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FIFTH CALENDAR DAY  
FIFTH SESSION DAY

Senate Chamber  
Des Moines, Iowa, Friday, January 18, 2008

The Senate met in regular session at 9:00 a.m., Senator Ward presiding.

The Journal of Thursday, January 17, 2008, was approved.

## ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Appel, the Senate adjourned at 9:02 a.m. until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 22, 2008.

## APPENDIX

### APPOINTMENTS

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

#### BY THE GOVERNOR

#### TERM

COMMISSION FOR THE BLIND (Sec.216B.2)	
Sandra Ryan, Ankeny	10/12/2007 – 04/30/2008
IOWA STATE CIVIL RIGHTS COMMISSION (Sec. 216.3)	
Rich Eychaner, Des Moines	05/17/2007 – 04/30/2011
DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS (Sec. 904.107)	
John Baldwin, West Des Moines	04/26/2007 – Pleasure of the Governor
IOWA ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT BOARD (Sec. 15.103)	
Ruth MacDonald, Ames	10/16/2007 – 04/30/2010
Robert Riley, Jr., Des Moines	10/16/2007 – 04/30/2010
COMMISSION OF ELDER AFFAIRS (Sec. 231.11)	
Gloria Reber, Iowa Falls	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2008

## ELECTRICAL EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 103.2)

Valynda Akin, Dubuque	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2010
Chad Campion, Iowa City	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2008
Chad Layland, Ankeny	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2010
Lori Mease, Des Moines	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2008
Barbara Mentzer, Carlisle	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2010
KG Perley, Sioux City	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2009
Duane Quirk, New Hampton	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2009
Andrea Rivera-Harrison, Des Moines	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2008
Rodrick Van Wart, Windsor Heights	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2009
Randy VanVoorst, Sioux Center	08/20/2007 – 04/30/2010

## ELEVATOR SAFETY BOARD (Sec. 89A.13)

Russell Allen, Cedar Rapids	05/01/2007 – 04/30/2010
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## IOWA EMERGENCY RESPONSE COMMISSION (Sec. 30.2)

Sherry Sievers, Richland	05/01/2007 – 04/30/2010
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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMISSION (Sec. 455A.6)

Paul W. Johnson, Decorah	07/02/2007 – 04/30/2011
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## GENERATION IOWA COMMISSION (Sec. 15.421)

Kyle Carlson, Colfax	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2010
Erin Cumings, Prole	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2008
Christian Fong, Cedar Rapids	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2008
Karris Golden, Waterloo	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2009
Mitchell Gross, Coralville	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2010
Jodi Grover, Rowley	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2009
Jesse Harris, Waukee	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2010
Rachel Judisch, Lake View	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2009
Emiliano Lerda, Urbandale	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2008
Sophia Magill, Ames	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2008
Emilia Martin, Davenport	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2010
Isaiah McGee, Waukee	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2009
Sara Morrow, Spencer	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2008
Jordan Oster, Clive	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2009
Michael Schneider, Altoona	08/09/2007 – 04/30/2010

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

Andrew Smith, Urbandale	06/22/2007 – 04/30/2011
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## IOWA POWER FUND BOARD (Sec. 469.6)

Patricia Higby, Cedar Falls	09/05/2007 – 04/30/2008
Peter Hemken, Des Moines	09/05/2007 – 04/30/2009
Fred Hubbell, Des Moines	09/05/2007 – 04/30/2010
Carrie LaSeur, Mount Vernon	09/05/2007 – 04/30/2009
Mary Norton, Clive	09/05/2007 – 04/30/2009
Thomas Wind, Jefferson	09/05/2007 – 04/30/2008

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINING BOARD (Sec. 544B.3)	
Christopher Seeger, Roland	11/07/2007 – 04/30/2010
BOARD OF MEDICINE (Sec. 147.14(2))	
Colleen Kennedy, Iowa City	10/12/2007 – 04/30/2010
Rodney Zeitler, Iowa City	06/22/2007 – 04/30/2008
BOARD OF PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS (Sec. 147.14(12))	
Theresa Hegmann, West Branch	07/16/2007 – 04/30/2010
Ted Smith, Burlington	07/16/2007 – 04/30/2010
DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH (Sec. 135.2)	
Thomas Newton, Windsor Heights	04/30/2007 – Pleasure of the Governor
RENEWABLE FUEL INFRASTRUCTURE BOARD (Sec. 15G.202)	
Diane Dennler, Mason City	07/10/2007 – 04/30/2010
Kenneth Pangburn, Corning	06/22/2007 – 04/30/2009
Eric Seuren, West Des Moines	08/22/2007 – 04/30/2011
Sandy Simpson, Onawa	06/22/2007 – 04/30/2011
STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE (Sec. 161A.4)	
Susan Hjelm, Lake Park	06/22/2007 – 04/30/2013
Esther Leyda, Bloomfield	06/22/2007 – 04/30/2013
TITLE GUARANTY DIVISION BOARD (Sec. 16.2)	
Deborah Petersen, Council Bluffs	05/31/2007 – 04/30/2013
STATE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION (Sec. 307.3)	
Michael Blouin, Dubuque	12/21/2007 – 04/30/2009
IOWA UTILITIES BOARD (Sec. 474.1)	
Darrell Hanson, Manchester	11/26/2007 – 04/30/2013
VISION IOWA BOARD (Sec. 15f.102)	
Tammy Robinson, New Hampton	05/01/2007 – 04/30/2008

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

## COMMUNICATIONS RECEIVED

The following communications were received in the office of the Secretary of the Senate and placed on file in the Legislative Services Agency:

### DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Voluntary Model Core Curriculum report, pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 588. Report received on January 18, 2008.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

First Annual Report of the Statewide Interoperable Communications System Board, pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, [House File 353](#). Report received on January 18, 2008.

## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Regional Veterans Affairs Offices Study, pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, House File 817. Report received on January 18, 2008.