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**ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL  
ASSEMBLY**

**59TH LEGISLATIVE DAY**

**Perfunctory Session**

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2023**

**12:08 O'CLOCK P.M.**

**SENATE**  
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The Senate met pursuant to the directive of the President.  
Pursuant to Senate Rule 2-5(c)2, the Secretary of the Senate conducted the perfunctory session.  
Silent prayer was observed.

### **REPORTS RECEIVED**

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

OEIG Hiring and Employment Monitoring Report FY23 Q3, submitted by the Executive Inspector General.

IDNR CWD Report 2022-2023, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

IDCEO RICC Report October 2023, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

IDOT Exempt Contracts Annual Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

OLIG Quarterly Report 7/1/23-9/30/23, submitted by the Legislative Inspector General.

IDOT Quarterly Report 7/1/23-9/30/23, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

IDOL Affirmative Action Plan FY24, submitted by the Department of the Lottery.

Small Business Annual Report, submitted by the State Treasurer.

Biennial Report of Operations, 2021-2022, submitted by the Mid-Illinois Medical District.

IDCFS Day Care Licensing Annual Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

ICJIA Adult Redeploy Illinois Annual Report FY20, submitted by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.

ICJIA Adult Redeploy Illinois Annual Report FY21, submitted by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.

IDCFS Child Care Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IDOT Joint Purchases Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

IDOC Quarterly Report October 1, 2023, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

IDOC Impact Program Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Corrections.

IDNR Managed Lands Report CY22, submitted by the Department of Natural Resources.

COGFA Monthly Report September 2023, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

ICJIA Firearm Prohibitors and Records Improvement Task Force Report 2023, submitted by the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority.

IDOR UEDB Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Revenue.

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IDOL Monthly Finance Report August 2023, submitted by the Department of the Lottery.

IDCFS Quarterly Assault Report 6/15/23-9/15/23, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

PACE Uniform Report of DBE Commitments/Awards and Payments for the period of July 1, 2022, through June 30, 2023., submitted by the PACE.

IDOA Annual Cannabis Report 2023, submitted by the Department of Agriculture.

Illinois FOID Card Review Board Monthly Report for the period of September 1-30, 2023, submitted by the Illinois State Police.

IDoA Serving Minority Seniors Report FY22, submitted by the Department on Aging.

IDHFS Serving Minority Seniors Report FY22, submitted by the Department of Healthcare and Family Services.

IDHS Serving Minority Seniors Report FY22, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

IDPH Serving Minority Seniors Report FY22, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

IDFPR Cannabis Annual Report 2023, submitted by the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

IDPH Cannabis Annual Report 2023, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

CCPF Illinois-Based Firm Utilization Report, submitted by the Cook County Pension Fund.

IDFPR Condominium and Common Interest Community Ombudsperson Report October 1, 2023, submitted by the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation.

IDOI Biennial Report 2021-2022, submitted by the Department of Insurance.

IDHS CESSA Quarterly Report October 1, 2023, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

COGFA Certification of Minimum Salary Rate for the 2024-2025 School Year, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

ISAC AIM HIGH Grant Pilot Program Report - Year Four, submitted by the Illinois Student Assistance Commission.

Gubernatorial Boards and Commissions Act Report, submitted by the Governor.

COGFA Wagering in Illinois Report 2023, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

Annual Cannabis Report 2023, submitted by the Adult Use Cannabis Health Advisory Committee.

Summary Activity Report 3/1/23-8/31/23, submitted by the Illinois State Toll Highway Authority.

IDCEO Enterprise Zone, High Impact Business, Blue Collar Jobs Act, and River Edge Redevelopment Zone Programs Annual Report 2022, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

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Age-Related Driving Abilities Report, submitted by the Secretary of State.

ISBE Administration of Undesignated Asthma Medication Report, School Year 2022-23, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

ISBE Administration of Undesignated Epinephrine Report, School Year 2022-23, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

ISBE Administration of Undesignated Opioid Antagonist Report, School Year 2022-23, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

IDHS Annual Cannabis Report 2023, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

Annual Report September 27, 2023, submitted by the Illinois Community Health Workers Review Board.

IDCFS Death or Serious Life-Threatening Injury of a Child Report FY23 Q4, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IDoA Community Care Program Annual Report FY22, submitted by the Department on Aging.

IDCFS Multi-Disciplinary Reviews of Unfounded Cases Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IDPH Opioid Crisis and State's Response Report, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

IDCEO RICC Monthly Report September 2023, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

African American Employment Plan Survey 2024, submitted by the Comptroller.

Asian American Employment Plan Survey 2024, submitted by the Comptroller.

Hispanic Employment Plan Survey 2024, submitted by the Comptroller.

Native American Employment Plan Survey 2024, submitted by the Comptroller.

IDHS Strategic Plan for Inpatient State-Operated Psychiatric Hospital Capacity and Access Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

Illinois FOID Card Review Board Monthly Report for the period of August 1-31, 2023, submitted by the Illinois State Police.

IDOL Monthly Finance Report July 2023, submitted by the Department of the Lottery.

IDoA Annual Report FY22, submitted by the Department on Aging.

IDPH Used Tire Fund Status Report January 2023, submitted by the Department of Public Health.

NEIU Construction Report, submitted by the Northeastern Illinois University.

Annual Report FY23, submitted by the Illinois Independent Tax Tribunal.

IDCFS Case Plan Demonstration Projects Report, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

ICC PIPA Report, submitted by the Illinois Commerce Commission.

IDCEO Illinois Energy Assistance Programs Report 2023, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

IDoA Long-Term Care Council Annual Report FY23, submitted by the Department on Aging.

COGFA Monthly Report August 2023, submitted by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability.

SIU Businesses Procured by Construction Agency Report, submitted by the Southern Illinois University.

IDCFS Specialized Care Report Fall 2023, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

CDB Illinois Business Report Effective January 1, 2023, submitted by the Capital Development Board.

Summary of Fees Report FY23, submitted by the Comptroller.

Summary of Fees by Agency Report FY23, submitted by the Comptroller.

SURS Economic Opportunity Investments Report August 29, 2023, submitted by the State Universities Retirement System.

ISBI Economic Opportunity Investments Report August 31, 2023, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Investment.

FPIF Economic Opportunity Investments Report August 31, 2023, submitted by the Firefighters' Pension Investment Fund.

CTPF Illinois Economic Opportunity Investments Report FY23, submitted by the Chicago Teachers' Pension Fund.

MPEA Affirmative Action Plan Report FY24, submitted by the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority.

GSU Procurement Activities as a Construction Agency for the Period of July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023, submitted by the Governor's State University.

IDCMS Disabled Hiring Initiative Report July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023, submitted by the Department of Central Management Services.

IDHS Disabled Hiring Initiative Report July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2023, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

ISU National Student Clearinghouse, MOVEit Transfer Report, submitted by the Illinois State University.

IDHS Electroconvulsive Therapy Annual Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

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IDHS Psychotropic Medication Refusals Report, submitted by the Department of Human Services.

IMRF Illinois Economic Opportunity Investments Annual Report, submitted by the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund.

IDCFS Advisory Commission on Reducing Disproportionate Representation of African-American Children in Foster Care Report, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IDOT Agency Utilization of Illinois Businesses Report 1/1/23-6/30/23, submitted by the Department of Transportation.

IDCFS Youth Advisory Board Year End Report FY23, submitted by the Department of Children and Family Services.

IDoA Illinois Long-Term Care Council Annual Report FY23, submitted by the Department on Aging.

ISBE Performance Evaluation Reform Act Implementation Study - Interim Report, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

TRS Investments in Illinois Report for the Period Ending December 31, 2023, submitted by the Teachers' Retirement System.

ISBE Personal Health and Safety and Sexual Health Education Survey Report, 2022-23 School Year, submitted by the Illinois State Board of Education.

IDCEO RICC Monthly Report August 2023, submitted by the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity.

The foregoing reports were ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary's Office.

### MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

THE SENATE PRESIDENT  
STATE OF ILLINOIS

DON HARMON

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October 16, 2023

Mr. Tim Anderson  
Secretary of the Senate  
Room 058, State House  
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Secretary Anderson:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-1(b), below is the amended number of Democrat and Republican members of the Illinois Senate that may be appointed to the listed standing committees of the Senate for the 103rd General Assembly:

| <b>Committee Name</b>     | <b>Democratic<br/>Members</b> | <b>Republican<br/>Members</b> |
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Pursuant to Senate Rules 3-1(d), 3-2(a) and 3-5(c), please be advised that I have made the following appointments, to be effective immediately, to the 103rd General Assembly Standing Committees:

#### **APPROPRIATIONS - EDUCATION**

Senator Natalie Toro as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Cristina Pacione-Zayas from the Senate

#### **EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION**

Senator Kimberly A. Lightford as chair to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Cristina Pacione-Zayas from the Senate

Senator Natalie Toro as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Cristina Pacione-Zayas from the Senate

Senator Lakesia Collins as a member

#### **EDUCATION**

Senator Natalie Toro as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Cristina Pacione-Zayas from the Senate

#### **FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS**

Senator Lakesia Collins as a member

#### **HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

Senator Natalie Toro as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Cristina Pacione-Zayas from the Senate

#### **HUMAN RIGHTS**

Senator Lakesia Collins as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Patricia Van Pelt from the Senate

Senator Lakesia Collins as vice-chair replacing Senator Robert Peters

#### **LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

Senator Natalie Toro as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Patricia Van Pelt from the Senate

Senator Linda Holmes as chair to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Patricia Van Pelt from the Senate

Senator Natalie Toro as vice-chair to fill the vacancy created by the appointment of Senator Linda Holmes as chair

#### **PUBLIC HEALTH**

Senator Lakesia Collins as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Patricia Van Pelt from the Senate

#### **REVENUE**

Senator Lakesia Collins as a member to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Senator Cristina Pacione-Zayas from the Senate

If you have any questions, please contact my Chief of Staff Jake Butcher.

Sincerely,

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s/Don Harmon  
Don Harmon  
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader John F. Curran  
Office of the Illinois Comptroller  
Commission of Government Forecasting and Accountability

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October 18, 2023

Mr. Tim Anderson  
Secretary of the Senate  
Room 058, State House  
Springfield, Illinois 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a Perfunctory Session to convene on Wednesday, October 18, 2023.

s/Don Harmon  
Don Harmon  
Senate President

cc: Senate Republican Leader John F. Curran

**COMMUNICATION FROM THE MINORITY LEADER**

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ILLINOIS STATE SENATE  
**JOHN CURRAN**  
SENATE REPUBLICAN LEADER  
41ST SENATE DISTRICT

September 19, 2023

Mr. Tim Anderson  
Secretary of the Senate  
058 State House  
Springfield, IL 62706

[October 18, 2023]

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to Rule 3-5 (c), I hereby temporarily appoint **Senator Sue Rezin** to replace **Senator Jil Tracy** as a member of the Senate Judiciary Committee. This appointment is effective immediately and will automatically expire upon adjournment of the Senate Judiciary Committee on Tuesday, September 19, 2023.

Sincerely,  
s/John F. Curran  
John F. Curran  
Illinois Senate Republican Leader  
41st District

Cc: Senate President Don Harmon  
Assistant Secretary of the Senate Scott Kaiser

**MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR**

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

September 1, 2023

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate  
One-Hundred and Third General Assembly

Mr. President:

On February 3, 2023, Appointment Message 103-043 nominating Christopher Patterson as Assistant Secretary of the Illinois Department of Human Services was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective on May 31, 2023.

Sincerely,  
s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

September 1, 2023

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate

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Mr. President:

On March 16, 2023, Appointment Message 103-128 nominating Mark Mahoney as Assistant Director of the Department of Central Management Services was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective on May 10, 2023.

Sincerely,  
s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

September 1, 2023

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate  
One-Hundred and Third General Assembly

Mr. President:

On May 12, 2023, Appointment Message 103-223 nominating Susana L. Vasquez as a Member of the Illinois Torture Inquiry and Relief Commission was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective on June 22, 2023.

