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Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Representative Barbara Flynn Currie, Chairperson from the Committee on Rules reports the following committee action taken on April 12, 2018: recommends be adopted, referred to the floor is Floor Amendment #1 to House Bill 4364, Floor Amendment #1 to House Bill 4822, Floor Amendment #1 to House Bill 5167, Floor Amendment #2 to House Bill 5786."

Speaker Lang: "The House will be in order. The House will be in order. We shall be led in prayer today by Reverend Wayne Kuna who is with Sole Priority in Elmhurst. Reverend Kuna is the guest of Representative Morrison. Members and guests are asked to refrain from starting their laptops, turn off cell phones, and rise for the invocation and Pledge of Allegiance. Reverend Kuna."

Reverend Kuna: "A prayer composed for you from the Book of Romans. Join me, let love be without hypocrisy. Heavenly Father, I ask for this strength of character for these public servants to serve and love the citizens of Illinois without hypocrisy. Abhor what is evil and cling to what is good. Give Your servants the courage to identify and reject evil and to bind themselves with what is good. Help them to stand against anything and anyone who would seek to burden or destroy life. Aide them in comforting those who would seek to destroy liberty by promoting license. Guide them in opposing those who threaten the pursuit of one man's happiness at the expense of another's. Instead, give them the wisdom to promote life from the first heartbeat to the last. To promote what advances liberty for all women and all men and all families within our state. And to protect and promote peace to the happiness of

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a job, ownership, self-determination, and personal well-being. Devoted to one another in brotherly love. Dispel the lie that one of us is better than another. Promote a heart attitude that we are all brothers and sisters in the same American family. Give preference to one another in honor. Give Your servants the wisdom and the courage to treat each other, and their ideas, with respect and honor, not lagging behind in diligence, fervent in spirit. Keep these servants of the people renewed energy and a stubborn will to identify the task and to accomplish it. Serving the Lord, give each person here the understanding that they serve as they serve women and men, they serve You. Rejoicing in hope, regardless of the size and the scope of the task at hand help them to stop and celebrate the little successes along the way to the final goal. Persevering in tribulation, give Your servants the grit to 'keep on keepin' on' despite the hurdles and the threats. And finally devoted to prayer, give them the wisdom and humility to lean into You confidentially in prayer, knowing Your ears are attentive to the cry for wisdom and a help... and for help. I pray this in Jesus' name, Amen."

Speaker Lang: "We'll be led in the Pledge by Mr. McAuliffe."

McAuliffe - et al: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Speaker Lang: "Roll Call for Attendance. Leader Currie."

Currie: "Thank you, Speaker. Please let the record reflect that Representatives Gabel and Hernandez are excused today."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Wheeler."

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Wheeler, K.: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Please let the record reflect that Representatives Frese and Barb Wheeler are excused today."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you, Sir. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. We have 111 answering the roll and we do have a quorum. The Chair recognizes Mr. DeLuca."

DeLuca: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed, Sir."

DeLuca: "Ladies and Gentlemen, if you could please give a warm Springfield welcome to a group of students from Prairie State Community College in my hometown, Chicago Heights. They're advocating on behalf of community college funding and MAP Grants. Welcome to Springfield."

Speaker Lang: "Welcome. Thank you very much for joining us today. Representative Willis."

Willis: "Thank you. Point of personal privilege please."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed."

Willis: "I'd also like to introduce a group of students from Triton College. They are here for their advocacy day, learning how we do things here at the Capitol. So, please welcome them."

Speaker Lang: "Welcome aboard. Glad you're with us. Representative Phelps Finnie."

Phelps Finnie: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed please."

Phelps Finnie: "I have students here from Galveston County. They're with FCCL... FCCLA, Family Career and Community Leaders of America, with their advisor Sarah Rushing. She sits on the

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FCCLA State Executive Board, also named as Master Advisor at Nationals. Members Riley Rushy... Rushing competing in Creeds Speaking, Tyler Colbert, Connor Gross, who has made top 15 in the nation for web page and competing at nationals this summer. Abby Keasler and Anna Martin competing in illustrated talk. Kelly Keasler competing in job interview and running for state office. Let me say that these... this is my... the county where my children go to school, the school where my school based health center is, and where I'm able to provide care to many of these, and I'm so thankful and proud of these kids. So, please all of you stand over here on the right, all of you stand up. Let's give them a warm welcome."

Speaker Lang: "Welcome to Springfield. Thank you for joining us. Representative Stuart is recognized."

