIP.

H.B. 2335 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CREDIT FOR SMALL BUSINESS EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS AND TO EXTEND THE SUNSET.

H.B. 2336 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE CREDIT FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, THE LOW-INCOME HOUSING CREDIT, AND THE MILL REHABILITATION CREDIT; AND TO PROVIDE A SALES TAX EXEMPTION FOR TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY PURCHASED WITH A CLIENT ASSISTANCE DEBIT CARD ISSUED FOR DISASTER ASSISTANCE RELIEF BY A STATE AGENCY OR A FEDERAL AGENCY OR INSTRUMENTALITY.

H.B. 2366, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE TAX CREDIT FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE PORTS AUTHORITY.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2353 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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S.B. 1876 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.


H.B. 2509 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

On motion of Representative Gibson and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 24.

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H.B. 2748 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE RULES ADOPTED BY THE STATE PERSONNEL COMMISSION RELATING TO TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES AND TO DIRECT THE OFFICE OF STATE PERSONNEL TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF NONPERMANENT EMPLOYMENT, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

S.B. 212 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

Pages for the week of June 23 are introduced to the membership. They are: Corey Baldwin of Wake; Lindsey Barnes of Carteret; Nijel Bennett of Anson; Jen Boush of Mecklenburg; Charles Brooks of Wake; Jasmine Cho of Orange; Sara Clark of Beaufort; Katrina Connor of Wake; Breck Faison of Orange; Wynnelle Foxworth of Wake; Morgan Gay of Edgecombe;Robert Hiatt of New Hanover; Ben Horne of Guilford; Ashley Killian of Mecklenburg; Lane Middleton of Wake; Ian Molvie of Wake; Martha Neese of Wake; Kathryn Palmes of Iredell; Robert Palmes of Iredell; Erin Pope of Johnston; Anna Sprecher of Wake; Austin Welch of Forsyth; and Wayne Woolard of Beaufort.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that Senator Jenkins has been added as a conferee on H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN

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ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Glazier, that the House adjourn, subject to the receipt of Committee Reports and the re-referral of bills, to reconvene June 24 at 2:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committee and permanent subcommittee are presented:

By Representatives Bordsen and Love, Chairs, for the Appropriations Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

H.B. 44, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE LAW RELATED TO VIOLATIONS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS BY INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 24. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

S.B. 1541 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REGARDING THE FUTURE USE OF THE DOROTHEA DIX HOSPITAL PROPERTY CAMPUS AND SUPPORT FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Education.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Education. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The House stands adjourned.

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ONE HUNDRED FORTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, June 24, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Chad Neal, Fuquay-Varina Presbyterian Church, Fuquay-Varina, North Carolina:

"Gracious God:

"You are a great and mighty God. Everything we see has been made by Your hand. We give You praise for all You do. We ask now, that You would bless us in our efforts. Guide our words and our thoughts. Give us strength when we are weak. Give us the courage to make the hard choices which lead to a better world. Help us to see that it is in serving others that we do Your work. Lord, we ask for Your presence, Your love, and Your grace. We ask that in the things we do today, You might find us faithful. Amen."

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 23 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Furr for today. Representative Lewis is excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1989, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY.

S.B. 2138, AN ACT TO REPEAL AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE PROVIDING FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1653, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITIES OF LOUISBURG AND MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWNS OF FRANKLINTON, PINETOPS, SMITHFIELD, AND YADKINVILLE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE. (S.L. 2008-6)

S.B. 2136, AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF CONCORD FROM STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING PUBLIC CONTRACTING WITH RESPECT TO THE CONSTRUCTION OF CERTAIN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS. (S.L. 2008-7)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Dickson, Chair, for the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship:

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S.B. 236 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL HOUSEMOVING STATUTES CONTAINED IN ARTICLE 16 OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Bell and Lucas, Chairs, for the Committee on Education:

H.B. 2592, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO COLLECT AND ANALYZE BASELINE DATA RELATED TO CHILDHOOD OBESITY AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1825, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REPORT ANNUALLY AND TO MEET BIANNUALLY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

H.B. 2340 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTIONS THAT MAKE ALLOWANCES FOR SMALL COUNTIES AND ADULTS RIDING WITH CHILDREN, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES TO BE IN LINE WITH OTHER CHILD SAFETY VIOLATIONS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of June 25. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1860 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

SUBCOMMITTEE REFERRAL

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer H.B. 2720 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACQUIRE ONLY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY THAT IS IN THE TOP FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THAT CLASS OF COMPARABLE AUTOMOBILES, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

S.B. 1755 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE CREDITS FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT, LOW-INCOME HOUSING, MILL REHABILITATION, AND THE STATE PORTS AUTHORITY; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND TO REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO CLOSE FRANCHISE TAX LOOPHOLES BY REQUIRING A LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY THAT ELECTS TO BE TREATED AS A CORPORATION AND A CAPTIVE REIT TO PAY FRANCHISE TAX; TO REQUIRE PUBLICLY TRADED PARTNERSHIPS TO GIVE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE A LIST OF THE PARTNERS WHO

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RECEIVED MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF INCOME FROM THE PARTNERSHIP, AND TO INCREASE THE STATEWIDE CAP ON THE QUALIFIED BUSINESS VENTURE TAX CREDIT, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1951, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REPEAL THE AUTHORIZATION FOR ALL COUNTIES TO LEVY A FOUR-TENTHS PERCENT LOCAL LAND TRANSFER TAX, AND TO ALLOW COUNTIES TO RESTRICT USE OF THE ADDITIONAL ONE-QUARTER CENT SALES TAX TO AN ENUMERATED PURPOSE OR PURPOSES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1952 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT SMALL BUSINESSES FROM CERTAIN SALES AND USE TAX ASSESSMENTS, TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TO DOCUMENT CERTAIN VERBAL ADVICE GIVEN TO TAXPAYERS, TO ALLOW TAXPAYERS TO RELY ON DOCUMENTED VERBAL ADVICE FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, AND TO GIVE THE SECRETARY OF REVENUE MORE DISCRETION IN RESOLVING SALES AND USE TAX DISPUTES CONCERNING SMALL BUSINESSES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2752 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SANFORD TO MAKE SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY WITHIN LEE COUNTY, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Furr - 3.

**S.B. 1748**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled.


Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Furr - 3.

**S.B. 1654** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWN OF CAMERON, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill.

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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Furr - 3.

Representative Blackwood requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (114-0).

S.B. 1843, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REMOVING CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled.


Voting in the negative: None.

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Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Furr - 3.

Representative Blackwood requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (114-0).

**H.B. 2779**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY.

On motion of Representative Mobley and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 25.

**S.B. 1597** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CABARRUS COUNTY; THE CITIES OF CONCORD, DURHAM, KANNAPOLIS, AND LOCUST; AND THE TOWNS OF CARY, HARRISBURG, MIDLAND, MOUNT PLEASANT, AND STANFIELD TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill.

**H.B. 2468** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS.

Representative Ray offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2600** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MAYODAN TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OR ON PROPERTY OWNED OR LEASED BY THE TOWN.

Representative Pate offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted. This amendment changes the title.

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The bill, as amended, passes its second reading. The caption having been amended, the bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2353** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


**S.B. 1876** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor.

Voting in the negative: None.


**H.B. 44** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE LAW RELATED TO VIOLATIONS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS BY INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-1).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (115-0).

Representative Sutton objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2188** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES IN THE DEFINITION OF HIGH COST HOME LOANS, AND TO ADD TO THE LIST OF PROHIBITED ACTS UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

**H.B. 2360** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PERMIT NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS TO

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SERVE AS FULL-TIME MENTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

Representative Daughtridge offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (110-6), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2509 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

Representative Gibson offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (115-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-2), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:


Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

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The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Lucas sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1304** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE USE OF REMAINING END-OF-YEAR TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDS FOR REPAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING ELIGIBLE STUDENT LOANS FOR MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

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SECOND SESSION 2008  

Senate Chamber  
June 24, 2008  

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to **S.B. 132** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO PROVIDE THAT A PROCESSOR OF PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGES OR A COMPUTER TECHNICIAN WHO, IN THE COURSE OF WORK, ENCOUNTERS AN IMAGE OF A MINOR ENGAGING IN SEXUAL ACTIVITY MUST REPORT THE NAME OF THE CUSTOMER REQUESTING THE WORK TO THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES; TO PROVIDE THAT IT SHALL BE UNLAWFUL FOR THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE TO ALLOW A MINOR USING A PROTECTED COMPUTER TO CREATE OR MAINTAIN A PERSONAL WEB PAGE ON A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE WITHOUT THE PERMISSION OF THE MINOR'S PARENT OR GUARDIAN AND WITHOUT PROVIDING SUCH PARENT OR GUARDIAN ACCESS TO SUCH PERSONAL WEB PAGE, TO REQUIRE THE OWNER OR OPERATOR TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT PROCEDURES TO CONFIRM THE IDENTITY AND AGE OF A PARENT OR GUARDIAN GRANTING PERMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE

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FOR PENALTIES; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES OF SOLICITATION OF A CHILD BY COMPUTER TO COMMIT AN UNLAWFUL SEX ACT; AND TO MAKE IT A FELONY TO LIE TO A SWORN SBI AGENT CONDUCTING AN OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Dalton, Chair
Senator Berger of Franklin
Senator Hoyle

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

H.B. 2498, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS, (2) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS, (3) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS, (4) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS, AND (5) TO MAKE OTHER IMPROVEMENTS TO THE

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UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CLEANUP PROGRAM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

S.B. 1669 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AND PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES IN ADOPTING WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

S.B. 1687 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATOR PROGRAM TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 1230 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

H.B. 2167 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON THE PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH A PERMIT AND TO INCREASE THE
WIDTH OF BOATS AND TRAILERS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED OR HAULED ON A PRIMARY HIGHWAY ROUTE WITH A PERMIT DURING THE DAYLIGHT HOURS ONLY, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 3, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 3 is placed on the Calendar of June 25. Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2218**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE OCCUPANCY TAX AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TOWN OF AHOSKIE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2278**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

**H.B. 2313**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

**H.B. 2463** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

**H.B. 2530**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO A TAXING ENTITY FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2558**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1648**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF MIDDLESEX AND NASHVILLE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

**S.B. 1878** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, AND TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**H.B. 2338**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 25.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Thomas, the House adjourns at 3:58 p.m. to reconvene June 25 at 2:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FIRST DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, June 25, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Nancy J. Allison, Senior Associate Rector, Christ Episcopal Church, Raleigh, North Carolina:

"Almighty God, the Fountain of all Wisdom, we pray for the Members of the House of Representatives of this great State of North Carolina. Keep them faithful to the high trust You have laid upon them. Deliver them from arrogance, corruption and injustice. Guard them in temptation and comfort them when the burdens of office are heavy to bear. Renew within them, daily, a sense of purpose and meaning in their work and gratitude for those who assist them in their labors - administrators, counselors, clerks, and all local and State officials - without whose diligence and dedication the work of good government could not continue. Bless them in their deliberations this day that they may uphold what is right and establish what is true and worthy of the common good. And, may they never be so busy as to forget to thank You for the privilege that is theirs in serving the people of this great State with dignity and honor. All this we ask in the name of the God who creates, redeems and sustains us all. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 25 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Johnson for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 1358, AN ACT TO ADOPT A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO PREVENT YOUTH INVOLVEMENT IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY, AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION ACT."

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S.B. 1876, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1748, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES.

S.B. 1843, AN ACT REMOVING CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1989, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES IN CRAVEN COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-8)

S.B. 2138, AN ACT TO REPEAL AN AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF STONEVILLE PROVIDING FOR FOUR-YEAR TERMS FOR THE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL. (S.L. 2008-9)

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

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Without objection, H.J.R. 2794, A JOINT RESOLUTION COMMENORATING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL INTEGRATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, is moved up on today's Calendar.

On motion of Representative Womble, the resolution is temporarily displaced.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Lucas moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1304

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 1304, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE USE OF REMAINING END-OF-YEAR TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDS FOR REPAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING ELIGIBLE STUDENT LOANS FOR DEPLOYED MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD, Senate Appropriations/Base Budget Committee Substitute Adopted 8/1/07, submit the following report:

The House and Senate agree to the following amendments to the Senate Appropriations/Base Budget Committee Substitute adopted 8/1/07, and the House concurs in the Senate Appropriations/Base Budget Committee Substitute as amended:

on page 1, line 4, by deleting the word "DEPLOYED"; and

on page 2, lines 21 through 23, by rewriting those lines to read: "used to help members of the North Carolina National Guard repay outstanding student loans."; and

on page 2, line 24, by inserting after the period the following sentence: "These rules shall provide that the length of a member's deployment may be considered in determining whether or not, and in what amount, a member receives assistance pursuant to this subsection."; and

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on page 3, lines 41 through 43, by deleting the following language:
"G.S. 127A-195(g) provided the person was deployed while enrolled in a
business or trade school, private education institution, or State educational
institution:" and substituting the following: "G.S. 127A-195(g):"; and

on page 4, line 10, by deleting "July 1, 2007." and substituting "July 1,
2008.".

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Represen-
tatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: June 24, 2008.

Conferees for the Conferees for the
Senate House of Representatives
S/ John J. Snow, Jr., Chair S/ Marvin W. Lucas, Chair
S/ A. B. Swindell S/ Grier Martin
S/ Vernon Malone S/ Thom Tillis
S/ Louis M. Pate, Jr.
S/ Ric Killian
S/ Angela R. Bryant

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by
electronic vote (113-0), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2278, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND
CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER, passes
its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander,
M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Bordsen,
Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates,
Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Current, Daughtridge, Daughtry,
Dickson, Dockham, Dollar, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher,
Folwell, Furr, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier, Goforth, Goodwin, Grady, Gulley,
Haire, Hall, J. Harrell, Harrison, Hill, Hilton, Holliman, Holloway, Holmes,
Howard, Hughes, Hurley, Insco, Jeffus, Jones, Justice, Justus, Killian,
Kiser, Langdon, Lewis, Love, Lucas, Luebke, Martin, McComas, McElraft,
McGee, McLawhorn, Michaux, Mobley, Moore, Neumann, Owens, Pate,
Pierce, Rapp, Ray, Ross, Samuelson, Saunders, Setzer, Spear, Stam,

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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Johnson - 3.

**S.B. 1648**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF MIDDLESEX AND NASHVILLE, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Johnson - 3.

**H.B. 2278 and S.B. 1648** are local bills and without objection are voted on as a group. Representative Frye requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (110-0).

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR**

On motion of Representative Mobley and without objection, H.B. 2779, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 1.

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H.B. 2600 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWNS OF MAYODAN AND MOUNT OLIVE TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS ON PUBLIC STREETS OR HIGHWAYS WITHIN THE TOWN OR ON PROPERTY OWNED OR LEASED BY THE TOWN, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2218 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE OCCUPANCY TAX AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TOWN OF AHOSKIE AND TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE GRANVILLE COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time. The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate.

H.B. 2167 (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Luebke, Setzer, and Weiss - 3.

Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Johnson - 3.

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H.B. 2313, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Harrison and Insko - 2.

Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Johnson - 3.

H.B. 2463 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, and Johnson - 3.

**H.J.R. 2794**, A JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL INTEGRATION IN NORTH CAROLINA, which was temporary displaced, is before the Body.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**RE-REFERRALS**

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2309**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Ways and Means and re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2523** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN Responding TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of June 26.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2566**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS TO EXTEND ITS REVIEW OF PUBLIC SCHOOL

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FUNDING, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2720** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACQUIRE ONLY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY THAT IS IN THE TOP FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THAT CLASS OF COMPARABLE AUTOMOBILES, is withdrawn from the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of June 26.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Bryant, that the House adjourn, subject to the receipt of Committee Reports, to reconvene June 26 at 11:00 a.m.

The motion carries.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**H.B. 2105**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2367**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 26. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1971**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY OF WILSON TO DECLARE RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TARGET AREAS UNSAFE AND TO HAVE THE OPTION OF REMOVING OR DEMOLISHING THOSE BUILDINGS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 26. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Bell and Lucas, Chairs, for the Committee on Education:

**H.B. 2265**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2513**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT DIRECTING THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DEVELOP A FRAMEWORK FOR A NORTH CAROLINA BOARD CERTIFICATION PROCESS FOR PRINCIPALS AND ASSISTANT PRINCIPALS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1541** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

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Pursuant to Rule 38(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

**H.B. 2524**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 26. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**H.B. 2376**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT VALIDATING THE ACTIONS OF THE CITY OF GOLDSBORO IN FAILING TO COMPLY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAWS RELATED TO PUBLIC CONTRACTS WHEN REBUILDING A PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 26. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1636** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MOREHEAD CITY AND THE CITY OF WILSON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN'S PUBLIC NUISANCE ORDINANCE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 26.

**S.B. 2131**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD EX OFFICIO MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of June 26. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Faison, Chair, for the Committee on Agribusiness and Agricultural Economy:

H.B. 2453, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT REQUIRING COMPANIES AND OTHER ENTITIES OFFERING BROADBAND INTERNET SERVICES TO PROVIDE ANNUAL REPORTS TO THE E-NC AUTHORITY REGARDING SERVICE AREAS AND AVAILABILITY OF BROADBAND SERVICES WITHIN THOSE AREAS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Public Utilities.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Public Utilities. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The House stands adjourned at 3:55 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thursday, June 26, 2008

The House meets at 11:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Willie C. Alford, Senior Minister, Poplar Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Faison, North Carolina:


"It is once more and again that we stand before You this day to say thank You and to invite the presence and power of Your spirit to be present with us here today.

"We ask that You will guide our hearts and mind as we enter into this Session."

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"We pray Your blessings upon each one of us.

"We ask Your continued blessings upon this entire world as You continue to watch over these United States of America.

"Bless this, our great State of North Carolina.

"For we all realize that we are helpless without Your strength to empower us.

"We pray that You will give us the courage to make sound decisions that will lead and guide us into the future with hope.

"Grant us Your peace and help us to do that which is pleasing to Thee.

"We thank You for the privilege to live in the land of the free and the home of the brave.

"Help us to forever stand true to our God and true to our native land.

"In Your Most Holy and Righteous Name we pray. AMEN! AMEN! and AMEN!"

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 25 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Boylan, Johnson, and Parmon for today. Representatives Daughtry and Dockham are excused for a portion of the Session.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

H.B. 2666 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE HOSPITAL POLICE OFFICERS IN ASHE COUNTY CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74E OF THE GENERAL STATUTES TO DIRECT TRAFFIC ON STREETS AND HIGHWAYS ADJACENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND HOSPITAL HELIPAD IN ORDER TO FACILITATE HELICOPTER TRAFFIC, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of June 30.

S.B. 1895 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO RENOVATE THE COURTHOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

H.B. 2668, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1797 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:


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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 30.

**H.J.R. 2774**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF FRANK WARNER CAPRA, JR., FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FILM INDUSTRY IN NORTH CAROLINA, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute resolution, unfavorable as to the original resolution.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute resolution is placed on the Calendar. The original resolution is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**H.B. 1679**, AN ACT ALLOWING JOINT MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE AGENCIES TO MAKE AND EXECUTE CONTRACTS FOR PERIODS GREATER THAN THREE YEARS TO ACHIEVE ECONOMY, ADEQUACY, AND RELIABILITY.

**H.B. 2178**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION.

**H.B. 2287**, AN ACT TO EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE RECEIPTS UNDER RULE 4 OF THE RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE WHEN SERVICE OF PROCESS IS PROVIDED BY A DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY SERVICE, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES REGARDING PROOF OF SERVICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION.

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The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 2121**, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM FROM, ON, OR ACROSS THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF AN IMPROVED STATE-MAINTAINED ROAD OR HIGHWAY IN JACKSON COUNTY, WITH ONE EXCEPTION.

**H.B. 2122**, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SHINING OF LIGHTS IN DEER AREAS IN JACKSON COUNTY.

**H.B. 2762**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT FOR RANDOLPH COUNTY TO ACCEPT PAYMENT OF THE FEE CHARGED BY THE COUNTY SHERIFF FOR OFFENDERS ORDERED TO PARTICIPATE IN PRETRIAL ELECTRONIC MONITORING.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.J.R. 2794**, A JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL INTEGRATION IN NORTH CAROLINA. (RESOLUTION 2008-16)

**CHAPTERED BILLS**

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.B. 1872**, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES AND THEIR AVAILABILITY AND MAINTENANCE IN THE STATE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-10)

**S.B. 1862**, AN ACT TO REMOVE A PORTION OF LAKE WACCAMAW STATE PARK FROM THE STATE NATURE AND HISTORIC PRESERVE AND THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM TO ALLOW FOR BRIDGE REALIGNMENT ON BELLA COOLA ROAD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-11)

**H.B. 724**, AN ACT TO NO LONGER REQUIRE THE USE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS ON NORTH CAROLINA CHILD SUPPORT COURT ORDERS. (S.L. 2008-12)

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S.B. 1662, AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF NURSING AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-14)

H.B. 946, AN ACT TO MAKE AN OFFENSE OF VANDALISM THAT RESULTS IN MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS IN DAMAGES A CLASS I FELONY. (S.L. 2008-15)

S.B. 1748, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION TAX FOR PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PURPOSES. (S.L. 2008-16)

S.B. 1843, AN ACT REMOVING CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE TOWN OF HILLSBOROUGH. (S.L. 2008-17)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following is received from the Senate:

S.B. 2015, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Education and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2530 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO UNITS OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Bordsen, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Current, Daughtridge,

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Voting in the negative: None.


H.B. 2558 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSpectORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: Representative Weiss.


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S.B. 1878 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOME-STEAD EXCLUSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative J. Harrell requests that he be excused from voting on this bill. This request is granted.

Representative Allred moves that the rules be suspended in order that he might offer an amendment that would change the title.

The motion fails by electronic vote (51-61).

The bill passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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Voting in the negative: Representatives Blackwood and Hill - 2.


Excused vote: Representative J. Harrell.

Representative Hill requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (111-1).

Without objection, **H.J.R. 2727**, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE 60TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL AND REAFFIRMING BONDS OF FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION BETWEEN THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA AND ISRAEL, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 44** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE LAW RELATED TO VIOLATIONS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS BY INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Representative Folwell requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (109-0).

**H.B. 1230** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (104-7), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

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H.B. 2338, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

H.B. 2340 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTIONS THAT MAKE ALLOWANCES FOR SMALL COUNTIES AND ADULTS RIDING WITH CHILDREN, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES TO BE IN LINE WITH OTHER CHILD SAFETY VIOLATIONS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

Representative Sutton offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (93-20).

On motion of Representative Sutton, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar, by electronic vote (73-40), ordered engrossed, and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

H.B. 2278, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Voting in the negative: None.


**S.B. 1648.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF MIDDLESEX AND NASHVILLE, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled.


Voting in the negative: None.


**H.B. 2376 (Committee Substitute),** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF GOLDSBORO TO REPURCHASE A PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY PREVIOUSLY OWNED BY THAT CITY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

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S.B. 1636 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MOREHEAD CITY AND THE CITY OF WILSON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN’S PUBLIC NUISANCE ORDINANCE, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S.B. 1971 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITIES OF ROCKY MOUNT AND WILSON TO DECLARE RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TARGET AREAS UNSAFE AND TO HAVE THE OPTION OF REMOVING OR DEMOLISHING THOSE BUILDINGS, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 2131 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD NONVOTING MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

H.B. 2167 (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Current, Daughtridge, Dickson, Dollar, Earle, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Folwell, Frye, Furr, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier, Goforth, Goodwin, Grady, Gulley, J. Harrell, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hill, Hilton, Holliman, HOLLOWAY, Holmes, Howard, Hurley, Jeffus, Jones,

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H.B. 2313, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.


Representative Carney requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (112-0).

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H.B. 2463 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.


H.B. 2523 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN RESPONDING TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

H.B. 2524 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW

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COMMISSION, TO REQUIRE THAT ANY RAW MILK DISPENSED AS ANIMAL FEED BE PROPERLY LABELED, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO EXEMPT UNPASTEURIZED MILK FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE COMMERCIAL FEED ACT, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (109-4), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2720** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACQUIRE ONLY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY THAT IS IN THE TOP FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THAT CLASS OF COMPARABLE AUTOMOBILES.

On motion of Representative Thomas and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of June 30.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 2769**, AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Justus, that the House adjourn, subject to the receipt of Committee Reports and the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene Monday, June 30, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Dickson, Chair, for the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship:

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H.B. 2488, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY’S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 1700 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY OF A CONVERSION OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY AND TO PROVIDE A TAX CREDIT FOR THE SALE OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY TO MANUFACTURED HOMEOWNERS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2414 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

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H.B. 2570 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2580, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE PAYMENTS-IN-LIEU FOR RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2655, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CAP THE HIGHWAY USE TAX ON EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE VEHICLES OWNED BY UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2768 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

The committee substitute changes the bill from local to public.

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By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

S.B. 1695 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PERSONS EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER WHO HOLD A CLASS C LICENSE TO OPERATE SPECIFIED VEHICLE COMBINATIONS; TO CLARIFY THE OPERATION OF VEHICLES WITH FARMER LICENSE PLATES; TO ELIMINATE MUNICIPAL CONCURRENCE FOR DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN TRUCK ROUTES; TO PROVIDE THAT FIFTY-THREE-FOOT SEMI-TRAILERS MAY OPERATE ON PRIMARY HIGHWAYS; TO PROVIDE THAT COMBINES UP TO TWENTY-FIVE FEET IN WIDTH MAY BE OPERATED ON SPECIFIED HIGHWAYS; TO CHANGE THE WIDTH LIMITS AND AUTHORIZED TIME OF OPERATION FOR TOWED BOAT TRAILERS; TO INCREASE SPECIFIED WEIGHT LIMITS FOR VEHICLES HAULING AGRICULTURAL CROPS AND COMPRESSED SEED COTTON; AND TO MODIFY THE WEIGHT EXCEPTION FOR VEHICLES TRANSPORTING RAW LOGS TO FIRST MARKET, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Goodwin, Chair, for the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform:

S.B. 488 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO REQUIRE CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE TOWN OFFICE TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTORS AND TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE OR THEIR POLITICAL COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**H.B. 2640**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2771**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SHERIFF OF MARTIN COUNTY AND THE SHERIFF'S LAWFUL DEPUTIES HAVE JURISDICTION TO SERVE CIVIL AND CRIMINAL PROCESS ON INMATES WHO ARE IN THE CUSTODY OF AND ON PREMISES OF THE BERTIE-MARTIN REGIONAL JAIL, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**SECOND SESSION 2008**

Senate Chamber
June 26, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for **H.B. 1304** (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE USE OF REMAINING END-OF-YEAR TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDS FOR REPAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING ELIGIBLE STUDENT LOANS FOR MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD.

Pursuant to your message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

June 26, 2008
The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 12** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Education.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 15**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ALLOW STUDENTS PLACED ON SHORT-TERM SUSPENSIONS TO TAKE THEIR TEXTBOOKS HOME FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHORT-TERM SUSPENSION AND TO HAVE ACCESS TO HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Education.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for **H.B. 1003**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE COURT MAY CONSIDER A DEFENDANT'S PRIOR FAILURES TO COMPLY WITH CONDITIONS OF RELEASE WHEN PLACED ON SUPERVISED PROBATION, PAROLE, OR POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR, is returned for concurrence in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**H.B. 2529** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar.

S.B. 1845 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY’S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

S.B. 1892 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN RESPONDING TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Health.

S.B. 1968 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE CREDIT FOR QUALIFYING EXPENSES OF A PRODUCTION COMPANY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2122 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE CAMPUS POLICE FOR A PRIVATE ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE, OR HIGH SCHOOL IN DURHAM COUNTY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary II.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following are received from the Senate:

S.B. 1627 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1706, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES AND COYOTES IN ALAMANCE COUNTY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Wildlife Resources.

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S.B. 1716 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING AND TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICE AREA OF A CITY INCLUDES ANY AREA SUBSEQUENTLY ANNEXED BY THAT CITY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Public Utilities and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

S.B. 1746 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE FOURTEEN NEW SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1946 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AND TO ALLOW THE STATE, THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM, AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO INSTALL PHOTO LUMINESCENT EXIT SIGNS WHEN PERMITTED BY THE STATE BUILDING CODE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency.

S.B. 1957 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY SPECIAL POLICE THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEN CONDUCTING OFFICIAL BUSINESS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PERFORMING ADVANCES AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES FOR MEMBERS, AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES AT SPECIAL SESSIONS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, COMMISSION HEARINGS, AND STATE, REGIONAL, OR NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

S.B. 1977, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF LEELAND TO ANNEX CERTAIN RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2056 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS,

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CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2117 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT, TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP ON THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BOARD UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO AMEND THE LAWS REQUIRING A PASSING SCORE ON AN ORAL EXAMINATION THEREBY AFFECTING FEES CHARGED BY THE BOARD UNDER THE LAWS REGULATING SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONALS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2123 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary III.

S.B. 2130, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF FLETCHER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO THE TOWN IN LIEU OF ANNEXATION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Local Government II.

S.B. 2157, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
June 26, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to

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S.B. 212 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING APPEALS OF QUASI-JUDICIAL DECISIONS MADE UNDER ARTICLE 19 OF CHAPTER 160A AND ARTICLE 18 OF CHAPTER 153A OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Foriest, Chair
Senator Berger of Franklin
Senator Hartsell
Senator Kinnaird

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

S.B. 1704 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The House stands adjourned at 5:04 p.m.

June 26, 2008
ONE HUNDRED FORTY-THIRD DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, June 30, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God:

"You are so gracious to us. Every moment of every day, You greet us right where we are. Today, we find ourselves at a crossroads of complicated and complex negotiations. Indeed, there are many who seek to negotiate for the better; and there are many whose prides and egos may keep the process that needs to end from being completed. Check us, O God, and see in which camp we may find ourselves. Move us toward the right path so that our acts of charity and humility would make us better people, better servants and better instruments of Thee. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 26 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Earle and Samuelson for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

H.B. 1304, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE USE OF REMAINING END-OF-YEAR TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDS FOR REPAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING ELIGIBLE STUDENT LOANS FOR MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD.

H.B. 2127, AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW ESTABLISHING REGIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCILS UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE WITH DISABILITIES, SO AS TO SAVE FUNDS AND AVOID DUPLICATION.

June 30, 2008
The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.B. 1597**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CABARRUS COUNTY; THE CITIES OF CONCORD, DURHAM, KANNAPOLIS, AND LOCUST; AND THE TOWNS OF CARY, HARRISBURG, MIDLAND, MOUNT PLEASANT, AND STANFIELD TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION.

**S.B. 1636**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MOREHEAD CITY AND THE CITY OF WILSON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN'S PUBLIC NUISANCE ORDINANCE.

**S.B. 1648**, AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF MIDDLESEX AND NASHVILLE.

**S.B. 1828**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF MARSHVILLE, WADESBORO, AND WINGATE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWNS' OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCES.

**H.B. 2084**, AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS.

**H.B. 2091**, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES.

**H.B. 2449**, AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN'S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS.

**H.B. 2455**, AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CITY OF OXFORD TO INCREASE ITS MOTOR VEHICLE PRIVILEGE TAX FROM TEN DOLLARS TO TWENTY DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT VEHICLE LOCATED IN THE TOWN.

**H.B. 2585**, AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF GRANITE QUARRY, KENANSVILLE, LILLINGTON, NASHVILLE, RICHLANDS, AND TROUTMAN.

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H.B. 2689, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE DURHAM CITY ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL VEHICLE TAX.

H.B. 2765, AN ACT TO REMOVE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF STATESVILLE AND THE TOWN OF MOORESVILLE.

H.B. 2783, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CHEROKEE COUNTY TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL THREE PERCENT ROOM OCCUPANCY AND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT TAX AND TO MAKE OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2121, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM FROM, ON, OR ACROSS THE RIGHT-OF-WAY OF AN IMPROVED STATE-MAINTAINED ROAD OR HIGHWAY IN JACKSON COUNTY, WITH ONE EXCEPTION. (S.L. 2008-18)

H.B. 2122, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SHINING OF LIGHTS IN DEER AREAS IN JACKSON COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-19)

H.B. 2762, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CLERK OF SUPERIOR COURT FOR RANDOLPH COUNTY TO ACCEPT PAYMENT OF THE FEE CHARGED BY THE COUNTY SHERIFF FOR OFFENDERS ORDERED TO PARTICIPATE IN PRETRIAL ELECTRONIC MONITORING. (S.L. 2008-20)

H.B. 2769, AN ACT TO ANNEX A DESCRIBED AREA TO THE SATELLITE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF ASHEBORO. (S.L. 2008-21)

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INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative J. Harrell:


Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of June 30.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

**S.B. 1885**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPENSATORY MITIGATION BY PRIVATE MITIGATION BANKS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**S.B. 1924** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO STUDY AND ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Without objection, **H.J.R. 2057**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF SOPHIE ELLEN "JO" GRAHAM FOSTER, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is moved up on today's Calendar.

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Representative M. Alexander offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (116-0).

The resolution, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative M. Alexander requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (118-0).

The resolution, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message without engrossment.

Without objection, H.J.R. 2799, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF ADAM LEE MARION, FORMER MEMBER OF THE ARMY NATIONAL GUARD, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 7:41 p.m., subject to the receipt of Committee Reports.

RECESSION

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

H.B. 2259, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO AUTHORIZE USE OF THREE-SIDED, OPEN-BOTTOM, OR BOTTOMLESS CULVERTS ON PRIVATE PROPERTY, BASED ON SOUND ENGINEERING PRACTICE,

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AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**H.B. 2730**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY AMENDING ITS STANDARDS FOR PLACEMENT OF SOUND BARRIERS IN ORDER TO PROTECT RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITIES LOCATED NEAR ITS FACILITIES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

**S.B. 1598** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF LOCUST AND THE TOWNS OF BEULAVILLE, BUTNER, HOBGOOD, AND OAKBORO TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1852** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

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S.B. 1925 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZER THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO EXEMPT SPECIAL INDEBTEDNESS FOR FACILITIES BY GATEWAY UNIVERSITY RESEARCH PARK, INC., FROM CERTAIN PROCUREMENT REQUIREMENTS; AND TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 2126, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS IN THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

H.J.R. 2796, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF "EVERYBODY'S DAY," THE OLDEST FESTIVAL IN NORTH CAROLINA, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

S.B. 1736 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION

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PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Williams, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2150**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH AND WITHOUT A PERMIT, CHANGE THE FEE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT FOR RECREATIONAL BOATS AND TRAILERS, AND CHANGE THE PENALTY FOR PERMIT VIOLATIONS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Transportation.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Transportation. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 175** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Goforth and Holliman, Chairs, for the Committee on Insurance:

**H.B. 2443**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES,
RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS, AND PERTAINING TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAM, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

H.B. 2397 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1, and recommendation that Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

SUBCOMMITTEE REFERRAL

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer H.B. 2105 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE; TO REQUIRE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO ANNUALLY ADJUST THE COMPENSATION TO REFLECT INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS; AND TO ALLOW THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO AWARD ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION OF JOB SKILLS TRAINING AND EXPENSES FOR TUITION AND FEES AT A NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2530 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO UNITS OF

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STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representative McLawhorn.

Excused absences: Representatives Earle and Samuelson - 2.

Representative McLawhorn states that her voting equipment malfunctioned and she requests to change her vote from "no" to "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (111-0).

H.B. 2558 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


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Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred and Weiss - 2.

Excused absences: Representatives Earle and Samuelson - 2.

**S.B. 1878 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION.**

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be excused from voting on June 26 is continued.

On motion of Representative Luebke and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 1.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

**H.B. 2437, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.**

June 30, 2008
Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar for immediate consideration. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (116-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Luebke states that his voting equipment malfunctioned and he requests to change his vote from "no" to "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (117-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**H.B. 2367** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON IN VOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Holliman requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because of a conflict of interest. This request is granted.

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (99-15).

Representative Blust objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2666** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE HOSPITAL POLICE OFFICERS IN ASHE COUNTY CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74E OF THE GENERAL STATUTES TO DIRECT TRAFFIC ON STREETS AND HIGHWAYS ADJACENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND HOSPITAL HELIPAD IN ORDER TO FACILITATE HELICOPTER TRAFFIC, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2720** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACQUIRE ONLY NEW

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PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY THAT IS IN THE TOP FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THAT CLASS OF COMPARABLE AUTOMOBILES.

On motion of Representative Thomas and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 1.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

Pages for the week of June 30 are introduced to the membership. They are: Jessica Best of Wayne; Philippe Boss of Mecklenburg; Taylor Campbell of Cumberland; Albert Chang of Cabarrus; Christopher Cochran of Swain; Graham Dennis of Mecklenburg; Charlene Fields of Scotland; Sara Harden of Lee; Lauren Hovis of Forsyth; Nicolette Huneycutt of Lincoln; Peyton Huneycutt of Lincoln; Lindsay Jordan of New Hanover; Will Little of Mecklenburg; Caroline Neville of Halifax; Hinson Neville of Halifax; Yvette Parham of Forsyth; Ashley Payne of Wake; Aubrie Payne of Wake; Micael Pereda of Forsyth; Caroline Register of Bladen; David Robinson of Guilford; Wilson Simpson of Sampson; Caitlan Tart of Harnett; and Chris Tartaglia of Cumberland.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bill is duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**H.B. 2437, AN ACT TO MAKE CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS AND EXTEND CERTAIN BUDGET PROVISIONS UNTIL JULY 15, 2008, AT 11:59 P.M.**

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION,** is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

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H.B. 887 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar.

S.B. 1715 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR CLASS ACTIONS SEEKING THE REFUND OF STATE TAX PAID DUE TO AN ALLEGED UNCONSTITUTIONAL STATUTE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2075 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 1134 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DECONSTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 12 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES, is withdrawn from the Committee on Education and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 1797 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Ways and Means and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 1946 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AND TO ALLOW THE STATE, THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM, AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO INSTALL PHOTO LUMINESCENT EXIT SIGNS WHEN PERMITTED BY THE STATE BUILDING CODE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Energy and Energy Efficiency and re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Church, the House adjourns at 8:53 p.m. to reconvene July 1 at 2:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, July 1, 2008

July 1, 2008
The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Gracious God, Lover of our souls:

"You have given us life to be lived in fullness and abundance. Often our lives are satisfied and fulfilled while at other times we find ourselves confused and adrift. Grant us the freedom to let go of trying so hard to make everything fit together so neatly and perfectly. Help us to realize that the soul, our soul, finds its fulfillment in the everyday ordinariness of the good and the bad, in the mundane and the extraordinary, in both sadness and in joy. Above all else, keep us true to our soul, for only we can know when we rest our head upon our pillow at night if we have lived authentically and honestly with ourselves, with others and ultimately, with You. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of June 30 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

There are no excused absences for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, with recommendation that the House do not concur.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2.

S.B. 1651 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVISED ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO LOWER THE MINIMUM AGE FOR DONATING BLOOD FROM SEVENTEEN TO SIXTEEN, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2.

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

**H.B. 2265** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2093** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF LOWELL AND MANTEO TO THE LIST OF CITIES MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES MAY USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITH POSTED SPEED LIMITS OF THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR OR LESS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 2. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1800** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HAZARDOUS MATERIALS" AND "STATE" UNDER NORTH CAROLINA'S MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**S.B. 1955** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LIMITED RELEASE OF CERTAIN PRISONERS INTO THE CUSTODY OF IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS FOR REMOVAL, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2.

**S.B. 1957** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY SPECIAL POLICE THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEN CONDUCTING OFFICIAL BUSINESS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PERFORMING ADVANCES AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES FOR MEMBERS, AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES AT SPECIAL SESSIONS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, COMMISSION HEARINGS, AND STATE, REGIONAL, OR NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives T. Harrell, Holliman, England, and K. Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Bell, Blue, Braxton, Carney, Crawford, Dickson, Faison, Folwell, Gibson, Harrison, Hughes, Love, McLawhorn, Samuelson, Saunders, Spear, Sutton, Tarleton, Tolson, E. Warren, Wilkins, and Wray:

**H.J.R. 2800**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ESTABLISHING JUNE AS CANCER SCREENING AWARENESS MONTH, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

By Representatives Farmer-Butterfield, Tolson, Lucas, and M. Alexander (Primary Sponsors); Adams, K. Alexander, Allen, Bell, Blue, Bordsen, Braxton, Brisson, Bryant, Carney, Church, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Dickson, England, Faison, Fisher, Glazier, Goforth, Goodwin, Hackney, Hall, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hughes, Insko, Jeffus, Jones, Luebke, Martin, McAllister, McLawhorn, Michaux, Mobley, Owens, Parmon, Pierce, Rapp, Ross, Saunders, Spear, Sutton, Tarleton, Tucker, Underhill, Wainwright, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss, Wilkins, Williams, and Womble:

**H.J.R. 2801**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JOHN L. MCCAIN, FORMER PHYSICIAN, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 738**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS' MODEL ACT ON CUSTODIAL AGREEMENTS AND CLEARING CORPORATIONS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

CONFEREES APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on **S.B. 212** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS: Representative Bordsen, Chair; Representatives Goodwin, Martin, Stam, and Ray.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

GUEST

Representatives Blue, Martin, Weiss, Dollar, Stam, Ross, Coleman, Avila, and T. Harrell escort Amanda Lauren Watson, of Raleigh, Miss North Carolina, to the Well of the House where she makes brief remarks.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

Without objection, **H.J.R. 2797**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF LOUISE SMITH BRENNAN, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is moved up on today's Calendar.

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The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from permanent subcommittee is presented:

HOUSE EDUCATION SUBCOMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY COLLEGES 2007-2008

Representative W.A. "Winkie" Wilkins, Co-Chair
Room 1301, LB
Raleigh, NC
(919)715-0850

Representative Michael H. Wray, Co-Chair
Room 533, LOB
Raleigh, NC
(919)733-5662

June 26, 2008

MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the House of Representatives
FROM: Representative Wilkins, Co-Chair, House Education Subcommittee on Community Colleges
        Representative Wray, Co-Chair, House Education Subcommittee on Community Colleges

RE: Report of Community Colleges Subcommittee on the State Board of Community Colleges Vacancy Election

Pursuant to G.S. 115D-2.1(b)(4)e. and f., the House Education Subcommittee on Community Colleges met on June 26, 2008, the majority of members being present, and submits the following nominee to be considered by the House of Representatives for election to fill a vacant seat on the State Board of Community Colleges for membership to a term to expire June 30, 2009.

Anita R. Powers

No additional nominee shall be received from the floor. The above nominee is legally qualified to serve and is willing to serve if elected.

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On motion of Representative Wray, and pursuant to Article VI, Section 5 of the North Carolina Constitution, Anita R. Powers is elected by acclamation to the State Board of Community Colleges to complete a vacancy in a term that ends June 1, 2009.

On motion of Representative Wray, and pursuant to G. S. 115D-2.1(b)(4) e. and f., the foregoing action taken by the House of Representatives is confirmed by electronic vote (117-0).

The Senate is so notified of the action taken by Special Message.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2529 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.**

On motion of Representative Harrison, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (104-13), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Representative Bryant requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (105-13).

**S.B. 236 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL HOUSEMOVING STATUTES CONTAINED IN ARTICLE 16 OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (70-47), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**S.B. 1669 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AND PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES IN July 1, 2008**
ADOPTING WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSSES, AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (116-3), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 1687 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATOR PROGRAM TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (119-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Goforth and without objection, H.B. 2367 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION, is withdrawn from the Calendar, by electronic vote (109-9), and placed on the Calendar of July 2.

On motion of Representative Gibson and without objection, S.B. 1704 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 2.