Sincerely,  
s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

September 8, 2023

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate  
One-Hundred and Third General Assembly

Mr. President:

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On August 19, 2022, Appointment Message 102-470 nominating Kathy Saltmarsh as a Member of the Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective immediately.

Sincerely,  
s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

September 8, 2023

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate  
One-Hundred and Third General Assembly

Mr. President:

On January 23, 2023, Appointment Message 103-060 nominating Grace B. Hou-Ovnik as Secretary of the Illinois Department of Human Services was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 11:59pm on October 8, 2023.

Sincerely,  
s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
207 STATE HOUSE  
SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS 62706**

**JB PRITZKER  
GOVERNOR**

October 4, 2023

To the Honorable  
Members of the Senate  
One-Hundred and Third General Assembly

Mr. President:

On January 31, 2023, Appointment Message 103-032 nominating Theresa Eagleson as Director of the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services was delivered to your Honorable Body. As of the

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date of this letter, it is my understanding that the Senate has not taken action on this nomination.

Please be advised that the Appointment Message, for which concurrence in and confirmation of your Honorable Body was sought, is hereby withdrawn, effective at 11:59pm on December 31, 2023.

Sincerely,  
s/JB Pritzker  
Governor

**MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE**

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
ALEXI GIANNOULIAS • Secretary of State

October 6, 2023

To Giovanni Randazzo:

Pursuant to 15 ILCS 310/8a, the Merit Commission is created within the Office of the Secretary of State to approve the rules and actions of the Secretary of State's Department of Personnel.

Regarding a previous correspondence dated April 27, 2023, I am respectfully withdrawing the request for consideration for appointment of the following individual for Senate confirmation:

Leonard Cannata, 3417 S. 58th Ave., Cicero, 60804.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact Vivian Anderson, Director of Legislative Affairs at 217-782-6640 or by email at [VAnderson@ilsos.gov](mailto:VAnderson@ilsos.gov).

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,  
s/Alexi Giannoulis  
Alexi Giannoulis  
Secretary of State

cc: Dave Finnigan, Index Department  
Tim Anderson, Secretary of the Senate

**PRESENTATION OF CELEBRATION OF LIFE RESOLUTIONS**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 427**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Vincent Speranza of Auburn.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 428**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Sydney Rose Putnam of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 429**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of David Lucas of Springfield.

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**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 430**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of John Patrick "Pat" Kelly of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 431**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of John D. Risse Sr. of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 432**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Thomas F. "Tom" Swoik Sr. of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 433**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Harper Finn of Altamont.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 434**

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Pastor John E. McNair.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 435**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Earl Joseph Robbins of Aledo.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 436**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Charles Logan "Chuck" Luallen of Aledo.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 437**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of A.J. Wiss III of Pana.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 438**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of the Honorable Richard H. Mills of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 439**

Offered by Senator Lightford and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Bishop Eddie Lee Hightower.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 440**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Willis "Si" Mason of Lewistown.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 441**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Merwin W. "Mert" Klawonn of rural Cambridge.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 442**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Stuart Pollitt of Canton.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 443**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Albert "Poodie" Pasley of Canton.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 444**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Ronald Staes of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 445**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Lawrence Davis of Hanna City.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 446**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Everett J. Fisher of Colona.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 447**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Jerry Michael "Mike" Hull of Monmouth.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 448**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Merriam "Lee" Gustafson of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 449**

Offered by Senator S. Turner and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Lance Cpl. Evan C. Brown of Monticello.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 450**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Robert Norman "Bob" Hetz.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 451**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Michael David "Mike" Cahill.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 452**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Gary M. Stimpson of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 453**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Vernon L. "Red" Blackert Jr. of Prophetstown.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 454**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of former Illinois State Representative and State Senator Richard Nelson Luft of Perkin.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 455**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Jesse R. Smart, the former Mayor of Bloomington.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 456**

Offered by Senator Murphy and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Barbara Ann Eilken O'Toole.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 457**

Offered by Senator Rose and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Dana Richard Hales.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 458**

Offered by Senator Johnson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of H. Yvonne McKinney.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 459**

Offered by Senator Murphy and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of William Joseph "Bill" Christiansen of Des Plaines.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 460**

Offered by Senator Belt and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Leslie Ann Walker Dixon.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 461**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Ernestine Jackson.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 462**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gilbert Carl Nolde of Peoria.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 463**

Offered by Senator Faraci and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Wolford John Shane Sr.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 465**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert G. Blair of Pekin.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 466**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of David P. Jackson of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 467**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William King "Bill" Little of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 468**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Stuart G. McKnight of Pekin.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 469**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Captain Frederick P. Meyers, U.S. Navy (Ret.) of Pekin.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 470**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Olin U. Cowser of Woodhull.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 472**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:

Mourns the death of James R. Wabel of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 473**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:



Mourns the death of Edith C. Irwin of Springfield.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 474**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Clarence Franklin "Frank" Meredith of Sarasota, Florida, formerly of Sherman.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 475**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Robert Arthur "Bob" Plaskas of Oswego.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 476**

Offered by Senator Ventura and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Deborah L. "Debbie" Jerisha.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 477**

Offered by Senator Belt and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Captain Eleanor "Ellie" LeBeau Cooke of Belleville.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 478**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gerald Leon Bolt of London Mills.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 479**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourn the death of Roger Eugene Clarke of Milan.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 480**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Carl F. Clough Jr. of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 481**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William Nelson "Bill" Elliott of Altoona, Iowa, formerly of Aledo.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 482**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Gerald Vernon "Jerry" Hackman.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 483**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Edward J. Mathis of Henry.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 484**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of William Hardy McAdams Jr. of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 485**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Paul Eugene Reynolds of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 486**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Charles Andrew Rudiger Sr. of Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 487**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Eugene F. "Gene" Smith of Pekin.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 488**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Jerry Styninger of Canton.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 489**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of John H. Wochner of East Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 491**

Offered by Senator Preston and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of the death of Charles E. Hobson Sr.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 492**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Evelyn Wiley Rice.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 493**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Jesse Lee Fleming of Chicago.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 494**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Dr. Rose Marie McCoy.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 495**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of James Adams.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 496**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Jean Wilson Muscadin, M.D.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 497**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Leo Wirth of Kimball, Minnesota.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 498**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Claire Nabors McLendon.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 499**

Offered by Senator Hunter and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Lieutenant Governor Sheila Y. Oliver of the State of New Jersey.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 500**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Jeanne St. Julian of Peoria.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 501**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of George E. Hopkins, Ph.D.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 503**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Jeffrey L. Brown of Virden.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 504**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Timothy R. "Tim" Kratochvil.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 505**

Offered by Senator McClure and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of David L. "Dave" Kinert of Lovington.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 506**

Offered by Senator Koehler and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Maxine Althea Keith of Peoria.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 507**

Offered by Senator Morrison and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Marla Kim Benziger of Chicago.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 508**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Laton Ernest "Ernie" Mahan of Dunlap.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 509**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Carl Krah.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 510**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the passing of Frederick R. "Fred" Houlton of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 511**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Douglas E. "Doug" Allen of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 512**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Henry A. "Hank" Bowdoin of Wyoming.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 513**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Willie Earl Wear Jr. of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 514**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Donald Ray Griffin of Easton.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 515**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death Donald L. Smith of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 516**

Offered by Senator Johnson and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Kevin M. Dolan of Mundelein.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 517**

Offered by Senator Rezin and all Senators:

Mourns the death of former Illinois State Senator Gary Glenn Dahl of Peru.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 518**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Loren Ralph Beaumont of Sun City, Arizona, formerly of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 519**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of William "Bil" Ford Jr. of Geneseo, formerly of East Moline.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 520**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Norman N. Neely of Silvis.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 521**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Richard Arthur "Rich" Parsons of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 522**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of William Frederick "Bill" Schwenneker.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 523**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Joseph J. Steele of Kewanee.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 524**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Freddie P. Taylor of Rock Island.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 525**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Marion Thompson of Aledo.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 526**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Terry Lee Van Nattan.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 527**

Offered by Senator Anderson and all Senators:

Mourns the passing of Fred R. "Rick" Wendl of Colona, formerly of Erie.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 528**

Offered by Senator Preston and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Brent Rayburn Reddrick Hamlet.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 529**

Offered by Senator Rose and all Senators:

Mourns the death of James Byron "Jim" Jurgens of Arthur.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 530**

Offered by Senator Villa and all Senators:

Mourns the death of Janet Elizabeth (Priniski) Sikma of West Chicago.

By direction of the Secretary, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

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**PRESENTATION OF CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS**

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 471**

Offered by Senator Belt:

Congratulates the Ainad Shriners of East St. Louis on Ainad Temple serving as its headquarters for the past 100 years. Wishes the organization continued success in the next century.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 502**

Offered by Senator Rose:

Congratulates Mike Bass on his retirement from the University of Illinois System. Thanks him for his service to the State of Illinois and the University of Illinois. Wishes him the best in his future endeavors.

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 531**

Offered by Senator Lewis:

Congratulates St. Francis High School, located in Wheaton, on being named a 2023 Exemplary High-Performing National Blue Ribbon School by the U.S. Department of Education. Recognizes its teachers and staff for their continued dedication and service to students.

Under the Rules, the foregoing resolutions were referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTIONS**

Senator Syverson offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

**SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 464**

WHEREAS, October is nationally recognized as Breast Cancer Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS, Breast cancer is the most common type of cancer among women in the world and the second leading cause of cancer death among women in the United States; and

WHEREAS, More than one in eight women and one in 833 men in the United States will be diagnosed with breast cancer in their lifetimes; and

WHEREAS, In 2023, an estimated 300,590 Americans will be diagnosed with invasive breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, Metastatic breast cancer (MBC) occurs when breast cancer spreads to other parts of the body, including the bones, lungs, liver, and brain, and has an average life expectancy of 24 to 36 months; and

WHEREAS, Regardless of early detection, approximately 30% of stage 0 to stage III breast cancers will return as stage IV; and

WHEREAS, An estimated 43,700 Americans will die from breast cancer in 2023, equal to 115 women and men per day, with 98% due to metastatic breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, Metastatic breast cancer affects all races and socioeconomic classes; and

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WHEREAS, While Caucasian women see slightly higher incidence rates of breast cancer, the mortality rate for Black women with breast cancer is 41% higher than that of Caucasian women, and breast cancer is the leading cause of cancer-related death for Hispanic women; and

WHEREAS, METAvivor Research and Support, a national organization, funds critical stage IV metastatic breast cancer research and educates the public about metastatic breast cancer and the lack of funding for stage IV treatment; and

WHEREAS, METAvivor aims to dramatically increase the current percentage of breast cancer research dollars from under 5% to 30% per already metastasized patients; and

WHEREAS, The national hashtags for this initiative on social media fall under #METAvivor and #LightUpMBC; and

WHEREAS, There is a global #LightUpMBC campaign on October 13 every year to illuminate 115 landmarks around the world in the metastatic colors of teal, pink, and green to bring awareness to the disease and to honor the daily number of 115 lives lost to MBC; and

WHEREAS, While the pink ribbon is well-known for representing the fight against early stage breast cancer, it is not inclusive of stage IV; therefore, the metastatic breast cancer awareness tri-color ribbon includes teal to portray healing and spirituality, green for the triumph of spring over winter, life over death, renewal, hope, and immortality, and a thin pink overlay to signify that the cancer originated in the breast; and

WHEREAS, The day will culminate in a virtual broadcast, #LightUpMBC Live, to commemorate landmarks lighting around the world, to share inspiring stories by the metastatic breast cancer community, and to raise research funds; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we declare October 13, 2023 as Metastatic Breast Cancer Awareness Day in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED That we recognize the METAvivor #LightUpMBC national campaign; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we encourage citizens to join the national effort towards awareness of metastatic breast cancer during October through METAvivor; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to METAvivor with our sincere appreciation for their efforts to address breast cancer.