Stuart: "Thank you, Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Go right ahead."

Stuart: "I also want to introduce a group of students from McKendree University, from down in our area in Lebanon. If you guys can stand up and get recognized. Thanks for coming down to visit and talk about MAP Grants."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you. Glad you're up there in the gallery watching us today. Mr. Butler."

Butler: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Go right ahead."

Butler: "I would just like to reminder Members we are less than two weeks away from the annual Diabetes Caucus Foundation Annual Bowling Tournament at Strike 'N Spare West. So, you all should have got information in your offices. If you have any questions please contact me or the co-chair,

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Representative Davis. Get your teams together. Get 'em in. If you have any questions please see us and we should have a great tournament. Thank you very much. April 4th is the date. April 24th."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you very much, Mr. Butler. Mr. Reick is recognized."

Reick: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege, please."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed, please."

Reick: "I have a Page in for the day today. His name is Dominic Celentano. He's a freshman at Woodstock North High School. He's an honor student with a GPA of 3.86 and his interests are math and science. So, we have a budding STEM Scholar with us today. He's in the French Club, even though he takes Spanish. We'll figure that one out. And the math team and as a freshman competes in the algebra match and meets. When he isn't busy at school he's fishing, increasing his Xbox expertise, we'll have to work on that, and being the best possible big brother to his sister, Allison. He's not interested... he's not a very... experienced with politics but his grandfather used to work for my predecessor in this seat. And I hope that we will not visit the sins of the grandfather upon the child as we welcome him to Springfield today. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Welcome aboard. Hope you enjoy your day here. Mr. Demmer is recognized."

Demmer: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed, Sir."

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Demmer: "I'd just like my colleagues to join me in welcoming a constituent and a friend from Dixon, Sandy Dennis is here in the gallery today. She's down for the Illinois Health and Hospital Association Quality Advocacy Day. I'd just like to say welcome to the Capitol and thanks for the work you're doing to improve quality for people across Illinois."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you. Glad you're here. Mr. Carroll."

Carroll: "Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed."

Carroll: "Today is... we have some people down here from the JUF to honor Yom Hashoah, which is the Holocaust Memorial Day. So, I would ask the Body to take a moment of silence to honor the memories of those that perished in the Holocaust."

Speaker Lang: "Members will rise for a moment of silence. Thank you, Members. Thank you, Mr. Carroll. Leader Bellock."

Bellock: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. A point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Go right ahead."

Bellock: "I'd like to ask to... ask the Members to greet my Page for the day. His name is Holden Raffin. He's a sophomore in high school. He's a tremendous swimmer, wanting to go to the Olympic Trials in the next year. He's an honor student. And most of all, he's very proud of the fact that his great grandfather, who came from Sweden, was a State Representative here in the House of Representatives in Illinois. And his father up in the balcony brought his great... Holdin's great grandfather's Blue Book with him so that he could show us. So, I'd ask everybody to welcome him. They have a family

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business in Chicago that's 102 years old. And so I ask everybody to welcome him today. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you for joining us. Glad to have you with us. Mr. Harris is going to tell us what's good about Illinois."

Harris, D.: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Oh, you may proceed."

Harris, D.: "Thank you very much. And indeed as you know I do try to highlight good... good aspects of Illinois. Today, I want to congratulate everyone in this House for something which they did, which we did together to make us number one. You may recall a number of years ago, thanks to a very knowledgeable colleague from the 44th District, and our distinguished colleague from the 47th District, we passed a significant Bill known as the Grant Accountability and Transparency Act. And I heard today in committee that because of that Act that we took here because of the leadership of this General Assembly, we are number one in the United States, number one in the United States, as to how grants, hundreds of millions of dollars of grants are handled by the state government. We are actually giving classes, our grant person is actually giving classes to individuals from others states. So, my hats off to each and every one of you. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Davis."

Davis: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Land: "Please proceed."

Davis: "Ladies and Gentlemen, I ask you to warmly welcome one of my constituents who's sitting in the gallery over my left shoulder, I guess that would be. Her name is Bonnie Rateree,

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and she's also the president of one of my school districts, West Harvey Dixmoor School District 147. She's also joined by a number of senior grandparents who are making their way to this chamber from the Senate chamber, but she's in the gallery with us today. Please welcome her."

Speaker Lang: "Welcome. Welcome to you and to all the grandparents. Representative Moeller."

Moeller: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed."

