

Doorkeeper Koehler: "Attention, Members of the House of Representatives, the House will convene in fifteen minutes.

All persons not entitled to the House floor please retire to the gallery. Attention, Members of the House of Representatives, the House will convene in five minutes."

Speaker Redmond: "House will come to order. Be led in prayer by the Reverend Krueger, the House Chaplain."

Reverend Krueger: "In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost. Amen. O Lord, bless this House to Thy service this day. Amen.

Isaac Goldberg said: 'Diplomacy is to do and say the nastiest things in the nicest way'. Let us pray. Almighty God, our heavenly Father, we are grateful for Thy word which has been given to us to read, learn and to follow; enable us, we beseech Thee, to live and practice in our daily endeavors that which Thou hast proclaimed. Let all our actions and our utterances be guided by the gift of charity so that none can take offense or be harmed in any way. And, finally, O Lord, may all that we do this day be to Thy glory; through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen."

Speaker Redmond: "Senate Bills First Reading. Messages from the Senate."

Clerk O'Brien: "A message from the Senate by Mr. Wright, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker, I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has passed Bills of the following title, the passage of which I am instructed to ask concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit: Senate Bills 16, 439, 440, 442, 443, 445, 446, 664, 693, 697, 708, 304, 447, 448, 449, 722, 727, 728, 817, 930, 603, 734, 735, 740, 779, 797, 785, 814, 823, 845, 720, 850, 862, 869, 887, 889, 890, 892, 896, 907, 912, 913, 915, 949, 952, 959, 960, 961, 965, 967. Passed by the Senate, May 26, 1977. Kenneth Wright, Secretary.

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1033, 1037, 1045, 1049, 1053, 1056, 1079, 1046, 1046, 964, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1104, 1115, 1116, 1124, 1149, 1202, 1204, 1219, 1234, 1235, 1243, 1257, 1258, 1259, 1264, 1280, 1290, 1297, 1298, 1300, 1301, 1317 and 1326. Passed by the Senate May 27, 1977. Kenneth Wright, Secretary.

Speaker Redmond: "Senate Bills First Reading."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 205, A Bill for an Act to amend the Campaign Finance Article of the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 384. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 429. A Bill for an Act to amend the Revenue Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 433. A Bill for an Act to amend the Physicians' Assistance Practice Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 436. A Bill for an Act making certain appropriations and reappropriations to the Board of Regents. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 849. A Bill for an Act to amend the Income Tax Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1365. A Bill for an Act in relation to the filing of returns by the taxpayers having monthly tax liabilities for certain occupation and use taxes. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 16. A Bill for an Act to amend the Chicago Regional Port District Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 203. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to counties. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 304. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 439. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 440. A Bill for an Act to amend the Currency Exchange Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 442. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill.

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Senate Bill 445. A Bill for an Act to amend the Currency Exchange Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 446. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act relating to currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 447. A Bill for an Act to amend the Currency Exchange Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 448. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 449. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 664. A Bill for an Act to amend the Motor Fuel Tax Law. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 697. A Bill for an Act to create the Domestic Relations Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 816. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 817. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act relating to currency exchanges. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 845. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act concerning public utilities. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 869. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Civil Administrative Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 952. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Insurance Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 959. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation to the Department of Transportation. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 960. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation to the Department of Transportation. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 979. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Chicago Sanitary District Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 980. A Bill for an Act to amend the Motor Fuel Tax Law. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1053. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Antitrust Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1093. A Bill for an Act to amend the Unemployment Compensation Insurance Act. First Reading of the Bill.



Senate Bill 1094. A Bill for an Act to enable all states and local units of government....."

Speaker Redmond: "Lee Schwartz, can you come here?"

Clerk O'Brien: "To receive federal surplus property. First Reading of the Bill."

Senate Bill 1104. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Insurance Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1257. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to licensing of dairy plant operators. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1258. A Bill for an Act to amend the Adoption Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1264. A Bill for an Act to amend the Real Estate Brokers and Salesmen License Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 19. A Bill for an Act to create the Retail Food Establishment License Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 165. A Bill for an Act to amend the Criminal Code and Unified Code of Corrections. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 718. A Bill for an Act to make appropriations for the Capital Development Fund....from the Capital Development Fund to the Capital Development Board. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 720. A Bill for an Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 722. A Bill for an Act to create the Local Government Accounting Board. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 734. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 779. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act concerning discriminatory solicitation or inducement regarding real estate. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 785. A Bill for an Act to amend the Nonprofit Health Care Services Plan Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 823. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act concerning law in relation to counties. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 830. A Bill for an Act to amend the Public Community College Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 862. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act to amend the



Illinois Assistance Act for nonpublic institutions of higher learning. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 878. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act relating to furnishing of insurance and retirement benefits for officers, employees of local governmental units. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate* Bill 894. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Municipal Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 961. A Bill for an Act to make appropriations for salary increases to probation officers, chief probation officers. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 964. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 965. A Bill for an Act establishing service and mileage fees for sheriffs. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 967. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Insurance Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 975. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act to revise the law in relation to construction of the statutes. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 978. A Bill for an Act to amend the Chicago Sanitary District Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 981. A Bill for an Act to amend the Revenue Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 984. A Bill for an Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act and Workmen's Occupational Disease Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 994. A Bill for an Act to amend the Park District Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 997. A Bill for an Act to amend the Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 998. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 999. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1000. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.