Senator Ventura offered the following Senate Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

#### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 490**

WHEREAS, The Illinois Senate represents all the citizens of Illinois, including the police and fire departments, community development, school superintendents, principals, teachers, professors, city management, human resources, neighborhood services, planning and zoning, business owners, church leaders, and families, young and old; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are committed to fostering a culture of peace and nonviolence through education, sustainable economic and social development, a clean environment, and racial, gender, and intergenerational justice; and

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are committed to promoting human rights, advancing understanding, tolerance, and solidarity, and supporting participation, communication, and the free flow of information; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are committed to creating and implementing initiatives that not only foster peace and nonviolence but also create a positive and lasting change in our State; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate believe that all segments of our State deserve inclusion in planning actions, resource allocations, nonviolence training, restorative justice practices, and budgetary priorities; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are committed to the rejection of violence, poverty, injustice, and environmental degradation in conjunction with the Pace e Bene Campaign for Nonviolence, which includes the Nonviolence Cities Project; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we support the United Nations Resolution designating September 21 as "International Day of Peace" and declare September 21 of 2023 and 2024 to be "Day of Peace" in the State of Illinois; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we urge the month of September in 2023 and 2024 to be used as a time of renewal, evaluation, and improvement of policies establishing regional peace and nonviolence in perpetuity; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we proclaim the State of Illinois to be a Nonviolent State.

Senator Bryant offered the following Senate Joint Resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Assignments:

#### **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 43**

WHEREAS, It is highly fitting that the Illinois General Assembly pays honor and respect to the truly great individuals who have served our country and, in doing so, have made the ultimate sacrifice for our nation; and

WHEREAS, Marine Lance Cpl. Drew M. Uhles of DuQuoin died from injuries received due to enemy action in Al Anbar Province, Iraq on September 15, 2004 and subsequently was awarded the Purple Heart; and

WHEREAS, LCpl. Uhles was assigned to 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, I Marine Expeditionary Force, Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center, Twentynine Palms, California; and

WHEREAS, LCpl. Uhles received numerous awards during his exemplary service to our nation, including the Combat Action Ribbon, the Rifle Marksman Badge, the Presidential Unit Citation, the Good Conduct Award, the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, and two Sea Service Deployment Ribbons; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the section of Route 51 that runs through St. Johns as the "LCpl. Drew M. Uhles Memorial Highway"; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Illinois Department of Transportation is requested to erect at suitable locations, consistent with State and federal regulations, appropriate plaques or signs giving notice of the name "LCpl. Drew M. Uhles Memorial Highway"; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be presented to the family of LCpl. Uhles, the Mayor of St. Johns, and the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation.

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

**SENATE BILL NO. 2589.** Introduced by Senator Lightford, a bill for AN ACT concerning State government.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2590.** Introduced by Senator E. Harriss, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2591.** Introduced by Senator Rezin, a bill for AN ACT concerning utilities.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2592.** Introduced by Senator Bryant, a bill for AN ACT concerning property.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2593.** Introduced by Senator Halpin, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2594.** Introduced by Senator Chesney, a bill for AN ACT concerning revenue.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2595.** Introduced by Senator Rezin, a bill for AN ACT concerning local government.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2596.** Introduced by Senator Peters, a bill for AN ACT concerning sports facilities.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2597.** Introduced by Senator S. Turner, a bill for AN ACT concerning property.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2598.** Introduced by Senator D. Turner, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2599.** Introduced by Senator D. Turner, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.



The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2600.** Introduced by Senator Ventura, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2601.** Introduced by Senator Porfirio, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2602.** Introduced by Senator Porfirio, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2603.** Introduced by Senator Plummer, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2604.** Introduced by Senator Toro, a bill for AN ACT concerning civil law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2605.** Introduced by Senator Toro, a bill for AN ACT concerning criminal law.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2606.** Introduced by Senator Koehler, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2607.** Introduced by Senator Martwick, a bill for AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2608.** Introduced by Senator Preston, a bill for AN ACT concerning government.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2609.** Introduced by Senator Koehler, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2610.** Introduced by Senator Martwick, a bill for AN ACT concerning education.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2611.** Introduced by Senator Faraci, a bill for AN ACT concerning appropriations.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2612.** Introduced by Senator Preston, a bill for AN ACT concerning health.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2613.** Introduced by Senator Lightford, a bill for AN ACT concerning employment.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

**SENATE BILL NO. 2614.** Introduced by Senator Halpin, a bill for AN ACT concerning regulation.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Assignments.

## **APPOINTMENT MESSAGES**

### **Appointment Message No. 1030320**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Executive Ethics Commission

Start Date: August 25, 2023

End Date: June 30, 2027

Name: Cynthia Irene Ervin

Residence: 20997 S. Staff Rd., Illiopolis, IL 62539

Annual Compensation: \$42,398

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sally J. Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: Cynthia Irene Ervin

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

### **Appointment Message No. 1030321**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

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Agency or Other Body: Executive Ethics Commission

Start Date: August 25, 2023

End Date: June 30, 2027

Name: Patricia Yadgir

Residence: 5928 Ross Dr., Woodridge, IL 60517

Annual Compensation: \$42,398

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator John F. Curran

Most Recent Holder of Office: Patricia Yadgir

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030322**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Workforce Innovation Board

Start Date: August 25, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2024

Name: Victor Bernard Dickson

Residence: 990 N. Lakeshore Dr., #7E, Chicago, IL 60611

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sara Feigenholtz

Most Recent Holder of Office: Victor Bernard Dickson

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030323**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Workforce Innovation Board

Start Date: August 25, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2025

Name: Alaina Jean Harkness

Residence: 5202 S. Kimbark Ave., Chicago, IL 60615

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: New Position

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030324**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Gaming Board

Start Date: August 28, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2026

Name: Anthony P. Garcia

Residence: 1446 Windcrest Rd., Deerfield, IL 60015

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: \$300

Nominee's Senator: Senator Julie A. Morrison

Most Recent Holder of Office: Anthony P. Garcia

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

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**Appointment Message No. 1030325**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Lottery Control Board

Start Date: August 28, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2026

Name: Diana Leza Sheehan

Residence: 40 Salem Ln., Evanston, IL 60203

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: \$100 to maximum of \$1,200.00 per annum

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura Fine

Most Recent Holder of Office: Diana Leza Sheehan

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030326**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Prisoner Review Board

Start Date: September 5, 2023

End Date: January 18, 2027

Name: William Delgado

Residence: 2143 N. Harlem Ave., FRT 317, Chicago, IL 60707

Annual Compensation: \$96,920 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

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Most Recent Holder of Office: Jeffrey Mears

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030327**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: August 28, 2023

End Date: July 15, 2025

Name: Susan L. Abrams

Residence: 1630 Sylvester Pl., Highland Park, IL 60035

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Julie A. Morrison

Most Recent Holder of Office: Peter Amaro

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030328**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: August 28, 2023

End Date: July 15, 2025

Name: Steven M. Landek

Residence: 7701 S. Ferdinand Ave., Bridgeview, IL 60455

Annual Compensation: Expenses

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Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mike Porfirio

Most Recent Holder of Office: Terrence O'Brien

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030329**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Finance Authority

Start Date: August 28, 2023

End Date: July 15, 2026

Name: James Randal Wexler

Residence: 1221 Judson Ave., Evanston, IL 60202

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura Fine

Most Recent Holder of Office: James Randal Wexler

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030330**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, Michael Frerichs, Treasurer, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Charitable Trust Stabilization Committee

Start Date: September 7, 2023

End Date: September 7, 2029

Name: Andreason Brown

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Residence: 707 W. Junior Ter., Unit 5, Chicago, IL 60613

Annual Compensation: Unsalaries

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sara Feigenholtz

Most Recent Holder of Office: Andreason Brown

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030331**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Clean Energy Jobs and Justice Fund

Start Date: September 1, 2023

End Date: September 1, 2028

Name: Karen Weigert

Residence: 2033 W. Roscoe St., Unit 2, Chicago, IL 60618

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sara Feigenholtz

Most Recent Holder of Office: New Position

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030332**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Human Services

Start Date: October 9, 2023

[October 18, 2023]



End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Dulce M. Quintero

Residence: 5114 W. Cornelia Ave., Chicago, IL 60641

Annual Compensation: \$210,000

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Natalie Toro

Most Recent Holder of Office: Grace B. Hou-Ovnik

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030333**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Energy Workforce Advisory Council

Start Date: September 8, 2023

End Date: Not Applicable

Name: John Freitag

Residence: 176 Maple Grove Ln., Springfield, IL 62712

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: New Position

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030334**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

[October 18, 2023]

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Board of Higher Education

Start Date: September 8, 2023

End Date: January 31, 2027

Name: Garth Walker

Residence: 5235 S. University Ave., Chicago, IL 60615

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Derek Douglas

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030335**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Secure Choice Savings Board

Start Date: September 8, 2023

End Date: June 22, 2027

Name: Staci Lynn Mayall

Residence: 65 Linden St., Canton, IL 61520

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Neil Anderson

Most Recent Holder of Office: Staci Lynn Mayall

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030336**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

[October 18, 2023]

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Health Facilities and Services Review Board

Start Date: September 11, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2026

Name: Kenneth Burnett

Residence: 3127 W. 83rd St., Chicago, IL 60652

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Willie Preston

Most Recent Holder of Office: Kenneth Burnett

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030337**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Workforce Innovation Board

Start Date: September 11, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2025

Name: William Lo

Residence: 107 Megan Ln., Carterville, IL 62918

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Dale Fowler

Most Recent Holder of Office: Michael Conley

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

[October 18, 2023]

**Appointment Message No. 1030338**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Secretary

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Human Services

Start Date: October 1, 2023

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Quiwana Bell

Residence: 822 E. 48th St., Chicago, IL 60615

Annual Compensation: \$178,500

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Christopher Patterson

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030339**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: September 15, 2023

End Date: January 16, 2025

Name: Demoya Gordon

Residence: 300 W. Jefferson St., Suite 108, Springfield, IL 62702

Annual Compensation: \$134,288

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

[October 18, 2023]

Most Recent Holder of Office: LeDeidre Turner

Superseded Appointment Message: 102-475

**Appointment Message No. 1030340**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Community College Board

Start Date: September 15, 2023

End Date: June 30, 2027

Name: George M. Evans

Residence: 704 Rosewood Dr., Albers, IL 62215

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Jason Plummer

Most Recent Holder of Office: Terry Bruce

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030341**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Criminal Justice Information Authority

Start Date: September 18, 2023

End Date: January 16, 2025

Name: Kendal Parker

Residence: 1036 W. Garfield Blvd., Chicago, IL 60609

Annual Compensation: Expenses

[October 18, 2023]

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mattie Hunter

Most Recent Holder of Office: Kathryn Saltmarsh

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030342**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director of Banking

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: September 18, 2023

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Susana M. Soriano

Residence: 8944 Lincolnwood Dr., Evanston, IL 60203

Annual Compensation: \$189,000 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Laura Fine

Most Recent Holder of Office: Chasse Rehwinkel

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030343**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority

Start Date: September 25, 2023

End Date: June 1, 2025

Name: Terrance B. McGann

[October 18, 2023]

Residence: 1906 Sweetbriar Ln., Darien, IL 60561

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator John F. Curran

Most Recent Holder of Office: Terrance B. McGann

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030344**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Eastern Illinois University Board of Trustees

Start Date: September 25, 2023

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Bernie Charles Ranchero

Residence: 1034 W. Polk Ave., Charleston, IL 61920

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Chapin Rose

Most Recent Holder of Office: Phillip Thompson

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030345**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Board of Higher Education

Start Date: September 25, 2023

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End Date: January 31, 2027

Name: Sharon Bush

Residence: 811 W. 15th Pl. #303, Chicago, IL 60608

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Lakesia Collins

Most Recent Holder of Office: Max Coffey

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030346**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: September 29, 2023