On motion of Representative Insko and without objection, S.B. 488 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 2.

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S.B. 1825, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REPORT ANNUALLY AND TO MEET BIANNUALLY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 1860 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (118-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2414 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE.

Representative Glazier offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (117-2).

The bill, as amended, passed its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blue, Bordsen, Braxton, Brisson, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Coates, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Daughtridge, Dickson, Dockham, Dollar, Earle, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Frye, Furr, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier, Goforth, July 1, 2008

Excused absences: None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2768 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2488** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY'S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2640**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2771**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SHERIFF OF MARTIN COUNTY AND THE SHERIFF'S LAWFUL DEPUTIES HAVE JURISDICTION TO SERVE CIVIL AND CRIMINAL PROCESS ON INMATES WHO ARE IN THE CUSTODY OF AND ON PREMISES OF THE BERTIE-MARTIN REGIONAL JAIL, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**S.B. 1895** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO RENOVATE THE

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COURTHOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2580** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE PAYMENTS-IN-LIEU FOR RECREATIONAL FACILITIES, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2779**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY.

Representative Spear offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**S.B. 1878** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS

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ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND
THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD
EXCLUSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be
excused from voting on June 26 is continued.

Representative Owens offers Amendment No. 1 which is ruled to be
material. The amendment is adopted, by the following vote, and the bill
remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander,
M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust,
Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney,
Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cutham, Crawford, Current,
Daughtridge, Daughtry, Dickson, Dockham, Dollar, Earle, England, Faison,
Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Folwell, Frye, Furr, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier,
Goforth, Goodwin, Grady, Gulley, Haire, Hall, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hill,
Hilton, Holliman, Holloway, Holmes, Howard, Hughes, Hurley, Insco,
Jeffus, Johnson, Jones, Justice, Justus, Killian, Kiser, Langdon, Lewis,
Love, Lucas, Luebke, Martin, McAllister, McComas, McElraft, McGee,
McLawhorn, Michaux, Mobley, Moore, Neumann, Owens, Parmon, Pate,
Pierce, Rapp, Ray, Ross, Samuelson, Saunders, Setzer, Spear, Stam,
Starnes, Steen, Stiller, Sutton, Tarleton, Thomas, Tillis, Tolson, Tucker,
Underhill, Wainwright, Walend, Walker, E. Warren, R. Warren, Weiss,
West, Wiley, Wilkins, Williams, Womble, Wray, and Yongue - 118.

Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative J. Harrell.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2541**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DELAY THE
EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL TAX IMPOSED
BY ARTICLE 5G OF SUBCHAPTER I OF CHAPTER 105 OF THE
GENERAL STATUTES, AS ENACTED BY S.L. 2007-550 AND AMENDED
BY S.L. 2007-543, FROM 1 JULY 2008 TO 1 JANUARY 2009, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION,
passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Excused absences: None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2570** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative:  None.

Excused absences:  None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 1700** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY OF A CONVERSION OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY AND TO PROVIDE A TAX DEDUCTION FOR THE SALE OF A MANUFACTURED HOME COMMUNITY TO MANUFACTURED HOMEOWNERS.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (118-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-5), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 2655** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CAP THE HIGHWAY USE TAX ON EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE VEHICLES OWNED BY UNITS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT OR NONPROFIT HOSPITALS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL VEHICLES OWNED BY A NONPROFIT ENTITY THAT CONTRACTS WITH A UNIT OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT TO PROVIDE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (119-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2720** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACQUIRE ONLY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY THAT IS IN THE TOP FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THAT CLASS OF COMPARABLE AUTOMOBILES.

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On motion of Representative Thomas and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 2.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.J.R. 101, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JAMES FRANKLIN "JIM" RICHARDSON, SR., FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is read the first time.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1654, AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWN OF CAMERON.

The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

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S.B. 1597, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CABARRUS COUNTY; THE CITIES OF CONCORD, DURHAM, KANNAPOLIS, AND LOCUST; AND THE TOWNS OF CARY, HARRISBURG, MIDLAND, MOUNT PLEASANT, AND STANFIELD TO PROVIDE DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES IN EXCHANGE FOR REDUCTIONS IN ENERGY CONSUMPTION. (S.L. 2008-22)

S.B. 1636, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MOREHEAD CITY AND THE CITY OF WILSON TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWN'S PUBLIC NUISANCE ORDINANCE. (S.L. 2008-23)

S.B. 1648, AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF MIDDLESEX AND NASHVILLE. (S.L. 2008-24)

S.B. 1828, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF MARSHVILLE, WADESBORO, AND WINGATE TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE TOWNS' OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCES. (S.L. 2008-25)

H.B. 2084, AN ACT AMENDING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY BY THE TOWN OF LANDIS. (S.L. 2008-26)

H.B. 2091, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO CONTRACT WITH ANY COUNTY IN WHICH A PORTION OF THE TOWN IS LOCATED FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES. (S.L. 2008-27)

H.B. 2449, AN ACT ALLOWING THE TOWN OF MAGGIE VALLEY TO ANNEX BY VOLUNTARY PETITION AREAS THAT ARE MORE THAN THREE MILES FROM THE TOWN'S PRIMARY CORPORATE LIMITS. (S.L. 2008-28)

H.B. 2455, AN ACT TO PERMIT THE CITY OF OXFORD TO INCREASE ITS MOTOR VEHICLE PRIVILEGE TAX FROM TEN DOLLARS TO TWENTY DOLLARS FOR EACH RESIDENT VEHICLE LOCATED IN THE TOWN. (S.L. 2008-29)

H.B. 2585, AN ACT TO REMOVE THE CAP ON SATELLITE ANNEXATIONS FOR THE TOWNS OF GRANITE QUARRY, KENANSVILLE, LILLINGTON, NASHVILLE, RICHLANDS, AND TROUTMAN. (S.L. 2008-30)

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H.B. 2689, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE SUNSET ON THE DURHAM CITY ADDITIONAL MUNICIPAL VEHICLE TAX. (S.L. 2008-31)


H.B. 2783, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CHEROKEE COUNTY TO LEVY AN ADDITIONAL THREE PERCENT ROOM OCCUPANCY AND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT TAX AND TO MAKE OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES. (S.L. 2008-33)


SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.B. 2063 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODEL NORTH CAROLINA'S SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING LAWS AFTER THE STATE OF FLORIDA'S "JESSICA'S LAW" IMPOSING LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING ON OFFENDERS WHO HAVE TAKEN INDECENT LIBERTIES WITH CHILDREN, TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO TAMPER WITH A DEVICE, TO CLARIFY THE PURPOSE AND APPLICATION OF THE SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING LAWS FOR SEX OFFENDERS, TO AMEND THE FEE CHARGED FOR ENROLLMENT INTO THE MONITORING PROGRAM, AND TO DIRECT THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO REPORT ON ANY NECESSARY CHANGES TO THE STATE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION LAWS FOR COMPLIANCE WITH THE FEDERAL SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION ACT, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
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July 1, 2008
Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body respectfully notifying you that pursuant to G.S. 115D-2.1(b)(4)e., the Senate has elected Naomi Daggs to fill an unexpired term on the State Board of Community Colleges to a term effective immediately and expiring June 30, 2011.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2314**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**S.B. 180** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT AN ALTERNATE JUROR MAY REPLACE A JUROR WHO IS UNABLE TO PERFORM THE JUROR'S DUTIES, IS DISQUALIFIED FROM PERFORMING THE JUROR'S DUTIES, OR IS DISCHARGED FOR MISCONDUCT OR OTHER EXTRAORDINARY CAUSE DURING DELIBERATION BY THE JURY ON THE ISSUES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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S.B. 1681 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE AUTOMOBILES IN THE STATE MOTOR FLEET TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 2. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 1563 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LINE-OF-DUTY DEATH BENEFITS AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION TO FIRE AND RESCUE INSTRUCTORS WHO ARE OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR THESE BENEFITS BUT WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY COVERED WHILE CONDUCTING FIRE AND RESCUE TRAINING OUTSIDE THEIR OWN DEPARTMENTS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and re-referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.R. 2411, A HOUSE RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CONVENING OF THE E-NC AUTHORITY’S DIGITAL BROADBAND SUMMITS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of July 2.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Furr, the House adjourns at 4:36 p.m. to reconvene July 2 at 2:00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED FORTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, July 2, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

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The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Merciful God:

"By Your infinite mercy You offer us the gift of forgiveness. Even though You freely dispense mercy upon us, we are not always so quick to forgive ourselves. And, sometimes our guilt can become so shut up in the marrow of our being, it renders us emotionally and spiritually helpless. Obviously, we are required to ask You for forgiveness, O Lord. But, if we do, You pour out upon us an incomprehensible dispensation of mercy that dismisses our iniquities and removes them from us as far as the east is from the west. God of mercy and God of power, pour out Your Spirit upon our hearts. Release us from captivity and set us free for joyful obedience, we pray. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 1 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Representatives Harrison and Setzer are excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 1669, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AND PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES IN ADOPTING WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE.

S.B. 1687, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATOR PROGRAM TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION.

S.B. 1825, AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REPORT ANNUALLY AND TO MEET BIANNUALLY.

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H.B. 2390, AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

H.B. 2529, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.J.R. 101, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JAMES FRANKLIN "JIM" RICHARDSON, SR., FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. (RESOLUTION 2008-20)


CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1876, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CIRCUIT BREAKER TAX BENEFIT, TO STANDARDIZE ADMINISTRATION OF ALL DEFERRED PROPERTY TAX PROGRAMS, AND TO CORRECT THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION. (S.L. 2008-35)

H.B. 2287, AN ACT TO EXPRESSLY AUTHORIZE THE USE OF ELECTRONIC OR FACSIMILE RECEIPTS UNDER RULE 4 OF THE RULES OF CIVIL PROCEDURE WHEN SERVICE OF PROCESS IS PROVIDED BY A DESIGNATED PRIVATE DELIVERY SERVICE, AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES REGARDING PROOF OF SERVICE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-36)

H.B. 2178, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-37)

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H.B. 1679. AN ACT ALLOWING JOINT MUNICIPAL ASSISTANCE AGENCIES TO MAKE AND EXECUTE CONTRACTS FOR PERIODS GREATER THAN THREE YEARS TO ACHIEVE ECONOMY, ADEQUACY, AND RELIABILITY. (S.L. 2008-38)

S.B. 1654. AN ACT TO REMOVE A DESCRIBED AREA FROM THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF MOUNT AIRY AND THE TOWN OF CAMERON. (S.L. 2008-39)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittees are presented:

By Representative Farmer-Butterfield, Chair, for the Committee on Aging:

H.B. 2404, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE TAX CREDIT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Bordsen and Love, Chairs, for the Appropriations Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

H.B. 2105 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE; TO REQUIRE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO ANNUALLY ADJUST THE COMPENSATION TO REFLECT INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS; AND TO ALLOW THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO AWARD ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION OF JOB SKILLS TRAINING AND EXPENSES FOR TUITION AND FEES AT A NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

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By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

**S.B. 855**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS LICENSED BY THE PRIVATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES BOARD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FROM THE WINDOW TINTING REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

**S.B. 847** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1339**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DELAY THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF A PROPOSED RULE CONSIDERED FOR ADOPTION BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION TO INCREASE CERTAIN FEES UNDER THE ECOSYSTEM ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

The serial referral to the Committee on Finance is stricken.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1946** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE

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CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AND TO ALLOW THE STATE, THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM, AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO INSTALL PHOTO LUMINESCENT EXIT SIGNS WHEN PERMITTED BY THE STATE BUILDING CODE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

**H.B. 2755**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**H.B. 2756**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1590**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

**S.B. 1970**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY OF WILSON TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE CITY’S HISTORIC DISTRICT, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

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S.B. 2118 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF WESLEY CHAPEL TO LEASE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY TO THE YMCA FOR A TERM OF MORE THAN TEN YEARS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

S.B. 2137, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOWN OF SUMMERFIELD SHALL FOLLOW THE GENERAL LAW FOR THE FILLING OF TOWN COUNCIL VACANCIES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

H.B. 2156 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.R. 2411, A HOUSE RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CONVENING OF THE E-NC AUTHORITY'S DIGITAL BROADBAND SUMMITS.

The resolution is adopted, by electronic vote (116-0), and ordered printed.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 12 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AND RELATED SERVICES.

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On motion of Representative Glazier, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (115-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION.

Representative Ross moves that the House concur in the Senate committee substitute bill.

The motion fails by electronic vote (37-79).

On motion of Representative Ross, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (115-1), and conferees are requested.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

H.B. 887 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING.

On motion of Representative Wiley, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (116-0), and conferees are requested.

H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT.

Representative Glazier moves that the House do not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill.

The Speaker stops debate and attends to the following business.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

Without objection, H.J.R. 2774 (Committee Substitute), A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF FRANK WARNER CAPRA, JR., FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FILM INDUSTRY IN NORTH CAROLINA, is moved up on today's Calendar.

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The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

Without objection, **H.J.R. 2796**, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF "EVERYBODY'S DAY," THE OLDEST FESTIVAL IN NORTH CAROLINA, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.


The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2414** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, July 2, 2008
Representative Underhill offers Amendment No. 1 which is ruled to be material. This amendment, which changes the title, is adopted, by the following vote, and the bill remains on the Calendar.


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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

**H.B. 2093** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF LOWELL AND MANTEO TO THE LIST OF CITIES WHERE MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES MAY USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITH POSTED SPEED LIMITS OF THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR OR LESS, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**S.B. 488** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**S.B. 2126**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS IN THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**H.B. 1366** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, which was temporarily displaced, with motion not to concur pending, is before the Body.

The House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (60-56), and conferees are requested.

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CONFERENCE APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on H.B. 887 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING: Representatives Wiley, Underhill, Langdon, and Ross.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION: Representatives Ross, Owens, and Stam.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2541, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DELAY THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL TAX IMPOSED BY ARTICLE 5G OF SUBCHAPTER I OF CHAPTER 105 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, AS ENACTED BY S.L. 2007-550 AND AMENDED BY S.L. 2007-543, FROM 1 JULY 2008 TO 1 JANUARY 2009, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


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Excused absences: None.

Representative Fisher requests and is granted permission to change her vote from "aye" to "no". Representatives Frye, Goforth, and Wainwright request and are granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (111-8).

REPRESENTATIVE WAINWRIGHT, SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE, PRESIDING.

H.B. 2570 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

H.B. 2768 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN July 2, 2008
PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**H.B. 1134** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DECONSTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Excused absences: None.

S.B. 1704 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS.

Representative Allred offers an amendment.

The Speaker Pro Tempore rules the amendment out of order and states that it is not germane to the title.

Representative Allred appeals from the ruling of the Chair.

On motion of Representative Blue, seconded by Representative Jones, the motion is tabled by electronic vote (74-42).

The bill passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Avila, and Blust - 3.

Excused absences: None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**S.B. 1852** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative West requests that he be excused from voting on this bill. This request is granted.

The bill passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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Voting in the negative: Representatives Cleveland, Furr, Holmes, Kiser, and Pate - 5.

Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative West.

S.B. 1878 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be excused from voting on June 26 is continued.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by the following vote.


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Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Blackwood, and Blust - 3.

Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative J. Harrell.

Representative Underhill requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (115-3).

The bill is ordered engrossed and remains on the Calendar.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

**S.B. 1925 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORIZED TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE.**

On motion of Representative Gibson, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 3.

**H.B. 2367 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT A MORATORIUM ON INVOLUNTARY ANNEXATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION.**

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Holliman be excused from voting on June 30 is continued.

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Representative Goforth offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (76-40).

Representative Goforth calls the previous question on the passage of the bill and the call is sustained by electronic vote (102-15).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (98-18), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2265** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative McComas requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-0).

On motion of the Chair, the bill is temporarily displaced.

**H.B. 2314** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-3), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR**

On motion of Representative Rapp and without objection, **S.B. 180** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC SWEETPSTAKES, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

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H.B. 2443 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES, RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS, AND PERTAINING TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAM, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

H.B. 2265 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 821 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND OR REPEAL VARIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

H.B. 1076 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO WAIVE FEES AS WELL AS TUITION FOR CERTAIN PERSONS ATTENDING CLASSES AT A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA OR AT A COMMUNITY COLLEGE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1284** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT OR BREACH OF WARRANTY ARISING OUT OF THE PERFORMANCE OF A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT TO IMPROVE REAL PROPERTY IS DEEMED TO ACCRUE AT THE TIME OF THE OCCURRENCE OF THE BREACH OR UPON SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF THE CONSTRUCTION, WHICHEVER OCCURS LATER, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**H.B. 2255**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE EDGECOMBE, NASH, AND WILSON COUNTIES WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2391**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**H.B. 2487** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS
THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

**S.B. 1787** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

**S.B. 2160**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE WINSTON-SALEM FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Bordsen sends forth the Conference Report on **S.B. 212** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2412**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE, with a favorable report.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. 2397 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 3, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 3 is placed on the Calendar of July 3. Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2498 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS; (2) TO ESTABLISH LIMITATIONS ON THE TIME IN WHICH: THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MUST MAKE AN ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION, REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT, AND THE DEPARTMENT MAY TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION OR BRING A CIVIL ACTION TO RECOVER PAYMENTS THAT WERE NOT AUTHORIZED BY LAW, THAT WERE MADE ON THE BASIS OF FRAUDULENT INFORMATION, OR FOR OTHER REASONS; (3) TO CLARIFY FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS; (4) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS; (5) TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL TANKS; (6) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS; (7) TO PROVIDE FOR RE-

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CLASSIFICATION OF A SITE TO A LOWER RISK CLASSIFICATION; AND (8) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

S.B. 1314 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE LAWS UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PRACTICE ACT TO EXPAND THE EXISTING LAWS REGULATING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD TO ESTABLISH FEES FOR LICENSING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; AND TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO CONDUCT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FROM STATE AND NATIONAL REPOSITORIES OF CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1541 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

S.B. 1977, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF LELAND TO ANNEX CERTAIN RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

S.B. 2117 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT, TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP ON THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BOARD UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO AMEND THE LAWS

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REQUIRING A PASSING SCORE ON AN ORAL EXAMINATION THEREBY AFFECTING FEES CHARGED BY THE BOARD UNDER THE LAWS REGULATING SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONALS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell, Chairs, for the Committee on Pensions and Retirement:

H.B. 2784 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENTS OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE AND THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION OF FAYETTEVILLE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 3.

S.B. 1627 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Hughes, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, and the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 3 at 1:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

No further business being submitted, the House stands adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, July 3, 2008

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The House meets at 1:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

A moment of silence is observed in honor of those who keep our freedom for us.

---------Moment of Silence---------

"Almighty God:

"You alone are sovereign over all the earth, and every nation under heaven belongs to You. As we prepare to celebrate our country's birthday, we offer You our thanks and praise for the foresight, courage and grit our ancestors demonstrated to provide us with a system of government that practices and guarantees freedom, individual liberties and the natural pursuit of happiness. We acknowledge that this is not so in every corner of Your great world. So, we thank You for our gift of freedom; but we would be remiss if we did not pray and hope that our sisters and brothers around the globe, for whom freedom is a stranger, might strive for these same civil liberties in order that all people might experience the freedom of voice, representation and vote that our great Nation does. Bless our Nation, O God. Inspire our leaders and guard those who strive to protect us to preserve the freedoms we so enjoy. May God bless our great State and may God bless the United States of America. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 2 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Michaux, Tolson, and Yongue for today. Representatives Lewis and West are excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 236, AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL HOUSE-MOVING STATUTES CONTAINED IN ARTICLE 16 OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES.

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H.B. 12, AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EDUCATIONAL SERVICES" FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT'S IEP TEAM TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED Appropriateness OF HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; AND TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REPORT ON CONTESTED CASES BASED ON THE ADDITIONAL PROTECTION.

H.B. 44, AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE LAW RELATED TO VIOLATIONS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS BY INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

H.B. 2524, AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, TO REQUIRE THAT ANY RAW MILK DISPENSED AS ANIMAL FEED BE PROPERLY LABELED, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO EXEMPT UNPASTEURIZED MILK FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE COMMERCIAL FEED ACT.

H.B. 2748, AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE RULES ADOPTED BY THE STATE PERSONNEL COMMISSION RELATING TO TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES AND TO DIRECT THE OFFICE OF STATE PERSONNEL TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF NONPERMANENT EMPLOYMENT.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1895, AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO RENOVATE THE COURTHOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES.

S.B. 2126, AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS IN THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM.

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S.B. 2131, AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD NONVOTING MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY.

H.B. 2092, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF KERNERSVILLE TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE TOWN'S FIRE DEPARTMENT.

H.B. 2123, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES AND COYOTES IN ALAMANCE COUNTY.

H.B. 2218, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE OCCUPANCY TAX AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TOWN OF AHOSKIE AND TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE GRANVILLE COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.

H.B. 2347, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY AND LIMIT THE USES THAT MAY BE MADE OF THE PROPERTY.

H.B. 2402, AN ACT SUBSTITUTING THE WORD "NOTICE" FOR "COMPLAINT OR ORDER" IN THE LAW THAT AUTHORIZES THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S GARBAGE AND TRASH ORDINANCE AND THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE.

H.B. 2444, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO TO CLARIFY THE INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL PETITION PROCESS.

H.B. 2451, AN ACT TO AMEND THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUND FOR VOLUNTEER FIREMEN IN THE TOWN OF ELKIN AND TO REPEAL THE PROVISIONS PROVIDING SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUNDS FOR FIREMEN IN THE CITY OF BURLINGTON.

H.B. 2464, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY IN MARTIN COUNTY.

H.B. 2575, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF FLETCHER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO THE TOWN IN LIEU OF ANNEXATION.

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H.B. 2614, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF STOVALL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT PROVIDING PRIOR SERVICE CREDITS TO ITS EMPLOYEES.

H.B. 2726, AN ACT TO REPEAL AN OBSOLETE AND UNENFORCEABLE PROVISION OF THE POLKVILLE TOWN CHARTER.

H.B. 2763, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CURRITUCK COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FROM SIX TO EIGHT MEMBERS.

H.B. 2770, AN ACT INCREASING THE FORCE ACCOUNT LIMIT FOR THE CITIES OF WINSTON-SALEM AND ASHEBORO FOR CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR PROJECTS.

The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.J.R. 2796, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ONE HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF "EVERYBODY'S DAY," THE OLDEST FESTIVAL IN NORTH CAROLINA. (RESOLUTION 2008-22)


H.J.R. 2774, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF FRANK WARNER CAPRA, JR., FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FILM INDUSTRY IN NORTH CAROLINA. (RESOLUTION 2008-24)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following are introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative West:

H.J.R. 2802, A JOINT RESOLUTION TO HONOR AND CONGRATULATE THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, RETIREES, AND SUPPORTERS OF THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY UPON ITS SEVENTY-FIFTH ANNIVERSARY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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**H.B. 2803**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE THAT MARRIAGE IS THE UNION OF ONE MAN AND ONE WOMAN AT ONE TIME, AND THIS IS THE ONLY MARRIAGE THAT IS RECOGNIZED AS VALID IN THIS STATE, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Judiciary I.

By Representative Lewis:

**H.J.R. 2804**, A JOINT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE 2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CONSIDER A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW CERTAIN HOSPITALS AN EXEMPTION FROM THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED LAW UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

**SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 2343** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2468** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

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Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**H.B. 2738** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**H.B. 2752** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SANFORD TO MAKE SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY WITHIN LEE COUNTY, is returned for concurrence in one Senate amendment.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**S.J.R. 2168**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JAMES DAVIS "JIM" SPEED, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is read the first time.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 1:27 p.m.

**RECESS**

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

**CALENDAR**

Action is taken on the following:

**H.B. 2720** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACQUIRE ONLY NEW PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES THAT HAVE A FUEL ECONOMY

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THAT IS IN THE TOP FIFTEEN PERCENT OF THAT CLASS OF COMPARABLE AUTOMOBILES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (62-46), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2784 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENTS OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE AND THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION OF FAYETTEVILLE,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**S.B. 1590, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**S.B. 1970, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY OF WILSON TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE CITY’S HISTORIC DISTRICT,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**S.B. 2118 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF WESLEY CHAPEL TO LEASE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY TO THE YMCA FOR A TERM OF MORE THAN TEN YEARS,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**S.B. 2137, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOWN OF SUMMERFIELD SHALL FOLLOW THE GENERAL LAW FOR THE FILLING OF TOWN COUNCIL VACANCIES,** passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

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The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

S.B. 1598 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER, THE CITIES OF LOCUST AND WILMINGTON, THE TOWNS OF BEULAVILLE, BUTNER, ERWIN, HOBGOOD, MAYODAN, MOUNT OLIVE, OAKBORO, ORIENTAL, PINEVILLE, AND THE VILLAGE OF PINEHURST TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.


H.B. 1134 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DECONSTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES.

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Representative McGee offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (107-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Folwell, Gillespie, and Holloway - 3.


H.B. 2397 (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING AND TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYING ENTITIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF PROSPECTIVE AND CURRENT EMPLOYEES.

Representative Bordsen offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (108-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Voting in the negative: None.


**H.B. 2498 (Committee Substitute),** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS; (2) TO ESTABLISH LIMITATIONS ON THE TIME IN WHICH: THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MUST MAKE AN ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION, REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT, AND THE DEPARTMENT MAY TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION OR BRING A CIVIL ACTION TO RECOVER PAYMENTS THAT WERE NOT AUTHORIZED BY LAW, THAT WERE MADE ON THE BASIS OF FRAUDULENT INFORMATION, OR FOR OTHER REASONS; (3) TO CLARIFY FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS; (4) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS; (5) TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL TANKS; (6) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC

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CLEANUP STANDARDS; (7) TO PROVIDE FOR RECLASSIFICATION OF A SITE TO A LOWER RISK CLASSIFICATION; AND (8) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Daughtridge requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because it affects his business. Representative Moore requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because he is part-owner of a business that owns underground storage tanks. These requests are granted.

The bill passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Excused vote: Representatives Daughtridge and Moore - 2.

H.B. 2105 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE; TO REQUIRE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO ANNUALLY ADJUST THE COMPENSATION TO REFLECT INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN

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CONSUMERS; AND TO ALLOW THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO AWARD ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION OF JOB SKILLS TRAINING AND EXPENSES FOR TUITION AND FEES AT A NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (102-3), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Luebke requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (103-3).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

H.B. 2412, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Gibson requests that he be excused from voting on this bill. This request is granted.

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (80-26).

Representative McComas objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in House Committee Substitute No. 2 to S.B. 488, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO REQUIRE CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE TOWN OFFICE TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTORS AND TO LIMIT BY

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ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE OR THEIR POLITICAL COMMITTEE.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 93** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO INDIVIDUALS BEING TRANSPORTED IN VEHICLES WHILE SEATED IN WHEELCHAIRS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2306** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EDUCATIONAL SERVICES" FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT'S IEP TEAM TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED APPROPRIATENESS OF HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; AND TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REPORT ON CONTESTED CASES BASED ON THE ADDITIONAL PROTECTION, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

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H.B. 2341 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

S.B. 1799 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1988 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO BURN A CROSS OR HANG A NOOSE FOR THE INTENT OF INTIMIDATING ANOTHER PERSON BECAUSE OF RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, NATIONALITY, OR COUNTRY OF ORIGIN AND TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF RECENT CROSS BURNINGS AND NOOSE HANGINGS ACROSS THE STATE TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MODIFICATION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE STATE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

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S.B. 944, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT WHERE A PERSON SUFFERS SERIOUS BODILY INJURY A CLASS F FELONY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1766 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AND THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

H.B. 2668 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 7. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 175 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

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By Representatives Bell and Lucas, Chairs, for the Committee on Education:

**H.B. 15**, (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT TEACHERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR TAKING PERSONAL LEAVE TIME UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, with recommendation that the House do not concur and request conferees.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

**H.B. 2409**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**H.B. 2690**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF DURHAM TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ON RESTAURANT MEALS IN THE COUNTY OF DURHAM IF APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**S.B. 1340** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF BLOCKS OF 10 TEN-DAY COASTAL RECREATIONAL FISHING LICENSES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

**S.B. 1736** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD FELONY CHILD ABUSE TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY OFFENSES WHEN THE OFFENSE INVOLVES PROSTITUTION OF A JUVENILE OR THE COMMISSION OF A SEXUAL ACT UPON A JUVENILE, TO REQUIRE THAT A SEX OFFENDER REGISTER HIS OR HER ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS OR OTHER ONLINE IDENTIFIER IN THE STATEWIDE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY,

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TO ALLOW LIMITED RELEASE OF ONLINE IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY TO CERTAIN ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICES AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCREENING ONLINE USERS, TO DIRECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS TO DEVELOP PROCEDURES TO ENSURE TIMELY NOTIFICATION OF THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INFORMATION AND SHERIFFS OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO REGISTER WHO ARE NOT SENTENCED TO ACTIVE TIME, AND TO AUTHORIZE FUNDS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO USE TO AWARD AS MATCHING GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE SHERIFFS' OFFICES TO ENHANCE AND SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE STATE'S SEX OFFENDER LAWS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

S.B. 2075 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

By Representative Goodwin, Chair, for the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform:

S.B. 1263 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELECTION LAWS; TO REQUIRE THAT A PERSON APPOINTED TO FILL A VACANCY IN AN ELECTIVE OFFICE BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE FOR THAT OFFICE IF AN ELECTION WAS HELD ON THE DATE OF APPOINTMENT, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

H.B. 933 (Senate Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE PUNISHABLE BY EITHER LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE

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OR A MANDATORY ACTIVE SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, TO ADDRESS EDUCATION AND HEALTH OF JUVENILES SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS, with recommendation that the House do not concur and request conferees.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**H.B. 1003** (Senate Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE COURT MAY CONSIDER A DEFENDANT'S PRIOR WILLFUL FAILURES TO COMPLY WITH CONDITIONS OF RELEASE WHEN PLACED ON SUPERVISED PROBATION, PAROLE, OR POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR AND TO PROVIDE THAT A COURT MAY EXTEND OR MODIFY, with recommendation that the House concur.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

**RE-REFERRAL**

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2496**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADDITION OF BEAR PAW STATE NATURAL AREA AND YELLOW MOUNTAIN STATE NATURAL AREA TO THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and pursuant to Rule 36(b), is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Fisher, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the appointment of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, and the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene Monday, July 7, 2008, at 7:00 p.m.

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The motion carries.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Michaux sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 for H.B. 2436 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 7.

The Speaker rules the Conference Report to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

The House stands adjourned.

ONE HUNDRED FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, July 7, 2008

The House meets at 7:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.
The following prayer, and a moment of silence in honor of Senator Jesse Helms, is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

----------Moment of Silence----------

"Almighty God:

"You are omnipotent. You are magnanimous. You are authentic. You are sovereign. Nothing in our lives can compare to how much larger than life You are. Even this budget, as it appears to us, is nothing in comparison to the far-reaching arm of Your mercy. So, we come to You in prayer on this night asking for Your divine will and governance upon the work of this Body. We humbly acknowledge our limitations before Thee but ask that you would make us strong as we vote with our respective political ideologies, our convictions and our hearts. Have mercy upon us, we pray. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 3 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

There are no excused absences for today.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

H.B. 133, AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE USE OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES FOR BEACH DRIVING FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE REGULATION.

H.B. 2360, AN ACT TO PERMIT NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS TO SERVE AS FULL-TIME MENTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

H.B. 2364, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ENCROACHMENT OF AIR SPACE ABOVE STATE ROAD 1100, RIVER ROAD, IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MATERIAL CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.

H.B. 2523, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE

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TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN RESPONDING TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.B. 1590**, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK.

**S.B. 1970**, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY OF WILSON TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE CITY'S HISTORIC DISTRICT.

**S.B. 1971**, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITIES OF ROCKY MOUNT AND WILSON TO DECLARE RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TARGET AREAS UNSAFE AND TO HAVE THE OPTION OF REMOVING OR DEMOLISHING THOSE BUILDINGS.

**S.B. 2118**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF WESLEY CHAPEL TO LEASE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY TO THE YMCA FOR A TERM OF MORE THAN TEN YEARS.

**S.B. 2137**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOWN OF SUMMERFIELD SHALL FOLLOW THE GENERAL LAW FOR THE FILLING OF TOWN COUNCIL VACANCIES.

**H.B. 2271**, AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD.

**H.B. 2278**, AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

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S.J.R. 2168, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JAMES DAVIS "JIM" SPEED, FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. (RESOLUTION 2008-25)

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1895, AN ACT AUTHORIZING JOHNSTON COUNTY TO RENOVATE THE COURTHOUSE WITHOUT COMPLYING WITH SPECIFIED PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 8 OF CHAPTER 143 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES. (S.L. 2008-40)

S.B. 2126, AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING ORDINANCE VIOLATIONS IN THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM. (S.L. 2008-41)

S.B. 2131, AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY, TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE CRAVEN COUNTY REGIONAL AIRPORT, AND TO ADD NON-VOTING MEMBERS TO THE AIRPORT AUTHORITY. (S.L. 2008-42)


H.B. 2123, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR THE TRAPPING OF FOXES AND COYOTES IN ALAMANCE COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-44)

H.B. 2218, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE OCCUPANCY TAX AUTHORIZATION FOR THE TOWN OF AHOSKIE AND TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE GRANVILLE COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY. (S.L. 2008-45)

H.B. 2347, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO DISPOSE OF PROPERTY AND LIMIT THE USES THAT MAY BE MADE OF THE PROPERTY. (S.L. 2008-46)

H.B. 2402, AN ACT SUBSTITUTE THE WORD "NOTICE" FOR "COMPLAINT OR ORDER" IN THE LAW THAT AUTHORIZES THE CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM TO GIVE ANNUAL NOTICE TO CHRONIC VIOLATORS OF THE CITY'S GARBAGE AND TRASH ORDINANCE AND THE CITY'S OVERGROWN VEGETATION ORDINANCE. (S.L. 2008-47)

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H.B. 2444, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO TO CLARIFY THE INITIATIVE, REFERENDUM, AND RECALL PETITION PROCESS. (S.L. 2008-48)

H.B. 2451, AN ACT TO AMEND THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUND FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIEMEN IN THE TOWN OF ELKIN AND TO REPEAL THE PROVISIONS PROVIDING SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT FUNDS FOR FIREFIEMEN IN THE CITY OF BURLINGTON. (S.L. 2008-49)

H.B. 2464, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT HUNTING FROM THE RIGHT-OF-WAY IN MARTIN COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-50)

H.B. 2575, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF FLETCHER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR THE CONVEYANCE OF LAND TO THE TOWN IN LIEU OF ANNEXATION. (S.L. 2008-51)

H.B. 2614, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF STOVALL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITHOUT PROVIDING PRIOR SERVICE CREDITS TO ITS EMPLOYEES. (S.L. 2008-52)

H.B. 2726, AN ACT TO REPEAL AN OBSOLETE AND UNENFORCEABLE PROVISION OF THE POLKVILLE TOWN CHARTER. (S.L. 2008-53)

H.B. 2763, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CURRITUCK COUNTY TOURISM DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FROM SIX TO EIGHT MEMBERS. (S.L. 2008-54)

H.B. 2770, AN ACT INCREASING THE FORCE ACCOUNT LIMIT FOR THE CITIES OF WINSTON-SALEM AND ASHEBORO FOR CONSTRUCTION OR REPAIR PROJECTS. (S.L. 2008-55)

S.B. 1358, AN ACT TO ADOPT A STRATEGIC APPROACH TO PREVENT YOUTH INVOLVEMENT IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY, AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION ACT." (S.L. 2008-56)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

July 7, 2008
By Representatives Bell and Lucas, Chairs, for the Committee on Education:

**S.B. 2015**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**H.B. 2340** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTIONS THAT MAKE ALLOWANCES FOR SMALL COUNTIES AND ADULTS RIDING WITH CHILDREN, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES TO BE IN LINE WITH OTHER CHILD SAFETY VIOLATIONS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 3, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 3 is placed on the Calendar of July 8. Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2623**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE FORECLOSURES AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TO ESTABLISH A FORECLOSURE PREVENTION RESERVE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1924** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO STUDY AND ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE.
CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 8. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

H.J.R. 2075, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUCCESS OF THE REIDSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PROGRAM, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 8.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.B. 2134 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CABARRUS COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FROM FIVE TO SEVEN MEMBERS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Election Law and Campaign Finance Reform.

CONFERENCE REPORT

House Committee Substitute for S.B. 212, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.

Representative Bordsen moves that the Conference Report be withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 9.

July 7, 2008
Representative Michaux moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2436**

To: The President of the Senate  
The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 2436, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 6/17/08 Seventh Edition Engrossed 6/19/08, submit the following report:

The House concurs in the Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 6/17/08, Seventh Edition Engrossed 6/19/08, with an amendment:
Delete the entire Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 6/17/08, Seventh Edition Engrossed 6/19/08, and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute H2436-PCCS30735-LRxf-6.

The Senate agrees to the same.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 3, 2008.

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Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Stam be excused from voting on June 4 is continued.

The material Conference Report is adopted on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative Stam.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2156 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX.

July 7, 2008
On motion of Representative Stiller, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (100-17), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Representative Moore requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "aye" to "no". The adjusted vote total is (99-18).

**H.B. 2255**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCLUDE EDGECOMBE, NASH, AND WILSON COUNTIES WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS.

On motion of Representative Bryant, the House concurs in the Senate amendment, by electronic vote (118-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 821** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND OR REPEAL VARIOUS ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

On motion of Representative Allen, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (118-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**H.B. 1076** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO WAIVE FEES AS WELL AS TUITION FOR CERTAIN PERSONS ATTENDING CLASSES AT A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA OR AT A COMMUNITY COLLEGE.

On motion of Representative Tarleton, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (118-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1284** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR BREACH OF CONTRACT OR BREACH OF WARRANTY ARISING OUT OF THE PERFORMANCE OF A CONSTRUCTION PROJECT TO IMPROVE REAL PROPERTY IS DEEMED TO ACCRUE AT THE TIME OF THE OCCURRENCE OF THE BREACH OR UPON SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF THE CONSTRUCTION, WHICHEVER OCCURS LATER.

July 7, 2008
On motion of Representative Stam, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (118-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2391, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMITTEE ON AGING.

On motion of Representative Goodwin, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (118-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2487 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

On motion of Representative Folwell, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (115-3), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2343 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES.

On motion of Representative Hall, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (119-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2468 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS.

July 7, 2008
On motion of Representative Ray, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (117-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

**H.B. 2738** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE.

On motion of Representative Haire, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (117-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

**H.B. 2752** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SANFORD TO MAKE SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY WITHIN LEE COUNTY.

On motion of Representative Love, the House concurs in the Senate amendment, by electronic vote (108-11), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 15**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ALLOW STUDENTS PLACED ON SHORT-TERM SUSPENSIONS TO TAKE THEIR TEXTBOOKS HOME FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHORT-TERM SUSPENSION AND TO HAVE ACCESS TO HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS.

On motion of Representative Cotham, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (118-1), and conferees are requested.

The Speaker appoints Representative Cotham, Chair; Representatives Glazier, Wiley, Jeffus, and Johnson as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

**H.B. 93** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO INDIVIDUALS BEING TRANSPORTED IN VEHICLES WHILE SEATED IN WHEELCHAIRS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

July 7, 2008
On motion of Representative Weiss, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (117-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 738, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADOPT THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS' MODEL ACT ON CUSTODIAL AGREEMENTS AND CLEARING CORPORATIONS.

On motion of Representative Goforth, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (117-2), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 933 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR FIRST-DEGREE SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE PUNISHABLE BY EITHER LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE OR A MANDATORY ACTIVE SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS.

On motion of Representative Blue, the House does not concur in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, by electronic vote (119-0), and conferees are requested.

The Speaker appoints Representative Glazier, Chair; Representatives Blue, Howard, Moore, and Love as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

July 7, 2008
Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 1003, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE COURT MAY CONSIDER A DEFENDANT'S PRIOR FAILURES TO COMPLY WITH CONDITIONS OF RELEASE WHEN PLACED ON SUPERVISED PROBATION, PAROLE, OR POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR.

On motion of Representative Johnson, the House concurs in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, by electronic vote (119-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2306 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EDUCATIONAL SERVICES" FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT'S IEP TEAM TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED APPROPRIATENESS OF HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; AND TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REPORT ON CONTESTED CASES BASED ON THE ADDITIONAL PROTECTION.

On motion of Representative Glazier, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (119-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

CONFEREES APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT: Representative Glazier, Chair; Representatives Cotham, Bryant, Wilkins, Allred, Ray, and Fisher.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

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H.B. 2341 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

On motion of Representative Weiss, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (117-0), and conferees are requested.

The Speaker appoints Representative Weiss, Chair; Representatives Blue, Ray, Martin, and Neumann as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

S.B. 1651 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVISED ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO LOWER THE MINIMUM AGE FOR DONATING BLOOD FROM SEVENTEEN TO SIXTEEN, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (119-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 1681 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE-CONTROLLED PASSENGER-CARRYING VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE.

Representative Daughtry offers Amendment No. 1 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (55-64).

July 7, 2008
The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (101-17), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Frye requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "no". The adjusted vote total is (101-18).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**S.B. 1800** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HAZARDOUS MATERIALS" AND "STATE" UNDER NORTH CAROLINA'S MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ALLOW CERTAIN NATURAL GAS UTILITY EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS TO USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS WHILE ACTING IN THE COURSE AND SCOPE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT; AND TO AMEND THE MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS LICENSE LAW GOVERNING THE LOCATION OF ADDITIONAL OR RELOCATED NEW MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**INTRODUCTION OF PAGES**

Pages for the week of July 7 are introduced to the membership. They are: Michael Atkins of Wayne; Hayden Bauguess of Alamance; Josh Blevins of Union; Lauren Bolick of Rockingham; James Burkhardt of Harnett; Chandler Cox of Alamance; Carrie Current of Gaston; Katherine Dzimitrowicz of Craven; Wesley Franklin of Burke; Jordan Hubbard of Cleveland; Michael Kale of Orange; Lauren Kalin of Wake; Jenna Koester of Alamance; Taylor May of Chatham; Karina McCorkle of Wake; Kayla Midgett of Onslow; Parker Murphy of Pitt; Melanie Myers of Randolph; Jaslyn Piggott of Halifax; Helen Powell of Alamance; Henry Read of Guilford; Lauren Riley of Catawba; William Rollins of Wake; Aaron Thornton of Johnston; and Annah Wells of Randolph.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**S.B. 1955** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LIMITED RELEASE OF CERTAIN PRISONERS

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INTO THE CUSTODY OF IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS FOR REMOVAL, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (103-2), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**S.B. 1957** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY SPECIAL POLICE THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEN CONDUCTING OFFICIAL BUSINESS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PERFORMING ADVANCES AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES FOR MEMBERS, AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES AT SPECIAL SESSIONS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, COMMISSION HEARINGS, AND STATE, REGIONAL, OR NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCES.

Representative Howard offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (116-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment by Special Message.

**S.B. 1704** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


July 7, 2008
Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred and Blust - 2.

Excused absences: None.

S.B. 1852 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative West be excused from voting on July 2 is continued.

The bill passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Cleveland, Folwell, Furr, and Setzer - 5.

Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative West.

Representative Folwell requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (114-4).

July 7, 2008
S.B. 1878 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOME-STEAD EXCLUSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be excused from voting on June 26 is continued.

The bill passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


July 7, 2008
Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Blackwood, Blust, and Cleveland - 4.

Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative J. Harrell.

