36th Legislative Day

Prayer By the chaplain, Pastor Heidi McGinness, Presbyterian Church USA.

Pledge By Mary Kimberly Mincic.

Call to By the President at 9:00 a.m. Order

Roll Call Present--34. Excused--1; Hagedorn.

Quorum The President announced a quorum present.

Reading of Journal On motion of Senator Hanna, reading of the Journal of February 14, 2006 was dispensed with and the Journal was approved as corrected by the Secretary.

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORTS

Trans-
portationThe Committee on Transportation has had under consideration and has had a hearing on
the following appointments and recommends that the appointments be confirmed:

MEMBERS OF THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

for terms expiring July 1, 2009:

Douglas E. Aden of Grand Junction, Colorado, to serve as a commissioner from the Seventh Transportation District, reappointed;

Gregory B. McKnight of Greenwood Village, Colorado, to serve as a commissioner from the Third Transportation District, reappointed;

George H. Tempel of Wiley, Colorado, to serve as a commissioner from the Tenth Transportation District, reappointed;

B. Stephens Parker of Durango, Colorado, to serve as a commissioner from the Eighth Transportation District, reappointed.

Henry R. Sobanet of Denver, Colorado, to serve as a commissioner from the First Transportation District, appointed.

Transportation After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB06-163** be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation, and with a recommendation that it be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Amend printed bill, page 3, strike lines 5 through 9 and substitute the following:

"electronically. Said THE mortgage or refinancing of a LOAN SECURED BY A mortgage shall state the name and address of the debtor; the name AND ADDRESS of the secured party MORTGAGEE or name of the secured party's MORTGAGEE'S assignee; a complete description of the vehicle, including THE MAKE, MODEL, vehicle identification number, and color OF THE MORTGAGED VEHICLE; and the DATE AND amount of the LOAN SECURED BY THE mortgage.".

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Page 4, line 12, strike "DOCUMENTS," and substitute "DOCUMENTS REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION,"; line 14, strike "THEREOF" and substitute "CONTAINING THE INFORMATION"; line 15, strike "FILED WITH" and substitute "RECEIVED BY" and, after 'AND", insert "PAYMENT IS TENDERED ON"; line 16, strike "(2) IS PAID." and substitute "(2).". After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that SB06-018 be Finance postponed indefinitely. After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that SB06-173 be amended Finance as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation. Amend printed bill, page 2, line 19, strike "CENT" and substitute "CENT, EIGHTY PERCENT OF THE PREVAILING INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT RATE TO THE NEAREST CENT FOR FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE VEHICLES,". Page 3, line 1, strike "CENT" and substitute "CENT, EIGHTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE PREVAILING INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT RATE TO THE NEAREST CENT FOR FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE VEHICLES,"; line 9, strike "CENT" and substitute "CENT, NINETY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE PREVAILING INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT RATE TO THE NEAREST CENT FOR FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE VEHICLES,"; after line 10, insert the following: FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE "(e) VEHICLES" MEANS SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES AND PICK-UP TRUCKS WITH A "FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE TRANSMISSION SYSTEM. VEHICLES" SHALL NOT INCLUDE STANDARD VEHICLES WITH ALL-WHEEL-DRIVE CAPABILITY.". Finance After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1094 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation. Amend reengrossed bill, page 3, line 19, strike "IF THE" and substitute "UPON THE WRITTEN REQUEST OF THE COUNTY TREASURER, THE OPERATOR SHALL SUBMIT TO THE TREASURER A WRITTEN STATEMENT CONTAINING THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF EACH PERSON WHO HAS AN OWNERSHIP INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY. IF THE OPERATOR FAILS TO SUBMIT THE STATEMENT WITHIN THIRTY DAYS AFTER RECEIVING THE REQUEST, THE OPERATOR SHALL PAY A PENALTY TO THE TREASURER IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS OR THE AMOUNT OF TAX DUE ON THE PROPERTY, WHICHEVER IS LESS." strike lines 20 through 25. After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that SB06-116 be referred Finance to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation, and with a recommendation that it be placed on the Consent Calendar.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 14, 2006 Madame President:

The House has passed on Third Reading and transmitted to the Revisor of Statutes HB06-1104, 1148.

The House has passed on Third Reading and transmitted to the Revisor of Statutes HB06-1188, amended as printed in House Journal, February 10, page 282. HB06-1028, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 317. HB06-1141, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 317. HB06-1081, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 317. HB06-1054, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 318. HB06-1139, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 318. HB06-1143, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 318. HB06-1143, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 319. HB06-1007, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 319. HB06-1035, amended as printed in House Journal, February 13, page 319.