Moeller: "Thank you. I would like the chamber to also welcome student leaders here from Elgin Community College. They're here to advocate for education funding and reducing the burden of the cost of higher education on students across the state. And I would love to give a great Springfield welcome to them. Thank you for being here."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you, Representative. And thank you for joining us today. Mr. Clerk, Agreed Resolutions."

Clerk Bolin: "Agreed Resolutions. House Resolution 977 offered by Representative Turner and House Resolution 978 offered by Representative Currie."

Speaker Lang: "Leader Currie moves for the adoption of Agreed Resolutions. Those in favor say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. They 'ayes' have it. Agreed Resolutions are adopted. Chair recognizes Leader Currie on a Motion."

Currie: "Thank you, Speaker, and Members of the House. I move to suspend the posting requirements so that House Bills 3794, 4167, 4171, 4177, 4195, 4199, 4218, 4280, 4295, 4296, 4298, 4318, 4352, 4376, 4384, 4385, 4403, 4500, 4501, 4502, 4506, 4510, 4525, 4539, 4563, 4586, 4588, 4608, 4662, 4726, 4880,

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4851, 4855, 4904, 4914, 4932, 4943, 5008, 5009, 5075, 5078, 5079, 5080, 5112, 5129, 5150, 5231, 5442, 5491, 5570, 5649, 5651, 5652, 5667, 5668 may be heard in their appropriate committees."

Speaker Lang: "Bear with me one moment Representative. You might have misread one of these numbers, so we're going to correct the record. Representative, you had said a House Bill 4880, we believe you meant House Bill 4840. Can we correct the record?"

Currie: "That is correct. I thought I said 4840."

Speaker Lang: "You heard the Ladies' Motion. Mr. Breen on the Motion."

Breen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just to clarify this is the... I guess I... will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Breen: "And Leader, this is the list we've been provided which you just read is... is the list we were just provided. Is that correct?"

Currie: "Yes. That would be the list of the Bills whose posting notices will be suspended so we can hear them now."

Breen: "Okay. Wonderful. Thank you so much."

Currie: "You're very welcome."

Speaker Lang: "You heard the Ladies' Motion. Is there leave? There hearing no objection leave is granted. Page 23 of the Calendar. House Bills-Third Reading. The first Bill will be House Bill 4949. Representative Feigenholtz. Representative Feigenholtz. Out of the record. House Bill 4951. Mr. Halpin. Please read the Bill."

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Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 4951 a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Halpin."

Halpin: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This Bill is a catch up or clarification from a Bill last year. Essentially it codifies in the statute that when a landlord provides an itemized list of damages in order to coll... take a security deposit that the list of items cannot include ordinary wear and tear, and that the expenses must be reasonable. It is my understanding that this was agreed language that just didn't make it into a previous Bill last year. And I'd ask for a 'yes' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Breen."

Breen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Breen: "Representative, this was a bipartisan effort that had been to help cleanup some of our... our issues where folks are getting charged for items that they didn't really damage, but also then to protect landlords for items that are really truly damaged to make sure they get the compensation that they're entitled to."

Halpin: "That's correct."

Breen: "Okay. Thank you. It's a good Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Bill will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves Members. Chapa LaVia. Guzzardi. Rita. Guzzardi. Please take the record. There are 110 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And this Bill having received the

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Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 4999. Representative Bourne. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 4999, a Bill for an Act concerning state government. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Bourne."

Bourne: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. House Bill 4999 is an initiative of the Department of Agriculture. It is in the response to an audit finding and changes it from a biannual meeting to an annual meeting for the Advisory Board of Livestock Commissioners. I'd be happy to answer any questions."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Ladies' Bill will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Members please record yourselves. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 109 voting 'yes', and 1 voting 'present'. And this Bill having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 5020. Mr. Brady. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 5020, a Bill for an Act concerning education. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Brady."

Brady: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. House Bill 5020 simply seeks to amend the Diversify in Higher Education Faculty in Illinois Act to lower the number of board members for the Higher Education Faculty Illinois program... the board from 11 members... excuse me, from increasing from 11 to 22. And I'd be happy to answer any questions."

Speaker Lang: "There being no debate, those in favor of the Bill vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted

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who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish?
Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there
are 110 voting 'yes', and 0 voting 'no'. And this Bill having
received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared
passed. House Bill 5031. Mr. Olsen. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 5031, a Bill for an Act concerning state
government. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Olsen."