**S.B. 1314** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE LAWS UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PRACTICE ACT TO EXPAND THE EXISTING LAWS REGULATING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD TO ESTABLISH FEES FOR LICENSING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; AND TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO CONDUCT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FROM STATE AND NATIONAL REPOSITORIES OF CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY.

Representative Fisher offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (116-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by the following vote and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Folwell and Starnes - 2.

July 7, 2008
Excused absences: None.

S.B. 1925 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUN; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE.

Representative Blue offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (118-0).

Representative Faison offers Amendment No. 2 which is adopted by electronic vote (76-43).

Representative J. Harrell requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (77-42).

Representative Thomas offers Amendment No. 3 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (57-59).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by the following vote:


July 7, 2008
Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Avila, Blust, Boylan, Brubaker, Cleveland, Folwell, Hughes, Hurley, Lewis, McElraft, Neumann, Pate, Samuelson, Setzer, Starnes, Thomas, Walend, and West - 19.

Excused absences: None.

Representative Hughes requests and is granted permission to change her vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (100-18).

The bill is ordered engrossed and remains on the Calendar.

S.B. 847 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD AGRICULTURAL WORKERS TO THOSE PROTECTED AGAINST RETALIATION IN THE WORKPLACE AND TO DIRECT THE PESTICIDE BOARD TO ADOPT RULES REQUIRING LICENSED PESTICIDE APPLICATORS TO RECORD THE SPECIFIC TIME OF DAY WHEN EACH PESTICIDE APPLICATION IS COMPLETED, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON PREVENTING AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE EXPOSURE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Weiss states that her voting equipment malfunctioned and she requests to be recorded as voting "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (118-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 855 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT PRIVATE INVESTIGATORS LICENSED BY THE PRIVATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES BOARD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FROM THE WINDOW TINTING REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, fails to pass its second reading by electronic vote (35-82).

S.B. 1339 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE SUPPLIERS THAT IMPORT GASOLINE FOR SALE IN THIS STATE TO OFFER GASOLINE FOR SALE TO A DISTRIBUTOR OR RETAILER THAT IS NOT PREBLENDED WITH FUEL ALCOHOL AND THAT IS SUITABLE FOR SUBSEQUENT BLENDING WITH FUEL ALCOHOL AND TO PROVIDE THAT CONTRACT PROVISIONS THAT RESTRICT OR PREVENT DISTRIBUTORS OR RETAILERS FROM BLENDING GASOLINE AND FUEL ALCOHOL ARE VOID.

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Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Daughtridge requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because he is involved in petroleum retail. This request is granted.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 2 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-1) and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**SUSPENSION OF RULES**

On motion of Representative Owens, Rule 1 is suspended in order that the House might continue to meet past the 10:00 p.m. hour of adjournment, by electronic vote (118-1).

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**S.B. 1541** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN.

Representative Martin offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (119-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.

**H.B. 2409.** A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Excused absences: None.

**H.B. 2397** (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING AND TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYING ENTITIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF PROSPECTIVE AND CURRENT EMPLOYEES.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

**H.B. 2498** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS; (2) TO ESTABLISH LIMITATIONS ON THE TIME IN WHICH: THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MUST MAKE AN ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION, REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT

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MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT, AND THE DEPARTMENT MAY TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION OR BRING A CIVIL ACTION TO RECOVER PAYMENTS THAT WERE NOT AUTHORIZED BY LAW, THAT WERE MADE ON THE BASIS OF FRAUDULENT INFORMATION, OR FOR OTHER REASONS; (3) TO CLARIFY FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS; (4) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS; (5) TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL TANKS; (6) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS; (7) TO PROVIDE FOR RECLASSIFICATION OF A SITE TO A LOWER RISK CLASSIFICATION; AND (8) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the requests that Representative Daughtridge and Moore be excused from voting on July 3 are continued.

The bill passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


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Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representatives Daughtridge and Moore - 2.

**S.B. 1598** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER, THE CITIES OF LOCUST AND WILMINGTON, THE TOWNS OF BEULAVILLE, BUTNER, ERWIN, HOBOGOOD, MAYODAN, MOUNT OLIVE, OAKBORO, ORIENTAL, PINEVILLE, AND THE VILLAGE OF PINEHURST TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

**H.B. 2668** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, passes its second reading.

Representative Stam objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

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**H.B. 2412**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER OPTIC CABLE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Gibson be excused from voting on July 3 is continued.

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (110-8), and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2496**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADDITION OF BEAR PAW STATE NATURAL AREA AND YELLOW MOUNTAIN STATE NATURAL AREA TO THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**RE-REFERRALS**

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **H.B. 2789**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE TO ENFORCE WRECKER SERVICE RULES, is withdrawn from the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, **S.B. 1716** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING AND TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICE AREA OF A CITY INCLUDES ANY AREA SUBSEQUENTLY ANNEXED BY THAT CITY, is withdrawn from the Committee on Public Utilities and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 2338**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL

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TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate amendment.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 8.

H.B. 2463 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 8.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received on July 2, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to H.B. 545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Hartsell, Chair
Senator Swindell
Senator Stevens
Senator Jones

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

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SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1113**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE USE OF THE PUBLIC DUTY DOCTRINE AS AN AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE FOR CIVIL ACTIONS UNDER THE STATE TORT CLAIMS ACT TO THOSE CLAIMS IN WHICH THE INJURIES OF THE CLAIMANT ARE THE RESULT OF THE ALLEGED NEGLIGENT FAILURE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TO PROTECT CLAIMANTS FROM THE MISCONDUCT OF OTHERS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 8.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**S.B. 1407** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET, TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET, AND TO IMPOSE A PRIVILEGE TAX ON THE INTERNET SALES OF TICKETS IN EXCESS OF THE PRINTED PRICE, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 1697** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Wilkins, that the House adjourn, subject to the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 8 at 4:30 p.m.

The motion carries.

No Messages from the Senate having been received, the House stands adjourned at 10:30 p.m.

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ONE HUNDRED FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, July 8, 2008

The House meets at 4:30 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Joseph Lewis, Pastor of Awesome Word Ministries, Raleigh, North Carolina:

"Father:

"We acknowledge that You alone are God. We give You the praise, glory and honor.

"You have said that we are to pray for all who are in authority. So we thank You for each elected and appointed Representative who serves in this State government. You have said that those who are in authority are Your servants. Therefore, we ask that Your will would be done in each matter that comes before this Body.

"We ask that You would continue to speak to the heart of each person present letting each one know how much You love them. And that You desire a personal relationship with each one.

"Again, Father, we give You the praise, glory and honor. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 7 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Representative Thomas is excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 1651, AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVISED ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO LOWER THE MINIMUM AGE FOR DONATING BLOOD FROM SEVENTEEN TO SIXTEEN.

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S.B. 1852, AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT.

S.B. 1955, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LIMITED RELEASE OF CERTAIN PRISONERS INTO THE CUSTODY OF IMMIGRATION OFFICIALS FOR REMOVAL.

H.B. 93, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO INDIVIDUALS BEING TRANSPORTED IN VEHICLES WHILE SEATED IN WHEELCHAIRS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

H.B. 738, AN ACT TO REQUIRE UNINSURED AND UNDER-INSURED MOTORIST COVERAGE; MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO INSURANCE FINANCIAL PROVISIONS; AMEND THE UNAUTHORIZED INSURER LAWS; MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE RATE EVASION LAW TO CLARIFY THAT IT APPLIES ONLY TO PRIVATE PASSENGER VEHICLES AND TO ADD A TERMINATION RESTRICTION CONSISTENT WITH G.S. 58-37-50 TO CLARIFY THAT THE RATE EVASION LAW APPLIES TO CEDED AND UNCEDED POLICIES; REVISE MANAGED CARE AND HMO RECORD RETENTION LAWS; MAKE CHANGES TO THE HEALTH INSURANCE RISK POOL LAWS; STRENGTHEN PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER ORGANIZATION PROTECTIONS; MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAW GOVERNING THE CODE OFFICIALS QUALIFICATION BOARD; PROHIBIT FREE INSURANCE; AND TO MAKE OTHER MISCELLANEOUS CHANGES.

H.B. 821, AN ACT TO SPECIFY THOSE AREAS OUTSIDE OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA IN WHICH NOTICES RELATED TO A PROPOSED INTERBASIN TRANSFER OF WATER SHALL BE GIVEN AND TO PROVIDE FOR A STUDY BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION OF THE DELINEATION OF MAJOR RIVER BASINS AND SUBBASINS WITHIN THIS STATE AS A PART OF THE ONGOING STUDY OF THE ALLOCATION OF WATER RESOURCES BY THE COMMISSION.

H.B. 1003, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE COURT MAY CONSIDER A DEFENDANT’S PRIOR WILLFUL FAILURES TO COMPLY WITH CONDITIONS OF RELEASE WHEN PLACED ON SUPERVISED

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PROBATION, PAROLE, OR POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR AND TO PROVIDE THAT A COURT MAY EXTEND OR MODIFY.

H.B. 1076, AN ACT TO WAIVE FEES AS WELL AS TUITION FOR CERTAIN PERSONS ATTENDING CLASSES AT A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA OR AT A COMMUNITY COLLEGE.

H.B. 1284, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A LOCAL GOVERNMENT ARISING OUT OF A CONTRACT TO IMPROVE REAL PROPERTY OTHERWISE BARRED BY THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS MAY BE COMMENCED NO LATER THAN NINETY DAYS AFTER SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF THE CONSTRUCTION.

H.B. 2306, AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO DETERMINE RESPONSIBILITY FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES PLACED IN PRIVATE PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES BY PUBLIC AGENCIES OTHER THAN LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCIES.

H.B. 2391, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

H.B. 2487, AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2156, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX.

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H.B. 2255, AN ACT TO INCLUDE EDGECOMBE, NASH, AND WILSON COUNTIES WITHIN THE PROVISIONS OF A 1983 ACT WHICH INCREASED THE VALUE OF WORK THAT MAY BE DONE WITHOUT A BUILDING PERMIT FOR SMALL JOBS.

H.B. 2343, AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES.

H.B. 2468, AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY AND THE TOWN OF MOORESVILLE FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS.

H.B. 2563, AN ACT TO ALLOW RICHMOND COUNTY TO REMOVE UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES FROM PRIVATE LOTS.

H.B. 2738, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE.

H.B. 2752, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SANFORD TO MAKE SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY WITHIN LEE COUNTY.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 1590, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND RELATING TO THE APPOINTMENT OF THE TOWN CLERK. (S.L. 2008-57)

S.B. 1970, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITY OF WILSON TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE CITY'S HISTORIC DISTRICT. (S.L. 2008-58)

S.B. 1971, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE CITIES OF ROCKY MOUNT AND WILSON TO DECLARE RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TARGET AREAS UNSAFE AND TO HAVE THE OPTION OF REMOVING OR DEMOLISHING THOSE BUILDINGS. (S.L. 2008-59)

S.B. 2118, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE OF WESLEY CHAPEL TO LEASE CERTAIN DESCRIBED PROPERTY TO THE YMCA FOR A TERM OF MORE THAN TEN YEARS. (S.L. 2008-60)

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S.B. 2137, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE TOWN OF SUMMERFIELD SHALL FOLLOW THE GENERAL LAW FOR THE FILLING OF TOWN COUNCIL VACANCIES.  (S.L. 2008-61)

H.B. 2271, AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSET ON THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF TROY AND THE TROY REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO USE THE "QUICK TAKE" PROCEDURE WHEN ACQUIRING PROPERTY FOR THE SMITHERMAN VILLAGE NEIGHBORHOOD.  (S.L. 2008-62)

H.B. 2278, AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF ANGIER.  (S.L. 2008-63)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representatives Howard and Ross, Chairs, for the Committee on Ethics:

H.B. 2542, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2544, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY JURISDICTION UNDER THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT WITH REGARDS TO OFFICE OF THE STATE AUDITOR AS RECOMMENDED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

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S.B. 1885, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPENSATORY MITIGATION BY PRIVATE MITIGATION BANKS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9.

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of July 9.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received on July 7, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to H.B. 15, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ALLOW STUDENTS PLACED ON SHORT-TERM SUSPENSIONS TO TAKE THEIR TEXTBOOKS HOME FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHORT-TERM SUSPENSION AND TO HAVE ACCESS TO HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

   Senator Swindell, Chair
   Senator Nesbitt
   Senator Garrou
   Senator Tillman

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on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received on July 2, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to H.B. 887 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

   Senator Nesbitt, Chair
   Senator Tillman
   Senator Boseman
   Senator Kinnaird

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received on July 7, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to H.B. 933 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR FIRST-DEGREE SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE PUNISHABLE BY EITHER LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE OR A MANDATORY ACTIVE SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Rand, Chair
Senator Hoyle
Senator Dalton
Senator Hartsell
Senator Boseman

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Pursuant to your message received on July 7, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to **H.B. 1366** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, and requests conferees, the President *Pro Tempore* appoints:

Senator Berger of Franklin, Chair
Senator Albertson
Senator Purcell
Senator Dalton
Senator Bingham
Senator Dannelly
Senator Cowell

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
*Principal Clerk*

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

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Pursuant to your message received on July 7, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to **H.B. 2341** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, and requests conferees, the President *Pro Tempore* appoints:

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for H.B. 2436 (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, TO AUTHORIZE INDEBTEDNESS FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS TAX LAW AND FEE CHANGES, to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

July 8, 2008
Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to S.B. 488, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO REQUIRE CANDIDATES FOR ELECTIVE TOWN OFFICE TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTORS AND TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE OR THEIR POLITICAL COMMITTEE, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Kinnaird, Chair
Senator Graham
Senator Clodfelter

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1549, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT ENCUMBERED PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO EXECUTION UNDER ARTICLE 28 OF CHAPTER 1 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

H.B. 2188 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN

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CIRCUMSTANCES, TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES IN THE DEFINITION OF HIGH COST HOME LOANS, AND TO ADD TO THE LIST OF PROHIBITED ACTS UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9.


Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9.

Upon concurrence the Senate amendment changes the title.

**S.B. 1652** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES TO CLARIFY LEGISLATIVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION DOCUMENTS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

**S.B. 1875** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Ethics.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Stam be excused from voting on June 4 is continued.

The material Conference Report for Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2436** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL July 8, 2008
APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007; TO CONFORM TO CHANGES IN THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE AND REQUIRE AN ADDBACK OF EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF BONUS DEPRECIATION; TO MAKE OTHER TAX LAW CHANGES RECOMMENDED BY THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR A REFUNDABLE EARNED INCOME TAX CREDIT EQUAL TO FIVE PERCENT OF THE FEDERAL CREDIT; TO EXTEND AND INCREASE THE SMALL BUSINESS HEALTH INSURANCE TAX CREDIT; TO DECREASE DISABLED VETERANS PROPERTY TAX; TO EXTEND TAX CREDITS FOR LOW-INCOME HOUSING AND MILL REHABILITATION; TO ESTABLISH A SALES TAX HOLIDAY FOR CERTAIN ENERGY STAR RATED APPLIANCES; TO ALLOW FOR A NONREFUNDABLE CREDIT FOR REINVESTMENT IN A MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY AND TO SUNSET THE CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN A LARGE OR MAJOR RECYCLING FACILITY; TO CREATE, SET, AND INCREASE VARIOUS FEES; AND TO AUTHORIZE SPECIAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS, which changes the title, is adopted on its third roll call reading, by the following vote, and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 107.)


Excused absences: None.

Excused vote: Representative Stam.

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The Senate having previously adopted the Conference Report, the Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**CALENDAR**

Action is taken on the following:

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following resolution appears on today's Calendar.

Without objection, **H.J.R. 2075**, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THOSE WHO HAVE CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUCCESS OF THE REIDSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PROGRAM, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1113**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE USE OF THE PUBLIC DUTY DOCTRINE AS AN AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE FOR CIVIL ACTIONS UNDER THE STATE TORT CLAIMS ACT TO THOSE CLAIMS IN WHICH THE INJURIES OF THE CLAIMANT ARE THE RESULT OF THE ALLEGED NEGLIGENT FAILURE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TO PROTECT CLAIMANTS FROM THE MISCONDUCT OF OTHERS.

On motion of Representative Glazier, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (119-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**H.B. 2338**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

On motion of Representative Weiss, the House concurs in the Senate amendment, by electronic vote (119-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

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H.B. 2463 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT.

On motion of Representative Blue, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (118-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 1946 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AND TO ALLOW THE STATE, THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM, AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO INSTALL PHOTO LUMINESCENT EXIT SIGNS WHEN PERMITTED BY THE STATE BUILDING CODE.

Representative Harrison offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (117-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 1977, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF LELAND TO ANNEX CERTAIN RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

On motion of Representative Coates and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 2117 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT, TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP ON THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL
The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**S.B. 180** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC SWEEPSTAKES.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Daughtry requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because the law firm, to which he belongs, represents clients, some of which may own these kinds of machines. This request is granted.

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 1 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (13-103).

The Speaker stops debate and attends to the following business.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bill is duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**H.B. 2436**, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007 TO AUTHORIZE INDEBTEDNESS FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS TAX LAW AND FEE CHANGES.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**S.B. 180** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC SWEEPSTAKES, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (115-2).

Representative Braxton requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-1).

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Representative Jones objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**H.B. 2690**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF DURHAM TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ON RESTAURANT MEALS IN THE COUNTY OF DURHAM IF APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Excused absences: None.

Representative Neumann requests permission to change his vote from "aye" to "no". The request is not granted because it would change the outcome of the bill.

**H.B. 2668** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (117-1), and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**MOTION TO RECONSIDER VOTE**

Having voted with the prevailing side, Representative Neumann moves that the vote by which **H.B. 2690**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT...
TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF DURHAM TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ON RESTAURANT MEALS IN THE COUNTY OF DURHAM IF APPROVED BY THE VOTERS, passed its third reading be reconsidered.

On motion of Representative Michaux, seconded by Representative Blue, the motion is tabled by electronic vote (62-56).

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2409. A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.


Excused absences: None.

S.B. 1314 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE LAWS UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PRACTICE ACT TO EXPAND THE EXISTING LAWS REGULATING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD TO ESTABLISH

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FEES FOR LICENSING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; AND TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO CONDUCT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FROM STATE AND NATIONAL REPOSITORIES OF CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representative Folwell.

Excused absences: None.

[Pursuant to the motion made by Representative Folwell on July 9, 2008, the House grants unanimous consent for him to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (117-0).]

S.B. 1925 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE

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UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE.

Representative Gibson offers Amendment No. 4 which is adopted by electronic vote (118-0).

Representative Thomas offers Amendment No. 5 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (49-70).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Avila, Cleveland, Folwell, Lewis, Neumann, Pate, Samuelsion, Thomas, Tillis, and West - 11.

Excused absences: None.

S.B. 1340 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF BLOCKS OF 10 TEN-DAY COASTAL RECREATIONAL FISHING LICENSES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

S.B. 1736 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD FELONY CHILD ABUSE TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY OFFENSES WHEN THE OFFENSE INVOLVES PROSTITUTION OF A JUVENILE OR THE COMMISSION OF A SEXUAL ACT UPON A JUVENILE, TO REQUIRE THAT A SEX OFFENDER REGISTER HIS OR HER ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS OR OTHER ONLINE IDENTIFIER IN THE STATEWIDE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY, TO ALLOW LIMITED RELEASE OF ONLINE IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY TO CERTAIN ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICES AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCREENING ONLINE USERS, TO DIRECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS TO DEVELOP PROCEDURES TO ENSURE TIMELY NOTIFICATION OF THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INFORMATION AND SHERIFFS OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO REGISTER WHO ARE NOT SENTENCED TO ACTIVE TIME, AND TO AUTHORIZE FUNDS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO USE TO AWARD AS MATCHING GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE SHERIFFS' OFFICES TO ENHANCE AND SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE STATE'S SEX OFFENDER LAWS.

Representative Ross offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (117-0).

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The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: None.

H.B. 2340 (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES ALLOWANCE FOR SMALL COUNTIES, AND MODIFYING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES AN ALLOWANCE FOR AGRICULTURAL ENTERPRISES, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

S.B. 175 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

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S.B. 944 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT WHERE A PERSON SUFFERS SERIOUS BODILY INJURY A CLASS F FELONY AND TO PROVIDE THAT THEFT OF FIXTURES ATTACHED TO REAL PROPERTY IS LARCENY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (119-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

CONFEREES APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on S.B. 488 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION: Representatives Insko, Faison, and Goodwin.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

H.B. 2499, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT WATER MANAGEMENT AND DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE MEASURES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 9. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 2015 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NORTH July 8, 2008
CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of July 9.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Owens H.B. 2499 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is withdrawn from the Calendar pursuant to Rule 36(b) and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Holliman, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the appointment of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, and the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 9 at 2:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

No further business being submitted, the House stands adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED FORTY-NINTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, July 9, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Gracious and Loving God:

"Our hearts are always filled with more gratitude than our lips can ever be in offering our thanks to You for accepting and loving us. At the beginning of every day throughout this Session we have openly sought Your direction and guidance; Your will and Your mercy. We know that we have not always done what we should have; and we have left undone many things that

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perhaps we could have done. But, opposite sides of the aisle aside, we have tried, and we will continue to try, to serve the people of this State with integrity and with great care. Please accept our thanks, O God, as we move toward the end of our time together. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 8 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

A leave of absence is granted Representative Glazier for today.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Tucker, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government I:

**S.B. 2056** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

**S.B. 2123** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

**H.B. 2499** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report, as amended.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar.

H.B. 2755, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

H.B. 2756, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

S.B. 1716 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING AND TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICE AREA OF A CITY INCLUDES ANY AREA SUBSEQUENTLY ANNEXED BY THAT CITY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Cotham sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 15, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT A RECOMMENDATION OF THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON THE EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES TO ALLOW STUDENTS PLACED ON SHORT-TERM SUSPENSIONS TO TAKE THEIR TEXTBOOKS HOME FOR THE DURATION OF THE SHORT-TERM SUSPENSION AND TO HAVE ACCESS TO HOMEWORK ASSIGNMENTS. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 2117, AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT, TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP

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ON THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BOARD UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO AMEND THE LAWS REQUIRING A PASSING SCORE ON AN ORAL EXAMINATION THEREBY AFFECTING FEES CHARGED BY THE BOARD UNDER THE LAWS REGULATING SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONALS.

**H.B. 1113**, AN ACT TO LIMIT THE USE OF THE PUBLIC DUTY DOCTRINE AS AN AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE FOR CLAIMS UNDER THE STATE TORT CLAIMS ACT IN WHICH THE INJURIES OF THE CLAIMANT ARE THE RESULT OF THE ALLEGED NEGLIGENT FAILURE OF CERTAIN PARTIES TO PROTECT CLAIMANTS FROM THE ACTION OF OTHERS.

**H.B. 2338**, AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

**H.B. 2463**, AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT.

**CHAPTERED BILLS**

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 2156**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF LELAND TO LEVY A ROOM OCCUPANCY TAX. (S.L. 2008-64)


**H.B. 2343**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROCEDURES FOR THE CITY OF DURHAM TO REVISE ELECTION WARD BOUNDARIES. (S.L. 2008-66)

**H.B. 2468**, AN ACT TO EXEMPT IREDELL COUNTY AND THE TOWN OF MOORESVILLE FROM CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC CONTRACTS. (S.L. 2008-67)

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H.B. 2563, AN ACT TO ALLOW RICHMOND COUNTY TO REMOVE UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLES FROM PRIVATE LOTS. (S.L. 2008-68)

H.B. 2738, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ELECTING COUNTIES WILL BE HELD HARMLESS FOR WORK FIRST FAMILY ASSISTANCE. (S.L. 2008-69)

H.B. 2752, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF SANFORD TO MAKE SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS AGAINST BENEFITED PROPERTY WITHIN LEE COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-70)

VOTE ADJUSTED

With consent of the House, Representative Folwell is allowed to change his vote on July 8, 2008, from "no" to "aye" on S.B. 1314 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AMENDING THE LAWS UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PRACTICE ACT TO EXPAND THE EXISTING LAWS REGULATING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD TO ESTABLISH FEES FOR LICENSING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; AND TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO CONDUCT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FROM STATE AND NATIONAL REPOSITORIES OF CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY. The adjusted vote total is (117-0).

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Bordsen moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

House Committee Substitute for S.B. 212

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 212, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS, House Committee Substitute Favorable 6/19/08, submit the following report:

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The Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 2, 2008.

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The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (117-0), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

**CALENDAR**

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1549**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT ENCUMBERED PROPERTY IS SUBJECT TO EXECUTION UNDER ARTICLE 28 OF CHAPTER 1 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES.

On motion of Representative Holliman, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (116-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**H.B. 2188** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, TO MAKE CONFORMING

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CHANGES IN THE DEFINITION OF HIGH COST HOME LOANS, AND TO ADD TO THE LIST OF PROHIBITED ACTS UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT.

On motion of Representative Blue, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (117-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.


On motion of Representative Bell, the House does not concur in the Senate amendment, by electronic vote (117-0), and conferees are requested.

Without objection, H.J.R. 161, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF NORTH CAROLINA'S NATIVE SON, BENNY PARSONS, NASCAR CHAMPION AND POPULAR SPORTSCASTER, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the following bill appears on today's Calendar.

S.B. 1766 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NON-PROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AND THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House amendment by Special Message.

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S.B. 1924 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO STUDY AND ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-4), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Gibson requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (113-4).

On motion of Representative Weiss and without objection, the bill is temporarily displaced.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Crawford and without objection, S.B. 2075 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Natural and Economic Resources.

CONFEREES APPOINTED


The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

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WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Ross and without objection, **H.B. 2542** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 10.

On motion of Representative Ross and without objection, **H.B. 2544** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF UNIFORM STANDARDS OF ETHICS PRINCIPLES FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS IN NORTH CAROLINA, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

CALENDAR (continued)

**S.B. 1340** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF BLOCKS OF 10 TEN-DAY COASTAL RECREATIONAL FISHING LICENSES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

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S.B. 1736 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD FELONY CHILD ABUSE TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY OFFENSES WHEN THE OFFENSE INVOLVES PROSTITUTION OF A JUVENILE OR THE COMMISSION OF A SEXUAL ACT UPON A JUVENILE, TO REQUIRE THAT A SEX OFFENDER REGISTER HIS OR HER ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS OR OTHER ONLINE IDENTIFIER IN THE STATEWIDE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY, TO ALLOW LIMITED RELEASE OF ONLINE IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY TO CERTAIN ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICES AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCREENING ONLINE USERS, TO DIRECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS TO DEVELOP PROCEDURES TO ENSURE TIMELY NOTIFICATION OF THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INFORMATION AND SHERIFFS OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO REGISTER WHO ARE NOT SENTENCED TO ACTIVE TIME, AND TO AUTHORIZE FUNDS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO USE TO AWARD AS MATCHING GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE SHERIFFS' OFFICES TO ENHANCE AND SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE STATE'S SEX OFFENDER LAWS.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absence: Representative Glazier.

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S.B. 180 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC SWEETSTAKES, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (115-2), and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

Representative Furr requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (116-1).

S.B. 1924 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO STUDY AND ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 1885, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPENSATORY MITIGATION BY PRIVATE MITIGATION BANKS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (118-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 2015 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (115-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

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Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer H.B. 2623 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR FORECLOSURE PREVENTION, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Ross sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

H.B. 2688, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE BILL MARTIN AND RU TH EASTERLING HEALTH CARE POLICY COUNCIL, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The serial referral to the Committee on Appropriations is stricken.

The committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 3:37 p.m., subject to the receipt of committee reports.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

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SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 2634** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute is placed on the Calendar of July10.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2728**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA 401(K) PLAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN INTO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**S.B. 1661** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADJUST THE LIMIT ON THE MONTHLY PENSION AMOUNT PAYABLE FROM THE REGISTERS OF DEEDS' SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION FUND, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Retirement.

**S.B. 1967** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES IN ORDER TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittee are presented:

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By Representatives Goforth and Underhill, Chairs, for the Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

**H.B. 2623** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR FORECLOSURE PREVENTION, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Dickson, Chair, for the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship:

**S.B. 942** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM ENACTING ORDINANCES THAT WOULD RESTRICT DISTRIBUTION OF NEWSPAPERS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2150** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITH AND WITHOUT A PERMIT, CHANGE THE FEE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT FOR RECREATIONAL BOATS AND TRAILERS, AND CHANGE THE PENALTY FOR PERMIT VIOLATIONS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1, and recommendation that Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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H.B. 2312, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COMMISSION CONTRACT AGENTS TO ACCEPT PAYMENT BY CREDIT CARD, CHARGE CARD, OR DEBIT CARD, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The serial referral to the Committee on Finance is stricken.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1697 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

S.B. 1787 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1799 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS

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ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

MOTION TO PLACE BILL ON CALENDAR

The Speaker requests unanimous consent for H.B. 2499 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, which was reported earlier and placed on the calendar pursuant to Rule 36(b), to be placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Blust objects to the motion and the bill is placed on the Calendar for July 10.

BILL PLACED ON CALENDAR

Without objection, H.B. 2623 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE HOME FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR HOME FORECLOSURE PREVENTION, is placed on today's Calendar.

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (117-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 9, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee

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Substitute to S.B. 1878 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, AND TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Clodfelter, Chair
Senator Hoyle
Senator Snow
Senator Stevens

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker appoints Representatives Luebke, Brubaker, Gibson, McComas, Wainwright, and Weiss as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 9, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to S.B. 1925 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO EXEMPT SPECIAL INDEBTEDNESS FOR FACILITIES BY GATEWAY

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UNIVERSITY RESEARCH PARK, INC., FROM CERTAIN PROCUREMENT REQUIREMENTS; AND TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

   Senator Rand, Chair
   Senator Kerr
   Senator Stevens
   Senator Hartsell

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 9, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that Senator Kinnaird has been added as a conferee on H.B. 1366 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 9, 2008
Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 212 (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.

Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President has ordered the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, H.B. 2316, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR ALL TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is withdrawn from the Committee on Appropriations and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

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S.B. 1263 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE AND TO ESTABLISH THAT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. BARTLETT; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 10. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Howard and Ross, Chairs, for the Committee on Ethics:

S.B. 1875 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 10.

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Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Pierce, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, and the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 10 at 1:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

No further business being submitted, the House stands adjourned at 6:20 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED FIFTIETH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, July 10, 2008

The House meets at 1:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Patient God:

"Certainly, we are clear evidence that You have patience with Your creation. Despite our best efforts throughout the course of human history, we have still managed to alienate one another, create conflict and war, and the slow destruction of Your world. Yet, You hang in there with us providing us infinite opportunities for repentance and reconciliation with the earth and with our neighbors. So, please continue to have patience with us here, O God, as we struggle, maybe even limp a little toward the finish line. We are bold to ask You to continue guiding us through this Session, but we are confident that Your patience is indeed, limitless. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 9 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Howard, Parmon, Saunders, Wainwright, and Womble for today. Representatives Harrison, Holmes, McGee, and Williams are excused for a portion of the Session.

July 10, 2008
ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 212, AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.

S.B. 847, AN ACT TO ADD AGRICULTURAL WORKERS TO THOSE PROTECTED AGAINST RETALIATION IN THE WORKPLACE AND TO DIRECT THE PESTICIDE BOARD TO ADOPT RULES REQUIRING LICENSED PESTICIDE APPLICATORS TO RECORD THE SPECIFIC TIME OF DAY WHEN EACH PESTICIDE APPLICATION IS COMPLETED, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON PREVENTING AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE EXPOSURE.

S.B. 1541, AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN.

S.B. 1681, AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE-CONTROLLED PASSENGER-CARRYING VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE.

S.B. 1800, AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HAZARDOUS MATERIALS" AND "STATE" UNDER NORTH CAROLINA'S MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ALLOW CERTAIN NATURAL GAS UTILITY EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS TO USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS WHILE ACTING IN THE COURSE AND SCOPE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT; AND TO AMEND THE MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS LICENSE LAW GOVERNING THE LOCATION OF ADDITIONAL OR RELOCATED NEW MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS.

S.B. 1885, AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPENSATORY MITIGATION BY PRIVATE MITIGATION BANKS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

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S.B. 1957, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY SPECIAL POLICE THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEN CONDUCTING OFFICIAL BUSINESS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PERFORMING ADVANCES AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES FOR MEMBERS, AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES AT SPECIAL SESSIONS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, COMMISSION HEARINGS, AND STATE, REGIONAL, OR NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCES.

H.B. 1549, AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCESS OF APPOINTMENTS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA AUCTIONEERS COMMISSION.

H.B. 2188, AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES IN THE DEFINITION OF HIGH COST HOME LOANS, AND TO ADD TO THE LIST OF PROHIBITED ACTS UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2162, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO ENTER INTO A COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF LAURINBURG.

H.B. 2376, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF GOLDSBORO TO REPURCHASE A PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY PREVIOUSLY OWNED BY THAT CITY.

H.B. 2579, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN'S HISTORIC DISTRICT.

H.B. 2580, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE PAYMENTS-IN-LIEU FOR RECREATIONAL FACILITIES.

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H.B. 2640, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY.

H.B. 2666, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE HOSPITAL POLICE OFFICERS IN ASHE COUNTY CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74E OF THE GENERAL STATUTES TO DIRECT TRAFFIC ON STREETS AND HIGHWAYS ADJACENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND HOSPITAL HELIPAD IN ORDER TO FACILITATE HELICOPTER TRAFFIC.

H.B. 2771, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SHERIFF OF MARTIN COUNTY AND THE SHERIFF'S LAWFUL DEPUTIES HAVE JURISDICTION TO SERVE CIVIL AND CRIMINAL PROCESS ON INMATES WHO ARE IN THE CUSTODY OF AND ON PREMISES OF THE BERTIE-MARTIN REGIONAL JAIL.

S.B. 1598, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF NEW HANOVER, THE CITIES OF LOCUST AND WILMINGTON, THE TOWNS OF BEULAVILLE, BUTNER, ERWIN, HOBGOOD, MAYODAN, MOUNT OLIVE, OAKBORO, ORIENTAL, PINEVILLE, AND THE VILLAGE OF PINEHURST TO REGULATE GOLF CARTS.

H.B. 2414, AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.J.R. 161, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF NORTH CAROLINA'S NATIVE SON, BENNY PARSONS, NASCAR CHAMPION AND POPULAR SPORTSCASTER. (RESOLUTION 2008-26)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittee are presented:

By Representative Dickson, Chair, for the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship:

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S.B. 963 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOURS OF LABOR AND OVERTIME COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Jones, Chair, for the Committee on Local Government II:

H.B. 2787, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE CABARRUS COUNTY WITH A MECHANISM TO FINANCE LONG-TERM INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS WITH ASSESSMENTS, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The committee substitute changes the bill from local to public.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, Wainwright, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

S.B. 1627 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 14. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1695 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PERSONS EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER WHO HOLD A CLASS C LICENSE TO OPERATE SPECIFIED VEHICLE COMBINATIONS; TO CLARIFY THE OPERATION OF VEHICLES WITH FARMER LICENSE PLATES; TO ELIMINATE MUNICIPAL CONCURRENCE FOR DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN TRUCK ROUTES; TO PROVIDE THAT FIFTY-THREE-FOOT SEMITRAILERS

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MAY OPERATE ON PRIMARY HIGHWAYS; TO PROVIDE THAT COMBINES UP TO TWENTY-FIVE FEET IN WIDTH MAY BE OPERATED ON SPECIFIED HIGHWAYS; TO CHANGE THE WIDTH LIMITS AND AUTHORIZED TIME OF OPERATION FOR TOWED BOAT TRAILERS; TO INCREASE SPECIFIED WEIGHT LIMITS FOR VEHICLES HAULING AGRICULTURAL CROPS AND COMPRESSED SEED COTTON; AND TO MODIFY THE WEIGHT EXCEPTION FOR VEHICLES TRANSPORTING RAW LOGS TO FIRST MARKET, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 14. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1697 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. 1799 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

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S.B. 1977, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF LELAND TO ANNEX CERTAIN RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The committee substitute changes the bill from public to local.

By Representatives McAllister and E. Warren, Chairs, for the Appropriations Subcommittee on Natural and Economic Resources, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

S.B. 2075 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Pierce, Bryant, Hall, and Womble (Primary Sponsors); Adams, K. Alexander, Bell, Carney, Church, Coleman, Cotham, Earle, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, Fisher, Glazier, T. Harrell, Harrison, Hughes, Jones, Lucas, Luebke, Martin, McAllister, Mobley, Parmon, Wainwright, and Weiss:

H.J.R. 2805, A JOINT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE FORTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.B. 1770 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL DEATHS OCCURRING IN CERTAIN STATE FACILITIES BE REPORTED AND TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE THESE DEATHS AND TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR IMPLEMENTATION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs and, if favorable, to the Committee on Appropriations.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Cotham moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 15

To: The President of the Senate
The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 15, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT TEACHERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR TAKING PERSONAL LEAVE TIME UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, Senate Education/Public Instruction Committee Substitute Adopted 6/25/08, submit the following report:

The House concurs in the Senate Education/Public Instruction Committee Substitute Adopted 6/25/08, with an amendment:
Delete the entire Senate Education/Public Instruction Committee Substitute Adopted 6/25/08, and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute H15-PCCS-51051-CB-3.

The Senate agrees to the same.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 8, 2008.

Conferees for the Senate
S/ A. B. Swindell, Chair
S/ Martin L. Nesbitt, Jr.

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Tricia Cotham, Chair
S/ Rick Glazier

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The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (111-0), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 209.)

Representative Harrison requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (112-0).

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Ross moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 545

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 545, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO: (1) PROVIDE THE HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TWO ADDITIONAL POWERS CONCERNING REAL PROPERTY AND SERVICES RETAINED FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS; (2) AUTHORIZE A ONETIME BULK UPDATE OF REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION; (3) AMEND THE LIST OF ENTITIES INCLUDED AS "ESTABLISHED LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAMS" TO WHICH THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR MAY ALLOCATE FUNDS UNDER THE ACCESS TO CIVIL JUSTICE ACT AND THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ASSISTANCE ACT; (4) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS FILED IN THE MECKLENBURG COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE; (5) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS PERFORMED ON OR BEFORE MAY 1, 2008; (6) MAKE A TECHNICAL CHANGE TO THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE ART SOCIETY; (7) MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES RELATED TO THE VERIFICATION, RECORDATION, AND INDEXING OF DOCUMENTS PRESENTED TO REGISTERS OF DEEDS; (8) CLARIFY SCOPE OF AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE SANCTIONS IN MEDIATED SETTLEMENT CONFERENCES; (9) PROVIDE AN EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE REALIGNMENT OF BUDGETS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION; (10) AUTHORIZE INCREASED DORMITORY

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The House and the Senate agree to the following amendments to the Senate Judiciary II (Criminal) Committee Substitute Adopted 6/25/08, and the House concurs in the Senate Judiciary II (Criminal) Committee Substitute as amended:

And on page 13, line 19, by rewriting the line to read: "representing 10,000 or more retired State government, local government, or organization representing 10,000 or more retired State government, local"

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 9th, 2008.

Conferees for the Senate
S/ Fletcher L. Hartsell, Jr., Chair
S/ A. B. Swindell
S/ Richard Y. Stevens
S/ Edward W. Jones

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Deborah K. Ross, Chair
S/ Bill Owens
S/ Paul Stam

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (79-35), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

H.B. 2634 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE.

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On motion of Representative Faison, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (114-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2728**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA 401(K) PLAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN INTO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

On motion of Representative Bell, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (72-42), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**BILLS TEMPORARILY DISPLACED**

On motion of Representative Stiller and without objection, **H.B. 2755**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS and **H.B. 2756**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN, are temporarily displaced.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**H.B. 2316**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO CONTRACT FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR ALL TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR**

On motion of Representative Insko and without objection, **H.B. 2688** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE TO CONTINUE TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE BY July 10, 2008
ESTABLISHING THE ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE STUDY GROUP, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

CALANDAR (continued)

H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Glazier and without objection, the bill is temporarily displaced.

S.B. 942 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM ENACTING ORDINANCES THAT WOULD RESTRICT DISTRIBUTION OF NEWSPAPERS.

Representative Pierce offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (102-8).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (85-27), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 1263 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES

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OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR MATCHING FUNDS IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAMS; TO LIMIT THE PROHIBITION IN THE ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS STATUTES; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Stam requests that he be excused from voting on Section 6 of this bill due to a federal case in which he is the local counsel. This request is granted.

Representative Stam moves that notwithstanding Rule 24.1A, he might be allowed to offer vote on or debate any amendments on other sections. The motion carries.

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (96-15).

Representative Haire objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

S.B. 1716 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING AND TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICE AREA OF A CITY INCLUDES ANY AREA SUBSEQUENTLY ANNEXED BY THAT CITY.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Gibson requests that he be excused from voting on this bill. This request is granted.

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

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S.B. 1787 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

Representative Cole offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (110-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 1875 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (111-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (88-22).

Representative Dollar objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILLS FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, the following bills, which were temporarily displaced, are withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 14.

H.B. 2755, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS.

H.B. 2756, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN.

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H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Owens and without objection, H.B. 2499 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 14.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2155, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR HOLDEN BEACH, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

H.B. 2265 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

H.B. 2308 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

**H.B. 2318** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2443** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES, RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS, AND PERTAINING TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAM, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**H.B. 2768** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM, is returned for concurrence in one Senate amendment.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

**S.B. 1796** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ALLOW A CERTAIN INCOME DISREGARD UNDER THE MEDICAID PROGRAM, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Health.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for H.B. 545 (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO: (1) PROVIDE THE HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TWO ADDITIONAL POWERS CONCERNING REAL PROPERTY AND SERVICES RETAINED FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS; (2) AUTHORIZE A ONETIME BULK UPDATE OF REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION; (3) AMEND THE LIST OF ENTITIES INCLUDED AS "ESTABLISHED LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAMS" TO WHICH THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR MAY ALLOCATE FUNDS UNDER THE ACCESS TO CIVIL JUSTICE ACT AND THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ASSISTANCE ACT; (4) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS FILED IN THE MECKLENBURG COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE; (5) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS PERFORMED ON OR BEFORE MAY 1, 2008; (6) MAKE A TECHNICAL CHANGE TO THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE ART SOCIETY; (7) MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES RELATED TO THE VERIFICATION, RECORDATION, AND INDEXING OF DOCUMENTS PRESENTED TO REGISTERS OF DEEDS; (8) CLARIFY SCOPE OF AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE SANCTIONS IN MEDIATED SETTLEMENT CONFERENCES; (9) PROVIDE AN EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE REALIGNMENT OF BUDGETS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION; (10) AUTHORIZE INCREASED DORMITORY CAPACITY IN CERTAIN COUNTY DETENTION FACILITIES; AND (11) AUTHORIZE THE STATE TREASURER TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF RETIRED STATE AND LOCAL EMPLOYEES TO CERTAIN ORGANIZATIONS, to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for **H.B. 15** (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT TEACHERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR TAKING PERSONAL LEAVE TIME UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Insko sends forth the Conference Report on **S.B. 488** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

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S.B. 1967 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES IN ORDER TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

By Representative Dickson, Chair, for the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship:

S.B. 1407 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET, TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET, AND TO IMPOSE A PRIVILEGE TAX ON THE INTERNET SALES OF TICKETS IN EXCESS OF THE PRINTED PRICE, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Wiley sends forth the Conference Report on H.B. 887 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative J. Harrell, Chair, for the Committee on Ways and Means:

H.B. 2609, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO END DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION SUPERVISION OF EMPLOYEES OF COUNTIES, CITIES, AND TOWNS THAT ARE ENGAGED IN VETERANS SERVICE IN ALAMANCE, SAMPSON, AND WAYNE COUNTIES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Bell and J. Harrell, Chairs, for the Committee on Pensions and Retirement:

**H.B. 1563** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LINE-OF-DUTY DEATH BENEFITS AND WORKERS' COMPENSATION TO FIRE AND RESCUE INSTRUCTORS WHO ARE OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR THESE BENEFITS BUT WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY COVERED WHILE CONDUCTING FIRE AND RESCUE TRAINING OUTSIDE THEIR OWN DEPARTMENTS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 which changes the title, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 14. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**H.B. 2350**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OR THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RETIRE WITH UNREDUCED BENEFITS AFTER REACHING AGE FIFTY AND COMPLETING TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF SERVICE, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 2160**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE WINSTON-SALEM FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 14.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Coleman, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the appointment of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene Monday, July 14, 2008, at 6:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

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REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

**S.B. 1797** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**S.B. 1746** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO PRODUCE FOURTEEN NEW SPECIAL REGISTRATION PLATES, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House stands adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

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**ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIRST DAY**

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, July 14, 2008

The House meets at 6:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

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"Almighty God:

"We greet You on this Monday evening with restless hearts as we anticipate a busy week. So grant us patience in our jobs and endurance for the week ahead. Help us to examine each piece of legislation thoroughly so that we might continue the course we set out on with integrity and dignity. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 10 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Blue, Brown, Folwell, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Saunders for today. Representatives Church and Thomas are excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 175, AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA.