MESSAGE FROM THE REVISOR OF STATUTES

February 14, 2006

We herewith transmit:

Without comment, HB06-1104 and 1148. Without comment, as amended, HB06-1188, 1028, 1141, 1081, 1054, 1139, 1143, 1007, and 1035.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS -- FIRST READING

The following bill was read by title and referred to the committee indicated:

HB06-1175 by Representative(s) May M., Pommer, Larson, Balmer, Benefield, Berens, Boyd, Carroll T., Frangas, Hall, Lindstrom, McCluskey, McGihon, Riesberg, Soper, Stengel, Sullivan, Todd, Vigil; also Senator(s) Grossman, Evans, Fitz-Gerald, Groff, Johnson, Tupa, Windels--Concerning enactment of the "Colorado Clean Indoor Air Act", and, in connection therewith, prohibiting smoking in indoor enclosed areas, including places of employment. Judiciary

On motion of Senator Gordon, and with a majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the Third Reading of Bills -- Final Passage calendar (SB06-108) of February 15 was laid over until Thursday, February 16, retaining its place on the calendar.

On motion of Senator Gordon, and with a majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the General Orders -- Second Reading of Bills -- Consent Calendar (SB06-140, SB06-142, HB06-1015, SB06-132) of February 15 was laid over until Thursday, February 16, retaining its place on the calendar.

On motion of Senator Gordon, and with a majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the General Orders -- Second Reading of Bills calendar (SB06-109, SB06-091, SB06-106, SB06-093, SB06-036, SB06-121, SB06-068, SB06-055, SB06-125, SB06-066, SB06-134, SB06-037, SB06-075) of February 15 was laid over until Thursday, February 16, retaining its place on the calendar.

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTIONS

HJR06-1012 by Representative(s) Plant, Buescher, Hall; also Senator(s) Tapia, Keller, Owen--Concerning the certification by the general assembly of the amount of state education fund revenues that should be considered available for appropriation for the 2006-07 state fiscal year.

On motion of Senator Tapia, the resolution was **adopted** by the following roll call vote:

YES	34	NO	0	EXCUSED	1	ABSENT	0
Bacon	Y	Hanna	Y	Mitchell		Y Tochtrop	Y
Brophy	Y	Isgar	Y	Owen		Y Traylor	Y
Dyer		Johnson	Y	Sandoval		Y Tupa	Y
Entz	Y	Jones	Y	Shaffer		Y Veiga	Y
Evans	Y	Keller	Y	Spence		Y Wiens	Y
Gordon	Y	Kester	Y	Takis		Y Williams	Y
Groff	Y	Lamborn	Y	Tapia		Y Windels	Y
Grossman	Y	May R.		Taylor		Y President	Y
Hagedorn	E	McÉlhany	Y	Teck		Y	

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Appointment Letters of designation and appointment from Governor Owens were read and assigned to Committees as follows:

June 20, 2005

To the Honorable Colorado Senate Colorado General Assembly State Capitol Building Denver, CO 80203

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Colorado, I have the honor to designate, appoint, reappoint and submit to your consideration, the following:

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS

for terms expiring July 1, 2006:

Judith A. Nuechter of Salida, Colorado, reappointed;

Steffen A. Brown of Highlands Ranch, Colorado, reappointed;

MaryKay Kelley of Silverthorne, Colorado, reappointed;

Diane M. DeVries of Wheat Ridge, Colorado, reappointed;

Lyle D. Hansen of Denver, Colorado, appointed;

for a term expiring July 1, 2007:

Sondra W. Mercier of Frisco, Colorado, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Rebecca A. Hawkins of Highlands Ranch, Colorado, appointed.

for a term expiring July 1, 2009:

Debra A. Baumbach of Littleton, Colorado, reappointed.

Sincerely, (signed) Bill Owens Governor Rec'd: 7/6/05 Karen Kuhlmann, Asst. Secretary

Committee on Business, Labor & Technology

November 28, 2005

To the Honorable Colorado Senate Colorado General Assembly State Capitol Building Denver, CO 80203

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Colorado, I have the honor to designate, appoint, reappoint, and submit to your consideration, the following:

MEMBERS OF THE COLORADO CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND BOARD

for terms expiring November 7, 2008:

Thomas H. McMillen of Golden, Colorado, to serve as a member with knowledge of child abuse prevention and law, reappointed;

Carrie H. Nolan of Denver, Colorado, to serve as a parent representative, reappointed;

Jane Morrison of Denver, Colorado, to serve as a member with knowledge of child abuse prevention, appointed.