End Date: January 16, 2027

Name: Mona Noriega

Residence: 300 W. Jefferson St., Suite 108, Springfield, IL 62702

Annual Compensation: \$134,288 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Natalie Toro

Most Recent Holder of Office: Mona Noriega

Superseded Appointment Message: AM 103-086

**Appointment Message No. 1030347**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

[October 18, 2023]



Agency or Other Body: Human Rights Commission

Start Date: September 29, 2023

End Date: January 16, 2027

Name: Barbara Rosa Jocelyn Barreno-Paschall

Residence: 300 W. Jefferson St., Suite 108, Springfield, IL 62702

Annual Compensation: \$134,288 per annum

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Robert Peters

Most Recent Holder of Office: Barbara Rosa Jocelyn Barreno-Paschall

Superseded Appointment Message: AM 103-102

**Appointment Message No. 1030348**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Workforce Innovation Board

Start Date: October 2, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2025

Name: Karina Garcia

Residence: 37 W. New York St., Aurora, IL 60506

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Karina Villa

Most Recent Holder of Office: Angela Mason

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030349**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

[October 18, 2023]

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Workforce Innovation Board

Start Date: October 2, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2025

Name: Elizabeth E. Stuck

Residence: 2452 W. Ainslie St., Chicago, IL 60625

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Mike Simmons

Most Recent Holder of Office: New Position

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030350**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director of Professional Regulation

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation

Start Date: October 16, 2023

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Camile Lindsay

Residence: 1045 Wesley Ave., Oak Park, IL 60304

Annual Compensation: \$189,000

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Don Harmon

Most Recent Holder of Office: Cecilia T. Abundis

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

[October 18, 2023]

**Appointment Message No. 1030351**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Assistant Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

Start Date: October 30, 2023

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Cameron Joost Stevens

Residence: 2333 S. Bates Ave., Springfield, IL 62704

Annual Compensation: \$174,038

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Doris Turner

Most Recent Holder of Office: New Position

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030352**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Director

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services

Start Date: January 1, 2024

End Date: January 20, 2025

Name: Elizabeth M. Whitehorn

Residence: 3449 N. Janssen Ave., Chicago, IL 60657

Annual Compensation: \$204,750

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Sara Feigenholtz

[October 18, 2023]

Most Recent Holder of Office: Theresa Eagleson

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030353**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Illinois Workforce Innovation Board

Start Date: October 13, 2023

End Date: July 1, 2024

Name: David Henry Friedman

Residence: 211 N. Washington St., Hinsdale, IL 60521

Annual Compensation: Expenses

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Suzy Glowiak Hilton

Most Recent Holder of Office: David Henry Friedman

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

**Appointment Message No. 1030354**

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly:

I, JB Pritzker, Governor, am nominating and, having sought the advice of the Senate and by and with the consent of the Senate, appointing the following named individual to the office enumerated below. The consent of this Honorable Body is respectfully requested.

Title of Office: Member

Agency or Other Body: Northern Illinois University Board of Trustees

Start Date: October 16, 2023

End Date: January 15, 2029

Name: Leland Anders Strom

Residence: 43W530 Burlington Rd., Elgin, IL 60124

Annual Compensation: Expenses

[October 18, 2023]

Per diem: Not Applicable

Nominee's Senator: Senator Donald P. DeWitte

Most Recent Holder of Office: Robert Pritchard

Superseded Appointment Message: Not Applicable

Under the rules, the foregoing Appointment Messages were referred to the Committee on Executive Appointments.

### REPORT FROM COMMITTEE ON ASSIGNMENTS

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its October 18, 2023 meeting, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 384, 385, 425, 426, 427, 458, 459, 509, 524, 534, 584, 598, 599, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 765, 767, 768, 769, 770, 854 and 856** on March 31, 2023, pursuant to Rule 3-9(a), reported that the Committee recommends that the bills be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in their former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And **Senate Bills Numbered 384, 385, 425, 426, 427, 458, 459, 509, 524, 534, 584, 598, 599, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 765, 767, 768, 769, 770, 854 and 856** were returned to the order of third reading.

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, during its October 18, 2023 meeting, to which was referred **Senate Bills Numbered 382, 457, 508, 690, 737, 807 and 853** on June 26, 2023, pursuant to Rule 3-9(b), reported that the Committee recommends that the bills be approved for consideration and returned to the calendar in their former position.

The report of the Committee was concurred in.

And **Senate Bills Numbered 382, 457, 508, 690, 737, 807 and 853** were returned to the order of third reading.

## REPORT RECEIVED


**Illinois  
State Board of  
Education**

**Dr. Tony Sanders**, State Superintendent of Education  
**Dr. Steven Isoye**, Chair of the Board

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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** The Honorable JB Pritzker, Governor  
The Honorable Tony McCombie, House Minority Leader  
The Honorable Don Harmon, Senate President  
The Honorable John Curran, Senate Minority Leader  
The Honorable Emanuel “Chris” Welch, Speaker of the House

**FROM:** Dr. Tony Sanders   
State Superintendent of Education

**DATE:** September 25, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Fall 2023 Waiver Report | Requests to Waive School Code Mandates

As required by Section 2-3.25g of the School Code [105 ILCS 5], the following report provides summaries of requests for waivers of School Code mandates being transmitted to the Illinois General Assembly for its consideration. The report concludes with a database listing all the requests received, organized by Senate and House districts, including those requests for waivers and modifications acted on by the state superintendent of education in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code and applications that have been returned to school districts or other eligible applicants.

Pursuant to Section 2-3.25g (d) of the School Code: The report shall be reviewed by a panel of four members consisting of:

- (1) The Speaker of the House of Representatives,
- (2) The Minority Leader of the House of Representatives,
- (3) The President of the Senate, and
- (4) The Minority Leader of the Senate.

The State Board of Education may provide the panel recommendations on waiver requests.

The members of the panel shall review the report submitted by the State Board of Education and submit to the State Board of Education any notice of further consideration to any waiver request within 14 days after the member receives the report. If three or more of the panel members submit a notice of further consideration to any waiver request contained within the report, the State Board of Education shall submit the waiver request to the

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General Assembly for consideration. If fewer than three panel members submit a notice of further consideration to a waiver request, the waiver may be approved, denied, or modified by the State Board. If the State Board does not act on a waiver request within 10 days, then the waiver request is approved. If the waiver request is denied by the State Board, it shall submit the waiver request to the General Assembly for consideration.

“The General Assembly may disapprove any waiver request submitted to the General Assembly pursuant to this subsection (d) in whole or in part within 60 calendar days after each house of the General Assembly next convenes after the waiver request is submitted by adoption of a resolution by a record vote of the majority of members elected in each house. If the General Assembly fails to disapprove any waiver request or appealed request within such 60-day period, the waiver or modification shall be deemed granted. Any resolution adopted by the General Assembly disapproving a report of the State Board in whole or in part shall be binding on the State Board.”

-- Section 2-3.25g(d) of the School Code

Memoranda detailing the following shall be submitted to the Illinois State Board of Education by each panel member to effectuate the law:

- (1) Notice of specific waiver requests noticed for further consideration by the General Assembly; and
- (2) A statement indicating that all waiver requests included in the report, except for those listed above in (1), are returned to the State Board of Education for final action.

If you have any questions or comments, you may contact Dana Stoerger, executive director of Legislative Affairs, at 217-782-6510.

cc: Secretary of the Senate  
Clerk of the House  
Legislative Research Unit  
State Government Report Center

### **Executive Summary**

The following report outlines waivers of School Code mandates that school districts, Regional Offices of Education, independent authorities, or special education or area vocational centers have requested since the last report, which was transmitted in February 2023. Pursuant to Section 2-3.25g of the School Code, these requests must be sent to the General Assembly before October 1, 2023.

Section I summarizes the 25 requests received for waivers of School Code mandates pursuant to Section 2-3.25g for consideration by the General Assembly. They are presented alphabetically by topic area. The largest number of applications received, eight requests, seek waivers from the requirements for nonresident tuition. The next highest set of applications received are for driver education and physical education, five requests each. There are four waiver requests for administrative cost limitation waivers and three requests for waivers related to statement of affairs.

This document contains an additional section beyond what is required under Section 2-3.25g of the School Code. Section II is a database with a list of the modifications or waivers of State Board of Education rules and modifications of School Code mandates upon which the state superintendent of education has acted in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code. The database also includes a list of the requests that have been returned to or withdrawn by the petitioning entities. Finally, the database includes the 59 waiver requests for the General Assembly's consideration and is organized by Senate and House districts.

Complete copies of the waiver requests for the General Assembly's consideration have been made available to legislative staff.

This report is the 57<sup>th</sup> report submitted pursuant to Section 2-3.25g of the School Code, which requires that State Board of Education staff compile and submit requests for waivers of School Code mandates to the General Assembly before March 1 and October 1 of each year.



**Summary of Applications for Waivers and Modifications**  
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| <b><u>Topic</u></b>            | <b>Approved<br/>By ISBE</b> | <b>Denied<br/>by ISBE</b> | <b>Transmitted<br/>To GA</b> | <b>Withdrawn<br/>Or<br/>Returned</b> | <b>Ineligible</b> |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Administrative Cost Limitation |                             |                           | 4                            |                                      |                   |
| Building Trade Lot             | 1                           |                           |                              |                                      |                   |
| Driver Education               | 1                           |                           | 5                            |                                      |                   |
| Nonresident Tuition            |                             |                           | 8                            | 17                                   | 1                 |
| Physical Education             |                             |                           | 5                            | 1                                    |                   |
| School Improvement             | 12                          |                           |                              | 1                                    |                   |
| Statement of Affairs           |                             |                           | 3                            |                                      |                   |
| Petition Summary               | 14                          |                           | 25                           | 19                                   | 1                 |
| Total number of Applications:  | 59                          |                           |                              |                                      |                   |

**Section I**  
**Applications Transmitted to the General Assembly**

**Administrative Cost Cap Limitation**

*Kansas CUSD 3 – Edgar (SD51/HD102) – Expiration 2021-22 school year / W-100-7282 – Waiver of School Code* (Section 17-1.5) requests a waiver of the fiscal year 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs. The district's FY 2023 budgeted administrative costs exceed the FY 2022 actual administrative costs by 9%.

The district's union contract for the 2022-23 school year granted teachers a 6% to 9% increase in salary. For the same school year, the school board granted administrators a 6% raise to align with the teachers' contract. The district superintendent also serves as building principal, which reduces the need overall for administrators in the district. The salary applicable to the superintendent duties is reported on the Limitation worksheet; the salary applicable to the principal duties is not reported on the Limitation worksheet. The granted raise resulted in \$2,350 additional budgeted administrative expenditures in FY 2023 for the salary applicable to the superintendent duties.

The district superintendent raise caused the district to exceed the statutory allowable 5% increase. Without these additional costs, Kansas CUSD 3 would have been in compliance with the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs, experiencing a 4% increase.

*Skokie School District 73.5 – Cook (SD8/HD16) – Expiration 2021-22 school year / W-100-7294 – Waiver of School Code* (Section 17-1.5) requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.

The district experienced lower copier and printing costs during the 2021-22 school year due to COVID-19 protocols and not providing as many physical paper items to students. The district anticipated a return to pre-COVID printing of more academic papers for students in the 2022-23 school year, so it budgeted more for copier paper and other supplies. It also budgeted more for stamps and mailing supplies than in the prior year. The district obtained a new copier and copier contract, with increased costs due to the anticipated increased copier usage during the year. The additional costs for anticipated increased copier usage resulted in \$46,000 additional budgeted administrative expenditures in FY 2023.

When budgeting for the FY 2023 superintendent office costs, the district used trends from prior years that ended up more being than what was needed. This resulted in overbudgeting for superintendent, extra help, and overtime salaries in the amount of \$35,900, along with overbudgeting for purchased services and professional development in the amount of \$27,400, for a total of \$63,300 additional budgeted administrative expenditures in FY 2023. The district could have amended its FY 2023 budget to reduce funds for administration that were not needed to cover expenditures; however, a waiver would still have been needed due to the above detailed increased copier costs in FY 2023.