S.B. 944, AN ACT TO MAKE LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT WHERE A PERSON SUFFERS SERIOUS BODILY INJURY A CLASS F FELONY AND TO PROVIDE THAT THEFT OF FIXTURES ATTACHED TO REAL PROPERTY IS LARCENY.

S.B. 1339, AN ACT TO REQUIRE SUPPLIERS THAT IMPORT GASOLINE FOR SALE IN THIS STATE TO OFFER GASOLINE FOR SALE TO A DISTRIBUTOR OR RETAILER THAT IS NOT PREBLENDED WITH FUEL ALCOHOL AND THAT IS SUITABLE FOR SUBSEQUENT BLENDING WITH FUEL ALCOHOL AND TO PROVIDE THAT CONTRACT PROVISIONS THAT RESTRICT OR PREVENT DISTRIBUTORS OR RETAILERS FROM BLENDING GASOLINE AND FUEL ALCOHOL ARE VOID.

S.B. 1716, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING AND TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICE AREA OF A CITY INCLUDES ANY AREA SUBSEQUENTLY ANNEXED BY THAT CITY.

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S.B. 1766, AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AND THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY.

S.B. 1924, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO STUDY AND ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

S.B. 1946, AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AND TO ALLOW THE STATE, THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM, AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO INSTALL PHOTO LUMINESCENT EXIT SIGNS WHEN PERMITTED BY THE STATE BUILDING CODE.

S.B. 2015, AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS TO THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL OF THE ARTS.

H.B. 15, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT TEACHERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR TAKING PERSONAL LEAVE TIME UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

H.B. 545, AN ACT TO: (1) PROVIDE THE HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TWO ADDITIONAL POWERS CONCERNING REAL PROPERTY AND SERVICES RETAINED FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS; (2) AUTHORIZE A ONETIME BULK UPDATE OF REGISTERED AGENT

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INFORMATION; (3) AMEND THE LIST OF ENTITIES INCLUDED AS "ESTABLISHED LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAMS" TO WHICH THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR MAY ALLOCATE FUNDS UNDER THE ACCESS TO CIVIL JUSTICE ACT AND THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ASSISTANCE ACT; (4) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS FILED IN THE MECKLENBURG COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE; (5) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS PERFORMED ON OR BEFORE MAY 1, 2008; (6) MAKE A TECHNICAL CHANGE TO THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE ART SOCIETY; (7) MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES RELATED TO THE VERIFICATION, RECORDATION, AND INDEXING OF DOCUMENTS PRESENTED TO REGISTERS OF DEEDS; (8) CLARIFY SCOPE OF AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE SANCTIONS IN MEDIATED SETTLEMENT CONFERENCES; (9) PROVIDE AN EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE REALIGNMENT OF BUDGETS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION; (10) AUTHORIZE INCREASED DORMITORY CAPACITY IN CERTAIN COUNTY DETENTION FACILITIES; AND (11) AUTHORIZE THE STATE TREASURER TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF RETIRED STATE AND LOCAL EMPLOYEES TO CERTAIN ORGANIZATIONS.

H.B. 2410, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES, AND DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TO STUDY IMPLEMENTATION OF AN INCOME DISREGARD POLICY FOR CURRENT STATE/COUNTY SPECIAL ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS WHO ARE ADVERSELY IMPACTED DUE TO COST OF LIVING OR OTHER INCOME INCREASES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

H.B. 2496, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADDITION OF BEAR PAW STATE NATURAL AREA AND YELLOW MOUNTAIN STATE NATURAL AREA TO THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

H.B. 2728, AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NORTH CAROLINA 401(K) PLAN AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC EMPLOYEE DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN INTO THE SUPPLEMENTAL RETIREMENT BOARD OF TRUSTEES, AND CONCERNING COMPENSATION OF EMPLOYEES IN THE INVESTMENT DIVISION.

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

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H.B. 2634, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:


H.B. 2162, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE RICHMOND COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO ENTER INTO A COLLABORATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF LAURINBURG. (S.L. 2008-72)

H.B. 2376, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF GOLDSBORO TO REPURCHASE A PERFORMING ARTS FACILITY PREVIOUSLY OWNED BY THAT CITY. (S.L. 2008-73)

H.B. 2414, AN ACT TO ANNEX CERTAIN DESCRIBED PORTIONS OF FORT BRAGG TO THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE OR THE TOWN OF SPRING LAKE. (S.L. 2008-74)

H.B. 2579, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO ADOPT ORDINANCES REGULATING THE DEMOLITION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES IN THE TOWN’S HISTORIC DISTRICT. (S.L. 2008-75)

H.B. 2580, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REQUIRE PAYMENTS-IN-LIEU FOR RECREATIONAL FACILITIES. (S.L. 2008-76)

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H.B. 2640, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF DURHAM TO ALLOW THE CITY COUNCIL TO DELEGATE TO THE CITY MANAGER THE AUTHORITY TO CONCLUDE THE SALE AND CONVEYANCE OF REAL PROPERTY.  (S.L. 2008-77)

H.B. 2666, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE HOSPITAL POLICE OFFICERS IN ASHE COUNTY CERTIFIED PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 74E OF THE GENERAL STATUTES TO DIRECT TRAFFIC ON STREETS AND HIGHWAYS ADJACENT TO THE HOSPITAL AND HOSPITAL HELIPAD IN ORDER TO FACILITATE HELICOPTER TRAFFIC.  (S.L. 2008-78)

H.B. 2771, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SHERIFF OF MARTIN COUNTY AND THE SHERIFF'S LAWFUL DEPUTIES HAVE JURISDICTION TO SERVE CIVIL AND CRIMINAL PROCESS ON INMATES WHO ARE IN THE CUSTODY OF AND ON PREMISES OF THE BERTIE-MARTIN REGIONAL JAIL.  (S.L. 2008-79)

H.B. 2364, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ENCROACHMENT OF AIR SPACE ABOVE STATE ROAD 1100, RIVER ROAD, IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A MATERIAL CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.  (S.L. 2008-80)

H.B. 2529, AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.  (S.L. 2008-81)

H.B. 2748, AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE RULES ADOPTED BY THE STATE PERSONNEL COMMISSION RELATING TO TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES AND APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES AND TO DIRECT THE OFFICE OF STATE PERSONNEL TO STUDY THE ISSUE OF NONPERMANENT EMPLOYMENT.  (S.L. 2008-82)

H.B. 2523, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SILVER ALERT TO BE ISSUED FOR A PERSON OF ANY AGE, TO AUTHORIZE THE PRODUCTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL VIDEO, AND TO STUDY THE TRAINING NEEDS OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM IN RESPONDING TO PERSONS WITH AUTISM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER AND PUBLIC SAFETY.  (S.L. 2008-83)

S.B. 1825, AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE TO REPORT ANNUALLY AND TO MEET BIANNUELLY.  (S.L. 2008-84)

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H.B. 2127, AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW ESTABLISHING REGIONAL INTERAGENCY COORDINATING COUNCILS UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES FOR CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO FIVE YEARS OF AGE WITH DISABILITIES, SO AS TO SAVE FUNDS AND AVOID DUPLICATION. (S.L. 2008-85)

H.B. 2360, AN ACT TO PERMIT NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFIED TEACHERS TO SERVE AS FULL-TIME MENTORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-86)

H.B. 2390, AN ACT TO RAISE THE CEILING ON THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF PERSONAL PROPERTY A GUARDIAN IS ALLOWED TO SELL WITHOUT A COURT ORDER UNDER THE LAWS PERTAINING TO GUARDIANSHIP, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON STATE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS AND THE STUDY COMMITTEE ON AGING. (S.L. 2008-87)

H.B. 2524, AN ACT TO DISAPPROVE A RULE ADOPTED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF AGRICULTURE AND APPROVED BY THE RULES REVIEW COMMISSION, TO REQUIRE THAT ANY RAW MILK DISPENSED AS ANIMAL FEED BE PROPERLY LABELED, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO EXEMPT UNPASTEURIZED MILK FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THE COMMERCIAL FEED ACT. (S.L. 2008-88)

S.B. 236, AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROFESSIONAL HOUSEMOVING STATUTES CONTAINED IN ARTICLE 16 OF CHAPTER 20 OF THE GENERAL STATUTES. (S.L. 2008-89)

H.B. 12, AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EDUCATIONAL SERVICES" FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; TO AMEND THE LAW TO ALLOW A DESIGNEE OR DESIGNEES OF A STUDENT'S IEP TEAM TO EVALUATE THE CONTINUED APPROPRIATENESS OF HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION FOR DISCIPLINE PURPOSES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ADD A PROTECTION FOR CHILDREN NOT DETERMINED ELIGIBLE FOR SPECIAL EDUCATION AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES; AND TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO REPORT ON CONTESTED CASES BASED ON THE ADDITIONAL PROTECTION. (S.L. 2008-90)

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H.B. 133, AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE USE OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES FOR BEACH DRIVING FROM THE REQUIREMENTS OF ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE REGULATION. (S.L. 2008-91)

S.B. 1687, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC HEALTH INCUBATOR PROGRAM TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH STUDY COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-92)

H.B. 44, AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE LAW RELATED TO VIOLATIONS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROTECTIVE ORDERS BY INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR REPEAT OFFENDERS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. (S.L. 2008-93)

H.B. 1304, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE USE OF REMAINING END-OF-YEAR TUITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FUNDS FOR REPAYMENT OF OUTSTANDING ELIGIBLE STUDENT LOANS FOR MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD. (S.L. 2008-94)

S.B. 1669, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF AND PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO LOCAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARDS OF TRUSTEES IN ADOPTING WRITTEN POLICIES PROHIBITING THE USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS IN BUILDINGS, ON COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUSES, AT COMMUNITY COLLEGE-SPONSORED EVENTS, AND IN OR ON OTHER COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROPERTY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-95)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

H.B. 2382, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REGULATE OR PROHIBIT NEW IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS USED FOR LAWNS AND LANDSCAPING THAT ARE CONNECTED TO THE PUBLIC POTABLE WATER SUPPLY, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

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The committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

**S.B. 741** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ELIMINATING THE WAITING PERIOD FOR UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS UNDER THE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY LAWS OF NORTH CAROLINA AND TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING ADVANCE PAYMENTS BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIAN TRIBES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 15. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1631**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS TO ALLOW CERTAIN VOTES BY ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The committee substitute changes the bill from public to local.

By Representative J. Harrell, Chair, for the Committee on Ways and Means:

**S.B. 1652** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES TO CLARIFY LEGISLATIVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION DOCUMENTS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 15. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 822** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and, if favorable, to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

**S.B. 2081** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF INVOLUNTARY MENTAL COMMITMENT TO THE NATIONAL INSTANT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK SYSTEM; AND TO PROVIDE FOR A RESTORATION PROCESS TO REMOVE THE COMMITMENT BAR TO THE PURCHASE, POSSESSION, AND TRANSFER OF FIREARMS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

**WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR**

On motion of Representative Wiley and without objection, the Conference Report on **H.B. 887** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Conference Committee.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Insko moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**House Committee Substitute No. 2 for S.B. 488**

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 488, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG

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AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION, House Committee Substitute #2, Favorable 6/26/08, submit the following report:

The Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute #2, Favorable 6/26/08, with an amendment: Delete the entire House Committee Substitute #2 Favorable 6/26/08, and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute S488-PCCS85493-LB-5.

The House agrees to the same.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 10, 2008.

Conferees for the Senate
S/ Eleanor Kinnaird, Chair
S/ Malcolm Graham
S/ Daniel G. Clodfelter

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Verla Insko, Chair
S/ Bill Faison
S/ Melanie Wade Goodwin

The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (72-35), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 97.)

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2155, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR HOLDEN BEACH.

On motion of Representative Stiller, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (108-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Representative Yongue states that his voting equipment malfunctioned and he requests to be recorded as voting "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (109-0).

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H.B. 2265 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Carney, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (110-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2308 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Cole, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (110-1), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2318 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Cole, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (105-6), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2443 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES, RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS, AND PERTAINING TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CHOICE PROGRAM.

On motion of Representative Holliman, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (111-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

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H.B. 2768 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM.

On motion of Representative Faison, the House concurs in the Senate amendment, by electronic vote (109-1), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2755, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


H.B. 2756, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS

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PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


H.B. 2609 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO END DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION SUPERVISION OF EMPLOYEES OF COUNTIES, CITIES, AND TOWNS THAT ARE ENGAGED IN VETERANS SERVICE IN ALAMANCE, SAMPSON, AND WAYNE COUNTIES.

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted. This amendment changes the title.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading. The caption having been amended, the bill remains on the Calendar.

S.B. 1977 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWNS OF LELAND AND SPENCER TO ANNEX CERTAIN RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

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S.B. 2160, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE WINSTON-SALEM FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 6:35 p.m.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 2499 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

On motion of Representative Gibson, Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted by electronic vote (98-1). This amendment changes the bill from a roll call measure.

Representative Gillespie offers Amendment No. 2.

The Speaker stops debate and attends to the following business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

H.B. 2439, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (109-3), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**H.B. 2499** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, which was temporarily displaced, with Amendment No. 2 pending, is before the Body.

Representative Gillespie withdraws Amendment No. 2.

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 3.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1B, Representative Weiss requests a division of the amendment. The Speaker rules that the amendment will be divided.

Amendment Sections 3.1 through 3.5 are adopted.

Amendment Section 3.6 is adopted by electronic vote (90-22).

Amendment Section 3.7 is adopted.

Amendment Section 3.8 is adopted by electronic vote (86-26).

Amendment Section 3.9 is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (84-27).

Representative Allred objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

**S.B. 1627** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

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Voting in the negative: None.


S.B. 1697 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


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S.B. 1799 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


S.B. 1263 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES

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OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR MATCHING FUNDS IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAMS; TO LIMIT THE PROHIBITION IN THE ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS STATUTES; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Stam be excused from voting on Section 6 of the bill on July 10 is continued.

Representative Haire offers Amendment No. 1 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (47-65).

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (97-13), is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.

S.B. 1875 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (87-25), and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment by Special Message.

H.B. 1563 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LINE-OF-DUTY DEATH BENEFITS TO FIRE AND RESCUE INSTRUCTORS WHO ARE OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR

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THESE BENEFITS BUT WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY COVERED
WHILE CONDUCTING FIRE AND RESCUE TRAINING OUTSIDE THEIR
OWN DEPARTMENTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0),
and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by
Special Message.

**H.B. 2542** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN
ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERN-
MENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE
OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE
HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Glazier and without objection, the bill is
temporarily displaced.

**S.B. 963** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOURS OF LABOR AND OVERTIME
COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL FIRE DEPART-
MENTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there
being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for
concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**S.B. 1695** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE
ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE MOTOR
VEHICLE LAWS RELATED TO DRIVERS LICENSES, REGISTRATION
PLATES ISSUED TO FARM VEHICLES, AND VEHICLE SIZE AND
WEIGHT LIMITATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEG-
ISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative McComas requests that he be
excused from voting on this bill because of a business conflict. This request
is granted.

Representative Cole offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by
electronic vote (106-6).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading by electronic vote (98-14).

Representative Haire objects to the third reading. The bill remains on
the Calendar.

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S.B. 1967 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES IN ORDER TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY.

The Speaker stops debate and attends to the following business.

INTRODUCTION OF PAGES

Pages for the week of July 14 are introduced to the membership. They are: Maddie Bauserman of Guilford; Justin Boyd of Beaufort; Lauren Church of Burke; Burgess Coker of Wake; Cameron Coker of Wake; Ashlyn Congdon of Guilford; Robert Dabbs of Cleveland; Athena Duke of Vance; Oliver Fleming of Wake; Sarah Griffin of Burke; Coker Holmes of Cumberland; Ashton Hurley of Cumberland; Sarah James of Mecklenburg; Deirdre Leary of Wake; Sydney McKinney of Guilford; Lydia Newman of Gaston; Taylor Richardson of Cumberland; Bennett Vass of Guilford; Luke Williams of Johnston; and Haley Williamson of Columbus.

CALENDAR (continued)

S.B. 1967 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES IN ORDER TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Setzer requests that he be excused from voting on this bill. This request is granted.

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (105-4), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 2075 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR A TEMPORARY INCREASE IN THE CAP ON AMOUNTS COMMITTED UNDER THE JOB DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT GRANT PROGRAM.

Representative Stam moves that the bill be withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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Representative Stam inquires of the Chair if there is a fiscal note on the bill. The Speaker states that there is not.

Representative Stam inquires of the Chair if the bill is required to have a fiscal note since it raises revenue.

Pursuant to Rule 36.1, Representative Crawford requests a fiscal note on the bill.

The bill is removed from the Calendar.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Glazier and without objection, H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE, which was temporarily displaced, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Ethics.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1770 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE PARTIES TO CONSERVATION AND PRESERVATION AGREEMENTS TO INCLUDE PROVISIONS IN THE AGREEMENTS FOR THE PAYMENT OF FEES UPON FUTURE CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE AGREEMENTS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

The Speaker rules the Senate committee substitute bill to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 14, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to S.B. 180 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT AN ALTERNATE JUROR MAY REPLACE A JUROR WHO IS UNABLE TO PERFORM THE JUROR'S DUTIES, IS DISQUALIFIED FROM PERFORMING THE JUROR'S DUTIES, OR IS DISCHARGED FOR MISCONDUCT OR OTHER EXTRAORDINARY CAUSE DURING DELIBERATION BY THE JURY ON THE ISSUES.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 488 (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION.

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Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President will order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

**H.B. 472** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MOVE ELECTIONS FOR THE TOWN OF ROPER TO THE TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

**H.B. 2509** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

**H.B. 2779** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2785**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

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Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

Representative Michaux sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 274 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG PREVENTION ACT. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

Representative Glazier sends forth the Conference Report on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 685 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY REQUIRING THE SIGNATURE OF THE PATIENT’S PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR REPRESENTATIVE ON "DO NOT RESUSCITATE" ORDER FORMS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary I and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Bell, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the appointment of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 15 at 2:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Owens, Chair, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House:

H.B. 2788, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPOINT PERSONS TO VARIOUS PUBLIC OFFICES UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, July 14, 2008
with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to
the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the
Calendar of July 15. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.J.R. 2801, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND
MEMORY OF JOHN L. MCCAIN, FORMER PHYSICIAN, with a favorable
report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of July 15.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Ethics:

H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT
TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT
ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER
CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE
ETHICS COMMITTEE, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute
Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on
the Calendar of July 15. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the
Unfavorable Calendar.

The House stands adjourned at 9:50 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SECOND DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Tuesday, July 15, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to
order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Patient God:

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"We humbly ask Thee to bear with us in the whirlwind of these final days. Even in our best times, we can be irritable and cranky. But, in a week like this that quickly turns from days to hours we can become fatigued. Sometimes our patience runs thin, maybe even with one another. Thank You for always being patient with us. Temper our hearts that we too, may bear with and be patient here with our friends. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 14 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Brown, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright for today. Representatives Church, Holmes, and Weiss are excused for a portion of the Session.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**S.B. 1314**, AN ACT AMENDING THE LAWS UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PRACTICE ACT TO EXPAND THE EXISTING LAWS REGULATING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD TO ESTABLISH FEES FOR LICENSING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; AND TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO CONDUCT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FROM STATE AND NATIONAL REPOSITORIES OF CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY.

**S.B. 1340**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF BLOCKS OF 10 TEN-DAY COASTAL RECREATIONAL FISHING LICENSES.

**S.B. 1704**, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS.

**S.B. 1736**, AN ACT TO ADD FELONY CHILD ABUSE TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY OFFENSES WHEN THE OFFENSE INVOLVES PROSTITUTION OF A JUVENILE OR THE COMMISSION OF A SEXUAL ACT UPON A JUVENILE, TO REQUIRE THAT A SEX OFFENDER REGISTER HIS OR HER ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS OR OTHER ONLINE IDENTIFIER IN THE STATEWIDE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY, TO ALLOW LIMITED RELEASE OF ONLINE IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY TO CERTAIN

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ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICES AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCREENING ONLINE USERS, TO DIRECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS TO DEVELOP PROCEDURES TO ENSURE TIMELY NOTIFICATION OF THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INFORMATION AND SHERIFFS OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO REGISTER WHO ARE NOT SENTENCED TO ACTIVE TIME, AND TO AUTHORIZE FUNDS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO USE TO AWARD AS MATCHING GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE SHERIFFS' OFFICES TO ENHANCE AND SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE STATE'S SEX OFFENDER LAWS.

S.B. 1787, AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

S.B. 1860, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

S.B. 1967, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES IN ORDER TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY.

H.B. 2265, AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

H.B. 2308, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

H.B. 2318, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

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H.B. 2443, AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES, RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS.

H.B. 2768, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 488, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION.

S.B. 2160, AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE WINSTON-SALEM FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND.

H.B. 2093, AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF LOWELL AND MANTEO TO THE LIST OF CITIES WHERE MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES MAY USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITH POSTED SPEED LIMITS OF THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR OR LESS.

H.B. 2155, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR THE TOWNS OF HOLDEN BEACH AND OAK ISLAND.

H.B. 2488, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY'S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM.

H.B. 2760, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR TAKING FOXES WITH WEAPONS AND BY TRAPPING IN STOKES COUNTY.

H.B. 2784, AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENTS OF THE CITY OF FAYETTEVILLE AND THE PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION OF FAYETTEVILLE.

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CHAPTERD BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2634, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN CASWELL COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE. (S.L. 2008-96)

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Wiley sends forth the Conference Report on H.B. 887 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

H.B. 2785 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE TO ACQUIRE LOCKS AND DAMS ONE, TWO, AND THREE ON THE CAPE FEAR RIVER FROM THE UNITED STATES, with recommendation that the House concur.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

S.B. 2123 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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By Representative Carney, Chair, for the Committee on Transportation:

**H.B. 2136**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM PARTICIPATING IN OR COMPLYING WITH THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005, with a favorable report and recommendation that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

**S.B. 685** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO STUDY REQUIRING THE SIGNATURE OF THE PATIENT'S PARENT, GUARDIAN, OR REPRESENTATIVE ON "DO NOT RESUSCITATE" ORDER FORMS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**SUBCOMMITTEE REFERRAL**

Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Standing Committee on Appropriations, refer **S.B. 1100** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, to the Appropriations Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representatives Stam, McGee, Folwell, and Justice (Primary Sponsors); Avila, Barnhart, Blackwood, Blust, Boylan, Brubaker, Clary, Cleveland, Current, Daughtridge, Daughtry, Dockham, Dollar, Frye, Furr, Gillespie, Gulley, Hilton, Holloway, Holmes, Hurley, Justus, Killian, Kiser, Langdon, Lewis, McElraft, Moore, Neumann, Pate, Ray, Samuelson, Setzer, Starnes, Steen, Thomas, Tillis, Walend, Walker, West, and Wiley:

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H.R. 2806, A HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING CONGRESS TO ALLOW NORTH CAROLINA TO DETERMINE WHETHER OFFSHORE EXPLORATION AND DRILLING SHOULD BE ALLOWED OFF THE COAST OF NORTH CAROLINA, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1889 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR QUALIFYING WILDLIFE CONSERVATION LAND AND TO CLARIFY THE PRESENT-USE VALUATION OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO A CONSERVATION EASEMENT, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2313, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2314 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

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Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

S.B. 2064 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE OPEN GOVERNMENT UNIT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, TO ESTABLISH A FEE FOR SERVICES OF MEDIATION AND MODERATION BY THE OPEN GOVERNMENT UNIT, AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE SUCCESSFUL PLAINTIFF IN A PUBLIC RECORDS DISPUTE IS ENTITLED TO REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I and, if favorable, to the Committee on Finance.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Without objection, H.J.R. 2801, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JOHN L. MCCAIN, FORMER PHYSICIAN, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Michaux moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 274

To: The President of the Senate
    The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 274, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE ADDITIONAL OFFENSES, PENALTIES, AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE FOR PERSONS INVOLVED IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG SUPPRESSION ACT.", Senate Rules and Operations of the Senate Committee Substitute Adopted 5/20/08, submit the following report:

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The Senate and the House agree to the following amendment to the Senate Rules and Operations of the Senate Committee Substitute Adopted 5/20/08, and the House concurs in the Senate Committee Substitute as amended:
Delete the entire Senate Rules and Operations of the Senate Committee Substitute Adopted 5/20/08, and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute H274-PCCS51062-RV-2.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 14, 2008.

Conferees for the
Senate
S/ Malcolm Graham, Chair
S/ Julia Boseman
S/ Daniel G. Clodfelter
S/ Fletcher L. Hartsell, Jr.
S/ Vernon Malone
S/ Floyd B. McKissick
S/ Tony Rand
S/ John Snow

Conferees for the
House of Representatives
S/ Henry M. Michaux, Jr., Chair
S/ Phillip Frye
S/ R. Tracy Walker
S/ Dan Blue
S/ Tricia Ann Cotham
S/ William A. Current, Sr.
S/ Becky Carney
S/ Larry D. Hall
S/ Ronnie Sutton

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (110-1), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 214.)

BILL TEMPORARILY DISPLACED

On motion of Representative Glazier, the Conference Report on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, is temporarily displaced and moved to the end of the Calendar.

CALENDAR (continued)

H.B. 472 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MOVE ELECTIONS FOR THE TOWN OF ROPER TO THE TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS.

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On motion of Representative Spear, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill and the bill is ordered enrolled.

**H.B. 2779** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY.

On motion of Representative Mobley, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill and the bill is ordered enrolled.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1770** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE PARTIES TO CONSERVATION AND PRESERVATION AGREEMENTS TO INCLUDE PROVISIONS IN THE AGREEMENTS FOR THE PAYMENT OF FEES UPON FUTURE CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE AGREEMENTS.

On motion of Representative McComas, the House concurs in the material Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and the bill remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Brown, Church, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 7.

**H.B. 2509** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, July 15, 2008
DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

On motion of Representative Gibson, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill by electronic vote (112-0).

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

H.B. 2755, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate.


Excused absences: Representatives Brown, Church, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 7.

H.B. 2756, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

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Excused absences: Representatives Brown, Church, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 7.

H.B. 2609 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO END DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION SUPERVISION OF EMPLOYEES OF COUNTIES, CITIES, AND TOWNS THAT ARE ENGAGED IN VETERANS SERVICE IN ALAMANCE, HARNETT, SAMPSON, AND WAYNE COUNTIES.

Representative Boylan offers Amendment No. 2 which is adopted. This amendment changes the title.

Representative Sutton offers Amendment No. 3 which is adopted. This amendment changes the title.

The caption having been amended, the bill remains on the Calendar.

S.B. 1627 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Clary, Cleveland, July 15, 2008

Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Brown, Church, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 7.

S.B. 1697 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.


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Excused absences: Representatives Brown, Church, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 7.

S.B. 1799 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE.

Representative Faison offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (112-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment by Special Message.


Excused absences: Representatives Brown, Church, Dickson, Howard, Johnson, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 7.

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H.B. 2499 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Church requests that he be excused from voting on this bill. This request is granted.

Representative Rapp offers Amendment No. 4 which is adopted by electronic vote (89-21).

Representative Thomas offers Amendment No. 5 which is adopted by electronic vote (109-0).

Representative Stam offers Amendment No. 6 which is adopted by electronic vote (111-0).

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 7.

Representative Lewis inquires if the amendment can be divided pursuant to Rule 24.1B.

Representative Lewis withdraws the amendment.

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 8.

Representative Lewis withdraws the amendment.

Representative Lewis offers Amendment No. 9 which fails of adoption by electronic vote (44-67).

Representative Goforth requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "no". The adjusted vote total is (44-68).

Representative Gillespie offers Amendment No. 10 which is adopted by electronic vote (109-3).

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (92-20), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

S.B. 1695 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS RELATED TO DRIVERS LICENSES, REGISTRATION PLATES ISSUED TO FARM VEHICLES, AND VEHICLE SIZE AND July 15, 2008
WEIGHT LIMITATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative McComas be excused from voting on July 14 is continued.

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (101-10), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.

**H.B. 2542** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (110-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (109-1), and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2788** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPOINT PERSONS TO VARIOUS PUBLIC OFFICES UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Pierce requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (113-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**S.B. 741** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING ADVANCE PAYMENTS BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIAN TRIBES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Ray requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (112-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

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S.B. 1652 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES TO CLARIFY LEGISLATIVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION DOCUMENTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

S.B. 1797 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative J. Harrell requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because of a conflict. This request is granted.

Representative Faison offers Amendment No. 1.

The Speaker stops debate and attends to the following business.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.J.R. 2171, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF EDWARD M. "ED" O'HERRON, JR., FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is read the first time.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on the Calendar for immediate consideration.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (108-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

CALENDAR (continued)

S.B. 1797 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED

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BY THE COMMITTEE, which was temporarily displaced, with Amendment No. 1 pending, is before the Body.

Representative Faison offers Amendment No. 2, perfecting Amendment No. 1, which is adopted by electronic vote (95-14).

Representative Faison calls the previous question on the amendment and the call is sustained by electronic vote (96-12).

Amendment No. 1, as perfected by Amendment No. 2, fails of adoption by electronic vote (53-57).

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (109-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative T. Harrell requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (110-0).

On motion of Representative Crawford and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 16.

FISCAL NOTE ATTACHED

The fiscal note requested by Representative Crawford on July 14 is attached to S.B. 2075 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR A TEMPORARY INCREASE IN THE CAP ON AMOUNTS COMMITTED UNDER THE JOB DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT GRANT PROGRAM, and the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Stam moves that the bill be withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Representative Owens, seconded by Representative Gibson, the motion is tabled by electronic vote (62-49).

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (86-25).

Representative Neumann objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

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WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Glazier, the Conference Report on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, which was temporarily displaced, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 16.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 15, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for H.B. 274 (Conference Committee Substitute), AN ACT TO CREATE ADDITIONAL OFFENSES, PENALTIES, AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE FOR PERSONS INVOLVED IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG SUPPRESSION ACT."

Pursuant to your message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 15, 2008

July 15, 2008
Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to the message from the Senate on July 14, 2008, informing the House of Representatives that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to S.B. 180 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT AN ALTERNATE JUROR MAY REPLACE A JUROR WHO IS UNABLE TO PERFORM THE JUROR’S DUTIES, IS DISQUALIFIED FROM PERFORMING THE JUROR’S DUTIES, OR IS DISCHARGED FOR MISCONDUCT OR OTHER EXTRAORDINARY CAUSE DURING DELIBERATION BY THE JURY ON THE ISSUES, it is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the Senate requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Rand, Chair  
Senator Garrou  
Senator Kinnaird  
Senator Goss

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,  
S/ Janet B. Pruitt  
Principal Clerk

The Speaker appoints Representatives Rapp, Goodwin, Sutton, Holloway, and Kiser, as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 819 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS TO PROVIDE THAT: (1) AN APPLICATION FOR A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FOR A PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELL THAT IS TO BE LOCATED ON A SITE ON WHICH A WASTE-WATER SYSTEM IS LOCATED MAY BE ACCOMPANIED BY A SITE PLAN RATHER THAN A PLAT; (2) PROOF OF COMPLETION OF ANY REQUIRED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IS REQUIRED FOR RENEWAL OF A WELL CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATE; AND (3) CIVIL PENALTIES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR

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OTHER STATE AGENCY UNDER ARTICLE 4 OF CHAPTER 113A OF THE GENERAL STATUTES SHALL BE USED AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 7 OF ARTICLE IX OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is returned for concurrence in Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Finance and, if favorable, to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

The Speaker rules the Senate committee substitute bill to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

S.B. 1796 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ALLOW A CERTAIN INCOME DISREGARD UNDER THE MEDICAID PROGRAM, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

S.B. 1046 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RIGHT TO WITHDRAW AND WITHHOLD LIFE-PROLONGING MEASURES ON A LIVING WILL; TO PROVIDE THAT A LIVING WILL OR HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY MAY PROVIDE THAT THE HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY SUPERSEDES A LIVING WILL; TO SPECIFY THAT THE LAW DOES NOT ALLOW ANY ACTION OR OMISSION TO END LIFE; TO SPECIFY THE NOTARY REQUIREMENTS; TO CHANGE THE TERMINOLOGY FROM LIFE-SUSTAINING PROCEDURES TO LIFE-PROLONGING MEASURES; TO CLARIFY THAT A HEALTH CARE

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AGENT'S AUTHORITY ON DISPOSITION OF THE PRINCIPAL'S REMAINS IS LIMITED TO INCURRING REASONABLE COSTS; TO CREATE A PROCEDURE ALLOWING A GUARDIAN OF THE PRINCIPAL TO ASK A COURT TO SUSPEND A HEALTH CARE AGENT'S AUTHORITY; TO PROVIDE HOW LONG A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER MAY RELY ON A HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY; TO CLARIFY A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER'S RELIANCE ON VARIOUS HEALTH CARE POWERS OF ATTORNEY; TO CREATE A NEW STATUTORY HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY FORM; TO CLARIFY THE VALIDITY OF A HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY FORM FROM ANOTHER STATE; TO ALLOW A GUARDIAN OR LEGAL GUARDIAN TO ASK THE CLERK TO SUSPEND A HEALTH CARE AGENT; TO PROHIBIT A GUARDIAN FROM REVOKING A LIVING WILL; TO CLARIFY WHEN A HEALTH CARE AGENT MAY MAKE DECISIONS FOR A WARD FOR WHOM A LEGAL GUARDIAN OR GUARDIAN HAS BEEN APPOINTED; TO RECOGNIZE MILITARY ADVANCE DIRECTIVES; TO DEFINE DECLARATION, REPEAL THE DEFINITION OF EXTRAORDINARY MEANS, DEFINE LIFE-PROLONGING MEASURES, AND REPEAL PERSISTENT VEGETATIVE STATE; TO SPECIFY WHEN AN ATTENDING PHYSICIAN MAY WITHHOLD LIFE-PROLONGING MEASURES IF THERE IS A LIVING WILL; TO CREATE A NEW STATUTORY FORM FOR LIVING WILLS; TO CLARIFY HOW TO REVOKE A DECLARATION; TO CLARIFY THE SCOPE OF IMMUNITY OF A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER WHOFollows A REVOKED DECLARATION; TO ALLOW PROTECTIONS OF DECLARATIONS EXECUTED IN OTHER STATES OR DECLARATIONS THAT DO NOT FOLLOW THE STATUTORY FORM; TO ALLOW A PHYSICIAN TO DECLINE TO HONOR A DECLARATION IN CERTAIN INSTANCES; TO SPECIFY WHEN LIFE-PROLONGING MEASURES MAY BE WITHHELD WHERE THERE IS NO DECLARATION; TO LIST WHO MAY CONSENT TO TREATMENT IF THE PATIENT CANNOT MAKE DECISIONS; TO CREATE THE MEDICAL ORDER FOR SCOPE OF TREATMENT (MOST) FORM AND SPECIFY REQUIRED INFORMATION ON THE FORM; TO PROVIDE THAT REMOVAL OF A DOCUMENT FROM THE ADVANCE DIRECTIVE REGISTRY DATA-BASE DOES NOT AFFECT ITS VALIDITY; TO PROVIDE THAT A HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY CAN SUPERSEDE A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S AUTHORITY ON THE DISPOSITION OF THE PRINCIPAL'S BODY; TO DIRECT A STUDY ON WHETHER A PERSON MAY REQUIRE THAT MEDICAL CARE BE PROVIDED; AND TO DIRECT A STUDY ON END-OF-LIFE MEDICAL CARE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 3, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 3 is placed on the Calendar of July 16. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 1326** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE CONSISTENCY IN WAIVER OF IMMUNITY BY LOCAL GOVERNMENT BY TREATING PARTICIPATION IN RISK POOLS AND TRUSTS FOR PAYMENT OF LIABILITY CLAIMS BY SCHOOL BOARDS LIKE PARTICIPATION IN OTHER GOVERNMENTAL RISK POOLS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

**H.B. 2506**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS FOR APPEALS FROM CIVIL PENALTIES ASSESSED BY A LOCAL GOVERNMENT THAT HAS ESTABLISHED AND ADMINISTERS AN EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL PROGRAM APPROVED UNDER G.S. 113A-60, AND TO PROVIDE THAT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH APPROVED PROGRAMS MAY ISSUE STOP-WORK ORDERS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill, and recommendation that the committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship.

The serial referral to the Committee on Commerce, Small Business, and Entrepreneurship is stricken.

Pursuant to Rule 38(b), the committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Finance. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**S.B. 845**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO CLARIFY THAT DRAFT FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLANS ARE NOT SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. **1259** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A PROVIDER OF WATER SERVICES WHO SATISFIES THE STANDARDS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DRINKING WATER ACT IS NOT AN INSURER OF THE QUALITY OF WATER PROVIDED, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill, and recommendation that the House committee substitute bill be re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

H.B. **2787** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO BE PAID IN MORE THAN TEN ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS AND TO BE PLEDGED TO THE REPAYMENT OF REVENUE BONDS ISSUED FOR CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS, with a favorable report as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, unfavorable as to Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 16. Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

S.B. **1631** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY HOW PUBLIC BODIES IN HYDE COUNTY MAY CONDUCT BUSINESS DURING MEETINGS INVOLVING SIMULTANEOUS COMMUNICATION, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

S.B. **2056** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

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S.B. 2107 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET THE INSURANCE AND PUBLIC UTILITY REGULATORY FEES, TO IMPOSE A FEE FOR FLOOD HAZARD DETERMINATION FORMS COMPLETED BY LENDERS, TO IMPOSE A STATE JUDICIAL FACILITIES FEE, TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF FORTY MILLION DOLLARS OF SPECIAL INDEBTEDNESS FOR STATE JUDICIAL FACILITIES, TO ADJUST VARIOUS FEES, AND TO EXPAND THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENT FOR HOME CARE SERVICES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Boylan, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the appointment of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 16 at 2:00 p.m.

The motion carries.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Martin, Chair, for the Committee on Homeland Security, Military, and Veterans Affairs:

S.B. 1770 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL DEATHS OCCURRING IN CERTAIN STATE FACILITIES BE REPORTED AND TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE THESE DEATHS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

The serial referral to the Committee on Appropriations is stricken.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the House committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

**H.B. 2136**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM PARTICIPATING IN OR COMPLYING WITH THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 16.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

**S.B. 1407** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET, TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET, AND TO IMPOSE A PRIVILEGE TAX ON THE INTERNET SALES OF TICKETS IN EXCESS OF THE PRINTED PRICE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 16. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The House stands adjourned at 6:45 p.m.

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**ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-THIRD DAY**

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, July 16, 2008

The House meets at 2:00 p.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God:

July 16, 2008"
"The story of Your interaction with humanity is filled with times of both pleasure and displeasure. You have always been pleased when Your people saw to it that they were neat and tidy on the inside. You have always shown displeasure when they took great effort to look good on the outside but were not so sincere in their inward thoughts and motives. Today, in keeping a House tradition with our brims and bows, we are all cleaned up. Some might even say we look good. But, in looking good, let us also hope that our inward appearances are also as presentable. Only you know us inwardly, O God. Would that our inner being, our hearts and minds, might be as neat and tidy as the clothes we wear. Amen."

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 15 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, and Wainwright for today. Representatives Blue, Harrison, and Howard are excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 942, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM ENACTING ORDINANCES THAT WOULD RESTRICT DISTRIBUTION OF NEWSPAPERS.

H.B. 274, AN ACT TO CREATE ADDITIONAL OFFENSES, PENALTIES, AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE FOR PERSONS INVOLVED IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG SUPPRESSION ACT."

H.B. 2432, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, TO STUDY AND DEVELOP PLANS TO ENHANCE DISASTER MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES AT THE COUNTY LEVEL; AND TO ALLOW THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL GUARD TO APPOINT A DEPUTY ADJUTANT GENERAL WHO HOLDS THE RANK OF MAJOR GENERAL.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

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H.B. 472, AN ACT TO MOVE ELECTIONS FOR THE TOWN OF ROPER TO THE TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS.

H.B. 2267, AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES.

H.B. 2779, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY.

The following resolutions are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.J.R. 2171, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF EDWARD M. "ED" O'HERRON, JR., FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. (RESOLUTION 2008-28)

H.J.R. 2801, A JOINT RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE AND MEMORY OF JOHN L. MCCAIN, FORMER PHYSICIAN. (RESOLUTION 2008-29)

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 488, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CARRBORO CHARTER TO ALLOW THE TOWN TO LIMIT BY ORDINANCE THE AMOUNT THAT PERSONS MAY CONTRIBUTE TO A CANDIDATE, AS LONG AS THE LIMIT IS NO LOWER THAN TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER ELECTION. (S.L. 2008-97)

S.B. 2160, AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE WINSTON-SALEM FIREMEN'S RETIREMENT FUND. (S.L. 2008-98)

H.B. 2093, AN ACT TO ADD THE TOWNS OF LOWELL AND MANTEO TO THE LIST OF CITIES WHERE MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES MAY USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON HIGHWAYS WITH POSTED SPEED LIMITS OF THIRTY-FIVE MILES PER HOUR OR LESS. (S.L. 2008-99)

H.B. 2155, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A NO-WAKE SPEED ZONE NEAR THE TOWNS OF HOLDEN BEACH AND OAK ISLAND. (S.L. 2008-100)

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H.B. 2488, AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CHARLOTTE TO ALLOW ADJUSTMENT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE OF THE CITY'S SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM. (S.L. 2008-101)

H.B. 2760, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SEASON FOR TAKING FOXES WITH WEAPONS AND BY TRAPPING IN STOKES COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-102)


REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees and permanent subcommittees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

H.B. 2382 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REGULATE OR PROHIBIT NEW IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS USED FOR LAWNS AND LANDSCAPING THAT ARE CONNECTED TO THE PUBLIC POTABLE WATER SUPPLY, with a favorable report, as amended.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

S.B. 1259 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT WATER SUPPLIED BY A PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM REGULATED UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA DRINKING WATER ACT IS NOT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN WARRANTIES, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

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H.B. 819 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED COMPUTER EQUIPMENT, TO PROVIDE FOR MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED TELEVISIONS, TO DELAY THE EFFECTIVE DATE UNTIL 1 JANUARY 2010, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING AND TECHNICAL CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with recommendation that the House concur and that the bill be re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

The bill is re-referred to the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

S.B. 2157, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

S.B. 1214 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

By Representative England, Chair, for the Committee on Health:

S.B. 4, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE SHERIFFS TO INSPECT PRESCRIPTION PROFILES AND STOCKS OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

The House committee substitute bill is re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Bordsen and Love, Chairs, for the Appropriations Subcommittee on Justice and Public Safety, with approval of standing committee Chairs for report to be made directly to the floor of the House:

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S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 964 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF HOME CARE SERVICES TO INCLUDE IN-HOME COMPANION, SITTER, AND RESPITE CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL, is returned for concurrence in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

Upon concurrence Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 changes the title.