Olsen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This Bill is an initiative of the
Department of Human Service. It repeals outdated statutory
language for cross agency prequalification that became
relevant with the passage of the Grand Accountability and
Transparency Act. This Bill repeals those requirements that
are contradictory in statute. I ask for your support."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Bill vote 'yes';
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'yes', and 0 voting 'no'. And this Bill having received the
Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House
Bill 5056. Mr. Evans. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 5056, a Bill for an Act concerning
transportation. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Evans."

Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and the great Members of this
General Assembly. House Bill 5056 is a cleanup Bill from the
Secretary of State that addresses a variety of items, at least
10 to be mentioned: defines 'road machine', commence owner to
apply for a junk title also, surrender certificate title and

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then a lienholders, commence Secretary of State to alternative to numerical and alpha character on special plates. Again, this is a variety of cleanup items. I would request your support."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Breen."

Breen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Breen: "Representative, I see the cleanup language. I see there are no opponents, but could you let us know are there any fee increases here? What sorts of fee impacts do we have?"

Evans: "My understanding is it was very few, I think it was a couple we could go over since you are making me go over all of these things. If you look at..."

Breen: "Since were here tomorrow anyway, might as well do it."

Evans: "...all right. Okay. Requires the Secretary of State to create an expanded use for antique motorcycle registration plates. There's a registration fee of \$25. And also..."

Breen: "But that not a fee increase, that a new program. Right?"

Evans: "Yes. It is my understanding that's the only fee increase, or fee creation. It's mostly just cleanup language."

Breen: "All right. It doesn't appear there are any fee increases. So, just wanted to make that clear..."

Evans: "No."

Breen: "...because I know that's important to a lot of folks in the chamber."

Evans: "Well, thank you, Sir. I didn't know there was any fee increase or I would've mentioned them."

Breen: "Well, thank you."

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Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Bill vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', and 0 voting 'no'. And this Bill having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 5057. Mr. Evans. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 5057, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Evans."

Evans: "Thank you, Speaker and the Members of the Assembly. This Bill is an initiative of the Illinois State Police Department. It amends the vehicle code concerning two special, excuse me concerning special permits for vehicles that exceed maximum weight restrictions in two ways. It allows civilian truck weighing inspectors, CWIs, who are non-police officer employees in the Department of State appointed by a director to issue citations as a critical piece. And in the law, it allows for an enforced provision related to width, height, low gross weight, and registration of permit. However, a CWI must call a state trooper to write a ticket for violation for a special permit, so we're not giving away police powers. It was all about safety on our roads. I request your support."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Breen."

Breen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Just wanted to confirm that there are no opponents, in particular the Illinois Trucker's... Midwest Trucker's. Where are they at on the Bill?"

Evans: "To my understanding there's no opposition. It's been worked out, Sir."

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Breen: "Okay. And there's no fee increase here either, right?"

Evans: "No. No fee increase. No."

Breen: "Okay. Okay. Thank you so much. It looks like a good Bill."

Evans: "Thank you, Sir."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Bill vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. There are 110 voting 'yes', and 0 voting 'no'. And this Bill having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Clerk, committee announcements."

Clerk Bolin: "The following committees will meet at 2:00 p.m. today: Appropriations Human Services in D-1, Elementary and Secondary Education: Licensing Administration and Oversight in Room 114, Cost Benefit Analysis in Room 115, Transportation: Vehicles & Safety in Room 122, Revenue & Finance in Room 118, Judiciary - Civil in Room C-1, and Economic Opportunity in 413. The following committees will meet at 3:00 p.m. this afternoon: State Government Administration in Room 118, Consumer Protection in Room C-1, Cybersecurity and Data Analytics in 115, Public Utilities in 114, Labor in 413, and Elementary and Secondary Education: School Curriculum and Policies in Room D-1. And two committees will meet at 4 p.m. today: Judiciary - Criminal in D-1 and Elections & Finance... Elections & Campaign Finance in C-1."

Speaker Lang: "And now allowing perfunctory time for the Clerk, Leader Currie moves that the House stand adjourned until Friday, April 13 at the hour of 9:30 a.m. Those in favor say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the House stands adjourned until Friday, April 13 at the hour of 9:30 a.m."

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Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Introductions and First Reading of House Bills. House Bill 5858, offered by Representative Cabello, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 5859, offered by Representative Stuart, a Bill for an Act concerning education. First Reading of these House Bills. There being no further business, the House Perfunctory Session will stand adjourned."