The additional copier and printing costs, along with overbudgeting for superintendent office expenditures, caused the district to exceed the statutory allowable 5% increase. Without these additional costs, Skokie SD 73-5 would have been in compliance with the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs, experiencing a 5% increase.

|                                                              | FY 2023<br>BUDGET | FY 2022<br>ACTUAL | DIFFERENCE       | PERCENT<br>INCREASE |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Ed Fund; Function 2320: Executive Administration Services    | \$449,916         | \$357,159         | \$92,757         |                     |
| Ed Fund; Function 2330: Special Area Administration Services | \$1,300           | \$1,224           | \$76             |                     |
| Ed Fund; Function 2510: Direction of Business Services       | \$223,750         | \$223,699         | \$51             |                     |
| Ed Fund; Function 2570: Internal Services                    | \$100,750         | \$53,554          | \$47,196         |                     |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                                                | <b>\$775,716</b>  | <b>\$635,636</b>  | <b>\$140,080</b> | <b>22.04%</b>       |
| Less additional copier and printing costs                    | (\$46,000)        |                   | (\$46,000)       |                     |
| Less amounts overbudgeted for superintendent office          | (\$63,300)        |                   | (\$63,300)       |                     |
| <b>ADJUSTED TOTALS</b>                                       | <b>\$666,416</b>  | <b>\$635,636</b>  | <b>\$30,780</b>  | <b>4.84%</b>        |

School Business Services reviewed the documentation provided by the district on the reasons for exceeding the limitation, the costs, and the justifications and does not have any objection to the request from Skokie SD 73-5 to waive the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs.

*Hardin County CUSD 1* – Hardin (SD8/HD16) – **Expiration 2021-22 school year / W-100-7294**  
– **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.

Hardin County CUSD 1 requests a waiver of the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs. The district's FY 2023 budgeted administrative costs exceed the FY 2022 actual administrative costs by 53%.

The district added a dean of students position starting with the 2022-23 school year to increase student behavioral supports and support classroom teachers concerning students with behavioral issues. In order to comply with the ISBE Accounting Rules, the costs for the dean position are paid through a cost function reported on the Limitation of Administrative Costs worksheet. The new position resulted in \$60,000 additional salary and \$13,590 additional benefits, for a total of \$73,590 additional budgeted expenditures in FY 2023.

The addition of a dean caused the district to exceed the statutory allowable 5% increase. Without these additional costs, Hardin County CUSD 1 would have been in compliance with the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs, experiencing a decrease in administrative costs.

|                                                           | FY 2023<br>AMENDED<br>BUDGET | FY 2022<br>ACTUAL | DIFFERENCE | PERCENT<br>INCREASE |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------|------------|---------------------|
| Ed Fund; Function 2320: Executive Administration Services | \$119,378                    | \$119,169         | \$209      |                     |

|                                                                        |                  |                  |                  |                |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Ed Fund; Function 2330: Special Area Administration Services           | \$10,125         | \$13,539         | (\$3,414)        |                |
| Ed Fund; Function 2490: Other Support Services – School Administration | \$73,590         | \$0              | \$73,590         |                |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                                                          | <b>\$203,093</b> | <b>\$132,708</b> | <b>\$70,385</b>  | <b>53.04%</b>  |
| Less costs for new dean position                                       | (\$73,590)       |                  | (\$73,590)       |                |
|                                                                        |                  |                  |                  |                |
| <b>ADJUSTED TOTALS</b>                                                 | <b>\$129,503</b> | <b>\$132,708</b> | <b>(\$3,205)</b> | <b>(2.42%)</b> |

School Business Services reviewed the documentation provided by the district on the reasons for exceeding the limitation, the costs, and the justifications and does not have any objection to the request from Hardin County CUSD 1 to waive the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs.

*Komarek School District 94 – Cook (SD4/HD8) – Expiration 2022-23 school year / W-100-7294*  
– **Waiver of School Code** (Section 17-1.5) requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.

Komarek SD 94 requests a waiver of the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs. The district's FY 2023 budgeted administrative costs exceed the FY 2022 actual administrative costs by 9%.

Costs for the Komarek superintendent office have been historically lower than area districts. In order to be closer to the comparable market, an annuity was added to the superintendent's compensation package. The new annuity for the superintendent resulted in \$15,000 additional budgeted administrative expenditures for FY 2023. The district believes this will allow continued effective and efficient administration of the district, as the superintendent office costs after inclusion of the annuity were still lower than area districts.

The increase in the superintendent compensation package caused the district to exceed the statutory allowable 5% increase. Without these additional costs, Komarek SD 94 would have been in compliance with the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs, experiencing a 2% increase.

|                                                           | FY 2023 BUDGET   | FY 2022 ACTUAL   | DIFFERENCE      | PERCENT INCREASE |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Ed Fund; Function 2320: Executive Administration Services | \$235,901        | \$215,839        | \$20,062        |                  |
| <b>TOTALS</b>                                             | <b>\$235,901</b> | <b>\$215,839</b> | <b>\$20,062</b> | <b>9.29%</b>     |
| Less annuity added to compensation package                | (\$15,000)       |                  | (\$15,000)      |                  |
|                                                           |                  |                  |                 |                  |
| <b>ADJUSTED TOTALS</b>                                    | <b>\$220,901</b> | <b>\$215,839</b> | <b>\$5,062</b>  | <b>2.35%</b>     |

School Business Services reviewed the documentation provided by the district on the reasons for exceeding the limitation, the costs, and the justifications and does not have any objection to the request from Komarek SD 94 to waive the FY 2023 Limitation of Administrative Costs.

**Driver Education**

*Joliet Township High School 204 – Will (SD43/HD86) – **Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7267R5 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-24.2) requests to increase fee for driver education to \$350 (from \$50 or \$250).*

**Narrative:** *We believe that improved school and student performance would result from the district's ability to provide Driver's Education during the school day in comparison to taking this course outside of school hours through a private provider. In order for students to have this opportunity, we are seeking approval for students to opt out of the daily Physical Education requirement for one full semester in which they are enrolled in the district-provided Driver's Education program. Allowing students to take Driver's Education during the school day eliminates the transportation barrier of traveling to and from a private establishment and it addresses the financial barrier as the district will provide this course at a discounted rate of \$350.*

*Lake Park Community High School District 108 – DuPage (SD24/HD48) – **Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7254R4 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-24.3) requests to allow range and simulation hours toward the 6 clock hour requirement.*

**Narrative:** *Under our current 4 phase integrated system, students enroll in driver education at age 15 and complete all phases of the program within a one semester time frame. Within that time frame well over 45 hours of classroom, 1 O hours of concentrated range driving, 6 hours of simulated visual perception training and 4 hours of on street driving occur. According to the American Driver and Traffic Safety Education Association (ADTSEA) best practices national curriculum, this format offers students the most consistent integrated program in driver education possible. Programs of this magnitude and scope can only be successful and improve student performance when they are consistent, integrated and delivered in a semester length of time. Further, Lake Park has also been a leader in the area of parent involvement for almost 25 years. Our parent involvement program has been a model for the National Allstate Program and many other PIP's across the country. It is only over an extended period of time and with the cooperation of parents that our students have excelled for so many years. What Public Act 095-0310 tries to accomplish is to improve student performance and teen safety on the road. Based purely upon the research from across the country, Illinois has tried to incorporate best practices in this new legislation. Unfortunately, what section 27-24.3 of the law would do at Lake Park is diminish the quality of education provided in our rather unique educational setting. Within Lake Park's district (2600+ students), we will be forced to change (negatively) our delivery system to a less desirable option because of the 6 clock hour on-the-street requirement. Within the 18-20 weeks of a semester, students will concurrently take the classroom phase, visual perception simulation training, off road range maneuver training, and on-the-street training. All phases are taught by the same instructor, and built upon as student competency increases. This time frame allows for all students with varying levels of skills and challenges to have success and become safe users of our highway transportation system.*

*Throughout the course of the semester every phase of our program has assessments for each student. These assessments are shared with parents as each student progresses through the course. The parents are equipped with a parent reinforcement manual to assist their teen as deficiencies are identified by their instructor. Unfortunately, in driver education studies over the last 40 years*

*the only way the student performance was really measured has been based upon violations, crashes and suspensions form the Secretary of State. Driver Education is the only discipline that determines the success or failure of each student and program by the driving records of the student population.*

*To get a truer picture of the quality and success of any program would be to examine student driving records. Student performance at Lake Park would be compared to 2 phase programs in a longitudinal study to determine if driving records of Lake Park students are significantly better than a random population of students from a like section of the State.*

**Maine Township High School 207 – Cook (SD28/HD55) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7277R6 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-24.2) requests to increase fee for driver education to \$500 (from \$50 or \$250).

**Narrative:** *The District fully intends to continue the quality program that is described above, but in a more fiscally responsible manner by increasing the registration fee to an amount not to exceed \$500. According to the School Code, any student whose family is unable to pay for the course shall have this fee waived.*

**Maine Township High School 207 – Cook (SD28/HD55) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7278R4 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-24.3) requests to allow 12 hours of practice driving in a simulator system in lieu of three hours of the six hours of behind-the-wheel instruction in a dual controlled car.

**Narrative:** *The intent of the School Code is to provide a quality program of instruction on the operation of motor vehicles of the students. Specifically, the Code requires that "the course of instruction given in grades 10-12 shall include an emphasis on the development of knowledge, attitudes, habits, and skills necessary for safe operation of motor vehicles." District 207's course in Driver Education is a three-phase program that fully complies with the intent of the School Code. Students receive a minimum of 30 clock hours of classroom instruction taught by a certified high school teacher and a minimum of 3 clock hours of individual behind -the-wheel (BTW) instruction or its equivalent in an automobile. In addition, District 207 students receive 12 hours of practice in a simulator. The District's integrated program allows a teacher to follow the progress of every student through each of the phases of the program in order to monitor the student's acquisition of driving skills. The sequencing of the classroom instruction, the simulation and finally, the behind-the-wheel instruction provide for the reinforcement of correct driving skills and appropriate driving habits. The District's program fully qualifies students for the Cooperative Driving Testing Program (CDTP). The CDTP Program has been proven successful for both students and parents.*

**Yorkville CUSD 115 – Kendall (SD38/HD75) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7273R4 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-24.2) requests to increase fee for driver education to \$450 (from \$50 or \$250).

**Narrative:** *Approximately 450 students enroll in driver's education at Yorkville Community High School in the average school year. The \$50 maximum fee does not adequately cover the expenses associated with a comprehensive driver's education program. The expenses include leasing the*

three vehicles, fuel, maintenance, and classroom supplies. By collecting the fee of \$315, a realistic and sustainable financial plan can be established.

#### **Nonresident Tuition**

*Anna-Jonesboro CHSD 81 – Union (SD59/HD118) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7297 – Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time employees that work at the three feeder districts (Jonesboro Elementary School District 43, Anna CCSD 37, and Lick Creek CCSD 16).