The Speaker rules the Senate committee substitute bill to be material, thus constituting its first reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1230 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Alcoholic Beverage Control.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

H.B. 2167 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2353** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Wiley moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 887**

To: The President of the Senate
    The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 887, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR STALKING, Senate Judiciary I (Civil) Committee Substitute Adopted 6/26/08, submit the following report:

The House and Senate agree to the following amendment to the Senate Judiciary I (Civil) Committee Substitute Adopted 6/26/08 and the House concurs in the Senate Committee Substitute as amended:

Delete the entire Senate Committee Substitute and substitute the attached proposed Conference Committee Substitute H887-PCCS70807-RK-6.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 15, 2008.

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The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (110-1), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

Representative Ross states that her voting equipment malfunctioned and she requests to change her vote from "no" to "aye". This request is granted. The adjusted vote total is (111-0).

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Glazier and without objection, the Conference Report on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, is withdrawn from the Calendar and placed on the Calendar of July 17.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1770 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE PARTIES TO CONSERVATION AND PRESERVATION AGREEMENTS TO INCLUDE PROVISIONS IN THE AGREEMENTS FOR THE PAYMENT OF FEES UPON FUTURE CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE AGREEMENTS.

The House concurs in the material Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, on its third roll call reading, by the following vote, and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blust, Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Current, Daughtridge, Daughtry, Dickson, Dockham, Dollar, Earle, England, Faison, Farmer-Butterfield, July 16, 2008

Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 4.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1889 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR QUALIFYING WILDLIFE CONSERVATION LAND AND TO CLARIFY THE PRESENT-USE VALUATION OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO A CONSERVATION EASEMENT.

On motion of Representative Harrison, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (107-4), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2313, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Cole, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (111-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2314 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

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On motion of Representative Cole, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (109-2), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2785, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

On motion of Representative Dickson, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (110-1), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Barnhart, H.B. 2787 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO BE PAID IN MORE THAN TEN ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS AND TO BE PLEDGED TO THE REPAYMENT OF REVENUE BONDS ISSUED FOR CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 2:29 p.m.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

CALENDAR (continued)

S.B. 1631 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY HOW PUBLIC BODIES IN HYDE COUNTY MAY CONDUCT BUSINESS DURING MEETINGS INVOLVING SIMULTANEOUS COMMUNICATION.

Representative McGee offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted by electronic vote (110-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

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The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**H.B. 2609** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO END DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION SUPERVISION OF EMPLOYEES OF COUNTIES, CITIES, TOWNS, AND AMERICAN INDIAN TRIBES THAT ARE ENGAGED IN VETERANS SERVICE IN ALAMANCE, MOORE, HARNETT, SAMPSON, AND WAYNE COUNTIES.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (112-0), and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**S.B. 2123** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**S.B. 1407** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET.

Representative J. Harrell offers Amendment No. 1.

On motion of Representative Gibson, the bill, with pending amendment No. 1, is temporarily displaced.

**S.B. 2056** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, July 16, 2008
Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Howard, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 5.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

H.B. 1770, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE PARTIES TO CONSERVATION AND PRESERVATION AGREEMENTS TO INCLUDE PROVISIONS IN THE AGREEMENTS FOR THE PAYMENT OF FEES UPON FUTURE CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE AGREEMENTS AND TO ALLOW SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO BE PAID IN MORE THAN TEN ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS AND TO BE PLEDGED TO THE REPAYMENT OF REVENUE BONDS ISSUED FOR CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS.

H.B. 1889, AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR QUALIFYING WILDLIFE CONSERVATION LAND, TO CLARIFY THE PRESENT-USE VALUATION OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO A CONSERVATION EASEMENT, AND TO PROVIDE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR LEASEHOLD INTEREST IN CERTAIN EXEMPTED PROPERTY.

H.B. 2313, AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; AND TO EXEMPT CERTAIN GREENHOUSES LOCATED INSIDE THE BUILDING-RULES JURISDICTION OF ANY MUNICIPALITY FROM THE BUILDING CODE.

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H.B. 2314, AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, AND TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER-OPTIC CABLE.

H.B. 2785, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE TO ACQUIRE LOCKS AND DAMS ONE, TWO, AND THREE ON THE CAPE FEAR RIVER FROM THE UNITED STATES.

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2279, AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PERMIT EXEMPTION FOR OPEN FIRES WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF AN OCCUPIED DWELLING WITHIN THE LAKE ROYALE COMMUNITY.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 2530 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO UNITS OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY, is returned for concurrence in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Upon concurrence Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 changes the title.

H.B. 2570 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

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**H.B. 2623** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE HOME FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR HOME FORECLOSURE PREVENTION, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

**MOTION TO DISMISS CONFEREES**

On motion of Representative Weiss, the conferees on **H.B. 2341** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, are dismissed and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

Representative Weiss moves that the vote by which the House failed to concur in the Senate committee substitute be reconsidered. The motion carries by electronic vote (107-2).

Representative Weiss moves that the House concur in the Senate committee substitute bill.

On motion of Representative Weiss, the bill is temporarily displaced.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Luebke sends forth the Conference Report on **S.B. 1878** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO APPEAL THE APPRAISAL VALUE.
FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

The Speaker rules the Conference Report to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative Allen, Chair, for the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

**H.B. 819** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED COMPUTER EQUIPMENT, TO PROVIDE FOR MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED TELEVISIONS, TO DELAY THE EFFECTIVE DATE UNTIL 1 JANUARY 2010, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING AND TECHNICAL CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, with recommendation that the House concur.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Supplemental Calendar.

BILL TEMPORARILY DISPLACED

On motion of Representative Clary and without objection, **S.B. 2107** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENT FOR HOME CARE SERVICES, is temporarily displaced.

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S.B. 1797 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be excused from voting on July 15 is continued.

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (111-2), and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.

S.B. 2075 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR A TEMPORARY INCREASE IN THE CAP ON AMOUNTS COMMITTED UNDER THE JOB DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT GRANT PROGRAM, passes its third reading, by electronic vote (93-19), and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

Representative Martin requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (94-19).

H.B. 2136, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM PARTICIPATING IN OR COMPLYING WITH THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005.

Representative Cole calls the previous question on the passage of the bill and the call is sustained by electronic vote (88-26).

The bill passes its second reading by electronic vote (72-43).

Representative Hilton objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

S.B. 685 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PLACING OF A BURNING CROSS ANYWHERE IN THE STATE; RAISE THE PENALTY FOR BURNING A CROSS WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WITH THE INTENT TO
INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WHILE WEARING A MASK, HOOD, OR OTHER DISGUISE; TO CLARIFY THAT THE TERM “EXHIBIT” INCLUDES OBJECTS SUCH AS NOOSES; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR OFFENSE COMMITTED BECAUSE OF VICTIM'S BACKGROUND; TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF RECENT CROSS BURNINGS AND NOOSE HANGINGS ACROSS THE STATE; AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MODIFICATION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE STATE.

On motion of Representative Blue and without objection, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

S.B. 845 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; (2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT A TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT RULE GOVERNING THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011 AND TO SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013; (6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; (7) ESTABLISH, CONSOLIDATE, AMEND, OR REPEAL CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (8) CORRECT TECHNICAL ERRORS IN VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (105-6), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

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S.B. 1046 (House Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO STUDY THE IMPACTS ON THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA OF THE POTENTIAL ISSUANCE OF A FIFTY-YEAR LICENSE BY THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE OPERATION OF THE YADKIN HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Daughtry requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (114-0).

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 3 by Special Message.

S.B. 1770 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL DEATHS OCCURRING IN CERTAIN STATE FACILITIES BE REPORTED, TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE THESE DEATHS, AND TO STUDY DEATH REPORTING REQUIREMENTS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 1796 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ALLOW A CERTAIN INCOME DISREGARD UNDER THE SPECIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

H.B. 2341 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

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On motion of Representative Weiss, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (110-3), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 1407 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET, which was temporarily displaced, with Amendment No. 1 pending, is before the Body.

Representative J. Harrell offers perfecting Amendment No. 2 which is adopted by electronic vote (95-19).

Amendment No. 1, as perfected by Amendment No. 2, fails of adoption by electronic vote (55-60).

The bill passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 4.

Representative Brubaker requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (79-34).

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RE-REFERRALS

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 1326 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE LOCAL SCHOOL SYSTEMS TO IDENTIFY INDIVIDUALS ASSOCIATED WITH ALLEGED SCHOOL INCIDENTS UPON REQUEST OF AN INJURED PARTY, is withdrawn from the Calendar pursuant to Rule 36(b) and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.B. 4 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLECTION AND REPORTING OF RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA TO PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICIALS AND TO THE STATEWIDE DATA PROCESSOR, is withdrawn from the Committee on Judiciary I and pursuant to Rule 36(b) is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in House Amendment No. 1 to S.B. 1875 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Clodfelter, Chair
Senator Rand
Senator Brunstetter

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on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker appoints Representatives Glazier, Ross, Howard, Stam, and Lucas as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received on July 9, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Amendment No. 1 to H.B. 2773, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING THE TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM, THE JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM, THE LEGISLATIVE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AND THE FIREFMEN'S AND RESCUE SQUAD WORKERS' PENSION FUND, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Rand, Chair
Senator Stevens
Senator Hoyle

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for H.B. 887 (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING.

Pursuant to your message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

CONFERENCE APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on H.B. 2509 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA: Representatives Gibson, Weiss, Luebke, and McGee.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on S.B. 1925 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE

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UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE: Representatives Gibson, Insko, Faison, Daughtridge, and Luebke.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 5:55 p.m.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

CALENDAR (continued)

Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 964 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF HOME CARE SERVICES TO INCLUDE IN-HOME COMPANION, SITTER, AND RESPITE CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL.

On motion of Representative Clary, the House concurs in the material Senate committee substitute bill, on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and the bill remains on the Calendar.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 819 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS TO PROVIDE THAT: (1) AN APPLICATION FOR A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FOR A PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELL THAT IS TO BE LOCATED ON A SITE ON WHICH A WASTEWATER SYSTEM IS LOCATED MAY BE ACCOMPANIED BY A SITE PLAN RATHER THAN A PLAT; (2) PROOF OF COMPLETION OF ANY REQUIRED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IS REQUIRED FOR RENEWAL OF A WELL CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATE; AND (3) CIVIL PENALTIES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR OTHER STATE AGENCY UNDER ARTICLE 4 OF CHAPTER 113A OF THE GENERAL STATUTES SHALL BE USED AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 7 OF ARTICLE IX OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

On motion of Representative Gibson, the House concurs in the material Senate committee substitute bill, on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and the bill remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: Representative Starnes.

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Excused absences: Representatives Blue, Furr, Harrison, Holmes, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 6.

**H.B. 2167** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS.

On motion of Representative Williams, the House concurs in the material Senate committee substitute bill, on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and the bill remains on the Calendar.


Excused absences: Representatives Blue, Furr, Harrison, Holmes, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 6.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2353** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS.

On motion of Representative Gibson, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (58-52), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

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H.B. 2570 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT.

On motion of Representative Braxton, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (111-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

S.B. 1214 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS, passes its second reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Blue, Furr, Harrison, Holmes, Samuelson, and Wainwright - 6.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Clary and without objection, S.B. 2107 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE LICENSURE REQUIREMENT FOR HOME CARE SERVICES, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

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REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

S.B. 685 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PLACING OF A BURNING CROSS ANYWHERE IN THE STATE; RAISE THE PENALTY FOR BURNING A CROSS WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WHILE WEARING A MASK, HOOD, OR OTHER DISGUISE; TO CLARIFY THAT THE TERM "EXHIBIT" INCLUDES OBJECTS SUCH AS NOOSES; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR OFFENSE COMMITTED BECAUSE OF VICTIM'S BACKGROUND; TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF RECENT CROSS BURNINGS AND NOOSE HANGINGS ACROSS THE STATE; AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MODIFICATION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE STATE, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 17. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

H.B. 2214, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN EXISTING CHARTER SCHOOL TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 17. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

H.B. 2438, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 17. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representatives Luebke, Gibson, and Weiss, Chairs, for the Committee on Finance:

**H.B. 2530** (Senate Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL TAX AND TO ALLOW A REFUND FOR ALL UNSALABLE OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS, with recommendation that the House concur.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the bill is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

**S.J.R. 1634**, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF DAVID MCCOY AS STATE CONTROLLER, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the resolution is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in House Committee Substitute No. 2 to **S.B. 1263** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELECTION LAWS; TO REQUIRE THAT A PERSON APPOINTED TO FILL A VACANCY IN AN ELECTIVE OFFICE BE QUALIFIED TO VOTE FOR THAT OFFICE IF AN ELECTION WAS HELD ON THE DATE OF APPOINTMENT, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Clodfelter, Chair
Senator Nesbitt
Senator Rand
Senator Berger of Franklin
Senator Stevens
Senator Berger of Rockingham

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on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker appoints Representatives Goodwin, Ross, Martin, Justice, Bryant, and Stiller as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2788 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPOINT PERSONS TO VARIOUS PUBLIC OFFICES UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Hall, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the appointment of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, and the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 17 at 10:00 a.m.

The motion carries.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Gibson sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 1925 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY,

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ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

The Speaker rules the Conference Report to be material, thus constituting its first reading.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1253**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REVISE THE JUVENILE CODE WITH REGARD TO SECURE CUSTODY ORDERS, DELINQUENCY HISTORY LEVELS, AND DISPOSITIONAL LIMITS OF DELINQUENT JUVENILES, is returned for concurrence in Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Judiciary II.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2492** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

**S.B. 1632** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS OTHER TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

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H.B. 1134 (Senate Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DECONSTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES, is returned for concurrence in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Calendar of July 17.

The House stands adjourned.

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ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Thursday, July 17, 2008

The House meets at 10:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Merciful God:

"We are grateful to You for Your faithfulness to us over this two-year Legislative Session. We believe that our prayers were not simply hula hoops that we jumped through in order to proceed with the days’ Calendars. Rather we choose to believe that You really have cared about what we have done, how we have done it, and how it has affected and still affects the people we serve. So, once again, we offer You our thanks for Your grace and mercy. Grant us now the endurance to finish this race that is before us, to end our course with resolve and with hope that we have done the very best we could; and do for us, Most Merciful God, all of that which we cannot do for ourselves, we humbly pray. Amen."

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 16 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright for today. Representatives Goforth, Luebke, and E. Warren are excused for a portion of the Session.

**ENROLLED BILLS**

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**S.B. 741**, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING ADVANCE PAYMENTS BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIAN TRIBES.

**S.B. 963**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOURS OF LABOR AND OVERTIME COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

**S.B. 1652**, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES TO CLARIFY LEGISLATIVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION DOCUMENTS.

**S.B. 1695**, AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS RELATED TO DRIVERS LICENSES, REGISTRATION PLATES ISSUED TO FARM VEHICLES, AND VEHICLE SIZE AND WEIGHT LIMITATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

**S.B. 1799**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE.

**H.B. 887**, AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING.

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**H.B. 1563**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE LINE-OF-DUTY DEATH BENEFITS TO FIRE AND RESCUE INSTRUCTORS WHO ARE OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR THESE BENEFITS BUT WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY COVERED WHILE CONDUCTING FIRE AND RESCUE TRAINING OUTSIDE THEIR OWN DEPARTMENTS.

**H.B. 2341**, AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE.

**H.B. 2353**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS AND TO ADD TWO MORE LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENTS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA APPRAISAL BOARD.

**H.B. 2570**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT.

**CHAPTERED BILLS**

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 472**, AN ACT TO MOVE ELECTIONS FOR THE TOWN OF ROPER TO THE TUESDAY AFTER THE FIRST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS. (S.L. 2008-104)

**H.B. 2267**, AN ACT TO REVISE AND CONSOLIDATE THE CHARTER OF THE VILLAGE OF WHISPERING PINES. (S.L. 2008-105)

**H.B. 2779**, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING THE TAKING OF DEER FROM A BOAT IN BERTIE COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-106)

**H.B. 2436**, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, TO AUTHORIZE INDEBTEDNESS FOR CAPITAL PROJECTS, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS TAX LAW AND FEE CHANGES. (S.L. 2008-107)

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H.B. 2279, AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PERMIT EXEMPTION FOR OPEN FIRES WITHIN ONE HUNDRED FEET OF AN OCCUPIED DWELLING WITHIN THE LAKE ROYALE COMMUNITY. (S.L. 2008-108)

CONFEREES APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on S.B. 132 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE: Representatives Blue, Love, Weiss, and Moore.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

Representative Luebke moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

House Committee Substitute for S.B. 1878

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 1878, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO

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DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, House Committee Substitute Favorable 6/24/08 Fifth Edition Engrossed 7/2/08, Corrected Copy 7/3/08, submit the following report:

The Senate and House agree to the following amendment and the Senate concurs in House Committee Substitute Favorable 6/24/08, Fifth Edition Engrossed 7/2/08, Corrected Copy 7/3/08, as amended:

on page 2, lines 39 through 41, by rewriting those lines to read:

"Advancement. – A county whose population is 75,000 or greater according to the most recent annual population estimates certified to the Secretary by the State Budget Officer must conduct a reappraisal of real property when the county's sales assessment ratio determined under G.S. 105-289(h) is less than .85 or greater than 1.15, as indicated on"

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 16, 2008.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be excused from voting on June 26 is continued.

The material Conference Report is adopted, on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Current, Daughtridge, Daughtry, Dickson, Dockham, Dollar, Earle, England, Faison, Fisher, Folwell, Frye, Gibson, Gillespie, Glazier, Goforth, Goodwin, Grady,
Voting in the negative: Representative Starnes.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

Excused vote: Representative J. Harrell.

Representative Allred requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "aye" to "no". The adjusted vote total is (109-2).

Representative Gibson moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**House Committee Substitute for S.B. 1925**

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 1925, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE, House Committee Substitute Favorable 6/30/08 Fourth Edition Engrossed 7/7/08 Fifth Edition Engrossed 7/8/08, Corrected Copy 7/8/08, submit the following report:

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The House agrees to the same.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 16, 2008.

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Senate House of Representatives

S/ Tony Rand, Chair S/ Pryor Gibson, Chair
S/ Richard Stevens S/ Verla Insko
S/ Fletcher L. Hartsell, Jr. S/ Bill Faison
S/ Bill Daughtridge
S/ Paul Luebke

The material Conference Report is adopted, on its second roll call reading, by the following vote, and remains on the Calendar.


Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

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BILL TEMPORARILY DISPLACED

On motion of Representative Glazier, the Conference Report on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, is temporarily displaced.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 819 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS TO PROVIDE THAT: (1) AN APPLICATION FOR A CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FOR A PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELL THAT IS TO BE LOCATED ON A SITE ON WHICH A WASTEWATER SYSTEM IS LOCATED MAY BE ACCOMPANIED BY A SITE PLAN RATHER THAN A PLAT; (2) PROOF OF COMPLETION OF ANY REQUIRED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT IS REQUIRED FOR RENEWAL OF A WELL CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATE; AND (3) CIVIL PENALTIES COLLECTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OR OTHER STATE AGENCY UNDER ARTICLE 4 OF CHAPTER 113A OF THE GENERAL STATUTES SHALL BE USED AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 7 OF ARTICLE IX OF THE CONSTITUTION OF NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

The House concurs in the material Senate committee substitute bill, on its third roll call reading, by the following vote, and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.


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Voting in the negative: Representative Moore.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

Representative Moore requests and is granted permission to change his vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (113-0).

H.B. 964 (Senate Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF HOME CARE SERVICES TO INCLUDE IN-HOME COMPANION, SITTER, AND RESPITE CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: Representative Blackwood.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

H.B. 2167 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

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Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

H.B. 1134 (Senate Committee Substitute No. 2), AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DESTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DESTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES.

On motion of Representative Haire, the House concurs in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, by electronic vote (113-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2492 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

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On motion of Representative Justus, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (112-1), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Representative Fisher requests and is granted permission to change her vote from "no" to "aye". The adjusted vote total is (113-0).

Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for H.B. 2530 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT TO CONTRIBUTORS TO UNITS OF STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY PROPERTY.

On motion of Representative Luebke, the House concurs in Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, by electronic vote (109-3), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2788 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO APPOINT PERSONS TO VARIOUS PUBLIC OFFICES UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Representative Owens, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (113-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled.

H.B. 2623 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE HOME FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR HOME FORECLOSURE PREVENTION.

On motion of Representative Blue, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (113-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2382 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF CHAPEL HILL TO REGULATE OR PROHIBIT NEW IRRIGATION SYSTEMS FOR RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENTS USED FOR LAWNS AND LANDSCAPING THAT ARE CONNECTED TO THE PUBLIC POTABLE WATER SUPPLY.

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On motion of Representative Insko, Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted.

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered engrossed and sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**S.B. 2157**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY, passes its second reading and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

**S.B. 1100** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

On motion of Representative Haire, the bill is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary III.

**S.B. 1259** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT WATER SUPPLIED BY A PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM REGULATED UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA DRINKING WATER ACT IS NOT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN WARRANTIES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

**H.B. 2214** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN EXISTING CHARTER SCHOOLS TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES.

On motion of Representative Church and without objection, the bill is temporarily displaced.

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S.B. 1214 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.


Voting in the negative: None.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

S.B. 1407 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET.

Representative Braxton moves that the bill be temporarily displaced.

Representative Braxton withdraws his motion.

Representative Braxton offers Amendment No. 3.

Representative Gibson calls the previous question on the amendment.

Representative Gibson withdraws his motion.

Amendment No. 3 fails of adoption by electronic vote (50-64).

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The bill passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.


Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

S.B. 2056 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES, passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Voting in the negative: Representative West.

Excused absences: Representatives Furr, Holmes, Samuelson, Saunders, and Wainwright - 5.

**H.B. 2136**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PREVENT THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA FROM PARTICIPATING IN OR COMPLYING WITH THE REAL ID ACT OF 2005.

Representative Cole calls the previous question on the passage of the bill.

Representative Thomas moves, seconded by Representative Boylan, that the motion be tabled. The motion fails by electronic vote (50-61).

The call for the previous question is sustained by electronic vote (63-51).

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (69-45), and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**H.B. 2438** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING MODIFICATIONS TO THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2008; TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH INSURANCE RISK POOL FUND; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO FUND ADDITIONAL PLANNING GRANTS FOR LEARN AND EARN AND EXPEND FUNDS TO INFORM EIGHTH AND NINTH GRADERS ABOUT OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS; TO MAINTAIN FIVE FLOODPLAIN MAPPING POSITIONS; TO ADJUST THE COMPENSATION OF THE CHIEF COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE TO CREATE AN EQUIVALENT PAY DIFFERENTIAL RELATIVE TO THE PAY OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT; TO AUTHORIZE WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE, AND MOUNTAIN AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CONSORTIUM TO EXPEND FUNDS FOR BUILDING THE NORTH CAROLINA CENTER FOR HEALTH AND AGING; AND TO PROVIDE THAT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, EDGECOMBE COMMUNITY COLLEGE,

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Representative Stam objects to the third reading. The bill remains on the Calendar.

S.B. 4 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLECTION AND REPORTING OF RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA TO PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICIALS AND TO THE STATEWIDE DATA PROCESSOR, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (114-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

S.B. 685 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PLACING OF A BURNING CROSS ON ANY PUBLIC PLACE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR BURNING A CROSS WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WHILE WEARING A MASK, HOOD, OR OTHER DISGUISE; TO CLARIFY THAT THE TERM "EXHIBIT" INCLUDES OBJECTS SUCH AS NOOSES; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR OFFENSE COMMITTED BECAUSE OF VICTIM'S BACKGROUND; TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF RECENT CROSS BURNINGS AND NOOSE HANGINGS ACROSS THE STATE; AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MODIFICATION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE STATE, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-1), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 by Special Message.

S.J.R. 1634, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF DAVID MCCOY AS STATE CONTROLLER, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

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H.B. 2214 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CERTAIN EXISTING CHARTER SCHOOLS TO ELECT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (113-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

S.B. 869 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ADD FELONY CHILD ABUSE TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY OFFENSES WHEN THE OFFENSE INVOLVES PROSTITUTION OF A JUVENILE OR THE COMMISSION OF A SEXUAL ACT UPON A JUVENILE, TO REQUIRE THAT A SEX OFFENDER REGISTER HIS OR HER ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS OR OTHER ONLINE IDENTIFIER IN THE STATEWIDE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY, TO ALLOW LIMITED RELEASE OF ONLINE IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY TO CERTAIN ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICES AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCREENING ONLINE USERS, TO AUTHORIZE THE COURT TO REVOKE ANY AND ALL LICENSING PRIVILEGES HELD BY A SEX OFFENDER WHO FAILS TO REGISTER, TO DIRECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS TO DEVELOP PROCEDURES TO ENSURE TIMELY NOTIFICATION OF THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INFORMATION AND SHERIFFS OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO REGISTER WHO ARE NOT SENTENCED TO ACTIVE TIME, AND TO AUTHORIZE FUNDS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO USE TO AWARD AS MATCHING GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE SHERIFFS' OFFICES TO ENHANCE AND SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE STATE'S SEX OFFENDER LAWS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2.

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The serial referral to the Committee on Appropriations is stricken.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the House committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar. Senate Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

By Representative Blue, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary II:

S.B. 2081 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF INVOLUNTARY MENTAL COMMITMENT TO THE NATIONAL INSTANT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK SYSTEM; AND TO PROVIDE FOR A RESTORATION PROCESS TO REMOVE THE COMMITMENT BAR TO THE PURCHASE, POSSESSION, AND TRANSFER OF FIREARMS, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 11:40 a.m. subject to the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports and the receipt of conference reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, and the appointment of conferees.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 1214, AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS.

H.B. 819, AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED COMPUTER EQUIPMENT, TO PROVIDE FOR MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED TELEVISIONS, TO DELAY THE EFFECTIVE DATE UNTIL 1 JANUARY 2010, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING AND TECHNICAL CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

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H.B. 964, AN ACT TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF HOME CARE SERVICES TO INCLUDE IN-HOME COMPANION, SITTER, AND RESPITE CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL AND TO INCREASE THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE FOR HOME CARE AGENCIES.

H.B. 1134, AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DECONSTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES.

H.B. 2167, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS.

H.B. 2492, AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY, BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE.

H.B. 2530, AN ACT TO MAKE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL TAX AND TO ALLOW A REFUND FOR ALL UNSALABLE OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS.

H.B. 2623, AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE HOME FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR HOME FORECLOSURE PREVENTION.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 2157, AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

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H.B. 2788, AN ACT TO APPOINT PERSONS TO VARIOUS PUBLIC OFFICES UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM COMMITTEE

On motion of Representative Gibson, Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1230 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, is withdrawn from the Committee on Alcoholic Beverage Control and placed on today's Calendar.

On motion of Representative Gibson, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute, by electronic vote (104-0), and conferees are requested.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representative Sutton, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary III:

S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, with a favorable report, as amended.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

CALENDAR (continued)

S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

Representative Sutton offers Committee Amendment No. 1.

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On motion of Representative Sutton, the bill, with pending Amendment No. 1, is temporarily displaced.

**S.B. 2081** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF INVOLUNTARY MENTAL COMMITMENT TO THE NATIONAL INSTANT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK SYSTEM; AND TO PROVIDE FOR A RESTORATION PROCESS TO REMOVE THE COMMITMENT BAR TO THE PURCHASE, POSSESSION, AND TRANSFER OF FIREARMS, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (111-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**S.B. 869** (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF BIOLOGICAL PARENTS, AND ADULT ADOPTIVE PARENTS OF A MINOR OR INCOMPETENT TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES AND REQUIRING ADOPTION AGENCIES ACTING AS CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO REPORT CERTAIN INFORMATION TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN RECORDS OF THIS INFORMATION AS WELL AS CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION.

Pursuant to Rule 36.1, Representative Michaux requests a fiscal note on the bill. The bill is removed from the Calendar.

**CONFERENCE APPOINTED**

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 1230** (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS: Representatives Gibson, Lucas, and Starnes.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Committee Substitute to S.B. 845, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO CLARIFY THAT DRAFT FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLANS ARE NOT SUBMITTED FOR REVIEW TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

- Senator Albertson, Chair
- Senator Clodfelter
- Senator Bingham
- Senator Atwater

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker appoints Representatives Gibson, Adams, and Justice as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Dickson, S.B. 869 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF BIOLOGICAL PARENTS, AND ADULT ADOPTIVE PARENTS OF A MINOR OR INCOMPETENT TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES AND REQUIRING ADOPTION AGENCIES

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ACTING AS CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO REPORT CERTAIN INFORMATION TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN RECORDS OF THIS INFORMATION AS WELL AS CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary I.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 1:48 p.m.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 2056, AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES.

H.B. 2498, AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS; (2) TO ESTABLISH LIMITATIONS ON THE TIME IN WHICH: THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MUST MAKE AN ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION, REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT, AND THE DEPARTMENT MAY TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION OR BRING A CIVIL ACTION TO RECOVER PAYMENTS THAT WERE NOT AUTHORIZED BY LAW, THAT WERE MADE ON THE BASIS OF FRAUDULENT INFORMATION, OR FOR OTHER REASONS; (3) TO CLARIFY FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS; (4) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS; (5) TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL TANKS; (6) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE

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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS; (7) TO PROVIDE FOR RECLASSIFICATION OF A SITE TO A LOWER RISK CLASSIFICATION; AND (8) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

The following bills are properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.B. 1631**, AN ACT TO CLARIFY HOW PUBLIC BODIES IN HYDE COUNTY MAY CONDUCT BUSINESS DURING MEETINGS INVOLVING SIMULTANEOUS COMMUNICATION.

**S.B. 1977**, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWNS OF LELAND AND SPENCER TO ANNEX CERTAIN RIGHTS-OF-WAY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

**S.B. 2123**, AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY.

**H.B. 2755**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS.

**H.B. 2756**, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**S.J.R. 1634**, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR THE CONFIRMATION OF DAVID MCCOY AS STATE CONTROLLER. (RESOLUTION 2008-30)

**SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

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H.B. 685 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE NORTH CAROLINA PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN, INC., TO RETAIN UNEXPENDED FUNDS FOR THE 2007-2008 FISCAL YEAR AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute changes the title.

H.B. 1624 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE FREQUENCY OF PAROLE REVIEWS FOR INMATES CONVICTED OF MURDER, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar.

H.B. 2340 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES ALLOWANCE FOR SMALL COUNTIES, AND MODIFYING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES AN ALLOWANCE FOR AGRICULTURAL ENTERPRISES, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar.

CONFERENCE APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following as an additional conferee on S.B. 845 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; (2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT...
A TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT RULE GOVERNING THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011 AND TO SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013; (6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; (7) ESTABLISH, CONSOLIDATE, AMEND, OR REPEAL CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (8) CORRECT TECHNICAL ERRORS IN VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION: Representative Harrison.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CALENDAR (continued)

S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, which was temporarily displaced, with Amendment No. 1 pending, is before the Body.

Representative Sutton offers perfecting Amendment No. 2, which is adopted by electronic vote (95-1).

Amendment No. 1 is adopted by electronic vote (110-0). This amendment changes the title.

Representative Yongue requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (111-0).

The bill, as amended, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (109-0).

Without objection, the bill is read a third time.

The bill, as amended, passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House amendment by Special Message.

H.B. 1624 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO LIMIT THE FREQUENCY OF PAROLE REVIEWS FOR INMATES CONVICTED OF MURDER.

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On motion of Representative Barnhart, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (110-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**H.B. 2340** (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES ALLOWANCE FOR SMALL COUNTIES, AND MODIFYING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES AN ALLOWANCE FOR AGRICULTURAL ENTERPRISES, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES.

On motion of Representative Weiss, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (111-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Glazier sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute No. 2 for **H.B. 933** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR FIRST-DEGREE SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE PUNISHABLE BY EITHER LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE OR A MANDATORY ACTIVE SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

**REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES**

The following report from standing committee is presented:

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By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

**H.B. 2440**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2007, with a favorable report as to the committee substitute bill, which changes the title, unfavorable as to the original bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar. The original bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

**H.B. 2440** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CREATE THE STATE HEALTH PLAN CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT IN THE OFFICE OF STATE BUDGET AND MANAGEMENT AND TO PROVIDE FOR CONTINGENT APPROPRIATIONS AND ALLOCATIONS FROM THE SAVINGS RESERVE ACCOUNT TO THE CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO MEET CLAIMS PAYMENT OBLIGATIONS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE HEALTH PLAN FOR TEACHERS AND STATE EMPLOYEES FOR THE 2008-2009 FISCAL YEAR.

Representative Stam moves that the rules be suspended in order that he might offer an amendment that would change the title.

The motion fails by electronic vote (48-62).

Representative Daughtry moves that the bill be withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Representative Allred inquires of the Chair if a motion to meet as a Committee of the Whole takes precedence over the motion currently before the Body. The Speaker rules that it would not.

The motion to re-refer fails by electronic vote (47-64).

The bill passes its second reading, by electronic vote (107-3), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

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Representative Glazier moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 933**

To: The President of the Senate
The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 933, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE PUNISHABLE BY EITHER LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE OR A MANDATORY ACTIVE SENTENCE OF TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AND LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, TO ADDRESS EDUCATION AND HEALTH OF JUVENILES SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS, Senate Judiciary I (Civil) Committee Substitute #2 Adopted 6/11/08, submit the following report:

The House and Senate agree to the following amendment to the Senate Judiciary I (Civil) Committee Substitute #2 Adopted 6/11/08 and the House concurs in the Senate Committee Substitute as amended:

Delete the entire Senate Committee Substitute and substitute the attached proposed Conference Committee Substitute H933-PCCS80640-RK-5.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

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Date conferees approved report: July 17, 2008.

Conferees for the Senate
S/ Tony Rand, Chair
S/ David W. Hoyle
S/ Walter Dalton
S/ Julia Boseman
S/ Fletcher Hartsell

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Rick Glazier, Chair
S/ Dan Blue
S/ Julia C. Howard
S/ Tim Moore
S/ Jimmy L. Love, Sr.

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (109-1), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 117.)

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following reports from standing committees are presented:

By Representative Ross, Chair, for the Committee on Judiciary I:

S.B. 869 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF BIOLOGICAL PARENTS, AND ADULT ADOPTIVE PARENTS OF A MINOR OR INCOMPETENT TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES AND REQUIRING ADOPTION AGENCIES ACTING AS CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARIES TO REPORT CERTAIN INFORMATION TO THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AND REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT TO MAINTAIN RECORDS OF THIS INFORMATION AS WELL AS CERTAIN OTHER INFORMATION, with a favorable report as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2, which changes the title, unfavorable as to House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, House Committee Substitute Bill No. 2 is placed on today's Calendar. House Committee Substitute Bill No. 1 is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

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S.B. 1632 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS OTHER TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS, with a favorable report as to the House committee substitute bill, unfavorable as to the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the House committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar. The Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Unfavorable Calendar.

The bill passes its second reading by the following vote:


Voting in the negative: None.


Without objection, the bill is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading, by the following vote, and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

Those voting in the affirmative are: Representatives Adams, K. Alexander, M. Alexander, Allen, Allred, Avila, Barnhart, Bell, Blackwood, Blue, Blust, Bordsen, Boylan, Braxton, Brisson, Brown, Brubaker, Bryant, Carney, Church, Clary, Cleveland, Coates, Cole, Coleman, Cotham, Crawford, Current,
Voting in the negative: None.


CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Rapp sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 180 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC SWEEPSTAKES. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Daughtry be excused from voting on July 8 is continued.

Representative Rapp moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

House Committee Substitute for S.B. 180

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

   The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 180, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC SWEEPSTAKES, House Committee Substitute Favorable 7/1/08, submit the following report:

   The Senate and House agree to the following amendment to the House Committee Substitute Favorable 7/1/08, Third Edition engrossed 7/9/08, and the Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute as amended:

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Delete the entire House Committee Substitute and substitute the attached proposed Conference Committee Substitute S180-PCCS55792-ST-1.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 17, 2008.

Conferees for the
Senate
S/ Tony Rand, Chair
S/ Linda Garrou
S/ Ellie Kinnaird
S/ Steve Goss

Conferees for the
House of Representatives
S/ Ray Rapp, Chair
S/ Melanie Wade Goodwin
S/ Ronnie Sutton
S/ Bryan R. Holloway
S/ Joe L. Kiser

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (104-2), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 122.)

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for H.B. 933 (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE CLASS B1 FELONIES AND THE OFFENDER SHALL NOT RECEIVE ACTIVE PUNISHMENT OF LESS THAN THREE HUNDRED MONTHS FOLLOWED BY LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING OR THE POSSIBILITY OF LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR, AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION

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REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, TO ADDRESS EDUCATION AND HEALTH OF JUVENILES SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS, to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE
2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 17, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received today, July 17, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to H.B. 1230 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Weinstein, Chair
Senator Jenkins
Senator Apodaca

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on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

S.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2007 REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative McAllister, that the House adjourn, subject to committee assignments and the report of conference committees, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, to reconvene July 18 at 9:00 a.m.

The motion carries.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

Representative Glazier sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 1875 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 18.

Representative Gibson sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1230 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS. Pursuant to Rule 44(d), the Conference Report is placed on the Calendar of July 18.

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SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Messages are received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2397 (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING AND TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYING ENTITIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF PROSPECTIVE AND CURRENT EMPLOYEES, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 18.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

H.B. 2499 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill, as amended.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 18.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute) A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill, as amended.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b), the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on the Calendar of July 18.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

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S.B. 83 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE OFFENSE OF DOMESTIC CRIMINAL TRESPASS BY MAKING IT A FELONY FOR A PERSON WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF A VALID PROTECTIVE ORDER TO TRESPASS ON PROPERTY THAT IS OPERATED AS A SAFE HOUSE OR HAVEN FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS WITHOUT REGARD AS TO WHETHER THE PERSONS COVERED BY THE PROTECTIVE ORDER ARE PRESENT ON THE PREMISES AND TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS AN AGGRAVATING CIRCUMSTANCE FOR FIRST DEGREE MURDER IF A DEFENDANT WHO IS THE SUBJECT OF A VALID PROTECTIVE ORDER COMMITS A MURDER ON THE PREMISES OF A SHELTER FOR VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, AND TO LIMIT THE LIABILITY OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS AND PERSONS ASSOCIATED WITH THOSE SHELTERS, is read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

The House stands adjourned at 6:47 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIFTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Friday, July 18, 2008

The House meets at 9:00 a.m. pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Speaker.

The following remarks and prayer are offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Members of the House, before our prayer, I'd like to offer a few words of gratitude as we conclude our time together.

"One of the Members asked me a while ago, 'How did you get this gig?' I don't know how much of a 'gig' this is, but the answer is that I am appointed to serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House. So, I'd like to thank the Speaker for his appointment and his trust in me to carry out this work. I was first appointed in 1997 by Speaker Brubaker, and so I am always indebted to him for giving me this opportunity those years ago.

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"Secondly, I'd like for us to recognize the Principal Clerk and her office. They work tirelessly for you and for the Body going unseen and unheralded so often. Please join me in recognizing them.

"Next, I'd like for this Body to express their gratitude to the Sergeant-at-Arms for their work with this Body. You'll notice today that we have much older Pages. Please recognize these good folks.

"Two final words: There are many of you who will not be back next term. We wish to honor you and thank you for your service to this Body and I'll recognize you more properly and formally in the prayer to follow.

"Finally, thank you for letting me be with you. Many of you have invited me into special and sacred moments in your lives, shared confidences having to do with the issues in your lives that shall always remain privileged. But, to all of you, thank you for your confidence in me and for allowing me the privilege of serving you in this capacity.

"God of Grace and God of Glory:

"Your faithfulness lasts from generation to generation. This Body pauses in prayer to praise and thank You for your steadfast mercy and kindness to us. We are grateful that even in Your sovereignty; You have allowed us to be a part of human governance. Keep us ever mindful, and even more humble, of this sacred privilege You have bestowed upon us.

"As we draw this Session to a close, we are mindful that there are some amongst us whose time in this Honorable Body has drawn to an end. Through You, O God, we honor them and thank them for their service to this House, to their constituents, and to this great State. Grant Your blessings to them as they move on to new chapters of experiences in their lives.

"In these past two years, longtime friendships have been sustained and new ones have been formed. Keep us in close communication with each other so that our shoulders and our hearts might bear the full breath of one another’s journeys.

"In and through all things, we give You thanks, O God, for forgiving us, redeeming us, leading us and sustaining us. May we seek to always look to You for guidance and may Your grace be always sufficient to meet our needs.

"Now to my friends, Members of the North Carolina House of Representatives...May the Lord bless you and keep you. May the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. May the Lord turn his face in your direction, and knowing your frame, have mercy upon you; and may God always grant you His peace. Amen.

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Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 17 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives Barnhart, Current, Daughtry, Glazier, Goforth, Holmes, McElraft, Samuelson, Saunders, Tarleton, and Wainwright for today. Representatives Dockham, Fisher, Furr, Grady, J. Harrell, Justice, McComas, Pierce, Ray, Ross, Stiller, and Tillis are excused for a portion of the Session.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 4, AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLECTION AND REPORTING OF RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA TO PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICIALS AND TO THE STATEWIDE DATA PROCESSOR.

S.B. 685, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PLACING OF A BURNING CROSS ON ANY PUBLIC PLACE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR BURNING A CROSS WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WHILE WEARING A MASK, HOOD, OR OTHER DISGUISE; TO CLARIFY THAT THE TERM "EXHIBIT" INCLUDES OBJECTS SUCH AS NOOSES; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR OFFENSE COMMITTED BECAUSE OF VICTIM'S BACKGROUND; TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF RECENT CROSS BURNINGS AND NOOSE HANGINGS ACROSS THE STATE; AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MODIFICATION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE STATE.

S.B. 1046, AN ACT TO STUDY THE IMPACTS ON THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA OF THE POTENTIAL ISSUANCE OF A FIFTY-YEAR LICENSE BY THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE OPERATION OF THE YADKIN HYDRO-ELECTRIC PROJECT.

S.B. 1259, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT WATER SUPPLIED BY A PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM REGULATED UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA DRINKING WATER ACT IS NOT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN WARRANTIES.

S.B. 1627, AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM.

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S.B. **1697**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540.

S.B. **1770**, AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL DEATHS OCCURRING IN CERTAIN STATE FACILITIES BE REPORTED, TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE THESE DEATHS, AND TO STUDY DEATH REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

S.B. **1796**, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ALLOW A CERTAIN INCOME DISREGARD UNDER THE SPECIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

S.B. **1797**, AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE.

S.B. **2075**, AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR A TEMPORARY INCREASE IN THE CAP ON AMOUNTS COMMITTED UNDER THE JOB DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT GRANT PROGRAM.

S.B. **2081**, AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF INVOLUNTARY MENTAL COMMITMENT TO THE NATIONAL INSTANT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK SYSTEM; AND TO PROVIDE FOR A RESTORATION PROCESS TO REMOVE THE COMMITMENT BAR TO THE PURCHASE, POSSESSION, AND TRANSFER OF FIREARMS.

