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## TO: MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND CONTINUITY OF GOVERNMENT

- FROM: Terry C. Anderson, Director
- DATE: May 21, 2009

I am pleased to report that the Joint Legislative Council, at its May 20 meeting, *approved for introduction* as companion bills in both houses of the Legislature the following bill drafts recommended by your committee:

- 1. LRB-0166/2, relating to emergency management, succession of public offices, liability and licensure of emergency volunteers, disaster relief, ratification of the pest control compact, transportation and disposal of animal carcasses, the plant industry, computation of school days, variance for hospital requirements, public works mutual assistance, emergencies related to computer or telecommunications systems, and providing penalties. The motion to introduce was adopted by a vote of Ayes, 21; Noes, 0; and Absent, 1.
- 2. LRB-2345/1, relating to interim successors for legislators, meetings of the Legislature and legislative committees, and temporary seat of government for the Legislature. The motion to introduce was adopted by a vote of Ayes, 21; Noes, 0; and Absent, 1.
- 3. LRB-2572/1, relating to continuity of government (first consideration). The motion to introduce was adopted by a vote of Ayes, 21; Noes, 0; and Absent, 1.
- 4. LRB-2409/3, relating to disaster assistance and making an appropriation. The motion to introduce was adopted by a vote of Ayes, 21; Noes, 0; and Absent, 1.
- 5. LRB-2230/1, relating to regional structural collapse teams and granting rulemaking authority. The motion to introduce was adopted by a vote of Ayes, 21; Noes, 0; and Absent, 1.

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6. LRB-2553/3, relating to creating an exception to local levy limits and the expenditure restraint program. The motion to introduce was adopted by a vote of Ayes, 16; Noes, 5; and Absent, 1.

A copy of the bills and the Report to the Legislature will be sent to you at a later date. You will be notified of any hearings on the bills that may be scheduled by the standing committees to which the bills are referred.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Pam Shannon or Dick Sweet at this office.

Thank you for your participation in the development of this legislation.

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