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The House assembled at 7:50 a.m.

Deliberations were opened with prayer by Representative J. H. Neal, Jr., as follows:

Our thought for today is from Deuteronomy 6:13: “Fear the Lord your God, serve him only and take your oaths in His Name.”

Let us pray. Lord God, You have given strength, courage, and wisdom to these Representatives and staff. Give them a restful time now as they complete their work and return home. Guide them in all they do for the sake of the people of this State. Bless on our Nation, President, State, Governor, Speaker, and all who labor in these Halls of Government. Protect our defenders of freedom at home and abroad as they protect us. Hear us, O Lord, as we pray. Amen.

Pursuant to Rule 6.3, the House of Representatives was led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America by the SPEAKER.

After corrections to the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday, the SPEAKER ordered it confirmed.

**MOTION ADOPTED**

Rep. CHALK moved that when the House adjourns, it adjourn in memory of James W. Brazelle III of West Columbia, which was agreed to.

**ROLL CALL**

The roll call of the House of Representatives was taken resulting as follows:

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| Agnew | Alexander | Allen |
| Allison | Anderson | Anthony |
| Ballentine | Bannister | Barfield |
| Battle | Bedingfield | Bingham |
| Bowen | Bowers | Brady |
| Branham | Brantley | H. B. Brown |
| R. L. Brown | Cato | Chalk |
| Clemmons | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Cole | Cooper | Crawford |
| Daning | Delleney | Dillard |
| Duncan | Edge | Erickson |
| Forrester | Funderburk | Gambrell |
| Gilliard | Govan | Haley |
| Hamilton | Hardwick | Harrell |
| Harrison | Hart | Harvin |
| Hayes | Hearn | Herbkersman |
| Hiott | Hodges | Horne |
| Hosey | Howard | Huggins |
| Hutto | Jefferson | Jennings |
| Kelly | King | Kirsh |
| Knight | Limehouse | Littlejohn |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Mack | McEachern | McLeod |
| Merrill | Miller | Millwood |
| Mitchell | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Nanney | J. H. Neal | J. M. Neal |
| Neilson | Norman | Ott |
| Owens | Parker | Parks |
| Pinson | M. A. Pitts | Rice |
| Rutherford | Sandifer | Scott |
| Simrill | Skelton | D. C. Smith |
| G. M. Smith | G. R. Smith | J. E. Smith |
| J. R. Smith | Sottile | Spires |
| Stavrinakis | Stringer | Toole |
| Umphlett | Vick | Viers |
| Weeks | Whipper | White |
| Williams | Willis | Wylie |
| A. D. Young | T. R. Young |  |

**STATEMENT OF ATTENDANCE**

I came in after the roll call and was present for the Session on Thursday, March 18.

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| Bakari Sellers | Marion Frye |
| Grady Brown |  |

**Total Present--116**

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. THOMPSON a leave of absence for the day.

**SENT TO THE SENATE**

The following Bill was taken up:

H. 4657 -- Ways and Means Committee: A BILL TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS AND TO PROVIDE REVENUES TO MEET THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF STATE GOVERNMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2010, TO REGULATE THE EXPENDITURE OF SUCH FUNDS, AND TO FURTHER PROVIDE FOR THIS OPERATION OF STATE GOVERNMENT DURING THIS FISCAL YEAR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Rep. COOPER proposed the following Amendment No. 244 (Doc Name h:\legwork\house\amend\H-WM\001\AMENDMENTS ON 3RD.DOCX), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, Part IV, by amending Amendment No. 244 (Doc Name h:\legwork\house\amend\h-wm\001\part 4.docx), page 6, after item “8. Department of Health and Environmental Control $9,000,000 The Department of Health and Environmental Control is directed to utilize $1,000,000 of the above funds for” by inserting: / AIDS Prevention. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend totals and titles to conform.

Rep. COOPER explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

 Yeas 63; Nays 51

 Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Bannister | Barfield |
| Bedingfield | Bingham | Bowen |
| Brady | Cato | Chalk |
| Clemmons | Cole | Cooper |
| Crawford | Daning | Delleney |
| Edge | Erickson | Forrester |
| Gambrell | Hamilton | Hardwick |
| Harrell | Harrison | Harvin |
| Hearn | Herbkersman | Hiott |
| Horne | Kelly | Kirsh |
| Limehouse | Littlejohn | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Merrill |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Nanney |
| Norman | Owens | Parker |
| Pinson | M. A. Pitts | Rice |
| Sandifer | Simrill | Skelton |
| D. C. Smith | G. M. Smith | G. R. Smith |
| J. E. Smith | J. R. Smith | Sottile |
| Spires | Stringer | Toole |
| Umphlett | White | Willis |
| Wylie | A. D. Young | T. R. Young |

**Total--63**

 Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Agnew | Alexander | Allen |
| Anderson | Anthony | Ballentine |
| Battle | Bowers | Branham |
| Brantley | H. B. Brown | R. L. Brown |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Dillard |
| Duncan | Funderburk | Gilliard |
| Govan | Haley | Hart |
| Hayes | Hodges | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hutto |
| Jefferson | Jennings | King |
| Knight | Mack | McEachern |
| McLeod | Miller | Millwood |
| Mitchell | J. H. Neal | J. M. Neal |
| Neilson | Ott | Parks |
| Rutherford | Scott | Sellers |
| Stavrinakis | Vick | Viers |
| Weeks | Whipper | Williams |

**Total--51**

The Bill, as amended, was read the third time, and ordered sent to the Senate.

**H. 4657--MOTION TO RECONSIDER TABLED**

Rep. COOPER moved to reconsider the vote whereby H. 4657 was read third time and sent to the Senate.

Rep. COOPER moved to table the motion to reconsider, which was agreed to.

Rep. MCLEOD moved that the House do now adjourn, which was agreed to.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 8:01 a.m. the House, in accordance with the motion of Rep. CHALK, adjourned in memory of James W. Brazelle III of West Columbia, to meet at 12:00 noon, Tuesday, March 23.

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