H.B. **1624**, AN ACT TO LIMIT THE FREQUENCY OF PAROLE REVIEWS FOR INMATES CONVICTED OF MURDER.

H.B. **2340**, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN WHO RIDE IN THE BACK OF PICKUP TRUCKS OR OPEN BEDS OF VEHICLES BY RAISING THE MINIMUM AGE, REMOVING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES ALLOWANCE FOR SMALL COUNTIES, AND MODIFYING THE EXEMPTION THAT MAKES AN ALLOWANCE FOR AGRICULTURAL ENTERPRISES, AND INCREASE THE PENALTIES.

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H.B. 2409, AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

H.B. 2558, AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE.

H.B. 933, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE CLASS B1 FELONIES AND THE OFFENDER SHALL NOT RECEIVE ACTIVE PUNISHMENT OF LESS THAN THREE HUNDRED MONTHS FOLLOWED BY LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING OR THE POSSIBILITY OF LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, TO ADDRESS EDUCATION AND HEALTH OF JUVENILES SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS.

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2690, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF DURHAM TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ON RESTAURANT MEALS IN THE COUNTY OF DURHAM IF APPROVED BY THE VOTERS.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

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S.B. 2157, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF ASSESSMENTS IN FULL OR BY INSTALLMENTS IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY. (S.L. 2008-109)


S.B. 1631, AN ACT TO CLARIFY HOW PUBLIC BODIES IN HYDE COUNTY MAY CONDUCT BUSINESS DURING MEETINGS INVOLVING SIMULTANEOUS COMMUNICATION. (S.L. 2008-111)


S.B. 2123, AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CITY OF DURHAM FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES REGARDING SOLICITATIONS IN, ON, AND NEAR A PUBLIC STREET OR ROADWAY. (S.L. 2008-113)

H.B. 2755, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO LEVY SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO RAISE LOCAL FINANCING FOR NON-BEACH DREDGING PROJECTS. (S.L. 2008-114)

H.B. 2756, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE TOWN OF OAK ISLAND TO MAKE EQUAL ASSESSMENTS FOR EACH LOT WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH BENEFITS FROM BEACH EROSION OR FLOOD AND HURRICANE PROTECTION WORKS PROJECTS UNDERTAKEN BY THE TOWN. (S.L. 2008-115)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Owens:

HJR. 2807, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2007 REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is referred to the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 17, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 180 (Conference Committee Substitute), AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC GAME PROMOTIONS ARE PROHIBITED, and when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the President will order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 17, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in the House Amendment No. 1 to S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Snow, Chair
Senator East
Senator Jones

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on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 17, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate fails to concur in House Committee Substitute No. 2 to S.B. 1407 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET, TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET, AND TO IMPOSE A PRIVILEGE TAX ON THE INTERNET SALES OF TICKETS IN EXCESS OF THE PRINTED PRICE, and requests conferees. The President Pro Tempore appoints:

   Senator Hartsell, Chair
   Senator Clodfelter
   Senator Rand

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
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July 18, 2008
Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 1875 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR’S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, and when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the President will order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 359 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE IN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THREE SYSTEMWIDE WAIVERS: (I) TO ALIGN THE CALENDAR WITH THAT OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA, (II) TO ADJUST THE EXAMINATION SCHEDULE TO BENEFIT STUDENTS OR TO ACCOMMODATE ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMINATIONS, AND (III) TO ACCOMMODATE IMPLEMENTATION OF BLOCK SCHEDULES; AND TO ALLOW ANY WAIVERS GRANTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR AN EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE TO BE EFFECTIVE SO LONG AS THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE EXISTS, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill, as amended.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today’s Calendar.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill, as amended, changes the title.

July 18, 2008
Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative J. Harrell be excused from voting on June 26 is continued.

The material Conference Report for S.B. 1878 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION, is adopted on its third roll call reading, by the following vote, and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 146.)


Voting in the negative: Representatives Allred, Blackwood, Blust, Boylan, Hurley, Killian, Starnes, and Walend - 8.

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Excused vote: Representative J. Harrell.

The material Conference Report for S.B. 1925 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AIRPORT AUTHORITIES TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY, ITS CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS, OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE, which changes the title, is adopted on its third roll call reading, by the following vote, and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 204.)


July 18, 2008

Representative Gibson moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 1230**

To: The President of the Senate  
The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 1230, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND TO CHANGE THE TOURISM ABC ESTABLISHMENT MILEAGE REQUIREMENT, Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 7/15/08, submit the following report:

The Senate recedes from the Senate Finance Committee Substitute Adopted 7/15/08.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 17, 2008.

*Conferees for the Senate*  
S/ David F. Weinstein, Chair  
S/ Tom Apodaca  
S/ Edgar V. Starnes

*Conferees for the House of Representatives*  
S/ Pryor Gibson, Chair  
S/ Marvin W. Lucas  
S/ Edgar V. Starnes

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (84-18), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

Representative Stam moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**Committee Substitute for S.B. 1875**

To: The President of the Senate  
The Speaker of the House of Representatives

July 18, 2008
The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 1875, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, Select Committee on Government and Election Reform Committee Substitute Adopted 7/7/08. Third Edition Engrossed 7/8/08, submit the following report:

The Senate concurs in House Amendment #1, and the House and Senate agree to the following amendment:

On page 2, lines 19 and 20 by rewriting the lines to read: "enforcement or administration of the matter for investigation. When the Auditor believes that an allegation of improper governmental activity involves matters set forth in subdivisions (1), (2), or (3) of this subsection, those matters shall be referred as follows:”.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 17th, 2008.

Conferees for the Senate
S/ Daniel G. Clodfelter, Chair
S/ Tony Rand
S/ Peter S. Brunstetter

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Rick Glazier, Chair
S/ Deborah K. Ross
S/ Julia C. Howard
S/ Paul Stam
S/ Marvin W. Lucas

The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (88-17), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2397 (Committee Substitute No. 3), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA

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STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING AND TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYING ENTITIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF PROSPECTIVE AND CURRENT EMPLOYEES.

On motion of Representative Bordsen, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (104-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

H.B. 2499 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Church be excused from voting on July 10 is continued.

On motion of Representative Allen, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, as amended, by electronic vote (68-36), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Without objection, H.B. 2438 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING MODIFICATIONS TO THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2008; TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH INSURANCE RISK POOL FUND; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO FUND ADDITIONAL PLANNING GRANTS FOR LEARN AND EARN AND EXPEND FUNDS TO INFORM EIGHTH AND NINTH GRADERS ABOUT OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS; TO MAINTAIN FIVE FLOODPLAIN MAPPING POSITIONS; TO ADJUST THE COMPENSATION OF THE CHIEF COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE TO CREATE AN EQUIVALENT PAY DIFFERENTIAL RELATIVE TO THE PAY OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT; TO AUTHORIZE WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE, AND MOUNTAIN AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CONSORTIUM TO EXPEND FUNDS FOR BUILDING THE NORTH CAROLINA CENTER FOR HEALTH AND AGING; AND TO PROVIDE THAT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, EDGECOMBE COMMUNITY COLLEGE, AND NASH COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADMINISTER JOINTLY THE

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NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAM HOUSED AT THE UNC UPPER COASTAL PLAIN HIGHER EDUCATION AND HEALTH CENTER, is moved up on today's Calendar.

The bill passes its third reading, by electronic vote (101-4), and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

WITHDRAWAL OF BILL FROM CALENDAR

On motion of Representative Owens, the Conference Report on H.B. 1366 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ENACT THE SCHOOL VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT, is withdrawn from the Calendar and re-referred to the Conference Committee.

CALENDAR (continued)

S.B. 869 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT ALLOWING ADULT BIOLOGICAL SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT BIOLOGICAL HALF SIBLINGS OF ADULT ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF DECEASED ADOPTEES, ADULT FAMILY MEMBERS OF BIOLOGICAL PARENTS, AND ADULT ADOPTIVE PARENTS OF AN ADULT ADOPTEE WHO IS INCOMPETENT TO HAVE ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INTERMEDIARY SERVICES, passes its second reading, by electronic vote (102-2), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The bill passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate for concurrence in the House committee substitute bill by Special Message.

CONFERENCE APPOINTED

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY: Representatives Haire, Rapp, Sutton, and West.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

The Speaker appoints the following conferees on S.B. 1407 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO...
PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET: Representatives Gibson, Tillis, Carney, and J. Harrell.

The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

Representative Blue sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 132 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Blue moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

House Committee Substitute for S.B. 132

To: The President of the Senate
     The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 132, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE, House Committee Substitute Favorable 7/31/07, submit the following report:

The House and Senate agree to the following amendment to the House Judiciary II Committee Substitute Favorable 7/31/07 and the Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute as amended:

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Delete the entire House Committee Substitute and substitute the attached proposed Conference Committee Substitute S132-PCCS75606-RK-8.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 18, 2008.

Conferees for the

Senate
S/ Walter H. Dalton, Chair
S/ Doug Berger
S/ David W. Hoyle

Conferees for the

House of Representatives
S/ Dan Blue, Chair
S/ Jimmy L. Love, Sr.
S/ Jennifer Weiss
S/ Tim Moore

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (105-0), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 218.)

Representative Goodwin sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 1263 (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR MATCHING

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FUNDS IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAMS; TO LIMIT THE PROHIBITION IN THE ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS STATUTES; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

CALENDAR (continued)

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 359 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE IN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THREE SYSTEMWIDE WAIVERS: (I) TO ALIGN THE CALENDAR WITH THAT OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN THE GEOPGRAPHIC AREA, (II) TO ADJUST THE EXAMINATION SCHEDULE TO BENEFIT STUDENTS OR TO ACCOMMODATE ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMINATIONS, AND (III) TO ACCOMMODATE IMPLEMENTATION OF BLOCK SCHEDULES; AND TO ALLOW ANY WAIVERS GRANTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR AN EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE TO BE EFFECTIVE SO LONG AS THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE EXISTS.

On motion of Representative Faison, the bill is temporarily displaced.

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 132 (Conference Committee Substitute), AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE THERE IS A SOLICITATION BY COMPUTER TO COMMIT AN UNLAWFUL SEX ACT AND TO PROVIDE FOR CIVIL

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LIABILITY; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE, and when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the President will order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

CONFERENCE REPORTS

Representative Goodwin moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

House Committee Substitute No. 2 for S.B. 1263

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 1263, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT

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For matching funds in public financing programs; to limit the prohibition in the electioneering communications statutes; and to require forty-eight-hour reports for any contribution of late contributions of more than one thousand dollars, regardless of the source, House Committee Substitute #2 Favorable 7/9/08, submit the following report:

The Senate and House agree to the following amendment to the House Committee Substitute #2 Favorable 7/9/08, and the Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute as amended:

Delete the entire House Committee Substitute and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute S1263-PCCS85497-RR-1.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 18, 2008.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A(c), the request that Representative Stam be excused from voting on July 10 is continued.

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (84-18), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 150.)

Representative Gibson sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 845 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS

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ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; 
(2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES 
GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE 
CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH 
RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF 
TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL 
MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE 
FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND 
NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY 
THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY 
NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT A TEMPORARY OR 
PERMANENT RULE GOVERNING THE MANAGEMENT OF STORM-
WATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 
2011 AND TO SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES 
SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013; 
(6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRI-
CTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN 
COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; 
(7) ESTABLISH, CONSOLIDATE, AMEND, OR REPEAL CERTAIN 
ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (8) CORRECT 
TECHNICAL ERRORS IN VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE 
ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED 
BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. Without objection, 
the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Gibson moves the adoption of the following Conference 
Report.

House Committee Substitute for S.B. 845

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate 
and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 845, A BILL TO BE 
ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND 
NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE 
DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN 
ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; (2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICUL-
TURE TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE 
BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY 

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THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT A TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT RULE GOVERNING THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011 AND TO SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013; (6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; (7) ESTABLISH, CONSOLIDATE, AMEND, OR REPEAL CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (8) CORRECT TECHNICAL ERRORS IN VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION, House Committee Substitute Favorable 7/15/08, submit the following report:

The Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute with an amendment: Delete the entire House Committee Substitute Favorable 7/15/08, and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute S845-PCCS85499-RT-2.

The House agrees to the same.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.


Conferees for the Senate
S/ Charles W. Albertson, Chair
S/ Daniel G. Clodfelter
S/ Stan Bingham
S/ Bob Atwater

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Pryor Gibson, Chair
S/ Lucy T. Allen
S/ Carolyn H. Justice
S/ Pricey Harrison

The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (80-23), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The text of the Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the 2008 Session Laws, Chapter 198.)

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 1925 (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE.

Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President will order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for **H.B. 1230** (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS.

Pursuant to your message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 11:10 a.m., subject to committee assignments, the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, and the appointment of conferees.

**RECESS**

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

**CONFERENCE REPORT**

Representative Gibson sends forth the Conference Report on **S.B. 1407** (House Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for

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S.B. 1878 (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION.

Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President has ordered the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND PERMANENT SUBCOMMITTEES

The following report from standing committee is presented:

By Representatives Michaux, Adams, M. Alexander, Crawford, Haire, Jeffus, Tolson, and Yongue, Chairs, for the Committee on Appropriations:

H.B. 685 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE NORTH CAROLINA PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN, INC., TO RETAIN UNEXPENDED FUNDS FOR THE 2007-2008 FISCAL YEAR AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, with recommendation that the House concur.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today's Calendar.

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Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 685 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROVIDE A MORATORIUM ON THE COLLECTION OF PROPERTY TAXES FROM CERTAIN QUALIFYING DAY CARE CENTERS.

Pursuant to Rule 24.1A, Representative Brown requests that he be excused from voting on this bill because his wife is Executive Director of Smart Start. This request is granted.

On motion of Representative Michaux, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (91-8), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

CONFERENCE REPORTS

Representative Haire sends forth the Conference Report on S.B. 1100 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Haire moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

Committee Substitute for S.B. 1100

To: The President of the Senate
    The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 1100, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, Appropriations/Base Budget Committee Substitute Adopted 7/9/08, submit the following report:

   The House recedes from its Amendment #2
   The Senate concurs in House Amendment #1 with the following amendments:

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(1) on page 1, line 15, delete "December 1, 2008", and substitute "January 1, 2009"
(2) on page 1, line 17, delete "August 15, 2008", and substitute "June 1, 2009".

The House agrees to those amendments.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 18, 2008.

Conferees for the Conferees for the
Senate House of Representatives
S/ John Snow, Chair S/ R. Phillip Haire, Chair
S/ Don East S/ Ray Rapp
S/ Edward Jones S/ Ronnie Sutton
S/ Roger West

The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (99-0), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

Representative Gibson moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

House Committee Substitute No. 2 for S.B. 1407

To: The President of the Senate
   The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on Senate Bill 1407, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET, House Committee Substitute #2 Favorable 7/15/08, submit the following report:

The Senate and House agree to the following amendments to the House Committee Substitute #2 Favorable 7/15/08, and the Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute #2 as amended:

On page 1, line 15, by adding the following at the end of that line to read:
"A person who resells an admission ticket under this section acknowledges liability for the informational report required under subsection (e) of this section."

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And on page 2, line 21, by deleting the quotation marks at the end of that line and by adding the following new subsection immediately thereafter:

"(e) Report on Receipts. – A person who resells or offers to resell admission tickets under this section must report each month to the Department of Revenue, under oath, on a form provided by the Department. The report is due by the 10th day after the end of each month and covers the gross receipts received during the previous month from reselling admission tickets to an event or venue in this State. The report must include all of the following:

1. The total amount of gross receipts derived from reselling an admission ticket on the Internet to an event or venue in this State. For purposes of this subsection, gross receipts exclude the price printed on the face of the ticket.

2. The event for which admission tickets are sold and the venue where the event will occur.

3. The person or venue from whom the reseller purchased admission tickets.

4. The acquisition price of the admission tickets.

5. The price received by the reseller for the admission tickets.

6. The name and address of the person to whom the admission ticket is resold, if the purchaser is a reseller.

7. Any other information required by the Secretary of Revenue."

And on page 3, line 14, by rewriting the line to read:

"SECTION 4. This act becomes effective August 1, 2008, and expires June 30, 2009. The expiration of this act does not relieve a person's liability to file the report required under G.S. 14-344.1(e) for gross receipts received in June 2009. Liability for acts or omissions before the expiration date of this act are not abated or affected by the expiration. Section 3 of this".

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 18, 2008.
The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (79-20), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

**CONTINUATION OF GOVERNMENT STATEMENT**

In the event of a disaster, natural or otherwise, that precludes the General Assembly from meeting in the Legislative Building, the Members will be notified by the Speaker where and when the House will convene.

Without objection, the aforementioned statement is entered in the Journal.

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 2431**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today's Calendar.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

On motion of the Chair, the bill is temporarily displaced.

**CALENDAR (continued)**

Senate Committee Substitute for **H.B. 359** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE IN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THREE SYSTEMWIDE WAIVERS: (I) TO ALIGN THE CALENDAR WITH THAT OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA, (II) TO ADJUST THE EXAMINATION SCHEDULE TO BENEFIT STUDENTS OR TO ACCOMMODATE

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ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMINATIONS, AND (III) TO ACCOMMODATE IMPLEMENTATION OF BLOCK SCHEDULES; AND TO ALLOW ANY WAIVERS GRANTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR AN EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE TO BE EFFECTIVE SO LONG AS THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE EXISTS.

On motion of Representative Bell, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill as amended, by electronic vote (93-0), and conferees are requested.

The Speaker appoints Representatives Bell, Lucas, Yongue, Faison, Holliman, Brubaker, and McGee as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 845 (Conference Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; (2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT A TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT RULE THAT GOVERNS THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISIONS (1) AND (3) OF

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G.S. 143-214.7(B) PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011, SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013, AND SPECIFY THAT RULES ADOPTED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION PERSUANT TO ANY OTHER STATE STATUTORY AUTHORITY THAT GOVERN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011; (6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; (7) PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO BECOMES THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A COMMERCIAL PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK MAY PAY, UNDER PROTEST, UNPAID ANNUAL OPERATING FEES THAT WERE THE OBLIGATION OF A PREVIOUS OWNER OR OPERATOR FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING AN OPERATING PERMIT FOR THE UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS, REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DILIGENTLY SEEK TO COLLECT UNPAID FEES FROM THE PERSON WHO WAS ORIGINALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYMENT, AND PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO PAYS FEES UNDER PROTEST MAY BE REIMBURSED TO THE EXTENT THAT THE FEES ARE COLLECTED FROM ANOTHER PERSON; (8) IMPROVE WATER QUALITY AND PROMOTE GROUNDWATER RECHARGE IN AREAS OF THE STATE THAT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO THE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS OF CERTAIN WATER QUALITY PROGRAMS BY REQUIRING EITHER THAT NO MORE THAN EIGHTY PERCENT OF CERTAIN AREAS USED FOR VEHICULAR PARKING BE IMPERVIOUS OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, THAT RUN-OFF FROM AT LEAST TWENTY PERCENT OF CERTAIN IMPERVIOUS VEHICULAR PARKING AREAS FLOW TO BIORETENTION AREAS; (9) DECLARE THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES AGGRESSIVELY COMPEL PERSONS WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTAMINATION OF GROUNDWATER THAT RESULTS IN CONTAMINATION OF DRINKING WATER TO ASSESS AND REMEDIATE THE GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION AS REQUIRED BY LAW; (10) CONSOLIDATE CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (11) TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

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Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President has ordered the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,

S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

CALENDAR (continued)

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2431, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, which was temporarily displaced, is before the Body.

On motion of Representative Owens, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (97-0), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 1:15 p.m., subject to the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, and the appointment of conferees.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 1263 (Conference Committee Substitute), AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE

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CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR MATCHING FUNDS IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAMS; TO LIMIT THE PROHIBITION IN THE ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS STATUTES; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE; AND TO MAKE RELATED CHANGES.

Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President has ordered the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

S.B. 132, AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE THERE IS A SOLICITATION BY COMPUTER TO COMMIT AN

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UNLAWFUL SEX ACT AND TO PROVIDE FOR CIVIL LIABILITY; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE.

S.B. 180, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC GAME PROMOTIONS ARE PROHIBITED.

S.B. 845, AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; (2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT A TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT RULE THAT GOVERNS THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISIONS (1) AND (3) OF G.S. 143-214.7(B) PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011, SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013, AND SPECIFY THAT RULES ADOPTED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION PURSUANT TO ANY OTHER STATE STATUTORY AUTHORITY THAT GOVERN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011; (6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; (7) PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO BECOMES THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A COMMERCIAL PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK MAY PAY, UNDER PROTEST, UNPAID ANNUAL OPERATING FEES THAT WERE THE OBLIGATION OF A PREVIOUS OWNER OR OPERATOR FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING AN OPERATING PERMIT FOR THE UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS, REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DILIGENTLY SEEK TO COLLECT UNPAID FEES FROM THE

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PERSON WHO WAS ORIGINALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYMENT, AND PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO PAYS FEES UNDER PROTEST MAY BE REIMBURSED TO THE EXTENT THAT THE FEES ARE COLLECTED FROM ANOTHER PERSON; (8) IMPROVE WATER QUALITY AND PROMOTE GROUNDWATER RECHARGE IN AREAS OF THE STATE THAT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO THE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS OF CERTAIN WATER QUALITY PROGRAMS BY REQUIRING EITHER THAT NO MORE THAN EIGHTY PERCENT OF CERTAIN AREAS USED FOR VEHICULAR PARKING BE IMPERVIOUS OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, THAT RUN-OFF FROM AT LEAST TWENTY PERCENT OF CERTAIN IMPERVIOUS VEHICULAR PARKING AREAS FLOW TO BIORETENTION AREAS; (9) DECLARE THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES AGGRESSIVELY COMPEL PERSONS WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTAMINATION OF GROUNDWATER THAT RESULTS IN CONTAMINATION OF DRINKING WATER TO ASSESS AND REMEDIATE THE GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION AS REQUIRED BY LAW; (10) CONSOLIDATE CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (11) TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

S.B. 1263, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH

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THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR MATCHING FUNDS IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAMS; TO LIMIT THE PROHIBITION IN THE ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS STATUTES; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE; AND TO MAKE RELATED CHANGES.

S.B. 1632, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS REQUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO MAKE VARIOUS OTHER TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS.

S.B. 1875, AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR'S HOT-LINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES.

S.B. 1878, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION.

S.B. 1925, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY TO SUPPORT
THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE.

H.B. 685, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE NORTH CAROLINA PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN, INC., TO RETAIN UNEXPENDED FUNDS FOR THE 2007-2008 FISCAL YEAR AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER.

H.B. 1230, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS.

H.B. 2397, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING.

H.B. 2499, AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 2690, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF DURHAM TO LEVY A ONE PERCENT SALES TAX ON RESTAURANT MEALS IN THE COUNTY OF DURHAM IF APPROVED BY THE VOTERS. (S.L. 2008-116)

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received today, July 18, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to H.B. 2509 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Hoyle, Chair
Senator Clodfelter
Senator Kerr

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

CALENDAR (continued)

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE.

On motion of Representative Lucas, the House does not concur in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (89-0), and conferees are requested.

The Speaker appoints Representatives Lucas, E. Warren, Wiley, Stam, Martin, and McGee as conferees on the part of the House and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

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RECONSIDERATION OF VOTE

On motion of Representative Gibson, the conferees on H.B. 2509 (Senate Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, are dismissed by electronic vote (92-1). The Senate is so notified by Special Message.

On motion of Representative Gibson, the vote by which the House failed to concur is reconsidered by electronic vote (90-3).

On motion of Representative Gibson, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, by electronic vote (76-16), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Representative Coleman requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (77-16).

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 18, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 1407 (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET.

Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President has ordered the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

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Special Message from the Senate

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2438 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING MODIFICATIONS TO THE CURRENT OPERATIONS AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS APPROPRIATIONS ACT OF 2008; TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH INSURANCE RISK POOL FUND; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION TO FUND ADDITIONAL PLANNING GRANTS FOR LEARN AND EARN AND EXPEND FUNDS TO INFORM EIGHTH AND NINTH GRADERS ABOUT OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGHER EDUCATION PROGRAMS; TO MAINTAIN FIVE FLOODPLAIN MAPPING POSITIONS; TO ADJUST THE COMPENSATION OF THE CHIEF COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE TO CREATE AN EQUIVALENT PAY DIFFERENTIAL RELATIVE TO THE PAY OF THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT; TO AUTHORIZE WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE, AND MOUNTAIN AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CONSORTIUM TO EXPEND FUNDS FOR BUILDING THE NORTH CAROLINA CENTER FOR HEALTH AND AGING; AND TO PROVIDE THAT EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY, EDGECOMBE COMMUNITY COLLEGE, AND NASH COMMUNITY COLLEGE ADMINISTER JOINTLY THE NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH PROGRAM HOUSED AT THE UNC UPPER COASTAL PLAIN HIGHER EDUCATION AND HEALTH CENTER, is returned for concurrence in the Senate committee substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the Senate committee substitute bill is placed on today’s Calendar.

Upon concurrence the Senate committee substitute bill changes the title.

On motion of Representative Michaux, the House concurs in the Senate committee substitute bill, which changes the title, by electronic vote (87-6), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

Special Message from the Senate

2007 General Assembly
Second Session 2008

July 18, 2008
Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received today, July 18, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute as amended to H.B. 359 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE IN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THREE SYSTEMWIDE WAIVERS: (I) TO ALIGN THE CALENDAR WITH THAT OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA, (II) TO ADJUST THE EXAMINATION SCHEDULE TO BENEFIT STUDENTS OR TO ACCOMMODATE ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMINATIONS, AND (III) TO ACCOMMODATE IMPLEMENTATION OF BLOCK SCHEDULES; AND TO ALLOW ANY WAIVERS GRANTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR AN EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE TO BE EFFECTIVE SO LONG AS THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE EXISTS, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Berger of Franklin, Chair
Senator Nesbitt
Senator Kinnaird

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to your message received today, July 18, 2008, that the House of Representatives fails to concur in the Senate Committee Substitute to July 18, 2008
H.B. 2542 (Committee Substitute No. 2), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE HOUSE ETHICS COMMITTEE, and requests conferees, the President Pro Tempore appoints:

Senator Clodfelter, Chair
Senator Rand
Senator Hartsell

on the part of the Senate to confer with a like committee appointed by your Honorable Body to the end that the differences arising may be resolved.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 2:53 p.m., subject to the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, and the appointment of conferees.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The following Special Message is received from the Senate:

H.B. 2105 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE; TO REQUIRE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO ANNUALLY ADJUST THE COMPENSATION TO REFLECT INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS; AND TO ALLOW THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO AWARD ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION OF JOB SKILLS TRAINING AND EXPENSES FOR TUITION AND FEES AT A NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION, is returned for concurrence in two Senate amendments.

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Pursuant to Rule 36(b) and without objection, the bill is placed on today’s Calendar.

On motion of Representative Harrison, the House concurs in Senate Amendment No. 1 by electronic vote (88-1).

On motion of Representative Harrison, the House concurs in Senate Amendment No. 2, by electronic vote (87-1), and the bill is ordered enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Lucas sends forth the Conference Report on **H.B. 2542** (Senate Committee Substitute), **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES.** Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Lucas moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

**Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 2542**

To: The President of the Senate  
The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 2542, **A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES**, Senate Select Committee on Government and Election Reform Committee Substitute Adopted 7/16/08, submit the following report:

The House concurs in Senate Amendment #1, and the House and Senate agree to the following amendment to the Senate Committee Substitute:

On page 12, line 31, by rewriting the line to read:

"(5) A thing of value that is paid for by the State.
(6) A scholarship paid for by a nonpartisan state, regional, national, or international legislative organization of which the General Assembly is a member or a legislator or legislative employee is a member or participant of by virtue of that legislator's or legislative employee's public position, or to an..."
affiliated organization of that nonpartisan state, regional, national, or international organization.”

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 18, 2008.

Conferees for the Senate
S/ Daniel G. Clodfelter, Chair
S/ Tony Rand
S/ Fletcher L. Hartsell, Jr.

Conferees for the House of Representatives
S/ Marvin W. Lucas, Chair
S/ Edith D. Warren
S/ Laura I. Wiley
S/ (Paul) Stam
S/ Grier Martin
S/ William McGee

The Conference Report is adopted, by electronic vote (88-1), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 18, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for S.B. 1100 (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, AND TO STUDY THE PAYMENT OF FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

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Pursuant to the message that your Honorable Body has adopted the report of the conferees, the President has ordered the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

On motion of the Speaker, the House recesses at 3:36 p.m., subject to the ratification of bills, the receipt of Committee Reports, the receipt of Conference Reports, the receipt of Messages from the Senate, and the appointment of conferees.

RECESS

The House reconvenes pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Speaker.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Senate Chamber
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Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives with the information that the Senate adopts the report of the conferees for H.B. 2542 (Conference Report), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES, to the end that when a similar action has been taken on the part of your Honorable Body, the Speaker may order the bill enrolled.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker orders the bill enrolled and presented to the Governor by Special Message.

July 18, 2008
RE-REFERRAL

On motion of Representative Owens, pursuant to Rule 39.2 and without objection, S.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2007 REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, is withdrawn from the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House and without objection, is placed on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (83-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

Representative Folwell requests and is granted permission to be recorded as voting "aye". The adjusted vote total is (84-0).

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered enrolled.

CONFERENCE REPORT

Representative Faison sends forth the Conference Report on Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 359 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE IN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THREE SYSTEMWIDE WAIVERS: (I) TO ALIGN THE CALENDAR WITH THAT OF A COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY IN THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA, (II) TO ADJUST THE EXAMINATION SCHEDULE TO BENEFIT STUDENTS OR TO ACCOMMODATE ADVANCED PLACEMENT AND INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE EXAMINATIONS, AND (III) TO ACCOMMODATE IMPLEMENTATION OF BLOCK SCHEDULES; AND TO ALLOW ANY WAIVERS GRANTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR AN EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE TO BE EFFECTIVE SO LONG AS THE EDUCATIONAL PURPOSE EXISTS. Without objection, the Conference Report is placed on today's Calendar.

Representative Faison moves the adoption of the following Conference Report.

Senate Committee Substitute for H.B. 359

To: The President of the Senate
    The Speaker of the House of Representatives

The conferees appointed to resolve the differences between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Bill 359, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO PROMOTE AMERICAN CITIZENSHIP EFFORTS

July 18, 2008
BY ENCOURAGING VOTING BY ELIGIBLE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS, Senate Education/Public Instruction Committee Substitute Adopted 7/16/08, submit the following report:

The Senate recedes from amendment #1, amendment #2, amendment #3, amendment #4, and amendment #5, and the House and Senate agree to the following amendment to the Senate Education/Public Instruction Committee Substitute Adopted 7/16/08 as amended:

Delete the entire Senate Committee Substitute and substitute the attached Proposed Conference Committee Substitute H359-PCCS1075-RR-3.

The conferees recommend that the Senate and the House of Representatives adopt this report.

Date conferees approved report: July 18, 2008.

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The Conference Report, which changes the title, is adopted, by electronic vote (83-0), and the Senate is so notified by Special Message. (The Conference Committee Substitute may be found in its entirety in the Appendix.)

ENROLLED BILLS

The following bills are duly ratified and presented to the Governor:

**S.B. 1100**, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, AND TO STUDY THE PAYMENT OF FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.

July 18, 2008
S.B. 1407, AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET.

H.B. 2431, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR STUDIES BY THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION, STATUTORY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS, AND OTHER AGENCIES, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS.

H.B. 2105, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE; TO REQUIRE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO ANNUALLY ADJUST THE COMPENSATION TO REFLECT INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS; AND TO ALLOW THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO AWARD ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION OF JOB SKILLS TRAINING AND EXPENSES FOR TUITION AND FEES AT A NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION.

H.B. 2438, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND OTHER MODIFICATIONS TO THE STATE BUDGET.

H.B. 2509, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

H.B. 2542, AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES.

The following resolution is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:


Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative Michaux, that the House of Representatives meeting in the Regular Session of the 2007 General Assembly adjourn sine die.

July 18, 2008
The motion carries.

SPECIAL MESSAGE TO THE SENATE

The Speaker orders a Special Message sent to the Senate informing that Honorable Body that the House of Representatives meeting in the Regular Session of the 2007 General Assembly has concluded the business for which it was convened and stands ready to adjourn sine die.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008

Senate Chamber
July 18, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body respectfully advising that the Senate has concluded the business of the 2008 Session of the 2007 General Assembly and pursuant to S.J.R. 2172, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2007 REGULAR SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, stands ready to adjourn.

Further, you are respectfully advised that the Senate stands ready to open the doors of the Senate to the end that the gavels may fall simultaneously and adjournment declared sine die.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

The Speaker directs the Sergeant-at-Arms to open the doors of the House.

The doors of the Senate are opened and the President stands ready to let the gavel fall. The Speaker sounds the gavel and declares the House of Representatives of the 2007 Session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, adjourned sine die at 4:47 p.m.

Denise G. Weeks
Principal Clerk

July 18, 2008
Pursuant to Article II, Section 22 of the North Carolina Constitution, the following bills are properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State. The dates included in this section represent the date the Acts were signed by the Governor.

July 28, 2008

H.B. 933, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES OF RAPE OR SEXUAL OFFENSE COMMITTED AGAINST A CHILD ARE CLASS B1 FELONIES AND THE OFFENDER SHALL NOT RECEIVE ACTIVE PUNISHMENT OF LESS THAN THREE HUNDRED MONTHS FOLLOWED BY LIFETIME SATELLITE-BASED MONITORING OR THE POSSIBILITY OF LIFE IMPRISONMENT WITHOUT PAROLE, TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR AND PROMOTING PROSTITUTION OF A MINOR, TO AMEND THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS TO BE MORE STRINGENT, TO REQUIRE COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION REGARDING THE PRESENCE OF A SEXUALLY VIOLENT PREDATOR OR REPEAT SEX OFFENDER, TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BAIL FOR VIOLATIONS OF PROBATION AND POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION, TO CREATE A NEW CRIMINAL OFFENSE THAT MAKES IT UNLAWFUL FOR A SEX OFFENDER TO BE ON CERTAIN PREMISES, TO ADDRESS EDUCATION AND HEALTH OF JUVENILES SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, AND TO REQUIRE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRIES CHECKS OF SCHOOL CONTRACTUAL PERSONNEL BEFORE ALLOWING THEM TO HAVE DIRECT INTERACTION WITH STUDENTS. (S.L. 2008-117)

H.B. 2438, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND OTHER MODIFICATIONS TO THE STATE BUDGET. (S.L. 2008-118)

S.B. 4, AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE COLLECTION AND REPORTING OF RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA TO PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICIALS AND TO THE STATEWIDE DATA PROCESSOR. (S.L. 2008-119)

S.B. 175, AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE WILDLIFE VIOLATOR COMPACT IN NORTH CAROLINA. (S.L. 2008-120)

H.B. 93, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO STUDY ISSUES RELATING TO INDIVIDUALS BEING
TRANSPORTED IN VEHICLES WHILE SEATED IN WHEELCHAIRS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING. (S.L. 2008-121)

S.B. 180, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT CERTAIN SERVER-BASED ELECTRONIC GAME PROMOTIONS ARE PROHIBITED. (S.L. 2008-122)

H.B. 685, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE NORTH CAROLINA PARTNERSHIP FOR CHILDREN, INC., TO RETAIN UNEXPENDED FUNDS FOR THE 2007-2008 FISCAL YEAR AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER. (S.L. 2008-123)

H.B. 738, AN ACT TO REQUIRE UNINSURED AND UNDER-INSURED MOTORIST COVERAGE; MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO INSURANCE FINANCIAL PROVISIONS; AMEND THE UNAUTHORIZED INSURER LAWS; MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE RATE EVASION LAW TO CLARIFY THAT IT APPLIES ONLY TO PRIVATE PASSENGER VEHICLES AND TO ADD A TERMINATION RESTRICTION CONSISTENT WITH G.S. 58-37-50 TO CLARIFY THAT THE RATE EVASION LAW APPLIES TO CEDED AND UNCEDED POLICIES; REVISE MANAGED CARE AND HMO RECORD RETENTION LAWS; MAKE CHANGES TO THE HEALTH INSURANCE RISK POOL LAWS; STRENGTHEN PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER ORGANIZATION PROTECTIONS; MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAW GOVERNING THE CODE OFFICIALS QUALIFICATION BOARD; PROHIBIT FREE INSURANCE; AND TO MAKE OTHER MISCELLANEOUS CHANGES. (S.L. 2008-124)


S.B. 212, AN ACT TO LIMIT ACCESS TO IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF MINOR PARTICIPANTS IN PARKS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS. (S.L. 2008-126)
H.B. 964, AN ACT TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF HOME CARE SERVICES TO INCLUDE IN-HOME COMPANION, SITTER, AND RESPITE CARE SERVICES PROVIDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL AND TO INCREASE THE ANNUAL LICENSE FEE FOR HOME CARE AGENCIES. (S.L. 2008-127)

S.B. 944, AN ACT TO MAKE LEAVING THE SCENE OF AN ACCIDENT WHERE A PERSON SUFFERS SERIOUS BODILY INJURY A CLASS F FELONY AND TO PROVIDE THAT THEFT OF FIXTURES ATTACHED TO REAL PROPERTY IS LARCENY. (S.L. 2008-128)

H.B. 1003, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE COURT MAY CONSIDER A DEFENDANTS PRIOR WILLFUL FAILURES TO COMPLY WITH CONDITIONS OF RELEASE WHEN PLACED ON SUPERVISED PROBATION, PAROLE, OR POST-RELEASE SUPERVISION AS AN AGGRAVATING FACTOR AND TO PROVIDE THAT A COURT MAY EXTEND OR MODIFY. (S.L. 2008-129)

S.B. 2117, AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE ACT, TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF MEMBERSHIP ON THE NORTH CAROLINA SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE BOARD UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO AMEND THE LAWS REQUIRING A PASSING SCORE ON AN ORAL EXAMINATION THEREBY AFFECTING FEES CHARGED BY THE BOARD UNDER THE LAWS REGULATING SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONALS. (S.L. 2008-130)

S.B. 1770, AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL DEATHS OCCURRING IN CERTAIN STATE FACILITIES BE REPORTED, TO EXPAND THE JURISDICTION OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS TO INCLUDE THESE DEATHS, AND TO STUDY DEATH REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. (S.L. 2008-131)


H.B. 1624, AN ACT TO LIMIT THE FREQUENCY OF PAROLE REVIEWS FOR INMATES CONVICTED OF MURDER. (S.L. 2008-133)
S.B. 1704, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL, CLARIFYING, AND ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE TAX AND RELATED LAWS.  (S.L. 2008-134)

H.B. 1076, AN ACT TO WAIVE FEES AS WELL AS TUITION FOR CERTAIN PERSONS ATTENDING CLASSES AT A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA OR AT A COMMUNITY COLLEGE.  (S.L. 2008-135)

H.B. 1134, AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT BY ENCOURAGING COUNTIES TO DEVELOP PLANS THAT PROVIDE FOR THE DECONSTRUCTION OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES AND THE REMOVAL OF REUSABLE OR RECYCLABLE COMPONENTS, BY PROVIDING FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES THAT ARE DETERMINED TO BE A NUISANCE, AND TO DESIGNATE THAT A PORTION OF THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT TRUST FUND BE USED TO FUND THE DECONSTRUCTION AND REMOVAL OF ABANDONED MANUFACTURED HOMES.  (S.L. 2008-136)

S.B. 1046, AN ACT TO STUDY THE IMPACTS ON THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA OF THE POTENTIAL ISSUANCE OF A FIFTY-YEAR LICENSE BY THE FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION FOR THE OPERATION OF THE YADKIN HYDROELECTRIC PROJECT.  (S.L. 2008-137)

H.B. 1549, AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCESS OF APPOINTMENTS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA AUCTIONEERS COMMISSION.  (S.L. 2008-138)

H.B. 1284, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A LOCAL GOVERNMENT ARISING OUT OF A CONTRACT TO IMPROVE REAL PROPERTY OTHERWISE BARRED BY THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS MAY BE COMMENCED NO LATER THAN NINETY DAYS AFTER SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF THE CONSTRUCTION.  (S.L. 2008-139)

S.B. 1259, AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT WATER SUPPLIED BY A PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM REGULATED UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA DRINKING WATER ACT IS NOT SUBJECT TO CERTAIN WARRANTIES.  (S.L. 2008-140)

S.B. 1340, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF BLOCKS OF 10 TEN-DAY COASTAL RECREATIONAL FISHING LICENSES.  (S.L. 2008-141)
S.B. 1100, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CRIME CONTROL AND PUBLIC SAFETY TO EXPEND FUNDS TO COVER FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE HIGHWAY PATROL KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY, AND TO STUDY THE PAYMENT OF FUNERAL EXPENSES FOR STATE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY. (S.L. 2008-142)

July 31, 2008

H.B. 2499, AN ACT TO IMPROVE DROUGHT PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE IN NORTH CAROLINA, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-143)

August 2, 2008

S.B. 1852, AN ACT TO RESOLVE PROBLEMS WITH APPLYING PROPERTY TAX TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT RENTED ON A SHORT-TERM BASIS BY REPLACING THE PROPERTY TAX ON THIS EQUIPMENT WITH A TAX ON THE GROSS RECEIPTS FROM RENTING THE EQUIPMENT. (S.L. 2008-144)

S.B. 1957, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION OF THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY SPECIAL POLICE THROUGHOUT THE STATE WHEN CONDUCTING OFFICIAL BUSINESS FOR THE PURPOSE OF PERFORMING ADVANCES AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES FOR MEMBERS, AND PROTECTIVE DUTIES AT SPECIAL SESSIONS, COMMITTEE MEETINGS, COMMISSION HEARINGs, AND STATE, REGIONAL, OR NATIONAL LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCES. (S.L. 2008-145)

S.B. 1878, AN ACT TO MODIFY THE SCHEDULE FOR GENERAL REAPPRAISALS OF REAL PROPERTY IN THE STATE TO REDUCE THE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE PROPERTY TAX VALUE OF PROPERTY AND ITS MARKET VALUE, TO MODIFY THE OWNERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF PRESENT-USE VALUE PROPERTY TO REFLECT COMMON FORMS OF LAND OWNERSHIP, TO ALLOW PROPERTY TO REMAIN IN PRESENT-USE VALUE WHEN THE DEFERRED TAXES ARE PAID AT THE TIME OF TRANSFER AND THE NEW OWNER CONTINUES TO FARM THE PROPERTY, TO CLASSIFY LOW-INCOME HOUSING PROPERTY, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX PRESCRIPTION DRUGS GIVEN AS FREE SAMPLES, TO EXCLUDE FROM PROPERTY TAX EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE APPRAISED VALUE OF A SOLAR ELECTRIC SYSTEM, AND TO DIRECT THE REVENUE LAWS STUDY COMMITTEE TO STUDY
THE EFFECT THAT THIS ACT HAS ON STAFFING NEEDS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND THE DEFINITION OF INCOME AS IT APPLIES TO THE HOMESTEAD EXCLUSION. (S.L. 2008-146)

S.B. 2075, AN ACT TO CLARIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE EXCEPTION FOR MULTIJURISDICTIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARKS TIER DESIGNATION AND TO PROVIDE FOR A TEMPORARY INCREASE IN THE CAP ON AMOUNTS COMMITTED UNDER THE JOB DEVELOPMENT INVESTMENT GRANT PROGRAM. (S.L. 2008-147)

S.B. 1716, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL PEG SUPPORT FUNDING AND TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICE AREA OF A CITY INCLUDES ANY AREA SUBSEQUENTLY ANNEXED BY THAT CITY. (S.L. 2008-148)