**Narrative:** The Board of Education of Anna-Jonesboro Community High School District #81 seeks modification of Section 5/10-20.12a which would permit the District to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge for non-resident children of full-time employees that work at the three feeder districts (Jonesboro Elementary School District #43, Anna Community Consolidated School District #37 and Lick Creek Community Consolidated School District #16). It would be the sole discretion of the local Board of Education to annually approve applications of children of staff members wanting to attend Anna-Jonesboro CHSD #81. The Board of Education reserves the right to admit non-resident children of full time employees of all the feeder schools when it can be done without prejudice of the rights of resident pupils. In lieu of per capita tuition, the District will claim the average daily attendance of such students on the state aid claim. The purpose of the request is to facilitate improved student performance and stimulate innovation. Granting the waiver would continue to enhance student performance and stimulate innovation within the school by enhancing the performance of faculty and staff members throughout our community. Their vested interests in the instructional programs will become a personal benefit. Their own children will be advantaged by the merits of their individual efforts. Teachers want the best for their students as parents want what is best for their children. The benefits of conscientious teachers and staff member's contribution to an educational institution are enhanced and highlighted when their own family members are affected. Full time working parents of the feeder districts will be afforded a common purpose by combining the rigor of professional and personal lives. Granting this request will also help assist the feeder districts in recruiting and retention of highly qualified staff. The impact of the waiver has been evaluated by our District Vision Team. This group consist of stake holders from all parts of the District including but not limited to faculty, staff, board members, parents, students, and community members. The group assessed that the waiver is extremely beneficial to the well-being of our District and unanimously approved the waiver application. The impact of the waiver if granted will be assessed again over the next five-year period through feedback from students, parents, faculty, and from the residents of the community.

*Community Unit School District Tolono CUSD 7 – Champaign (SD51/HD102) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7274– Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-20.12a) requests to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge for nonresident children of full-time employees of the district.

**Narrative:** The Board of Education of Community Unit School District #7 (Tolono) seeks a waiver of Section 105 ILCS 5/10-20.12(a) of the School Code, which would permit the District to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge for non-resident children of full-time employees of the District. The actual intent would be to allow students of full-time employees to attend free of

charge. It would be the sole discretion of the local Board of Education to annually approve applications of children of district employees requesting to attend Community Unit School District #7 (Tolono). The Board of Education reserves the right to admit non-resident children of district employees when it can be done without prejudice to the rights of the resident pupils. In lieu of per capita tuition, the district will claim such students towards enrollment for purposes for Evidence-based Funding as defined by Section 1808.15 of the Illinois School Code. The Board and administration have studied and discussed this use and believe that faculty and staff members who are able to bring their children into the Unit 7 will increase their vested interest in the District and motivate them to work hard for instructional improvement since there would be a direct, personal benefit. Such modification would be a benefit to all students in the system, not just their own. Additionally, this flexibility could be a key factor in recruitment and retention of highly qualified staff. The impact of this opportunity will be assessed annually by the Board of Education and administration.

**Lena-Winslow CUSD 202 – Stephenson (SD45/HD89) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7268R3– Waiver of School Code** (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.

**Narrative:** The board of education of the Lena Winslow Community Unit School District #202 seeks a modification of Section 5/10-20.12(a) which would permit the district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge for non-resident children of full-time employees of the Lena-Winslow CUSD #202. Approval of applications for children of full-time staff members wanting their children to attend Le-Win will be at the sole discretion of the Le-Win Board of Education. The Board of Education reserves the right to admit non-resident children of full-time employees when it can be done without prejudice to the rights of resident pupils. In lieu of per capita tuition, the district will on the State Aid Claim form claim the average daily attendance of such students. The purpose of the request is to facilitate the improvement of student performance and stimulate innovation. Granting the waiver will enhance student performance and stimulate innovation within the Le-Win Schools by improving the teaching performance of faculty and staff members. Increased job satisfaction combined with a decrease in distraction and time-off-task during the work day will be realized by employees advantaged by the waiver. Overall job performance and enhanced learning will be beneficial to the students, employees, and residents of the district. The district is located in a rural section of northwestern Illinois. Frequently, the most qualified candidates are not residents of the district. Granting the request for tuition waiver will assist the district in recruiting and retaining high quality staff. Positions within the district will be more appealing to highly qualified candidates. The impact of this waiver has benefitted the district to maintain several "difficult to fill" teaching positions including, but not limited to, our secondary Spanish and chemistry teachers utilizing this program. If the General Assembly approves this renewal, I anticipate that the district will be able to maintain those quality teachers and also have the opportunity to recruit other quality employees. Lena Winslow C.U.S.D. #202 has seen the utilization of this waiver enhance the quality of teacher performance and the quality of student learning through the recruitment I retention of highly qualified staff and through job satisfaction achieved when the children of full-time staff members attend schools in the same district and follow the same school-year calendars as their parents. The district anticipates this will continue upon renewal.



**Mattoon CUSD 2 – Coles (SD51/HD101) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7269– Waiver of School Code** (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.

**Narrative:** The Board of Education of Mattoon Community Unit School District #2 is requesting a waiver of 105 ILCS 5/10-20.12a, which would permit the district to allow district employees' children who are non-resident pupils to attend the schools of the district tuition free. It would be at the sole discretion of the local Board of Education to annually approve applications of children of district employees requesting to attend Mattoon Community Unit School District #2. The Board of Education reserves the right to admit non-resident children of district employees when it can be done without prejudice to the rights of resident pupils. The Board and administration have studied this opportunity and believe that employees who are able to bring their children into our district will increase their vested interest in the district and be more motivated to improve student performance and provide innovation in teaching and learning. Employees would have a direct, personal interest in the district, its students, and their own child as a student of the district. Such interest and motivation would be a tremendous benefit to all students in the system and the district as a whole. Granting this request will also assist the district in recruiting and retaining highly qualified staff, who have a direct impact on student performance and increased innovation. The impact of this opportunity will be assessed annually through feedback from students, parents, faculty, staff and community members.

**Newark Community High School District 18 – Kendall/Grundy/LaSalle (SD38/HD75) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7302 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of teachers.

**Narrative:** The Board of Education of the Newark Community High School District #18 (NCHS #18) seeks a waiver of section 105 ILCS 5/10-20, 12a of the School Code, which would permit the District to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge for non-resident children of certain employees of the District. The actual intent would be to allow student of NCHS #18 full-time and part-time certified teaching staff members to attend free of charge. The District will claim these students toward enrollment for purposes of Evidence-Based Funding as defined by section 18-8.15 of the Illinois School Code. The Board and Administration have studied this issue and believe that faculty members who are able to bring their children to NCHS #18 will increase their vested interest in our District. This will motivate them to work hard for instructional improvement, since there would be a direct, personal benefit. Such motivation would be a benefit to all students in the system, not just their own. Additionally, this flexibility could be a key factor in the recruitment of highly qualified teachers. We will be hiring new employees over the next few years (due to retirements and potential movement of teachers) that are likely to have children. Having the same hours and working days as their children will be a great advantage to our school for recruitment of new teachers. Each teacher who takes advantage of this opportunity would be required to submit, on a yearly basis, the answer to the following question:

*First Year: How will your child's attendance in the NCHS #18 district be of benefit to the school district and to the student(s) considering such factors as academic standards, social interaction, employment impact, etc.?*

*Second through Fifth Year - How has your child's attendance at NCHS #18 been of benefit to the*

school district and to the student(s) considering such factors as academic standards, social interaction, employment impact, etc.?

*Shelbyville CSD 4 – Shelby (SD54/HD107) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7284– Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time staff members.

**Narrative:** *Shelbyville CUSD #4 currently has an ISBE approved waiver that would allow the children of certified staff members that lived outside of the school district's boundaries to attend Shelbyville CUSD #4 school and not have to pay tuition as currently required in Illinois School Code Section 10-20.12a. The district is now requesting a new waiver to include the children of all full-time staff members to be eligible for the waiver. The district was approached by members of the United Auto Workers for this addition. This is the union for the district's non-certified employees.*

*Waltham CC Elementary School District – La Salle (SD38/HD76) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7261R3– Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees who work a minimum of 30 hours per week.

**Narrative:** *Waltham C.C. Elementary School District is seeking a waiver of the out of district tuition requirement set forth under 105ILCS 5/10-20.12a of the School Code. The purpose of this request is to facilitate the recruitment and retention of highly qualified staff as well as to stimulate and improve student performance. The benefits of permitting dedicated, conscientious staff members to allow their children to attend the district is that they will have a strong vested interest in improving the quality, effectiveness and rigor of instruction the district provides for all students. 105 ILCS 5/10-20.12(a) of the School Code requires that Boards of Education charge non-resident pupils tuitions "in an amount not exceeding 110% of the per capita cost of maintaining schools in the district of the preceding school year." Waltham C.C. School District 185 is seeking to enact zero tuition cost for pupils of any employee who work at minimum of 30 hours per week and who reside outside the district. The overall impact of this waiver will be assessed over a five-year period of time through the analysis of student achievement data and feedback from the parents and staff during the annual open house as well as through parent-teacher conference surveys.*

*Williamsfield Schools CUSD 210 – Knox (SD47/HD93) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7257R3– Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-20.12a) requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees.

**Narrative:** *For the past 10 years, this waiver has allowed several staff members who reside outside the district to bring their young children to our school. The feedback received throughout this 10-year term has been nothing but positive. Administration of the waiver has had a positive effect on children, on our district, and on our community. It has allowed young children to travel back and forth with their parents to school/work, reducing family travel and increasing quality family time. It has given our employees more of a vested interest in our district, leading to an increase in student performance across the board.*

### **Physical Education**

*Champaign CUSD 4 – Champaign (SD52/HD103) – **Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7287 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) requests to allow the district to permit students in K-5<sup>th</sup> grade to participate in physical education one or two times per week.*

**Narrative:** *Champaign Unit #4 administration is seeking a formal Waiver of School Code (Section 105 ILCS 5/27-6) and requests to allow the district to permit students in kindergarten through fifth grade to participate in physical education one or two times per week. This will allow students to access Music, Art, other elective programming, additional time in multi-tiered systems of support, and social emotional learning. Additionally, the district can maintain current staffing and space under these one or two times a week request. Students receive quality, daily physical activity under our currently offered schedule. If approved, this waiver would take effect at the beginning of the 2023-2024 school year and stay in place for the next five consecutive years. Starting in the 2023-2024 school year, Champaign Unit #4's elementary and PreK-8 instructional day will consist of six hours and fifty minutes. Every elementary minute is programmed with the required instructional minutes and includes the newly mandated (July 1, 2021) thirty minutes of unstructured recess time. There is no additional time in the instructional day for an additional Encore/Elective period that would accommodate the three day a week Physical Education requirement. Complying with the current Physical Education School Code as written, would require adding additional Encore/Elective periods for every class. This action would take away time from core instructional minutes (Math, ELA, Science and Social Studies). Elementary and PreK-8 schools currently offer Physical Education, Art, STEM and Music as their Encore Electives. Students rotate through each of the electives weekly. If the district adjusted the rotation so that three rotations per week were physical education, the district would have to determine which additional electives students would no longer have access to. These additional electives offer students valuable social, emotional, physical, and intellectual growth opportunities. In order to follow the physical education requirement as stated in the School Code (Section 105 ILCS 5/27-6), the district would also need to find space for the additional Physical Education classes that teachers would need to lead. The District's elementary schools currently have one gym. If two classes were placed in the same gym space at one time, the amount of student movement would be greatly limited and the safety risk for students during Physical Education instruction would increase. Without additional gym time or space, teachers would be required to host Physical Education classes in their classrooms. This poses a number of safety concerns for students and staff. Classrooms are not designed for students to be physically active in the same way students are in Physical Education classes held in appropriate gyms. Due to the potential loss of core instructional minutes, safety concerns for our students and staff due to space constraints, and ensuing liability risk the district would assume by conducting Physical Education classes in classroom spaces, we feel seeking a waiver from the requirements in Section 105 ILCS 5/27-6 is appropriate and necessary. The waiver from School Code (Section 105 ILCS 5/27-6) is being requested so that Champaign Unit #4 can continue to teach Physical Education one or two times a week at each Elementary and PreK-8 School. At this time, the most efficient and effective manner to provide Physical Education instruction, provide the maximum amount of core instructional time, and manage the available time and space constraints detailed above, is to provide Physical Education using a one or two times a week model.*

*Community Unit School District 99 – DuPage (SD41/HD81) – **Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7276R2 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) requests to allow the district to excuse*

students from physical education when enrolled in driver education.