Sincerely, (signed) Bill Owens Governor Rec'd: 12/29/05 Karen Goldman, Secretary of the Senate

Committee on Health & Human Services

January 18, 2006

To the Honorable Colorado Senate Colorado General Assembly State Capitol Building Denver, CO 80203

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Colorado, I have the honor to designate, appoint and submit to your consideration, the following:

MEMBER OF THE <u>COLORADO EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL</u> <u>FACILITIES AUTHORITY BOARD OF DIRECTORS</u>

for a term expiring June 30, 2009:

Lanny M. Proffer of Denver, Colorado, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of 68 David E. Greenberg of Englewood, Colorado, and to serve as a Democrat, appointed. 69

Sincerely, (signed) Bill Owens Governor Rec'd: 2/6/06 Karen Goldman, Secretary of the Senate

Committee on Education

November 23, 2005

To the Honorable Colorado Senate Colorado General Assembly State Capitol Building Denver, CO 80203

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Colorado, I have the honor to designate, appoint, reappoint and submit to your consideration, the following:

MEMBERS OF THE STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS

for terms expiring June 30, 2009:

Theodore Patrick Teegarden of Denver, Colorado, to serve as a member with substantial experience in natural resource conservation and as a Democrat, reappointed;

Steven D. Holdren of Greeley, Colorado, to serve as a member with substantial experience in production agriculture and as a Democrat, appointed;

Shirley W. Watson of Fort Collins, Colorado, to serve as a citizen at large member and as a Republican, reappointed.

Sincerely, (signed) Bill Owens Governor Rec'd: 10/13/05 Karen Goldman, Secretary of the Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources & Energy

July 25, 2005

To the Honorable Colorado Senate Colorado General Assembly State Capitol Building Denver, CO 80203

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Colorado, I have the honor to designate, appoint, reappoint and submit to your consideration, the following:

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS

for terms expiring July 1, 2008:

Joseph B. O'Dorisio of Arvada, Colorado, to serve as an officer or employee of a commercial bank experienced in real estate lending, reappointed;

Thomas L. Fellows of Colorado Springs, Colorado, to serve as a licensed or certified appraiser, appointed;

Karen L. Tool of Fort Collins, Colorado, to serve as a licensed or certified appraiser, appointed;

Keren L. Prior of Pagosa Springs, Colorado, to serve as a county assessor in office, reappointed.

Sincerely, (signed) Bill Owens Governor Rec'd: 8/2/05 Karen Kuhlmann, Asst. Secretary

Committee on Business, Labor & Technology

December 7, 2005

To the Honorable Colorado Senate Colorado General Assembly State Capitol Building Denver, CO 80203

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to the powers conferred upon me by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Colorado, I have the honor to designate, appoint and submit to your consideration, the following:

MEMBER OF THE COLORADO BOARD OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

for a term expiring June 30, 2009:

Armando R. Atencio of San Pablo, Colorado, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Rodolfo F. Arguello of San Pablo, Colorado, and to serve as a veteran and as a Democrat, appointed.

Sincerely, (signed) Bill Owens Governor Rec'd: 12/29/05 Karen Goldman, Secretary of the Senate

Committee on State, Veterans & Military Affairs

On motion of Senator Gordon, and with a majority of those elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the Consideration of Governor's Appointments calendar (Members of the Hazardous Waste Commission) of February 15 was laid over until Thursday, February 16, retaining its place on the calendar.

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORTS

Judiciary After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB06-102** be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.

Amend printed bill, page 2, strike lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

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"TO A MEDICAL CAREGIVER WITH PRESCRIPTIVE AUTHORITY OR AUTHORITY TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION";

line 8, strike "12, C.R.S.,";

after line 15, insert the following:

"(II) "MEDICAL CAREGIVER" MEANS A PHYSICIAN, REGISTERED NURSE, NURSE PRACTITIONER, OR PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT LICENSED BY THIS STATE.".

Renumber succeeding subparagraph accordingly.

Judiciary After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB06-157** be postponed indefinitely.

SENATE SERVICES REPORT

Correctly Reengrossed: SB06-087, 107, 112, 114, and 118.

COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORTS

Local After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB06-145** be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation, and with a recommendation that it be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Amend printed bill, page 3, line 15, after "A", insert "NONGOVERNMENT";

line 16, after "A", insert "NONGOVERNMENT".

Page 4, line 9, after the period, add "COST CATEGORIES MAY BE EXEMPTED FROM THE CALCULATION OF UNREIMBURSED MEDICAID COSTS AS AUTHORIZED BY FEDERAL LAW. IN ANY GIVEN YEAR, A LOCAL GOVERNMENT MAY ELECT TO NOT ASSESS THE FEE IMPOSED ON QUALIFIED PROVIDERS PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (1) AND NOT MAKE THE REIMBURSEMENTS TO QUALIFIED PROVIDERS WITHIN ITS TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES FOR THAT YEAR.".