S.B. 1681, AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE-CONTROLLED PASSENGER-CARRYING VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE; AND TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS TO REQUIRE LOCAL GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED VEHICLES TO BE SMOKE-FREE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JUSTUS-WARREN HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-149)

S.B. 1263, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE ELECTIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO CLARIFY THE NEW ELECTION STATUTE AS IT APPLIES TO MULTISEAT RACES; TO REAUTHORIZE THE PILOT PROGRAM FOR INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING; TO AMEND THE STATUTE CONCERNING NOTICE OF AN ELECTION-PROTEST ORDER AND THE TIMING OF APPEAL; TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "ELECTION" FOR PURPOSES OF THE THIRTY-DAY RESIDENCE REQUIREMENT FOR VOTING; TO RESPOND TO THE DECISION OF THE 4TH CIRCUIT U.S. COURT OF APPEALS IN NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE V. LEAKE; TO REPLACE THE TWENTY-ONE-DAY CONTRIBUTION EMBARGO IN THE JUDICIAL PUBLIC CAMPAIGN PROGRAM WITH AN EXPEDITED RELEASE OF MATCHING FUNDS; TO EXEMPT CERTAIN SALES OF GOODS OR SERVICES BY POLITICAL PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEES FROM CERTAIN CONTRIBUTION REQUIREMENTS; TO REQUIRE ALL TREASURERS TO REPORT ACCORDING TO THE MUNICIPAL CAMPAIGN REPORTING SCHEDULE IF THEIR CANDIDATES OR COMMITTEES PARTICIPATE IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS; TO PROHIBIT COMMINGLING OF CAMPAIGN FUNDS; TO REQUIRE THAT NEW-PARTY CANDIDATES BE REGISTERED WITH THE PARTY; TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENT FOR MATCHING FUNDS IN PUBLIC FINANCING PROGRAMS; TO LIMIT THE PROHIBITION IN THE ELECTIONEERING COMMUNICATIONS STATUTES; AND TO REQUIRE FORTY-EIGHT-HOUR REPORTS FOR
ANY CONTRIBUTION OF LATE CONTRIBUTIONS OF MORE THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, REGARDLESS OF THE SOURCE; AND TO MAKE RELATED CHANGES. (S.L. 2008-150)

S.B. 963. AN ACT RELATING TO THE HOURS OF LABOR AND OVERTIME COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS. (S.L. 2008-151)

S.B. 1885. AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPENSATORY MITIGATION BY PRIVATE MITIGATION BANKS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-152)

S.B. 1651. AN ACT TO AMEND THE REVISED ANATOMICAL GIFT ACT AND OTHER SECTIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES FOR CONSISTENCY, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO LOWER THE MINIMUM AGE FOR DONATING BLOOD FROM SEVENTEEN TO SIXTEEN. (S.L. 2008-153)

August 3, 2008

H.B. 2509. AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SEMIANNUAL SALES AND USE TAX REFUND TO A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT PROCURES, DESIGNS, CONSTRUCTS, OR PROVIDES FACILITIES TO A CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA. (S.L. 2008-154)

H.B. 2496. AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ADDITION OF BEAR PAW STATE NATURAL AREA AND YELLOW MOUNTAIN STATE NATURAL AREA TO THE STATE PARKS SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-155)

S.B. 1800. AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "HAZARDOUS MATERIALS" AND "STATE" UNDER NORTH CAROLINA'S MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO ALLOW CERTAIN NATURAL GAS UTILITY EMPLOYEES AND CONTRACTORS TO USE ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS WHILE ACTING IN THE COURSE AND SCOPE OF THEIR EMPLOYMENT; AND TO AMEND THE MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS AND MANUFACTURERS LICENSE LAW GOVERNING THE LOCATION OF ADDITIONAL OR RELOCATED NEW MOTOR VEHICLE DEALERS. (S.L. 2008-156)
S.B. 741, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW GOVERNING ADVANCE PAYMENTS BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIAN TRIBES. (S.L. 2008-157)

S.B. 1407, AN ACT TO PROTECT CUSTOMERS WHEN PURCHASING TICKETS VIA THE INTERNET AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SOFTWARE TO UNFAIRLY PURCHASE TICKETS OVER THE INTERNET. (S.L. 2008-158)

H.B. 1230, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SPECIAL ONE-TIME PERMITS TO NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS. (S.L. 2008-159)

H.B. 2570, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE MOVEMENT OF TRAILER FRAMES NOT EXCEEDING FOURTEEN FEET IN WIDTH TO ANOTHER LOCATION NO FARTHER THAN THREE MILES AWAY FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN FOR CONTINUED MANUFACTURING OF THE TRANSFER TRAILER WITH AN ANNUAL PERMIT. (S.L. 2008-160)

H.B. 2410, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES, AND DIVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE, TO STUDY IMPLEMENTATION OF AN INCOME DISREGARD POLICY FOR CURRENT STATE/COUNTY SPECIAL ASSISTANCE AND MEDICAID RECIPIENTS WHO ARE ADVERSELY IMPACTED DUE TO COST OF LIVING OR OTHER INCOME INCREASES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING. (S.L. 2008-161)

H.B. 2432, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE NORTH CAROLINA DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE NORTH CAROLINA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, TO STUDY AND DEVELOP PLANS TO ENHANCE DISASTER MANAGEMENT CAPABILITIES AT THE COUNTY LEVEL; AND TO ALLOW THE ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE NATIONAL GUARD TO APPOINT A DEPUTY ADJUTANT GENERAL WHO HOLDS THE RANK OF MAJOR GENERAL. (S.L. 2008-162)

H.B. 1563, AN ACT TO PROVIDE LINE-OF-DUTY DEATH BENEFITS TO FIRE AND RESCUE INSTRUCTORS WHO ARE OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR THESE BENEFITS BUT WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY COVERED WHILE CONDUCTING FIRE AND RESCUE TRAINING OUTSIDE THEIR OWN DEPARTMENTS. (S.L. 2008-163)
H.B. 2318, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ENTER INTO PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-164)

H.B. 1770, AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE PARTIES TO CONSERVATION AND PRESERVATION AGREEMENTS TO INCLUDE PROVISIONS IN THE AGREEMENTS FOR THE PAYMENT OF FEES UPON FUTURE CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THE AGREEMENTS AND TO ALLOW SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS TO BE PAID IN MORE THAN TEN ANNUAL INSTALLMENTS AND TO BE PLEDGED TO THE REPAYMENT OF REVENUE BONDS ISSUED FOR CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS. (S.L. 2008-165)

H.B. 2409, AN ACT TO REQUIRE MULTIUNIT ASSISTED HOUSING WITH SERVICES (MAHS) PROGRAMS TO REGISTER ANNUALLY WITH THE DIVISION OF HEALTH SERVICE REGULATION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN FEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING. (S.L. 2008-166)

H.B. 887, AN ACT TO CLARIFY AND EXPAND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF STALKING. (S.L. 2008-167)

August 4, 2008

H.B. 2443, AN ACT TO REWRITE GENERAL STATUTE PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO HEALTH AND LONG-TERM CARE BENEFITS FOR TEACHERS, STATE EMPLOYEES, RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES, AND THEIR ELIGIBLE DEPENDENTS. (S.L. 2008-168)

H.B. 2492, AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR RELEASE OF JUVENILE IDENTIFICATION UPON ESCAPE FROM CUSTODY, BASED ON RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE CORRECTIONS, CRIME CONTROL, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-169)

H.B. 1113, AN ACT TO LIMIT THE USE OF THE PUBLIC DUTY DOCTRINE AS AN AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE FOR CLAIMS UNDER THE STATE TORT CLAIMS ACT IN WHICH THE INJURIES OF THE CLAIMANT ARE THE RESULT OF THE ALLEGED NEGLIGENT FAILURE OF CERTAIN PARTIES TO PROTECT CLAIMANTS FROM THE ACTION OF OTHERS. (S.L. 2008-170)
H.B. 1889, AN ACT TO PROVIDE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR QUALIFYING WILDLIFE CONSERVATION LAND, TO CLARIFY THE PRESENT-USE VALUATION OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO A CONSERVATION EASEMENT, AND TO PROVIDE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR LEASEHOLD INTEREST IN CERTAIN EXEMPTED PROPERTY. (S.L. 2008-171)

H.B. 2265, AN ACT TO EXEMPT BUSES FROM SAFETY INSPECTIONS REQUIRED UNDER MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS IF THEY ARE TITLED TO A LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SUBJECT TO SCHOOL BUS INSPECTION REQUIREMENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-172)

H.B. 2105, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE COMPENSATION PROVIDED TO PERSONS ERRONEOUSLY CONVICTED OF FELONIES WHO HAVE RECEIVED PARDONS OF INNOCENCE; TO REQUIRE THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO ANNually ADJUST THE COMPENSATION TO REFLECT INCREASES IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX FOR ALL URBAN CONSUMERS; AND TO ALLOW THE INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION TO AWARD ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION OF JOB SKILLS TRAINING AND EXPENSES FOR TUITION AND FEES AT A NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE OR CONSTITUENT INSTITUTION. (S.L. 2008-173)

H.B. 2306, AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO DETERMINE RESPONSIBILITY FOR CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES PLACED IN PRIVATE PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES BY PUBLIC AGENCIES OTHER THAN LOCAL EDUCATIONAL AGENCIES. (S.L. 2008-174)

H.B. 2308, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS GOVERNING COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSES IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-175)

H.B. 2313, AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN EXPRESS PERMITTING REVIEW PROGRAM FOR CONNECTIONS TO THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; AND TO EXEMPT CERTAIN GREENHOUSES LOCATED INSIDE THE BUILDING-RULES JURISDICTION OF ANY MUNICIPALITY FROM THE BUILDING CODE. (S.L. 2008-176)
H.B. 2353, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LICENSURE OF IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS AND TO ADD TWO MORE LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENTS TO THE NORTH CAROLINA APPRAISAL BOARD. (S.L. 2008-177)

H.B. 2341, AN ACT TO LIMIT LIABILITY FOR THE ACTS OF CERTIFIED CHILD PASSENGER SAFETY TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS OF CHILD SAFETY SEAT EDUCATIONAL AND CHECKING PROGRAMS WHEN TECHNICIANS AND SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS ARE ACTING IN GOOD FAITH AND CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS, INSTALLATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR EDUCATION PROGRAMS ARE PROVIDED WITHOUT FEE OR CHARGE, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-178)

H.B. 2338, AN ACT TO REQUIRE HOSPITALS AND PHYSICIANS TO REPORT SERIOUS, NON-ACCIDENTAL TRAUMA INJURIES IN CHILDREN TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-179)

H.B. 2314, AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE STATUTES GOVERNING VOLUNTARY LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION IN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, AND TO EXPAND THE AUTHORITY OF THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO LOCATE AND ACQUIRE RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR THE LOCATION, ABOVE OR BELOW GROUND, OF FIBER-OPTIC CABLE. (S.L. 2008-180)

H.B. 2431, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR STUDIES BY THE LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH COMMISSION, STATUTORY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEES AND COMMISSIONS, AND OTHER AGENCIES, COMMITTEES, AND COMMISSIONS. (S.L. 2008-181)

H.B. 2391, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES TO CONSIDER RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE CLERK OF COURT IN DETERMINING WHETHER TO REVOKE THE DRIVERS LICENSE OF A PERSON ADJUDICATED INCOMPETENT UNDER THE GUARDIANSHIP LAWS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE STUDY COMMISSION ON AGING. (S.L. 2008-182)

H.B. 2397, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR NURSING HOME ADMINISTRATORS TO OBTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS OF
APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE AS NURSING HOME ADMINISTRA-
TORS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA STUDY
COMMISSION ON AGING. (S.L. 2008-183)

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S.B. 1796, AN ACT TO DIRECT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
AND HUMAN SERVICES TO ALLOW A CERTAIN INCOME DISREGARD
UNDER THE SPECIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM. (S.L. 2008-184)

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S.B. 1541, AN ACT TO ENACT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON
EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN.
(S.L. 2008-185)

H.B. 2785, AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE TO ACQUIRE LOCKS
AND DAMS ONE, TWO, AND THREE ON THE CAPE FEAR RIVER
FROM THE UNITED STATES. (S.L. 2008-186)

S.B. 1632, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS AND
CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES AS RE-
QUESTED BY THE GENERAL STATUTES COMMISSION, AND TO
MAKE VARIOUS OTHER TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE GENERAL
STATUTES AND SESSION LAWS. (S.L. 2008-187)

S.B. 1627, AN ACT TO CREATE THE NORTH CAROLINA
RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM. (S.L. 2008-188)

S.B. 1214, AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERSTATE COMPACT
FOR THE SUPERVISION OF ADULT OFFENDERS. (S.L. 2008-189)

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S.B. 1787, AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE LAWS
GOVERNING VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND INSPECTION, AS
RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION
OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-190)

S.B. 1860, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE CRIMINAL PENALTY
FOR MISDEMEANOR CHILD ABUSE AND TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL
OFFENSE OF FELONY CHILD ABUSE AS RECOMMENDED BY THE
CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-191)

S.B. 2056, AN ACT TO PROVIDE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS WITH AN EXEMPTION FROM ADVANCING COURT FEES IN CHILD SUPPORT ACTIONS, CHILD ABUSE ACTIONS, AND OTHER ACTIONS FILED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES. (S.L. 2008-193)

H.B. 545, AN ACT TO: (1) PROVIDE THE HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY TWO ADDITIONAL POWERS CONCERNING REAL PROPERTY AND SERVICES RETAINED FOR ISSUANCE OF BONDS; (2) AUTHORIZE A ONETIME BULK UPDATE OF REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION; (3) AMEND THE LIST OF ENTITIES INCLUDED AS "ESTABLISHED LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAMS" TO WHICH THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BAR MAY ALLOCATE FUNDS UNDER THE ACCESS TO CIVIL JUSTICE ACT AND THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ASSISTANCE ACT; (4) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS FILED IN THE MECKLENBURG COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS OFFICE; (5) VALIDATE CERTAIN NOTARIAL ACTS PERFORMED ON OR BEFORE MAY 1, 2008; (6) MAKE A TECHNICAL CHANGE TO THE NAME OF THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE ART SOCIETY; (7) MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES RELATED TO THE VERIFICATION, RECORDATION, AND INDEXING OF DOCUMENTS PRESENTED TO REGISTERS OF DEEDS; (8) CLARIFY SCOPE OF AUTHORITY TO IMPOSE SANCTIONS IN MEDIATED SETTLEMENT CONFERENCES; (9) PROVIDE AN EXTENSION OF TIME FOR THE REALIGNMENT OF BUDGETS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION; (10) AUTHORIZE INCREASED DORMITORY CAPACITY IN CERTAIN COUNTY DETENTION FACILITIES; AND (11) AUTHORIZE THE STATE TREASURER TO DISCLOSE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF RETIRED STATE AND LOCAL EMPLOYEES TO CERTAIN ORGANIZATIONS. (S.L. 2008-194)

H.B. 2498, AN ACT (1) TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES OF PETROLEUM FROM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY INCREASING THE FEES PAID BY OWNERS AND OPERATORS OF COMMERCIAL UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS; (2) TO ESTABLISH LIMITATIONS ON THE TIME IN WHICH THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MUST MAKE AN ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATION, REQUESTS FOR PAYMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT MAY BE SUBMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT,
AND THE DEPARTMENT MAY TAKE ADMINISTRATIVE ACTION OR BRING A CIVIL ACTION TO RECOVER PAYMENTS THAT WERE NOT AUTHORIZED BY LAW, THAT WERE MADE ON THE BASIS OF FRAUDULENT INFORMATION, OR FOR OTHER REASONS; (3) TO CLARIFY FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY REQUIREMENTS; (4) TO REDUCE THE INCIDENCE OF LEAKS BY REQUIRING SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ALL COMPONENTS OF REGULATED PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEMS; (5) TO CLARIFY REQUIREMENTS FOR REGISTRATION OF COMMERCIAL TANKS; (6) TO PROVIDE FOR EXPEDITED ASSESSMENT AND CLEANUP OF RELEASES AND DISCHARGES FROM PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS BY REQUIRING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO ESTABLISH A PILOT PROGRAM TO EVALUATE THE USE OF SITE-SPECIFIC CLEANUP STANDARDS; (7) TO PROVIDE FOR RECLASSIFICATION OF A SITE TO A LOWER RISK CLASSIFICATION; AND (8) TO PROVIDE FOR VARIOUS STUDIES AND REPORTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-195)

S.B. 1652, AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL STATUTES TO CLARIFY LEGISLATIVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF PROGRAM EVALUATION DIVISION DOCUMENTS. (S.L. 2008-196)

S.B. 685, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE PLACING OF A BURNING CROSS ON ANY PUBLIC PLACE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR BURNING A CROSS WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WITH THE INTENT TO INTIMIDATE; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR PLACING AN EXHIBIT WHILE WEARING A MASK, HOOD, OR OTHER DISGUISE; TO CLARIFY THAT THE TERM "EXHIBIT" INCLUDES OBJECTS SUCH AS NOOSES; TO RAISE THE PENALTY FOR OFFENSE COMMITTED BECAUSE OF VICTIM'S BACKGROUND; TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF RECENT CROSS BURNINGS AND NOOSE HANGINGS ACROSS THE STATE; AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MODIFICATION TO THE CRIMINAL LAWS OF THE STATE. (S.L. 2008-197)

S.B. 845, AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL AND NATURAL RESOURCES LAWS TO: (1) PROVIDE THAT PRIVATE DRINKING WATER WELLS ARE TO BE TESTED FOR CERTAIN ADDITIONAL PARAMETERS; (2) AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE TO ADOPT RULES GOVERNING EUTHANASIA OF ANIMALS; (3) RENAME THE BLUE CRAB RESEARCH PROGRAM THE
BLUE CRAB AND SHELLFISH RESEARCH PROGRAM; (4) CLARIFY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION OR ANY OTHER UNIT OF GOVERNMENT SHALL MAKE OYSTER SHELLS AVAILABLE TO THE DIVISION OF MARINE FISHERIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES WITHOUT REMUNERATION; (5) SPECIFY THAT THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION MAY NOT BEGIN THE PROCEDURE TO ADOPT A TEMPORARY OR PERMANENT RULE THAT GOVERNS THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO SUBDIVISIONS (1) AND (3) OF G.S. 143-214.7(B) PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011, SPECIFY THAT ANY SUCH ADDITIONAL RULES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2013, AND SPECIFY THAT RULES ADOPTED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION PURSUANT TO ANY OTHER STATE STATUTORY AUTHORITY THAT GOVERN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER RUNOFF IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES SHALL NOT BECOME EFFECTIVE IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES PRIOR TO 1 OCTOBER 2011; (6) CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR RECORDATION OF RESTRICTIONS AND PROTECTIVE COVENANTS THAT SPECIFY CERTAIN COASTAL STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS; (7) PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO BECOMES THE OWNER OR OPERATOR OF A COMMERCIAL PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK MAY PAY, UNDER PROTEST, UNPAID ANNUAL OPERATING FEES THAT WERE THE OBLIGATION OF A PREVIOUS OWNER OR OPERATOR FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING AN OPERATING PERMIT FOR THE UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANKS, REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES TO DILIGENTLY SEEK TO COLLECT UNPAID FEES FROM THE PERSON WHO WAS ORIGINALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYMENT, AND PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO PAYS FEES UNDER PROTEST MAY BE REIMBURSED TO THE EXTENT THAT THE FEES ARE COLLECTED FROM ANOTHER PERSON; (8) IMPROVE WATER QUALITY AND PROMOTE GROUNDWATER RECHARGE IN AREAS OF THE STATE THAT ARE NOT SUBJECT TO THE STORMWATER MANAGEMENT REQUIREMENTS OF CERTAIN WATER QUALITY PROGRAMS BY REQUIRING EITHER THAT NO MORE THAN EIGHTY PERCENT OF CERTAIN AREAS USED FOR VEHICULAR PARKING BE IMPERVIOUS OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, THAT RUNOFF FROM AT LEAST TWENTY PERCENT OF CERTAIN IMPERVIOUS VEHICULAR PARKING AREAS FLOW TO BIORETENTION AREAS; (9) DECLARE THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES AGGRESSIVELY COMPEL PERSONS WHO ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTAMINATION OF GROUNDWATER THAT RESULTS IN CONTAMINATION OF DRINKING WATER TO ASSESS AND REMEDIATE THE
(10) CONSOLIDATE CERTAIN ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; AND (11) TO MAKE CLARIFYING, CONFORMING, AND TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO VARIOUS LAWS RELATED TO THE ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-198)


**S.B. 1766**, AN ACT TO PROVIDE LIABILITY PROTECTION FOR PRIVATE ASSOCIATIONS, PRIVATE CORPORATIONS, AND PRIVATE NONPROFIT ENTITIES AND ORGANIZATIONS WHEN RESPONDING TO IN-STATE INCIDENTS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AND THE JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY. (S.L. 2008-200)

**S.B. 1797**, AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE STUDY OF TIRE RETREAD PROCESSES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-201)

**S.B. 1799**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO PROVIDE TO THE DIVISION OF MOTOR VEHICLES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION THE CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS AND EMPLOYEES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE; TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF BLACK-AND-WHITE PHOTOGRAPHS OF LICENSE HOLDERS ON DRIVERS LICENSES; AND TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATE MAIL DELIVERY OF DRIVERS LICENSES FOR APPLICANTS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE FOR RESIDENTIAL POSTAL SERVICE. (S.L. 2008-202)

**S.B. 1946**, AN ACT TO CODIFY THE STANDARDS GOVERNING ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND WATER USE FOR MAJOR FACILITY CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION PROJECTS INVOLVING STATE, UNIVERSITY, AND COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDINGS IN ORDER TO REDUCE THE CONSUMPTION OF ENERGY AND WATER, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION,
AND TO ALLOW THE STATE, THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA SYSTEM, AND THE NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM TO INSTALL PHOTO LUMINESCENT EXIT SIGNS WHEN PERMITTED BY THE STATE BUILDING CODE. (S.L. 2008-203)

S.B. 1925, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION AND THE FINANCING, WITHOUT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL FUND, OF CERTAIN CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS OF THE CONSTITUENT INSTITUTIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA; TO REVISE UNIVERSITY GENERAL OBLIGATION INDEBTEDNESS; TO ALLOW THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA TO CREATE AN AIRPORT AUTHORITY TO SUPPORT THE MISSION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL OR THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA HEALTH CARE SYSTEM; TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY TO SET THE INTEREST RATE FOR THREE SCHOLARSHIP LOAN PROGRAMS AT A RATE NOT TO EXCEED TEN PERCENT PER ANNUM; AND TO MODIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE NORTH CAROLINA FEDERAL TAX REFORM ALLOCATION COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-204)

August 9, 2008

H.B. 2768, AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PROHIBITING HUNTING AND FISHING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY IN ORANGE COUNTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE LANDOWNER OR LESSEE, TO INCREASE THE FEES COLLECTED FROM PARTICIPANTS IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY THE WILDLIFE RESOURCES COMMISSION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT HOLDERS OF HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES ISSUED TO THE DISABLED ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DISABLED SPORTSMAN PROGRAM. (S.L. 2008-205)

H.B. 2558, AN ACT TO REQUIRE LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS TO OBTAIN A PRIVILEGE LICENSE. (S.L. 2008-206)

H.B. 2530, AN ACT TO MAKE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES TO THE SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL TAX AND TO ALLOW A REFUND FOR ALL UNSALABLE OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS. (S.L. 2008-207)

H.B. 819, AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS GOVERNING MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED COMPUTER EQUIPMENT, TO PROVIDE FOR MANAGEMENT OF DISCARDED TELEVISIONS, TO DELAY
THE EFFECTIVE DATE UNTIL 1 JANUARY 2010, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING AND TECHNICAL CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION. (S.L. 2008-208)

**H.B. 15.** AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT TEACHERS ARE NOT PENALIZED FOR TAKING PERSONAL LEAVE TIME UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES. (S.L. 2008-209)

**S.B. 2081.** AN ACT TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF INvoluntary MENTAL COMMITMENT TO THE NATIONAL INSTANT CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK SYSTEM; AND TO PROVIDE FOR A RESTORATION PROCESS TO REMOVE THE COMMITMENT BAR TO THE PURCHASE, POSSESSION, AND TRANSFER OF FIREARMS. (S.L. 2008-210)

**S.B. 1967.** AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF STORMWATER IN THE COASTAL COUNTIES IN ORDER TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY. (S.L. 2008-211)

August 11, 2008

**S.B. 847.** AN ACT TO ADD AGRICULTURAL WORKERS TO THOSE PROTECTED AGAINST RETALIATION IN THE WORKPLACE AND TO DIRECT THE PESTICIDE BOARD TO ADOPT RULES REQUIRING LICENSED PESTICIDE APPLICATORS TO RECORD THE SPECIFIC TIME OF DAY WHEN EACH PESTICIDE APPLICATION IS COMPLETED, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE GOVERNOR'S TASK FORCE ON PREVENTING AGRICULTURAL PESTICIDE EXPOSURE. (S.L. 2008-212)

August 15, 2008

**H.B. 2542.** AN ACT TO MAKE CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE STATE GOVERNMENT ETHICS ACT AND THE LOBBYING LAWS AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES. (S.L. 2008-213)

**H.B. 274.** AN ACT TO CREATE ADDITIONAL OFFENSES, PENALTIES, AND CRIMINAL PROCEDURE FOR PERSONS INVOLVED IN STREET GANG ACTIVITY AND TO BE ENTITLED THE "NORTH CAROLINA STREET GANG SUPPRESSION ACT." (S.L. 2008-214)
S.B. 1875, AN ACT TO RECODIFY THE STATE AUDITOR’S HOTLINE AUTHORITY, TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION WITH REGARDS TO REFERRALS FROM THE STATE AUDITOR, AND TO MAKE OTHER CONFORMING CHANGES. (S.L. 2008-215)

August 16, 2008


H.B. 2487, AN ACT TO CHANGE THE FORMAT OF A DRIVERS LICENSE OR SPECIAL IDENTIFICATION CARD BEING ISSUED TO A PERSON LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM A HORIZONTAL FORMAT TO A VERTICAL FORMAT TO MAKE RECOGNITION OF UNDERAGE PERSONS MORE EASY FOR CLERKS DEALING IN RESTRICTED AGE SALES OF PRODUCTS SUCH AS ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS AS RECOMMENDED BY THE CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-217)

S.B. 132, AN ACT TO EXPAND THE SCOPE OF CERTAIN PORNOGRAPHY LAWS BY AMENDING THE DEFINITION OF SEXUAL ACTIVITY; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY FOR FIRST, SECOND, AND THIRD DEGREE SEXUAL EXPLOITATION OF A MINOR; TO INCREASE THE PENALTY IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES WHERE THERE IS A SOLICITATION BY COMPUTER TO COMMIT AN UNLAWFUL SEX ACT AND TO PROVIDE FOR CIVIL LIABILITY; TO MAKE IT A FELONY FOR A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER TO ACCESS A COMMERCIAL SOCIAL NETWORKING WEB SITE; AND TO PROHIBIT A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM OBTAINING A NAME CHANGE. (S.L. 2008-218)

S.B. 1924, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE NORTH CAROLINA BUILDING CODE COUNCIL TO STUDY AND ADOPT PROVISIONS IN THE BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO THE INSTALLATION OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN SINGLE-FAMILY OR MULTIFAMILY DWELLINGS; TO REQUIRE THE INSTALLATION OF OPERATIONAL CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS IN CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY; TO PROVIDE FOR MUTUAL
OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE INSTALLATION AND UPKEEP OF CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE NORTH CAROLINA CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE. (S.L. 2008-219)

S.B. 1736, AN ACT TO ADD FELONY CHILD ABUSE TO THE LIST OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY OFFENSES WHEN THE OFFENSE INVOLVES PROSTITUTION OF A JUVENILE OR THE COMMISSION OF A SEXUAL ACT UPON A JUVENILE, TO REQUIRE THAT A SEX OFFENDER REGISTER HIS OR HER ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS OR OTHER ONLINE IDENTIFIER IN THE STATEWIDE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY, TO ALLOW LIMITED RELEASE OF ONLINE IDENTIFIER INFORMATION IN THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY TO CERTAIN ENTITIES THAT PROVIDE ELECTRONIC MAIL SERVICES AND OTHER INTERNET SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF SCREENING ONLINE USERS, TO DIRECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS TO DEVELOP PROCEDURES TO ENSURE TIMELY NOTIFICATION OF THE DIVISION OF CRIMINAL INFORMATION AND SHERIFFS OF PERSONS REQUIRED TO REGISTER WHO ARE NOT SENTENCED TO ACTIVE TIME, AND TO AUTHORIZE FUNDS FOR THE GOVERNOR'S CRIME COMMISSION TO USE TO AWARD AS MATCHING GRANTS TO ELIGIBLE SHERIFFS' OFFICES TO ENHANCE AND SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS TO ENFORCE THE STATE'S SEX OFFENDER LAWS. (S.L. 2008-220)

August 17, 2008

S.B. 1695, AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CHANGES TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE LAWS RELATED TO DRIVERS LICENSES, REGISTRATION PLATES ISSUED TO FARM VEHICLES, AND VEHICLE SIZE AND WEIGHT LIMITATIONS, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE. (S.L. 2008-221)

S.B. 1339, AN ACT TO REQUIRE SUPPLIERS THAT IMPORT GASOLINE FOR SALE IN THIS STATE TO OFFER GASOLINE FOR SALE TO A DISTRIBUTOR OR RETAILER THAT IS NOT PRE-BLENDED WITH FUEL ALCOHOL AND THAT IS SUITABLE FOR SUBSEQUENT BLENDING WITH FUEL ALCOHOL AND TO PROVIDE THAT CONTRACT PROVISIONS THAT RESTRICT OR PREVENT DISTRIBUTORS OR RETAILERS FROM BLENDING GASOLINE AND FUEL ALCOHOL ARE VOID. (S.L. 2008-222)
S.B. 942, AN ACT TO PROHIBIT LOCAL GOVERNMENTS FROM ENACTING ORDINANCES THAT WOULD RESTRICT DISTRIBUTION OF NEWSPAPERS. (S.L. 2008-223)

S.B. 1314, AN ACT AMENDING THE LAWS UNDER THE NORTH CAROLINA MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY PRACTICE ACT TO EXPAND THE EXISTING LAWS REGULATING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD TO ESTABLISH FEES FOR LICENSING MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY SCHOOLS; AND TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE TO CONDUCT CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD CHECKS FROM STATE AND NATIONAL REPOSITORIES OF CRIMINAL HISTORY OF APPLICANTS FOR LICENSURE TO PRACTICE MASSAGE AND BODYWORK THERAPY. (S.L. 2008-224)

S.B. 1697, AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF TOLLS ON TURNPIKE PROJECTS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, TO MODIFY LAWS APPLICABLE TO THE NORTH CAROLINA TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, AND TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORIZATION MADE IN A PRIOR LAW TO TOLL AN EXISTING SEGMENT OF N.C. 540. (S.L. 2008-225)

H.B. 2623, AN ACT TO CREATE AN EMERGENCY PROGRAM TO REDUCE HOME FORECLOSURES AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF BANKS TO USE FUNDS FOR HOME FORECLOSURE PREVENTION. (S.L. 2008-226)

H.B. 2188, AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ANY FEE INCURRED BY A HOME LOAN SERVICER BE CLEARLY AND CONSPICUOUSLY EXPLAINED TO THE BORROWER WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER THE FEE IS ASSESSED, TO CLARIFY THAT THE SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO SEND A STATEMENT TO THE BORROWER UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, TO PROVIDE THAT A SERVICER IS NOT REQUIRED TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION TO THE BORROWER IF A PARTIAL PAYMENT IS ACCEPTED AND CREDITED IN ACCORDANCE WITH A WRITTEN AGREEMENT, TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES IN THE DEFINITION OF HIGH COST HOME LOANS, AND TO ADD TO THE LIST OF PROHIBITED ACTS UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT. (S.L. 2008-227)

H.B. 2463, AN ACT TO REGULATE MORTGAGE SERVICING; TO REQUIRE MORTGAGE SERVICER LICENSURE UNDER THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CLARIFYING CHANGES TO THE MORTGAGE LENDING ACT. (S.L. 2008-228)
It will be noted that a number of bills and resolutions passed second reading and then were read a third time on the same day.

Rule 41(b) states:

No bill shall be read more than once in the same day without the concurrence of two-thirds (2/3) of the members present and voting.

In order to comply with this Rule, no bill which has passed its second reading is read a third time except:

1. When a member moves that the Rule be suspended, and this motion carries by at least a two-thirds vote of the members present.

2. When the Chair determines that there is no objection from any member present. This constitutes unanimous consent of those members present that Rule 41(b) be suspended.

In these cases, the bill is read a third time.

Denise G. Weeks  
Principal Clerk
ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Wednesday, August 27, 2008

Pursuant to a call of His Excellency, Governor Michael F. Easley, hereinafter recorded, the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of North Carolina convenes in its Hall in Reconvened Session, at the hour of eleven o'clock, Wednesday, August 27, 2008, and is called to order by the Speaker of the House, Joe Hackney.

The following prayer is offered by the Reverend Jim Harry, House Chaplain:

"Almighty God:

"You are the Giver of every good and perfect gift. You provide sustenance to us through the gifts of the earth; You nurture us through the gifts of friends and family; You sustain us by the gift of Your Spirit. We thank You for Your steadfast love that endures forever. Grant unto us this day the discernment to read between the lines, to work out the issue before us and to move toward a resolution of this matter so that when our work here is complete, we will know that we have done what is right both in our hearts and for the people of this great State. Amen."

The Speaker leads the Body in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Representative Owens, for the Committee on Rules, Calendar, and Operations of the House, reports the Journal of July 18 has been examined and found correct. Upon his motion, the Journal is approved as written.

Leaves of absence are granted Representatives M. Alexander, Blue, Bryant, Cotham, Earle, England, Farmer-Butterfield, Hall, Harrison, Justice, Killian, McLawhorn, Mobley, and Womble for today.

The Reading Clerk reads the following proclamation by the Governor.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

MICHAEL F. EASLEY
GOVERNOR

PROCLAMATION OF RECONVENED SESSION

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Governor by Article III, Section 5 (11) of the Constitution of North Carolina, and as required by Article II,

August 27, 2008
Section 22(7) the General Assembly shall reconvene on **Wednesday, August 27, 2008, at 11:00 a.m.** to reconsider House Bill 2167, "An act to increase the width of boats that may be transported on highway routes during the day and night without a permit and to provide for an annual permit as opposed to a single trip permit for oversize boats," which was vetoed on August 17, 2008.


S/ Michael F. Easley

The Speaker orders a Special Message sent to the Senate notifying them that the House has reconvened pursuant to the Call of the Governor.

**SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

**2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY**
**SECOND SESSION 2008**
**RECONVENED**

Senate Chamber
August 27, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent to the House of Representatives informing that Honorable Body that pursuant to the Proclamation issued by Governor Michael F. Easley on August 25, 2008, reconvening the 2008 Session of the General Assembly to reconsider **H.B. 2167 (Ratified), AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS**, which was vetoed on August 17, 2008, the Senate is organized and ready to proceed with the public business of the State.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
*Principal Clerk*

August 27, 2008
GOVERNOR'S OBJECTIONS AND VETO MESSAGE

House Bill 2167, "An act to increase the width of boats that may be transported on highway routes during the day and night without a permit and to provide for an annual permit as opposed to a single trip permit for oversize boats."

House Bill 2167, allows extremely large boats as wide as 9-1/2 feet to be towed on any state road at anytime, including night time, any day of the week, without a permit as required by all other states from Texas to Virginia. This bill would also allow a blood alcohol level of .08, double that allowed by commercial vehicles of smaller size.

I sincerely believe that this bill puts families at a risk on the highways and would result in death or serious injury. North Carolina has 60,000 miles of narrow two lane roads that cannot accommodate the 9-1/2 foot width and maintains roughly 1,000 bridges 18-feet wide or less, which would require a 9-1/2 foot boat to cross the center line in violation of N.C.G.S. 20-146, and into oncoming traffic. Further, if two 9-1/2 foot boats were to meet on an 18-foot strip of road or bridge it would be physically impossible to escape a collision.

I am deeply concerned about 9-1/2 foot boats meeting a school bus. The buses travel primarily on rural roads and often in the dark during early morning and early evening hours.

I encourage the General Assembly to let boat haulers use the current law of permitting for the rest of this season and then have the legislature take up this issue in January when there is time to thoughtfully avoid the consequences of this bill.

Therefore, I veto the bill.

S/ Michael F. Easley

August 27, 2008
The bill, having been vetoed, is returned to the Clerk of the North Carolina House of Representatives on this the 17th day of August 2008 at 8:45 p.m. for reconsideration by that Body.

CALENDAR

Action is taken on the following:

**H.B. 2167**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, is before the Body.

Representative Williams moves that the House pass **H.B. 2167**, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

Representative Williams calls the previous question on the motion and the call is sustained by electronic vote (74-22).

The motion carries by the following three-fifths roll call vote:


August 27, 2008
Pursuant to Article II, Section 22 of the North Carolina Constitution, the bill together with the objections and veto message are delivered to the Senate by Special Message.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS**

The following is introduced, read the first time and referred to committee:

By Representative Owens:

**H.J.R. 2808.** A JOINT RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE RECONVENCED SESSION.

Pursuant to Rule 32(a), the resolution is placed on today's Calendar.

The resolution passes its second reading, by electronic vote (98-0), and there being no objection is read a third time.

The resolution passes its third reading and is ordered sent to the Senate by Special Message.

**RULES SUSPENDED**

Representative McAllister moves that the rules be suspended that she might be recorded as voting on the motion to pass **H.B. 2167**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

The motion carries. The adjusted vote total is (93-7).

Representative Owens moves that the rules be suspended in order that three Members might be recorded as voting on the motion to pass **H.B. 2167**, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS, notwithstanding the objection of the Governor.

Representative K. Alexander, "aye"
Representative Luebke, "no"
Representative Jones, "aye"

August 27, 2008
The motion carries. The adjusted vote total is (95-8).

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008
RECONVENED SESSION

Senate Chamber
August 27, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body that the Senate has passed H.B. 2167 (Ratified), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR ONSIZE BOATS, at 11:39 AM on August 27, 2008, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor and the bill becomes law.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

2007 GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SECOND SESSION 2008
RECONVENED SESSION

Senate Chamber
August 27, 2008

Mr. Speaker:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body respectfully advising that the Senate has concluded the business of the Reconvened Session 2008 of the 2007 General Assembly and stands ready to adjourn sine die, pursuant to H.J.R. 2808, A JOINT RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE RECONVENED SESSION.

Respectfully,
S/ Janet B. Pruitt
Principal Clerk

August 27, 2008
ENROLLED BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, duly ratified, and sent to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.J.R. 2808, A JOINT RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE RECONVENED SESSION.** (Ch. Res. 2008-32)

CHAPTERED BILLS

The following bill is properly enrolled, assigned a chapter number, and presented to the office of the Secretary of State:

**H.B. 2167, AN ACT TO INCREASE THE WIDTH OF BOATS THAT MAY BE TRANSPORTED ON HIGHWAY ROUTES DURING THE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT A PERMIT AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN ANNUAL PERMIT AS OPPOSED TO A SINGLE TRIP PERMIT FOR OVERSIZE BOATS.** (S.L. 2008-229)

Representative Owens moves, seconded by Representative McAllister, that the 2007 Session of the House of Representatives meeting in Reconvened Session under call of the Governor adjourn *sine die*.

The motion carries.

The House stands adjourned at 12:09 p.m.

Denise G. Weeks
*Principal Clerk*

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H.R. 2133 A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BATTLE OF ALAMANCE.

Whereas, a few years prior to the American Revolution, frontier people living in the western portions of colonial North Carolina became increasingly upset with how local government officials were handling the colony's affairs; and

Whereas, many people believed they were being subjected to excessive taxes and illegal fees and were being treated badly by corrupt officials; and

Whereas, unable to get resolution through peaceful means, a group of backcountry farmers known as Regulators began resorting to violence and openly refusing to pay certain fees; and

Whereas, a prominent member of the Regulators included Hermon Husbands, a Quaker who represented Orange County in the North Carolina Assembly which met in New Bern; and

Whereas, as Regulators increased their actions, Governor William Tryon was asked to call out the militia to end the rebellion; and

Whereas, Governor Tryon and his troops engaged in battle with the Regulators near the Alamance Creek on May 16, 1771, after the Regulators refused to disband peacefully; and

Whereas, the Regulators were not prepared for an organized and heavily armed militia and were defeated during the battle, thus ending their rebellion; and

Whereas, today, the Alamance Battleground is a State historic site where visitors can learn about colonial life by viewing the battlefield and touring the preserved Allen House, a home typical of those built in that era; and

Whereas, May 16, 2008, marks the 237th Anniversary of the Battle of Alamance, an anniversary worthy of recognition and celebration; Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

SECTION 1. The House of Representatives honors those who fought during the Battle of Alamance and encourages the citizens of this State to take part in activities commemorating the 237th anniversary of this historic event.

SECTION 2. The Principal Clerk shall transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Alamance Battleground State Historic Site.

SECTION 3. This resolution is effective upon adoption.
H.R. 2266 A HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING THE
HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY
RESERVE.

Whereas, in the early twentieth century, Secretary of War Root
proposed changes to the armed forces that included making citizen volunteers
an essential part of the Army. Root's idea for a broad-based federal reserve
force began to take form in April 1908, with the establishment of the
Medical Reserve Corps. This first federal reserve force was made up of
physicians who could be ordered to active duty by the Secretary of War
during a time of emergency; and

Whereas, during World War I, 160,000 Reserve soldiers served
on active duty, including Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, and Captain Eddie
Rickenbacker, whose example set the standard that Army Reserve men and
women have followed ever since; and

Whereas, with the national economy in tatters in the 1930s,
reserve training became rare. However, in 1933 President Franklin Roosevelt
directed the Army to take control of the Civilian Conservation Corps, and
by the end of 1934 there were 5,000 Reserve officers working with the
Civilian Conservation Corps. Between 1933 and 1939 more than 30,000
Reserve members served in 2,700 camps; and

Whereas, with the fall of France in 1940, the United States
began rearming in earnest, and the nation's reserve soldiers were quickly
called. By June of 1941 ninety percent of the Army's company grade
officers were recently mobilized reserve officers. One reserve officer who
sought active duty, unsuccessfully, was Senator Harry Truman. By the end
of World War II, more than 200,000 reserve soldiers were on active duty,
and more than twenty-five percent of all Army officers who served during
the war were Reserve officers. A few more notable reserve officers were
Lieutenant General Doolittle, who received the Medal of Honor for leading
the first air raid against Japan in 1942; Major General Donovan, who led the
Office of Strategic Services which later became the CIA; and Brigadier
General Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., who received the Medal of Honor for his
action on Utah Beach on D-Day; and

Whereas, by June 1950, more than 600,000 reserve soldiers were
on the muster rolls, and more than 240,000 were called to active duty in
Korea. In 1952, new legislation replaced the Officer Reserve Corps with the
Army Reserve we know today; and

Whereas, the Army Reserve was reorganized in 1968 and has
since participated in many domestic and national defense missions. Army
Reserve authorization levels reached 315,000 in 1990, and are now at
205,000. The Army Reserve participated in Operation Just Cause in Panama
Hope in Somalia in 1993, Operation Joint Endeavor in Bosnia in 1995, and
humanitarian missions including assisting victims of Typhoon Paka in
Guam in 1997, and Hurricane Mitch in Central America in 1999; and
Whereas, following the events of September 11, 2001, over 9,000 Army Reserve soldiers were called to active duty under the partial mobilization order of the President in support of Operation Noble Eagle and Operation Enduring Freedom. In 2003 the Army Reserve began its ongoing support of Operation Iraqi Freedom while continuing its humanitarian mission, including support for victims of Hurricane Katrina; and

Whereas, the Army Reserve that marks the end of its first 100 years of service and starts its second century in 2008 is a significantly more battle tested and experienced force than it has been since its creation in 1908. More than 180,000 Army Reserve warrior citizens have been called to active duty since the terrorists' attacks of September 11, with more than 40,000 having been mobilized more than once. As the Army Reserve continues to evolve and transform throughout its next 100 years, it will do so as it always has, in the capable hands of those who choose to be "twice the citizen"; and

Whereas, on April 23, 2008, the Army Reserve celebrated its 100th anniversary; Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

SECTION 1. The House of Representatives expresses the appreciation of this State and its citizens for the service that the members of the Army Reserve and their families have rendered to the State of North Carolina and the nation.