**Narrative:** Community High School District 99, which consists of North and South High Schools, is requesting to renew the existing waiver allowing the district to waive the daily physical education requirement during the semester in which students are enrolled in driver education, thereby allowing time for students to enroll in classes that directly impact their academic achievement. We submit this waiver because we believe, if granted, District 99 will achieve improved student performance. District 99's driver education class meets for a full class period for the entire semester (18 weeks) and provides within that time period both classroom and behind the wheel instruction. Each year approximately 600 students, typically at the sophomore or junior level, enroll in this one semester driver education class. District 99 students may enroll in 7 classes and driver education is one of those seven classes. If students are required to concurrently enroll in driver education and physical education, their course enrollment is limited to just five academic classes. The majority of District 99 sophomore and junior level students are enrolled in English, Math, Science and Social Studies; therefore, concurrent physical education and driver education enrollment limits students to enrolling in only one additional class during the semester that they are enrolled in driver education and physical education. Allowing students to enroll in driver education for one semester, in place of physical education, will allow students time in their schedule to enroll in yearlong elective courses, which include all World Language courses, performance based Fine Arts courses and a significant number of Career and Technical Education courses. The additional time afforded students with this waiver will allow them to explore their interests outside of the core academic areas and will ensure that these students are provided with a comprehensive high school experience. In addition, the vast majority of students who are enrolled in our band or choral program enroll in those courses all four years; therefore, if this waiver is granted, these students will have the ability to remain enrolled in band or chorus while also being able to enroll in other college preparatory classes such as World Language or to meet graduation requirements such as Consumer Education. Furthermore, sequential courses, such as Project Lead the Way (Engineering) and Advancement via Individual Determination (AVID, a college preparatory program) oftentimes require and/or lead to four year course enrollment. By maximizing the number of courses enrolled through this waiver, students will be able to partake in these sequential, pathway type programs without forgoing other academic courses required for graduation and/or success in college. Additionally, District 99 is committed to increasing student enrollment and success in the highest level of coursework, primarily Advanced Placement and weighted (honors) courses. Waiving the daily physical education requirement for the semester in which students are enrolled in driver education will greatly increase student access, particularly in the sophomore year, to prerequisite and honors courses that ultimately lead to a plethora of Advanced Placement opportunities in their junior and senior year. Student enrollment and success in Advanced Placement courses will ensure that students are college ready as well as provide students with the opportunity to earn college credit while still in high school. The District 99 Driver Education program emphasizes the requisite knowledge, habits and skills necessary to safely operate a motor vehicle. The curriculum includes, but is not limited to, traffic laws, driving fundamentals, motorcycle laws, the effects of distractions and alcohol on driving, and good decision-making. In addition, parents receive immediate feedback each time that their student completes a behind the wheel experience. In our partnership with parents, we share valuable information regarding our driver education program, state driving laws, and their responsibilities as parents. Students receive classroom and behind the wheel instruction within the same week so that they can apply the classroom skills when behind the wheel. We believe that the content of our driver education course, which is focused on safety and taught by certified District 99 Driver

Education teachers, is superior to that of private driving schools. If this waiver is granted, we anticipate more students will take advantage of our course because their schedules will now enable them to do so, thereby ensuring that the students receive the highest quality driver education experience. Our physical education program is comprehensive and along with physical fitness focuses on overall wellness and physical, social and emotional well-being, thereby promoting healthy behaviors for a lifetime. This philosophy and emphasis on well-being is embedded in our driver education course, as well. With a strong focus on safety, the negative impact of alcohol and distractions on driving, and making good decisions, our driver education classes align to our overall physical education philosophy of well-being and healthy behaviors. In sum, the District is submitting this waiver to improve student performance by allowing students the opportunity to take additional courses, such as World Languages, Fine Arts, Advanced Placement and Honors courses, and Career and Technical Education courses which will ensure that these students leave District 99 college and career ready. In addition, the District's driver education course is designed to teach core concepts contained within the District's physical education curriculum; allowing driver education to stand in the place of one semester of physical education will not detract from the daily physical education requirement, but rather will reinforce it. We will measure success by tracking the annual percent of driver education students who successfully complete a World Language, Fine Arts, and/or Career and Technical Education course. In addition, we will track the percent of driver education students who enroll in Honors and Advanced Placement courses as well as sequential programs of study. Overall, the District will continue to track the student achievement in the District on local and state assessments, as well as through other measures such as graduation rate, college entrance test scores, and college enrollment rates. For all of the reasons listed above, Community High School District 99 respectfully requests that the daily physical education requirement for the semester that students are enrolled in driver education continues to be waived.

**Galesburg CUSD 205 – Knox/Warren (SD36/HD71) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7295 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) requests to allow the district to permit students in K-4<sup>th</sup> grade to participate in physical education one time per week.

**Narrative:** The District #205 Board of Education has adopted a goal that all students are performing at grade level in mathematics and reading by the end of the 2026-2027 school year, as measured by the IAR/SAT assessment(s). Currently, we are well below this stated goal, and we believe that the extra time with direct instruction in reading and math, in addition to the added staff time devoted to the analysis of student achievement data (we also use internal measurements of MAP and AimsWeb+ measurements) will aid us greatly in helping students achieve these goals. Our School Improvement Teams at each building review student achievement, above and beyond the review at the staff level, no less than one time each month. Reading and Math Interventionists also meet with grade level teams each week to plan for the direct instruction and to determine which students will need more intensive instruction above and beyond the direct instruction. In addition, the District Improvement Team reviews these data points two times per year, as an additional layer of oversight and review.

**Joliet Township High School 204 – Will (SD43/HD86) – Expiration 2028-29 school year / W-100-7265R3 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) requests to allow the district to excuse students in Grades 10, 11, or 12 from 18 weeks of daily physical education in order to be enrolled in a two-phase driver education program that includes both classroom and behind-the-wheel

instruction.

**Narrative:** We believe that improved school and student performance would result from the district's ability to provide Driver's Education during the school day in comparison to taking this course outside of school hours through a private provider. In order for students to have this opportunity, we are seeking approval for students to opt out of the daily Physical Education requirement for the time period in which they are enrolled in the district-provided Driver's Education program. Allowing students to take Driver's Education during the school day eliminates the transportation barrier of traveling to and from a private establishment and it addresses the financial barrier as the district will provide this course at a discounted rate of \$350.

**Waukegan CUSD 60 – Lake (SD30/HD60) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7285R2 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 27-6) requests to allow the district to permit students in K-5<sup>th</sup> grade to participate in physical education one time per week.

**Narrative:** We propose that the physical education requirement for K-5 be limited to one (1) session per week for a total of 46 minutes in duration. The justification for our request is based upon our need to continue to maximize the instructional time to core subjects of language arts and Mathematics. The only way to achieve this goal without lengthening our school day (which is prohibited by provisions within our Teacher Union Contract) is to decrease the daily time allocation for physical education. If this renewal is approved, impacted students will continue to participate in rigorous and organized physical education classes weekly under the supervision of a certified teacher. In addition, each site has initiated various and ongoing programs to incorporate physical activity into classroom activities and other extracurricular programs. There is also opportunity for physical activity, both free and organized play, during the daily lunch period/recess. Classroom teachers are also encouraged to and regularly integrate large motor movements within their academic lesson plans. In reference to 4B on the application form and as justification for this request, we cite our desire to improve student performance and standardized test scores. Currently, District 60 has 14 of our 15 Elementary Schools with a Commendable designation. Each school site has a specific detailed school improvement plan for improving student performance which includes intensive targeted instruction and supports for priority student groups to maintain or increase their ESSA designation.

### **Statement of Affairs**

**Carrollton CUSD 1 – Greene (SD50/HD100) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7288R2 – Waiver of School Code** (Section 10-17) requests to waive the requirement to post the Annual Statement of Affairs in the local newspaper.

**Narrative:** The intent of the rule will be met through using the district website which is available to the entire school community and public. The local newspaper has limited circulation and does not reach all constituents. As the website is more accessible to more constituents, the information from the ASA can be viewed by a greater number of individuals than in the local newspaper. Granting the mandate waiver modification would save the district at least \$1500/year which would total at least \$7500 over the course of 5 years; these funds could be utilized for other items or fees essential to the education of our students. There has been no noted impact from the previous 5 year waiver.

*Newark Community High School District 18 – Kendall/Grundy/LaSalle (SD38/HD75) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7301 – Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-17) requests to waive the requirement to post the Annual Statement of Affairs in the local newspaper.

**Narrative:** *Newark Community High School # 18 District is requesting to allow the district not to prepare and publish in the newspaper annual "statement of affairs", thus savings the district approximately \$1,200.00 The district will instead publish its annual financial report on the district's website and have copies available at the main office. The district states that the money saved through this waiver would be used for instructional purposes leading to improved student performance.*

*O'Fallon CCSD 90 – St. Clair (SD57/HD114) – Expiration 2027-28 school year / W-100-7286 – Waiver of School Code* (Section 10-17) requests to waive the requirement to post the Annual Statement of Affairs in the local newspaper.

**Narrative:** *By law, each school district is compelled to submit to an independent audit (Section 105 ILCS 5/3-6, 3-7) as regulated by the Illinois Public Accounting Act (225 ILCS 405/0.01 et seq). Any of the information contained within the "Statement of Affairs" and/or the annual financial audit is available in other publications, included in other formats, or available through the Freedom of Information Act (Section 5 ILCS 140). The same information is also included in parts of the comprehensive annual financial report, in the school report card and in the annual audit report of the finance records. A copy of the audit is provided to the regional superintendent on or by October 15 of each year and the Annual Financial Report (ISBE 50-35) is prepared as a result of the audit and filed with the regional superintendent and the Illinois State Board of Education. The Illinois State Board of Education, to comply with the statute, publishes a notice that the annual audit has been performed. In O'Fallon School District #90, the independent auditor submits the report to the Board of Education which is governed by the Open Meetings Act (Section 5 ILCS 120). If approved, this waiver would generate savings for the District. The costs associated with this requirement include the staff time to accumulate and prepare the information as well as costs for the publication in the newspaper (approximately \$1,200.00). The Board of Education is requesting that a waiver be granted on preparation of this report and the associated costs of publication in the local newspaper. The costs of publication will continue to increase as the newspaper's fees increase, and the District increases in size. The report will be available in a more convenient format, with copies at the District Office, as well as being published on the District's website. The public will become aware of the availability of this report through the District's community newsletter. The money saved, approximately \$1,200.00, will be better utilized for instructional purposes leading to improved student performance. The cost savings associated with this waiver can be used to purchase textbooks, and related materials, as well as, meet the district's overall budgetary requirements, all which help the student. Improved student performance will be evident with the increase of success on assessments done throughout the year.*

**Section II**  
**Waiver and Modification Database**

Requests received during this waiver cycle are presented numerically by Senate and House district and then alphabetically by school district or eligible applicant. The "action" to be taken for each request is noted; that is, request for waivers upon which the General Assembly must act are noted as "GA Action"; modifications already acted upon by the state superintendent of education in accordance with Section 1A-4 of the School Code are noted as "ISBE Approved" or "ISBE Denied"; and requests that were returned for one or more of the following reasons: "Returned," "Ineligible," "NWN" (no waiver needed), or "Withdrawn."