Local After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that **SB06-178** be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.

Amend printed bill, page 2, line 3, strike "amended" and substitute "amended, and the said 39-22-526 is further amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SUBSECTION,";

after line 12, insert the following:

"(3.5) THE TAX CREDITS DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (1) OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE TRANSFERRABLE. THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SHALL PROMULGATE RULES GOVERNING THE TRANSFERABILITY OF SUCH TAX CREDITS. TO THE EXTENT PRACTICABLE, SUCH RULES SHALL CONFORM GENERALLY WITH SECTION 39-22-522 (7).".

Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1213 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	1 2 3 4 5
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1214 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1215 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	11
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1216 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	16 17 18 19 20
	Amend reengrossed bill, page 10, line 6, in the GENERAL FUND column, strike "5,368,783" and substitute "5,368,783";	20 21 22 23
	line 7, in the ITEM & SUBTOTAL column, strike "7,718,783" and substitute "7,468,783" and, in the GENERAL FUND column, insert "5,118,783".	24 25 26
	Page 11, line 5, strike "15,638,973" and substitute "15,388,973".	27 28 20
	Page 13, line 6, in the TOTAL column, strike "\$36,732,661" and substitute "\$36,482,661" and, in the GENERAL FUND column, strike "\$16,024,911" and substitute "\$15,774,911".	29 30 31 32 33 34 35
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1217 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	36 37 38
	Amend reengrossed bill, page 15, line 5, strike "\$3,890.86" and substitute "\$3,915.74";	39 40 41
	line 6, in the ITEM & SUBTOTAL column, strike "228,720,123" and substitute "230,182,759".	42 43 44
	Page 16, line 4, strike "\$1,335.83" and substitute "1,342.00";	45 46
	line 5, in the ITEM & SUBTOTAL column, strike "316,378,687" and substitute "317,841,321".	47 48 49
	Page 17, line 5, in the TOTAL column, strike "2,081,498,003" and substitute "2,084,423,273", in the CASH FUNDS EXEMPT column, strike "21,319,676 ^b " and substitute "22,782,311 ^b ", and, in the FEDERAL FUNDS column, strike "1,036,459,101" and substitute "1,037,921,736";	50 51 52 53 54 55
	line 10, after "Constitution," insert "\$1,462,635 SHALL BE PUBLIC FUNDS CERTIFIED AS REPRESENTING EXPENDITURES INCURRED BY DENVER HEALTH AND HOSPITAL AUTHORITY FOR OUT-STATIONING EXPENDITURES THAT ARE ELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION UNDER THE MEDICAID PROGRAM,".	55 56 57 58 59 60 61

Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1218 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
	Amend reengrossed bill, page 20, line 13, in the ITEM & SUBTOTAL column, strike "10,000" and substitute " 10,000 " and, in the GENERAL FUND column, strike "10,000" and substitute " 10,000 ";
	after line 13, in the ITEM & SUBTOTAL column, insert "260,000" and, in the GENERAL FUND column, insert "260,000".
	Page 22, line 10, in the TOTAL column, strike "29,304,416" and 1 substitute " 29,304,416 ";
	after line 10, in the TOTAL column, insert "29,554,416";
	line 14, in the TOTAL column, strike "\$2,128,650,498" and substitute 1 "\$2,128,900,498" and, in the GENERAL FUND column, strike 1 "\$598,002,561" and substitute "\$598,252,561".
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1219 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1220 be referred 22 to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1221 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1222 be referred 3 to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1223 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1224 be referred 4 to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1225 be referred 4 to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1226 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1227 be referred 55 to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation. 55
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1228 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1229 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1230 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.

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Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1231 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1232 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1233 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	10 1
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1234 be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	12 12 14 14
Appro- priations	After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends that HB06-1235 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee of the Whole with favorable recommendation.	10 17 18 19 20
	Amend reengrossed bill, page 8, line 15, strike "These amounts" and substitute "These amounts OF THESE AMOUNTS, \$535,200" and strike "Fund." and substitute "Fund. FUND AND \$21,000 SHALL BE FROM CASH DONATIONS AND INSURANCE.".	18 19 20 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21 21
	Page 14 strike lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following:	$\frac{20}{2}$

Page 14, strike lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:

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TRIBUTES

Honoring:

Dr. Rod Blunk -- by Senator Brophy. Cody Engelhaupt -- by Senator Brophy.

On motion of Senator Gordon, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, February 16, 2006.

Approved:

Joan Fitz-Gerald President of the Senate

Attest:

Karen Goldman Secretary of the Senate