SECTION 2. The Principal Clerk shall transmit a certified copy of this resolution to the Chief, United States Army Reserve.

SECTION 3. This resolution is effective upon adoption.

H.R. 2411 A HOUSE RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF THE CONVENING OF THE E-NC AUTHORITY’S DIGITAL BROADBAND SUMMITS.

Whereas, the e-NC Authority is a State authority, established by the N.C. General Assembly in 2000, and the e-NC Authority has worked to bring high-speed Internet access to the rural areas of North Carolina as well as the distressed urban areas of the State; and

Whereas, on average, 83% of North Carolina households have the ability to access and purchase high-speed Internet services if they so desire; and

Whereas, almost 17% of households in North Carolina have no access to high-speed Internet; and

Whereas, a higher level of bandwidth and faster speeds of transmission will be needed in the future; and

Whereas, in fall 2008, the citizens of the State will have an opportunity through eight statewide Digital Broadband Summits to bring forth their ideas and desires for a new vision of digital broadband inclusion for North Carolina citizens and businesses; and
Whereas, the findings from the eight summits may include digital inclusion metrics relative to broadband deployment, digital literacy of citizens, digital uptake rates, ways to provide the incentives for deployment of broadband, and new ideas for assisting in subscription up-take for citizens; and

Whereas, the e-NC Authority will report back and provide recommendations to the House Select Committee on High-Speed Internet in Rural Areas and the General Assembly on the findings from the regional sessions to be held across North Carolina; Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives:

SECTION 1. The House of Representatives supports the efforts of the e-NC Authority to hold at least eight Digital Broadband Summits across North Carolina in the fall of 2008. The House of Representatives looks forward to the receipt of the findings and recommendations of the e-NC Authority resulting from these summits. The House Select Committee on High-Speed Internet in Rural Areas shall give consideration to these findings and to a proposed broadband Internet plan for the citizens and businesses of North Carolina in order to take full advantage of this 21st century economic development and knowledge tool.

SECTION 2. The members of the N.C. House of Representatives are encouraged to participate in the Digital Broadband Summits that will take place in their area.

SECTION 3. This resolution is effective upon adoption.
AGING, GOVERNOR'S ADVISORY COUNCIL ON
G.S. 143B-181
Ms. Kathy Lowe  (Reappointment)  9/11/2008  6/30/2012

ALARM SYSTEMS LICENSING BOARD
G.S. 74D-4(b)
Mr. Vick Darrell Furr  (Resigned July 18, 2008)

APPRAISAL BOARD, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 93E-1-5(a)
Mr. Donald S. Johnson  2/1/2008  6/30/2008
   (Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Winston T. (Tom) Morgan)
Mr. Donald S. Johnson  (Reappointment)  7/31/2008  6/30/2011
Ms. Lauriette W. West-Hoff  11/1/2008  6/30/2011

ARBORETUM BOARD OF DIRECTORS, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 116-243(3)
Ms. Leslie J. Winner  7/31/2008  6/30/2012
   (Public member)

ARTS EDUCATION, JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON
G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House
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Mr. David zum Brunnen  1/15/2008  12/31/2008

ATHLETIC TRAINER EXAMINERS, NORTH CAROLINA
BOARD OF
G.S. 90-524(b)(2)
Mr. David M. Mills  7/31/2008  7/31/2011
   (Certified athletic trainer)
Dr. Ricky L. Proctor  7/31/2008  7/31/2011
   (Certified athletic trainer)
Dr. Bruce Vukoson  7/31/2008  7/31/2011
   (Family practice physician or pediatrician)
AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE MODERNIZATION, JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON
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BIOTECHNOLOGY CENTER BOARD OF DIRECTORS, NORTH CAROLINA
By-laws
Mr. John L. Atkins, III (Reappointment) 2/4/2008 7/31/2009
Mr. John F. Del Giorno (Reappointment) 2/4/2008 7/31/2009
Dr. Stephen R. Mosier (Reappointment) 2/4/2008 7/31/2009

BOXING COMMISSION, ADVISORY
Session Law 2007-528, G.S. 143-652(a)(7)
Dr. Joseph J. Estwanik 7/14/2008 6/30/2010
(Nonvoting Advisory member from a nomination made by the North Carolina Medical Society)

BUILDING COMMISSION, STATE
G.S. 143-135.25(c)(6)
Mr. John Marvin Thompson 7/31/2008 6/30/2011
(Reappointment)

BUSINESS AND EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY ALLIANCE, STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S
G.S. 115C-102.15(b)(5)(11)
Ms. Susan Carson Peele 5/15/2008 7/1/2009
(Designated position as a school principal)
(Filling the unexpired term of Donna L. McLamb who resigned December 18, 2007)

CANCER COORDINATION AND CONTROL, ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON
G.S. 130A-33.50(b)
Dr. John W. Hatch 3/20/2008 6/30/2011

CENTENNIAL AUTHORITY
G.S. 160A-480.3
Mr. Robert W. Seligson (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2012
CHILD CARE COMMISSION
G.S. 143B-168.4(a)
Ms. Connie Locklear Harland  9/1/2008  6/30/2010
(Parent of a child in licensed care)
(Filling the unexpired term of Ms. Lynn Agee)
Ms. Lynn K. Policastro  7/31/2008  6/30/2010
(Reappointment)

CHILD FATALITY TASK FORCE, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 7B-1402(b)(24)
Rep. Debbie A. Clary  2/12/2008  1/31/2010
(Reappointment)
(Reappointment)
(Reappointment)
Ms. Karen P. Davidson  10/9/2008  1/31/2010
(Filling the unexpired term of Hon. William G. Jones who resigned September 29, 2008)
Dr. Elaine Cabinum-Foeller  2/12/2008  1/31/2010
(Reappointment)
Mr. John Guard  2/12/2008  1/31/2010
(Reappointment)
Ms. Martha Sue Hall  2/12/2008  1/31/2010
Hon. William G. Jones  2/19/2008  1/31/2010
Ms. Karen McLeod  2/19/2008  1/31/2010

CHILDREN AND YOUTH, LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON
G.S. 120-217(a)(1)
(Reappointment)
(Reappointment)
Dr. Jennifer L. Lail  2/29/2008  1/27/2009
Mr. J. Glenn Osborne  2/28/2008  1/27/2009

CHILDREN BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
NORTH CAROLINA PARTNERSHIP FOR
G.S. 143B-168.12(a)(1) f, k, m
(Reappointment)
(Representative from the faith community)
Mr. Derek K. Kelly  1/1/2009  12/31/2011
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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION
G.S. 143B-394.15(c)(3)
Ms. Jill Dinwiddie 9/1/2008  8/31/2010
  (Business community representative)
Ms. Tammy Drew 9/1/2008  8/31/2010
  (Magistrate position)
Ms. Julia B. Freeman (Reappointment) 9/1/2008  8/31/2010
  (Victim services provider)
Ms. Jo M. Liles 9/1/2008  8/31/2010
  (Abuser treatment provider)
Ms. Lorraine A. Tweed 9/1/2008  8/31/2010
  (Public member)
Hon. Richard H. Webster 9/1/2008  8/31/2010
  (Representative of the law enforcement community with specialized knowledge of domestic violence issues)

DROPOUT PREVENTION, COMMITTEE ON
Session Law 2007-323, Section 7.32.(c)(3)
Dr. David B. Strahan, Co-Chair 7/31/2008  12/31/2010
  (Reappointment)
Mr. Arnold Dennis (Reappointment) 7/31/2008  12/31/2010
  (Representative of the juvenile justice system)
Ms. Patrice A. High (Reappointment) 7/31/2008  12/31/2010
  (Teacher representative) (Resigned 9/30/2008)
Mr. Alfred D. Riddick 11/5/2008 12/31/2010
  (Filling the unexpired term of Ms. Patrice A. High) (Teacher representative)
Ms. Peggy T. Vick (Reappointment) 7/31/2008  12/31/2010
Mr. Bennie Walker (Reappointment) 7/31/2008  12/31/2010
  (Representative of the business community)

E-NC AUTHORITY
G.S. 143B-437.46
Mr. Foyle Hightower, Jr. (Reappointment) 7/31/2008  12/31/2011
  (Public member)

ECONOMIC INVESTMENT COMMITTEE
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Mr. H. Eugene Miller, Jr. (Reappointment) 7/31/2008  11/30/2010
EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN STATE COUNCIL, INTERSTATE COMMISSION ON
Session Law 2008-185, G.S. 120-121 and 120-122

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL, NORTH CAROLINA
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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT RECOVERY, JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON
(Filling the unexpired term of former Rep. Pete Cunningham)
Rep. Louis M. Pate, Jr.  9/9/2008  12/31/2009

ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT COMMISSION
G.S. 143B-283(d)
Mr. Donnie W. Brewer (Reappointment)  7/31/2008  6/30/2010

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW COMMISSION
G.S. 120-70.42
Advisory Members

FUNERAL SERVICE, NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF
G.S. 90-210.18A(b)(5)
Ms. Elizabeth Webber  1/1/2009  12/31/2011
(Public member)
GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION COORDINATING COUNCIL, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 143-726 (c)
Mr. Herbert P. McKim, Jr. (Reappointment) 1/15/2008 12/31/2008
Mr. Jeremy S. Poss 1/15/2008 12/31/2008
Mr. Ronald C. York (Reappointment) 1/15/2008 12/31/2008

GLOBAL CLIMATE CHANGE, JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON
Session Law 2005-442, modified by Session Law 2006-73, Section 11
Commission extended until October 2009 including any findings and recommendations.

GOLDEN L.E.A.F. (Long-Term Economic Advancement Foundation) INC., BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Senate Bill 6, Section 2(c) of North Carolina Session Law 1999-2
Hon. Wade Barber 12/1/2008 11/30/2012
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. William D. Johnson)

GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY, JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON
G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly

GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS - SUBCOMMITTEE ON STATEWIDE/CAPITAL/GENERAL GOVERNMENT
G.S. 120-74
(Filing the unexpired term of former Rep. Pete Cunningham)

GOVERNOR'S CABINET AND STATE ELECTED OFFICIALS, STUDY COMMISSION ON COMPENSATION OF THE
Part XL of S.L. 2008-181, the Studies Act of 2008
GOVERNOR’S CABINET AND STATE ELECTED OFFICIALS, STUDY COMMISSION ON COMPENSATION OF THE-Contd.
(Public member)
(Public member)
Mr. Tom L. Covington 10/15/2008 1/15/2009
(Individual with expertise in personnel and human resources compensation issues)
Mr. Stanley H. Fox 10/15/2008 1/15/2009
(Representative of business and industry in the private sector)

HEALTH AND WELLNESS TRUST FUND COMMISSION
G.S. 147-86.32(b)(3)
Dr. Anita L. Jackson-Kelley (Reappointment) 7/18/2008 6/30/2012
(Designation as a person involved with health care for underserved populations)
Dr. Jugta Kahai (Reappointment) 7/18/2008 6/30/2012
(Designation as a person involved with child health care)
Dr. Lisa Morrissey LaVange 2/1/2008 6/30/2010
(Person involved in health policy trends)
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Paul Wiles)

HIGHER EDUCATION BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE
G.S. 116D-5.(1) and S.L. 2003-3, Section 4
Mr. Charles T. Davidson, Co-Chair 9/16/2008 1/14/2010
(Reappointment)
Ms. Kitty W. Barnes (Reappointment) 9/16/2008 1/14/2010
Gen. William Thurman (Reappointment) 9/16/2008 1/14/2010

HIGHER EDUCATION CIVIC EDUCATION, STUDY COMMISSION ON
Part XLVIII of S.L. 2008-181, the Studies Act of 2008
Dr. Brenda Deese 10/1/2008 1/27/2009
(Representative of K-12 education systems)
### Higher Education Civic Education, Study Commission on—Contd.

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### Hospital Infection Control and Disclosure, Joint Study Committee on

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HOUSING PARTNERSHIP, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 122E-4(b)(5)
Ms. Tonia W. Scott 7/31/2008 8/31/2009
(Resident of low income housing)

HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 143B-392(a)
Ms. Michelle Laws 7/8/2008 6/30/2010
(Filling the unexpired term of Ms. Betty Oxendine Mangum)
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Larry C. Spruill)
Mr. Larry C. Spruill (Resigned August 15, 2008)

HURRICANES ON THE NORTH CAROLINA INSURANCE
INDUSTRY, JOINT SELECT STUDY COMMITTEE ON THE
POTENTIAL IMPACT OF MAJOR
G.S. 120-19.6(a1), Rule 31 of the Rules of the Senate of the 2007 General
Assembly and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of
the 2007 General Assembly
Rep. Hugh Holliman, Co-Chair 9/9/2008 Convening of
2009 G. A.
Mr. Steve Carroll 9/9/2008
Mr. Charles D. Evans 9/16/2008
Mr. Glenn P. Hahn 9/9/2008
Mr. Donald Thomas Hornstein 9/30/2008
Mr. John W. (Bill) Hurley 9/9/2008
Dr. David C. Marlett 9/9/2008

INAUGURAL CEREMONIES
G.S. 143-533
Rep. Margaret Highsmith Dickson 11/5/2008 Period
INCENTIVE BONUS REVIEW COMMITTEE
G.S. 143-345.24(a)(7)
Mr. Tommy Griffin 3/18/2008 Pleasure of Appointing Authority

INDIAN AFFAIRS, NORTH CAROLINA STATE COMMISSION OF
G.S. 143B-407
Mr. Ray Littleturtle (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)

INDIGENT DEFENSE SERVICES, COMMISSION ON
G.S. 7A-498.4
Mr. Richard A. Rosen 7/31/2008 8/31/2012
(Assign position)

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ADVISORY BOARD
G.S. 147-33.72G(a1)(a4)
Ms. Dede F. Ramoneda (Reappointment) 10/7/2008 9/30/2010

INTERPRETER AND TRANSLITERATOR LICENSING BOARD, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 90D-5
Ms. Dinette Steelman-Bridges 7/31/2008 6/30/2011
(Faculty member of an Interpreter training program)
(Licensed interpreter with K-12 experience)
Mr. Robert P. Taylor (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2011

INTERSTATE ADULT OFFENDER SUPERVISION, STATE COUNCIL
G.S. 148-65.6(a)(5)

IRRIGATION CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD, NORTH CAROLINA
Session Law 2008-177, 89G-4.(a)(2)
Mr. Michael F. Currin 10/8/2008 9/30/2009
(Designated registered landscape contractor in good standing with the North Carolina Landscape Contractors Registration Board)
Mr. David G. Williams 10/8/2008 9/30/2011
(Designated irrigation contractor)
JUDICIAL STANDARDS COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 7A-375(a)
Mr. R. Wayne Troutman  (Reappointment)  1/1/2009  12/31/2014

LICENSE TO GIVE TRUST FUND COMMISSION
G.S. 20-7.5(a)(2)
Ms. Judith B. Brunger  (Reappointment)  1/1/2009  12/31/2010
Ms. Ginny D. Williams  (Reappointment)  1/1/2009  12/31/2010
Mr. Jens Saakvitne  (Reappointment)  1/1/2009  12/31/2010
Dr. John C. Moskop  (Reappointment)  1/1/2009  12/31/2010

LOCAL SOCIAL SERVICES ISSUES, JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON
G.S. 120-19.6 and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representative of the 2007 General Assembly
Mr. G. Earl Marett  5/7/2008  12/31/2008

LOCKSMITH LICENSING BOARD, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 74F-5(a)(2)
Mr. T. Alan Boone  1/1/2009  12/31/2011
(Locksmith)

LOTTERY OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE
G.S. 18C-172(a)(1)(c)
Dr. Myron L. Coulter, Co-Chair  3/31/2008  12/31/2009
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Patrick H. Lambert)

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION
G.S. 143B-426.34B(a)
Mr. Arthur Bullock  2/1/2008  6/30/2011

MENTAL HEALTH, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES, COMMISSION FOR
G.S. 143B-148(A)(1)
(Attorney licensed in North Carolina with experience in the practice of mental health law)
Mr. Don Trobaugh  7/31/2008  6/30/2011
(Public member)
MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, JOINT STUDY COMMITTEE ON
G.S. 120-19.6

MILITARY AFFAIRS, NORTH CAROLINA ADVISORY COMMISSION
G.S. 127C-2(b)(1)
Mr. Stephen D. Jackson  4/15/2008  12/31/2009

MINORITY HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL
G.S. 130A-33.44(a)(2)
Ms. Sharon West  01/03/2008  6/30/2010
(Representative of health care and public health)

MUNICIPAL ANNEXATION, JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION ON
Session Law-181, Section 46.2(2)
Rep. Bruce Goforth, Co-Chair  9/16/2008  Convening of
Rep. Paul Luebke, Co-Chair  9/16/2008  2009 G. A.
Rep. Louis M. Pate, Jr.  9/16/2008
Rep. Trudi Walend  9/16/2008
Mr. Douglas Aitken  9/16/2008
Mr. Grainger Barrett  9/16/2008
Mr. DeWitt F. McCarley  9/16/2008
Ms. Judith Welch Wegner  9/16/2008
NATIONAL GUARD PENSION FUND STUDY COMMISSION
Session Law 2008-181, Part XLV, Section 45.1
Rep. Hugh Holliman, Co-Chair 10/2/2008 Convening of
Rep. George Cleveland 10/2/2008 2009 G. A.
Col. Thomas W. Harris 10/10/2008
(Member representing the National Guard)

NORTHEAST COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 158-8.2(b)(3)
Mr. Steven Elliot Howell 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)
Mr. Frank B. “Bo” Lewis 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)
Hon. Frederick L. Yates (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010

NURSING SCHOLARS COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 90-171.60(b)(5)
Ms. Tina C. Gordon 7/31/2008 6/30/2011
(Public member)

ON-SITE WASTEWATER CONTRACTORS AND INSPECTION CERTIFICATION BOARD, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 90A-73(a)(8)
Mr. Jeffrey A. Knight 7/31/2008 7/1/2011
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Ralph Hollowell)
(Environmental specialist engaged in permitting and inspection)
Mr. Jerry O. Pearce 5/1/2008 6/30/2010
(Filling the unexpired term of Ms. Connie Stephens)

PARKS AND RECREATION AUTHORITY, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 143B-313.2(a)(5)(7a)
Dr. C. Michael Allen 7/31/2008 7/1/2011
(Public member)
Mr. Edward W. Wood (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 7/1/2009

PARTITION SALES STUDY COMMITTEE
Session Law 2008-181, Part XLII, Section 42.1
Rep. Angela R. Bryant, Co-Chair 10/2/2008 Convening of
PARTITION SALES STUDY COMMITTEE-Contd.
Hon. F. Gordon Battle 10/2/2008
(Position designated as a member of the public with an expertise or stakeholder interest in this issue)
Ms. Phyliss Craig-Taylor 10/2/2008
(Position designated as a member of the public with an expertise or stakeholder interest in this issue)
Mr. James C. Stanford 10/2/2008
(Position designated for a Clerk of Superior Court)
Mr. Steve Woodson 10/2/2008
(Position designated as a member of the public with an expertise or stakeholder interest in this issue)

PETROLEUM UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK FUNDS COUNCIL, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 143-215.940
Mr. Jeffrey Starkweather 7/31/2008 6/30/2009
(Individual connected with an environmental advocacy organization)

PORTS AUTHORITY, NORTH CAROLINA STATE
G.S. 143B-452(e)(1)
Mr. Jeff D. Etheridge, Jr. (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010

POVERTY REDUCTION AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY, LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION
Session Law 2008-181, Part XLI, Section 41.1
Rep. Garland E. Pierce, Co-Chair 10/2/2008 Convening of
Rep. Angela R. Bryant 10/2/2008 the 2010
Rep. William A. Current, Sr. 10/2/2008 Regular
Rep. Earl Jones 10/2/2008 of the
Rep. Trudi Walend 10/2/2008
Rev. Mac Legerton 10/2/2008
(Public member with expertise in the fields of business and economic development, public health and affordable housing)
Ms. Patricia S. Peterson 10/2/2008
(Public member with expertise in the fields of business and economic development, public health and affordable housing)
Dr. Al Wentzy 10/2/2008
(Public member with expertise in the fields of business and economic development, public health and affordable housing)
PRIVATE PROTECTIVE SERVICES BOARD
G.S. 74C-4(b)
Mr. James C. Stevens (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2011

PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 115C-295.1(c)(3)
Ms. Allison Ormond (Reappointment) 9/30/2008 8/31/2012

PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING FORMULAS, JOINT LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMITTEE ON
Section 7.42.(a) of Session Law 2007-345

RAIL COMMISSION, VIRGINIA-NORTH CAROLINA INTERSTATE HIGH-SPEED
G.S. 136-222

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 93A-3
Mr. Melvin L. “Skip” Alston 7/31/2008 7/31/2011
(Reappointment)

ROANOKE ISLAND COMMISSION
G.S. 143B-131.6(a)(3)
Mr. Saint Clair Basnight (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
Mr. Joseph M. Bryan, Jr. (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
Mr. Malcolm K. Fearing, III 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)

RULES REVIEW COMMISSION
G.S. 143B-30.1(a)
Hon. John B. Lewis (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
Mr. Curtis B. Venable 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)

SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY, COMMISSION ON
G.S. 115C-102.5(b)(7)
Dr. Olivia H. Oxendine 1/3/2008 6/30/2009
SHERIFFS’ EDUCATION AND TRAINING STANDARDS
COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 17E-3(a)(2)
Mr. Steve O. Hunt 7/31/2008 8/31/2010
(Public member)

SMALL BUSINESS CONTRACTOR AUTHORITY,
NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 143B-472.102.(b)(2)
Mr. Patrick Barnes 7/31/2008 12/31/2010
(Position of a present or former governmental employee with experience in administering contracts)
Ms. Sondra Dickens 7/31/2008 12/31/2010
(Position of a present or former governmental employee with experience in administering contracts)
Mr. Jeff D. Talbot 7/31/2008 12/31/2011
(Position of a present or former governmental employee with experience in administering contracts)
Mr. Spencer Thompson 7/31/2008 12/31/2011
(Position as a present or former governmental employee with experience in administering contracts)

SOIL SCIENTISTS, NORTH CAROLINA BOARD
FOR LICENSING
G.S. 89F-4(a)(5)
Mr. Bryan S. Evans 7/31/2008 6/30/2011
(Public member who is not a licensed soil scientist)

STATE CONSUMER AND FAMILY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
G.S. 122C-171(b)(2)(3)
Ms. Laura Keeney 10/23/2008 6/30/2009
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Carl Britton-Watkins who resigned effective 9/10/2008)
(Representative of the central region for institutional services)

STATE ETHICS COMMISSION
Session Law 2006-201
Mr. William P. Pope (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 12/31/2012

STATE FIRE AND RESCUE COMMISSION
G.S. 58-78-1(a)(3)
Mr. Garry W. Cooper 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. John Wayne Strowd, Jr.)
STATE LOTTERY COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 18C-111
Dr. Edward B. Fort 7/31/2008 8/31/2013
(Public member)

TEACHERS’ AND STATE EMPLOYEES’ COMPREHENSIVE
MAJOR MEDICAL PLAN, BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE
G.S. 135-39(c)
Mr. D. Steven Beam (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)
Dr. John E. Hammond 7/31/2008 6/30/2009
(Public member)
(Filling the unexpired term of Ms. Lacey P. Barnes)
Ms. Linda Rouse Sutton (Reappointment) 7/31/2008 6/30/2010
(Public member)

TEACHERS’ AND STATE EMPLOYEE’S RETIREMENT
SYSTEM BOARD OF TRUSTEES
G.S. 135-6
Mr. Donald L. Tarkenton 11/1/2008 6/30/2009
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Alfred J. Hackney, Jr. who
resigned 7/8/2008)

TEACHING BOARD OF TRUSTEES, NORTH CAROLINA
CENTER FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF
G.S. 116-74.7
Ms. Linda S. Suggs 7/31/2008 6/30/2009
(Public member)
(Filling the unexpired term of Sheryn Northey Waterman)

TEACHING FELLOWS COMMISSION, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 115C-363.23
Ms. Alice Andrews Joyce 7/31/2008 6/30/2012
(Public member)

TOBACCO TRUST FUND COMMISSION
G.S. 143-717(b)(3)(c)
Mr. Daniel Layten Davis 2/1/2008 6/30/2011
(Burley tobacco farmer)

TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED MINORITY-OWNED
AND WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESSES PROGRAM JOINT
LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON THE DEPARTMENT OF
G.S. 120-271(a)(1)
(Filling the unexpired term of former Rep. W. Pete Cunningham)
TRAVEL AND TOURISM BOARD OF NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 143B-434.1(c)(11)
Mr. Edward C. Hay, Jr. 6/23/2008 12/31/2008

TURNPIKE AUTHORITY, NORTH CAROLINA
G.S. 136-89.182(c)
Rep. Drew Saunders 1/14/2009 1/14/2013

UNBANKED AND UNDERBANKED CONSUMERS, HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON
G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly
Mr. David C. Darby 4/1/2008 12/31/2008
Mr. Bob Schall 8/11/2008 12/31/2008
(Filling the unexpired term of Mr. Martin Eakes)

URBAN GROWTH AND INFRASTRUCTURE ISSUES, LEGISLATIVE STUDY COMMISSION
Part XXXVI, Section 36.3 of S.L. 2008-181, the Studies Act of 2008
Mr. Dee Andrew Freeman 10/15/2008 1/27/2009
Mr. Danny Pleasant 10/15/2008 1/27/2009
(Public member)

VAGABOND SCHOOL OF DRAMA INC., BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Bylaws
TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Section 1. The House Select Committee on the Legal Aspects of Using Lottery Proceeds for Charter School Funding (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of the ten Members of the House of Representatives listed. Committee members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Speaker of the House of Representatives may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Committee Members
Representative W. A. Wilkins, Chair
Representative Larry M. Bell
Representative Susan C. Fisher
Representative David R. Lewis
Representative Marvin W. Lucas
Representative Pat McElraft
Representative Marian N. McLawhorn
Representative Charles C. Thomas
Representative Alice Graham Underhill
Representative Laura I. Wiley

Section 3. The Committee shall review existing statutes relating to charter schools funding with emphasis on the legal aspects of the use of net revenues of the North Carolina State Lottery/Education Lottery Fund by Charter Schools. Some legal aspects for examination on the use of revenues from the Education Lottery Fund for charter schools include:
1. The use of Education Lottery Funds for school construction, renovation, and physical plant expansion.
2. The Committee will examine the general statutes that established the North Carolina Education Lottery, and may use that information for background as a part of this study.
3. The Committee may review other recent studies of charter schools for referral to the 2009 General Assembly on how the State’s interest is protected by current funding formulas, or, to consider the impact of changes in legislation.

Section 4. The Committee shall meet upon the call of the chair. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

Section 5. The Committee, while in the discharge of its official duties, may exercise all powers provided for under G.S. 120-19 and Article 5A of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes.
Section 6. Members of the Committee shall receive per diem, subsistence, and travel allowance as provided in G.S. 120-3.1.

Section 7. The expenses of the Committee including per diem, subsistence, travel allowances for Committee members, and contracts for professional or consultant services shall be paid upon the written approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-32.02(c) and G.S. 120-35 from funds available to the House of Representatives for its operations. Individual expenses of $5,000 or less, including per diem, travel, and subsistence expenses of members of the Committee, and clerical expenses shall be paid upon the authorization of the chair of the Committee. Individual expenses in excess of $5,000 shall be paid upon the written approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Section 8. The Legislative Services Officer shall assign professional and clerical staff to assist the Committee in its work. The Director of Legislative Assistants of the House of Representatives shall assign clerical support staff to the Committee.

Section 9. The Committee may meet at various locations around the State in order to promote greater public participation in its deliberations.

Section 10. The Committee may submit an interim report on the results of the study, including any proposed legislation, on or before May 1, 2008, by filing a copy of the report with the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the House Principal Clerk, and the Legislative Library. The Committee shall submit a final report on the results of its study, including any proposed legislation, to the members of the House of Representatives on or before December 31, 2008, by filing the final report with the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the House Principal Clerk, and the Legislative Library. The Committee terminates on December 31, 2008, or upon the filing of its final report, whichever occurs first.

Effective this 18th day of February, 2008.

/S/ Joe Hackney
Speaker

North Carolina House of Representatives

Office of the Speaker
TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON SEX OFFENDER ISSUES

Section 1. The House Select Committee on Sex Offender Issues (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of the 10 members listed below, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House. The Speaker of the House may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Representative Bruce Goforth, Chair
Representative Karen B. Ray, Vice-Chair
Representative Alice L. Bordsen
Representative Jean Farmer-Butterfield
Representative Rick Glazier
Representative W. Robert Grady
Representative Verla Insko
Representative Joe L. Kiser
Representative Ray Warren
Representative Roger West

Section 3. The Committee shall study sex offender issues in North Carolina. In connection with this study, the Committee shall:

Review the existing laws relating to sex offender issues in North Carolina and the level of consistency in sentencing of sex offenders.

Study the various types of sex offenders by looking at different categories of sex offenders as defined by law enforcement, the courts, and the medical/treatment community. Review current research and/or law enforcement data on reported cases of sex offenses. Study differences, if any, between sex offenders within the victims' family or known to the victims and sex offenders who are strangers to the victims.

Review data to evaluate statewide demographics of sex offenders (age, urban vs. rural communities, gender, and socioeconomic groups).
Examine the reporting of sex offender crimes in relation to North Carolina’s demographics. Review the process of how sex offender crimes are handled by city, county, and State law enforcement organizations and the judicial system.

Examine improvements in our educational system, including discussing sex offense issues as a method of prevention and improving counseling and therapy practices.

Study the trends of law enforcement, mental health, and school psychologists to reduce the potential for actual acts of sexual abuse.

Review the plans for treatment and services for returning military personnel in terms of victims and sex offenders.

Examine best practices to focus our resources and energy on the prevention of sex abuse -- to stop the cycle of the offender through intervention, therapy, and substance abuse treatment.

Consider input from professionals on sex offender issues for discussion on the increases in sex offenses, solutions, and legal issues for the victim and offender including sentencing and treatment methodology.

Review the scope of sex offender issues in other Southeastern states to examine the extent of the problem and the most successful practices in handling sex offender issues.

Review the federal Adam Walsh Act of 2006, the requirements for compliance with the Act, and the opportunities for federal funding and technical assistance upon compliance, and discuss the best approach for North Carolina.

**Section 4.** The Committee shall meet upon the call of its Chair. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

**Section 5.** The Committee, while in discharge of its official duties, may exercise all powers provided for under G.S. 120-19 and Article 5A of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes.

**Section 6.** Members of the Committee shall receive per diem, subsistence, and travel allowance as provided in G.S. 120-3.1.

**Section 7.** The expenses of the Committee including per diem, subsistence, travel allowances for Committee members, and contracts for professional or consultant services shall be paid upon the written approval
of the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-32.02(c) and G.S. 120-35 from funds available to the House of Representatives for its operations. Individual expenses of $5,000 or less, including per diem, travel, and subsistence expenses of members of the Committee, and clerical expenses shall be paid upon the authorization of the Chair of the Committee. Individual expenses in excess of $5,000 shall be paid upon the written approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Section 8. The Legislative Services Officer shall assign professional and clerical staff to assist the Committee in its work. The Director of Legislative Assistants of the House of Representatives shall assign clerical support staff to the Committee.

Section 9. The Committee may meet at various locations around the State in order to promote greater public participation in its deliberations.

Section 10. The Committee shall submit a final report on the results of its study, including any proposed legislation, no later than January 27, 2009, by filing the final report with the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the House Principal Clerk, and the Legislative Library. The Committee shall terminate on January 27, 2009, or upon the filing of its final report, whichever occurs first.

Effective this 19th day of February, 2008.

/S/ Joe Hackney
Speaker

Rev. 2/28/08 to reflect Representative Ray as Vice-Chair

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North Carolina House of Representatives
Office of the Speaker

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON A COMPREHENSIVE RAIL
SERVICE PLAN FOR NORTH CAROLINA
Section 1. The House Select Committee on a Comprehensive Rail Service Plan for North Carolina (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6 and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of the 20 members listed below, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House. The Speaker of the House may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Representative Margaret H. Dickson, Co-Chair
Representative Melanie Wade, Co-Chair
Representative Ray Rapp, Co-Chair
Representative Lucy T. Allen
Representative Cary D. Allred
Representative Jeff Barnhart
Representative Becky Carney
Representative Lorene Coates
Representative Nelson Cole
Representative Jerry C. Dockham
Representative Beverly M. Earle
Representative Mark K. Hilton
Representative Daniel F. McComas
Representative Earline W. Parmon
Representative Louis M. Pate, Jr.
Representative Deborah K. Ross
Representative Fred F. Steen, II
Representative Bonner L. Stiller
Representative Ronnie Sutton

Section 3. The Committee shall study the following:

1. Development of a comprehensive plan for freight and passenger rail service for the State, in coordination with federal rail service plans, and the existing national rail system.
2. The estimated cost of a comprehensive rail plan, and appropriate mechanisms, including federal, State, and local and private funding sources and bonds, to finance its implementation.
3. The benefits of expanding and upgrading rail passenger and freight service, the effect expanded service would have on economic development, tourism, and job creation, and the importance of rail expansion to the State ports, and across the State.
4. The cost and benefits of expanding passenger and freight rail service to the western and eastern areas of the State.
5. The need for more efficient, accessible and reliable rail service to military bases in the State.
6. The role and impact of short-line railroads in the overall comprehensive rail plan of the State.
7. Ways to utilize and preserve unused or abandoned rail corridors for future rail needs.
8. The feasibility, cost, and benefits of establishing commuter rail service in the major urban areas of the State.
9. Issues related to the corridor to the North Carolina Railroad, and land and business owners located adjacent to the corridor.
10. Other passenger and freight related rail issues that the Committee identifies in the course of its study.

Section 4. The Committee shall meet upon the call of its Co-chairs. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

Section 5. The Committee, while in discharge of its official duties, may exercise all powers provided for under G.S. 120-19 and Article 5A of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes.

Section 6. Members of the Committee shall receive per diem, subsistence, and travel allowance as provided in G.S. 120-3.1.

Section 7. The expenses of the Committee including per diem, subsistence, travel allowances for Committee members, and contracts for professional or consultant services shall be paid upon the written approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-32.02(c) and G.S. 120-35 from funds available to the House of Representatives for its operations.

Section 8. The Legislative Services Officer shall assign professional and clerical staff to assist the Committee in its work. The House of Representatives' Director of Legislative Assistants shall assign clerical support staff to the Committee.

Section 9. The Committee may meet at various locations around the State in order to promote greater public participation in its deliberations.

Section 10. The Committee may submit an interim report on the results of the study, including any proposed legislation, on or before May 1, 2008, by filing a copy of the report with the Speaker's Office, the House Principal Clerk, and the Legislative Library. The report of the Committee shall also be submitted to the Environmental Review Commission for it review and comment. The Committee shall submit a final report on the results of its study, including any proposed legislation, to the members of the House of Representatives on or before December 31, 2008, by filing the final report with the Speaker's Office, the House Principal Clerk, and the
Legislative Library. The Committee terminates on December 31, 2008, or upon the filing of its final report, whichever occurs first.

Effective this 17th day of January 2008.

/S/ Joe Hackney
Speaker

Rev. 2/29/2008 to reflect Representative Lucy Allen replaces Representative Jean Farmer-Butterfield and Representative Ty Harrell replaces Representative Bruce Goforth

To THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE STUDY COMMITTEE ON UNBANKED AND UNDERBANKED CONSUMERS

WHEREAS, consumers who do not have or maintain traditional bank accounts are considered "unbanked"; and

WHEREAS, consumers who have impaired or inadequate credit files are considered financially "underbanked"; and

WHEREAS, financial products and financial companies serving these consumers, and laws governing both those transactions and the practices of those companies, have evolved substantially in the last 10 years; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly has not had a comprehensive review of the State's various lending laws and whether those laws foster availability of responsible personal installment lending or leverage the favorable changes that have occurred in the national marketplace in products, business practices, credit information, and operations technology;

NOW THEREFORE,
Section 1. The House Study Committee on Unbanked and Underbanked Consumers (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of ten members, including seven legislators and three public members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Speaker of the House of Representatives may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Representative Hugh Holliman, Chair
Representative Angela R. Bryant
Representative Walter G. Church, Sr.
Representative Larry D. Hall
Representative Daniel F. McComas
Representative William C. “Bill” McGee
Representative Drew Saunders

Public Members
The Speaker of the House of Representatives appoints the following public members of the Committee:

Three members of the public with an interest in credit, consumer protections, and/or economic development.

The Honorable Farad Ali, Durham County
Mr. David C. Darby, Davie County
Mr. Bob Schall, Durham County

Section 3. The Committee shall study the following matters related to access to credit by consumers who are considered unbanked or underbanked:

1. Consumer protection laws, licensing laws, and other regulations involving non-bank consumer installment credit, both unsecured and real estate secured, that have been developed over the last 10 years by the North Carolina General Assembly, the Attorney General, and the Office of the Commissioner of Banks.

2. Whether current day lending processes are understandable, fair, and efficient.
3. An analysis of what may constitute optimum disclosures to consumers so that they might better understand and make reasoned decisions with regard to the products being offered.
4. The economic factors and financial circumstances that are relevant to consumer installment credit businesses, investors, and profitability.
5. The economic factors and financial circumstances that are relevant to products, pricing, costs, cost recovery, and risk based pricing.
6. The personal and community financial impact from improving credit scores.

Section 4. The Committee shall meet upon the call of its Chair. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

Section 5. The Committee, while in the discharge of its official duties, may exercise all powers provided for under G.S. 120-19 and Article 5A of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes.

Section 6. Members of the Committee shall receive per diem, subsistence, and travel allowance as provided in G.S. 120-3.1.

Section 7. The expenses of the Committee including per diem, subsistence, travel allowances for Committee members, and contracts for professional or consultant services shall be paid upon the written approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-32.02(c) and G.S. 120-35 from funds available to the House of Representatives for its operations. Individual expenses of $5,000 or less, including per diem, travel, and subsistence expenses of members of the Committee, and clerical expenses shall be paid upon the authorization of the Chair of the Committee. Individual expenses in excess of $5,000 shall be paid upon the written approval of the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Section 8. The Legislative Services Officer shall assign professional and clerical staff to assist the Committee in its work. The Director of Legislative Assistants of the House of Representatives shall assign clerical support staff to the Committee.

Section 9. The Committee may meet at various locations around the State in order to promote greater public participation in its deliberations.
Section 10. The Committee shall submit a final report on the results of its study, including any proposed legislation, to the members of the House of Representatives on or before January 27, 2009 by filing the final report with the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the House Principal Clerk, and the Legislative Library. The Committee terminates on January 27, 2009, or upon the filing of its final report, whichever occurs first. Effective this 1st day of April, 2008.

/S/ Joe Hackney
Speaker

Rev. 8/11/2008 Mr. Bob Schall replaces Mr. Martin Eakes

North Carolina House of Representatives
Office of the Speaker

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON TELEVISION HOUSE SESSIONS

Section 1. The House Select Committee on Televising House Sessions (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of the 8 members listed below, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Speaker of the House of Representatives may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Representative Cullie Tarleton, Chair
Representative Linda Coleman
Representative Margaret Dickson
Representative Ric Killian
Representative Grier Martin
Representative Mitch Setzer
Representative Thom Tillis
Denise Weeks, Advisory Member
Section 3. The Committee shall study the feasibility, cost and other aspects of creating live broadcasts of floor sessions and other meetings in the House of Representatives. The Committee shall review and assess current television access to State Government and how it compares to other states and the federal government. The committee shall study any other related matter.

Section 4. The Committee shall meet upon the call of its Chair. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

Section 5. The Committee, while in the discharge of its official duties, may exercise all powers provided for under G.S. 120-19 and Article 5A of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes.

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Section 10. The Committee shall submit a final report on the results of its study, including any proposed legislation, to the members of the House of Representatives on or before December 31, 2008, by filing the final report with the Office of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the House Principal Clerk, and the Legislative Library. The Committee terminates on December 31, 2008, or upon the filing of its final report, whichever occurs first.
Effective this 9th day of September 2008.

/S/ Joe Hackney
Speaker

North Carolina House of Representatives
Office of the Speaker

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE NORTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON COMPENSATION FOR VICTIMS OF THE EUGENICS STERILIZATION PROGRAM

Section 1. The House Select Committee on Compensation for Victims of the Eugenics Sterilization Program (hereinafter "Committee") is established by the Speaker of the House of Representatives pursuant to G.S. 120-19.6(a1) and Rule 26(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the 2007 General Assembly.

Section 2. The Committee consists of the nine members listed below, appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives. Members serve at the pleasure of the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Speaker of the House of Representatives may dissolve the Committee at any time.

Representative Ron Sutton, Co-Chair
Representative Larry Womble, Co-Chair
Representative Martha B. Alexander
Representative Sandra Spaulding Hughes
Representative James H. Langdon
Representative Earline W. Parmon
Representative Ruth Samuelson
Representative Bonner L. Stiller
Representative Michael H. Wray

Section 3. The Committee shall study a proposal to compensate persons who, as a result of the Eugenics sterilization program in this State, were sterilized between the years 1929 and 1975. The study shall include a proposed process for evaluating claims, an equitable amount of compensation...
and such other matters as the Committee deems necessary. The Committee shall estimate the cost of providing health care, counseling, and educational assistance required as a result of sterilization under the State's Eugenics sterilization program.

Section 4. The Committee shall meet upon the call of its Chairs. A quorum of the Committee shall be a majority of its members.

Section 5. The Committee, while in the discharge of its official duties, may exercise all powers provided for under G.S. 120-19 and Article 5A of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes.

Section 6. Members of the Committee shall receive per diem, subsistence, and travel allowance as provided in G.S. 120-3.1.

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Effective this 21st day of August 2008.

/S/ Joe Hackney
Speaker

Rev. 9/11/08 and added Representative Parmon

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL 359

(The conference committee substitute version of this bill was adopted by the House on July 18, 2008, but not by the Senate.)

H359-PCCS51075-RR-3, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR SPEECH AND LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS LICENSURE.

The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

SECTION 1. G.S. 90-295(a)(3) reads as rewritten:
"(3) Submit evidence of the completion of a minimum of 400 clock hours of supervised, direct clinical experience with individuals who present a variety of communication disorders. This experience must have been obtained within the training institution or in one of its cooperating programs in the following areas: (i) Speech – Adult (200 diagnostic and 200 therapeutic); Children (200 diagnostic and 200 therapeutic); or (ii) Language – Adult (200 diagnostic and 200 therapeutic); Children (200 diagnostic and 200 therapeutic). Each new applicant must submit a verified clinical clock hour summary sheet signed by the clinic or program director, in addition to completion of the license application."

SECTION 2. This act is effective when it becomes law.

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