| <u>Legislative Districts</u> | <u>Number</u> | <u>School District</u>                       | <u>County</u> | <u>Code Citation*</u> | <u>Description</u>                                                                                                                                                     | <u>Action</u> | <u>Subject</u>                 | <u>Expiration Year**</u> |
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| 4/7                          | 7291          | Edmund F. Lindop School District             | Cook          | 10-19.05(d)           | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [four full-day improvement days in lieu of eight half-days].                                 | ISBE Approved | School Improvement             | 2028                     |
| 4/8                          | 7299          | Komarek School District 94                   | Cook          | 17-1.5                | Requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.                                                                                                           | All OK        | Administrative Cost Limitation | 2023                     |
| 8/16                         | 7294          | Skokie School District 73.5                  | Cook          | 17-1.5                | Requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.                                                                                                           | All OK        | Administrative Cost Limitation | 2022                     |
| 24/48                        | 7254          | Lake Park Community High School District 108 | DuPage        | 27-24.3               | Requests to allow range and simulation hours toward the 6 clock hour requirement.                                                                                      | All OK        | Driver Education               | 2028                     |
| 25/49                        | 7270          | West Chicago District 33                     | DuPage        | 27-6                  | Requests that elementary school students have PE three times per week.                                                                                                 | Withdrawn     | Physical Education             |                          |
| 28/55                        | 7277          | Maine Township HS 207                        | Cook          | 27-24.2               | Requests to increase fee for driver education to \$500 (from \$50 or \$250).                                                                                           | Incomplete    | Driver Education               | 2028                     |
| 28/55                        | 7278          | Maine Township HS 207                        | Cook          | 27-24.3               | Requests to allow 12 hours of practice driving in a simulator system in lieu of three hours of the six hours of behind-the-wheel instruction in a dual controlled car. | Incomplete    | Driver Education               | 2028                     |



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| 29/57 | 7283 | Northbrook District 28                          | Cook                   | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [three full-day improvement days in lieu of six half-days].                                                      | ISBE Approved       | School Improvement      | 2028 |
| 30/60 | 7285 | Waukegan CUSD 60                                | Lake                   | 27-6        | Requests that PE be limited to one session every 4th day for grades K-5.                                                                                                                   | All OK              | Physical Education      | 2028 |
| 35/69 | 7255 | Woodstock Community Unit School District No.200 | McHenry                | 10-23.3     | Requests to change the length of time for sale or disposal of building trade lots from five years to 10 years.                                                                             | ISBE Approved       | Building Trade Lot Sale | 2028 |
| 35/70 | 7298 | Kaneland CUSD 302                               | Kane/DeKalb            | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [one full-day improvement day in lieu of two half-days].                                                         | ISBE Approved       | School Improvement      | 2028 |
| 36/71 | 7295 | Galesburg CUSD 205                              | Knox/Warren            | 27-6        | Requests to allow the district to permit students in K-4th grade to participate in PE one time per week.                                                                                   | All OK              | Physical Education      | 2028 |
| 38/75 | 7301 | Newark Community High School 18                 | Kendall/Grundy/LaSalle | 10-17       | Requests to waive the requirement to post the Annual Statement of Affairs in the local newspaper.                                                                                          |                     | Statement of Affairs    | 2028 |
| 38/75 | 7302 | Newark Community High School 18                 | Kendall/Grundy/LaSalle | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of teachers.                                                   |                     | Nonresident Tuition     | 2028 |
| 38/75 | 7272 | Somonauk CUSD 432                               | DeKalb                 | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.                               | Withdrawn           | Nonresident Tuition     |      |
| 38/75 | 7273 | Yorkville CUSD 115                              | Kendall                | 27-24.2     | Requests to increase fee for driver education to \$450 (from \$50 or \$250).                                                                                                               | All OK              | Driver Education        | 2028 |
| 38/76 | 7261 | Waltham CC Elementary SD 185                    | La Salle               | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees who work a minimum of 30 hours per week. | All OK              | Nonresident Tuition     | 2028 |
| 39/77 | 7289 | DuPage HSD 88                                   | DuPage                 | 10-19.05(d) | Requests permission to implement a late start schedule while utilizing banked time throughout the week.                                                                                    | No Waiver Necessary | School Improvement      |      |

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| 41/81 | 7276 | Community Unit School District 99       | DuPage     | 27-6             | Requests no PE for students enrolled in driver ed.                                                                                                                                 | All OK        | Physical Education  | 2028 |
| 43/43 | 7265 | Joliet Township HS 204                  | Will       | 27-6             | Requests renewal for opt out of PE for the semester students are enrolled in driver ed.                                                                                            | All OK        | Physical Education  | 2029 |
| 43/86 | 7267 | Joliet Township HS 204                  | Will       | 27-24.2          | Request to increase fee for driver education to \$350 (from \$50 or \$250).                                                                                                        | All OK        | Driver Education    | 2029 |
| 44/87 | 7246 | Lincoln Elementary School District 27   | Logan      | 10-19.05         | Requests to use two full improvement days in lieu of four half-days.                                                                                                               | ISBE Approved | School Improvement  | 2028 |
| 44/87 | 7303 | Olympia CUSD 16                         | McLean     | 10-19.05         | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [one full-day improvement day in lieu of two half-days].                                                 | ISBE Approved | School Improvement  | 2028 |
| 44/88 | 7296 | Leroy CUSD                              | McLean     | 10-20.12a        | Requests to allow district to set nonresident pupil tuition at a discounted rate lower than the per capita cost rate identified in the most recent audit for nonresident children. | Ineligible    | Nonresident Tuition | 2029 |
| 45/89 | 7248 | Eastland Community Unit District 308    | Carroll    | 23 IAC 252.20(b) | Requests to offer driver education during the summer only.                                                                                                                         | ISBE Approved | Driver Education    | 2028 |
| 45/89 | 7268 | Lena-Winslow CUSD 202                   | Stephenson | 10-20.12a        | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.                       | All OK        | Nonresident Tuition | 2029 |
| 45/89 | 7260 | Forrestville Valley School District 221 | Ogle       | 10-20.12a        | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees.                                 | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition |      |
| 45/89 | 7279 | Galena Unity SD 120                     | Jo Daviess | 10-20.12a        | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.                       | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition | 2028 |

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| 45/90  | 7262 | Freeport School District 145                          | Stephenson       | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [four full-day improvement days in lieu of eight half-days].                       | Approved      | School Improvement   | 2028 |
| 46/91  | 7252 | Limestone Community High School 310                   | Peoria           | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees.           | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition  |      |
| 47/93  | 7257 | Williamsfield Schools (CUSD 210)                      | Knox             | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees.           | All OK        | Nonresident Tuition  | 2028 |
| 47/94  | 7247 | Farmington Central CUSD 265                           | Peoria           | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow nonresident children of full-time employees of the district to attend the district free of charge.                                         | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition  |      |
| 48/95  | 7271 | Edinburg CUSD #4                                      | Christian        | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [one full-day improvement day in lieu of two half-days].                           | ISBE Approved | School Improvement   | 2028 |
| 49/98  | 7258 | Plainfield Community Consolidated School District 202 | Will & Kendall   | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [four full-day improvement days in lieu of eight half-days].                       | ISBE Approved | School Improvement   | 2027 |
| 50/100 | 7288 | Carrollton CUSD 1                                     | Greene           | 17-Oct      | Requests to waive the requirement to post the Annual Statement of Affairs in the local newspaper.                                                            | All OK        | Statement of Affairs | 2028 |
| 50/100 | 7259 | Pikeland CUSD 10                                      | Pike             | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of district employees.           | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition  |      |
| 50/100 | 7290 | Pleasant Hill CUSD 3                                  | Pike and Calhoun | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time staff members.      | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition  |      |
| 51/101 | 7264 | Charleston CUSD 1                                     | Coles            | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees. | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition  |      |

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| 51/101 | 7269 | Mattoon CUSD 2                               | Coles      | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.                                                                      | All OK              | Nonresident Tuition            | 2028 |
| 51/102 | 7274 | Community Unit School District Tolono CUSD 7 | Champaign  | 10-20.12a   | Requests to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge for nonresident children of full-time employees of the district. The actual intent would be to allow students of full-time employees to attend free of charge. | All OK              | Nonresident Tuition            | 2028 |
| 51/102 | 7282 | Kansas CUSD 3                                | Edgar      | 17-1.5      | Requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.                                                                                                                                                                      | All OK              | Administrative Cost Limitation | 2022 |
| 51/102 | 7280 | Hutsonville CUSD 1                           | Crawford   | 10-19.05(d) | Request to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [three full-day improvement days in lieu of six half-days].                                                                                              | ISBE Approved       | School Improvement             | 2028 |
| 51/102 | 7281 | Hutsonville CUSD 1                           | Crawford   | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow the children of all employees who do not reside in the district to attend Hutsonville CUSD 1 without the requirement to pay tuition.                                                                            | Withdrawn           | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 52/103 | 7287 | Champaign CUSD 4                             | Champaign  | 27-6        | Requests to allow the district to permit students in K-5th grade to participate in PE one or two times per week.                                                                                                                  | All OK              | Physical Education             | 2028 |
| 52/104 | 7256 | Rantoul City Schools 137                     | Champaign  | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [four full-day improvement days in lieu of eight half-days].                                                                                            | ISBE Approved       | School Improvement             | 2028 |
| 53/105 | 7253 | El Paso Gridley CUSD 11                      | Woodford   | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow children of full-time teachers, administrators, and support staff not residing within the boundaries of the district to attend the district free of regular per capita tuition cost.                            | Withdrawn           | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 53/105 | 7293 | Pontiac Township HS                          | Livingston | 10-20.12a   | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees.                                                                      | No Waiver Necessary | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 53/105 | 7304 | Woodland CUSD 5                              | Livingston | 10-19.05(d) | Requests to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [four full-day improvement days in lieu of eight half-days].                                                                                            | ISBE Approved       | School Improvement             | 2028 |

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| 54/107 | 7251 | Central A&M<br>CUD 21 | Shelby,<br>Christian, &<br>Macon | 10-<br>20.12a | Requests to allow children of full-time district<br>employees who are nonresident pupils to attend the<br>schools of the district tuition-free.                    | Withdrawn | Nonresident<br>Tuition |  |
| 54/107 | 7275 | Effingham CUSD<br>40  | Effingham                        | 10-<br>20.12a | Requests to allow district to charge less than 110% of<br>the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for<br>nonresident children of full-time district employees. | Withdrawn | Nonresident<br>Tuition |  |

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| 54/107 | 7284 | Shelbyville CSD 4                         | Shelby    | 10-20.12a   | request to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time staff members                                                                                                                         | All ok        | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 57/113 | 7249 | Venice Community Unit School District 3   | Madison   | 10-20.12a   | request to allow district to charge zero tuition for nonresident children of full-time and part-time district employees                                                                                                                                                       | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 57/114 | 7286 | O'Fallon CCSD 90                          | St. Clair | 17-Oct      | requests to waive the requirement to post the Annual Statement of Affairs in the local newspaper.                                                                                                                                                                             | All ok        | Statement of Affairs           | 2028 |
| 58/115 | 7266 | Tamaroa SD 5                              | Perry     | 10-20.12a   | request to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees                                                                                                                    | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 58/116 | 7263 | Rome CCSD                                 | Jefferson | 10-20.12a   | request to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time district employees                                                                                                                    | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition            |      |
| 59/117 | 7300 | Hardin County CUSD 1                      | Hardin    | 10-17       | requests to waive the 5% limitation of administrative costs.                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | All Ok        | Administrative Cost Limitation | 2023 |
| 59/118 | 7297 | Anna-Jonesboro CHSD 81                    | Union     | 10-20.12a   | request to allow district to charge less than 110% of the per capita tuition charge (zero charge) for nonresident children of full-time employees that work at the three feeder districts (Jonesboro Elementary School District #43, Anna CCSD #37, and Ilick Creek CCSD #16) | All Ok        | Nonresident Tuition            | 2028 |
| 59/118 | 7292 | Giant City CCSD 130                       | Jackson   | 10-19.05(d) | request to allow a school improvement day without students in attendance [1 full-day improvement days in lieu of 2 half-days]                                                                                                                                                 | ISBE Approved | School Improvement             | 2029 |
| 59/118 | 7250 | Shawnee Community Unit School District 84 | Union     | 10-20.12a   | request to allow district to charge less than 110% per capita tuition charge for non-resident children of the district's full-time employees                                                                                                                                  | Withdrawn     | Nonresident Tuition            |      |

The foregoing report was placed before the Senate, ordered received and placed on file with the Secretary's Office.

At the hour of 12:21 o'clock p.m., pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution No. 42**, the Chair announced that the Senate stands adjourned until the call of the President.