Senate Bill 1002. A Bill for an Act to amend the Campaign Finance Article of the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1012. A Bill for an Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act and Workmen's Occupational Disease Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1019. A Bill for an Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1028. A Bill for an Act to amend an Article of State Universities Retirement System of the Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1079. A Bill for an Act to amend the Department of Transportation Appropriation. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1149. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1255. A Bill for an Act to amend the Unemployment Insurance Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1234. A Bill for an Act to amend the Chicago Regional Port District Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1235. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation from Capital Development Bond Fund to Capital Development Board for land acquisition. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1290. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1302. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to Legislative Space Needs Commission. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1326. A Bill for an Act to amend the Public Utilities Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1331. A Bill for an Act to amend the Horse Racing Act the Fair and Exhibition Authority Reconstruction Act and Cigarette and Tax Act and the State Finance Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1361. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Health Facilities Planning Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1379. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 229. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act in relation to state monies. First Reading of the Bill.



Senate Bill 574. A Bill for an Act to amend the Environmental Protection Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1190. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Revenue Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1192. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the County Detention Home Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1194. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Drainage Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1195. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act in regard to evidence and dispositions. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1196. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to provide for proper care and management of county cemetery grounds. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1197. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to provide for the organization ownership management and control of cemetery associations. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1198. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act relating to civil service and park systems. First Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Senate Bills Second Reading. Roll Call for attendance.

Roll Call for attendance. Senate Bills Second Reading. Senate Bill 282. Representative Mahar, you ready on 282?"

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 282."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "A Bill for an Act to authorize the State of Illinois by the School Building Commission to convey lands in Cook County. First Reading...Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 342."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 342."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Deavers, for what purpose do you arise?"

Deavers: "Purpose of excusing an absence. Roger McAuliffe is sick and would the records so state?"

Speaker Redmond: "What was that?"

Deavers: "Roger McAuliffe is sick and would the records...."



Speaker Redmond: "Any objections? Hearing none the records will so indicate. 342."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 342. A Bill for an Act making supplemental appropriation to the ordinary and contingent expense to the Bureau of the Budget. Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 344."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 344. A Bill for an Act making supplemental appropriation to the Board of Vocational Rehabilitation. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Is there any motion or floor Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 428."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 428. A Bill for an Act to make a supplemental appropriation to the ordinary and contingent expense of the Illinois Law Enforcement Commission. Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 1098."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 1098. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense to the Department of Children and Family Services. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any motion or floor Amendment?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 1200. Representative Giorgi, for what purpose do you arise?"

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I believe you called Senate Bill 344, moved it, and I think there's a Committee Amendment or some Amendment, never distributed it and...."

Speaker Redmond: "Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee and there was no motion filed and no floor Amendment."

Giorgi: "Never saw the Amendment."

Speaker Redmond: "What's that?"



Giorgi: "We haven't seen the Amendment...."

Speaker Redmond: "It was a Committee Amendment."

Giorgi: "Should we see the Committee Amendment, shouldn't we have the Amendment?"

Speaker Redmond: "Wait a minute."

Giorgi: "And also on 1098, Mr. Speaker, there's an Amendment...."

Speaker Redmond: "Okay. We'll have to return 344 to the Order of Second Reading then."

Giorgi: "Could we also ask that of 1098, Sir?"

Speaker Redmond: "Which one?"

Giorgi: "Yes, Sir. 1098."

Speaker Redmond: "1098?"

Giorgi: "Yes, Sir."

Speaker Redmond: "Yeah, we'll have to hold that on.... 1200."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 1200. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation to the ordinary and contingent expense of the Department of Corrections. First Reading of the Bill...Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. Mr. Clerk, where are those Amendments on 344 and 1098?"

Clerk O'Brien: "The Amendments haven't arrived from the printer yet. They should be delivered today."

Speaker Redmond: "House Bills Second Reading. Representative Ryan, what's your pleasure? Ryan, will you please stand? Representative Ryan, we're calling your Bill. 962. I always know Ryan, he's got that blue suit on. Take that one out of the record. 966. Representative Sandquist. Are there any floor Amendments on that, Mr. Clerk? Out of the record. 1047, Representative Meyer. Read the Bill, Mr....out of the record. 1226. I don't know what that means but will you read the Bill, Mr. Clerk, we'll find out."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 1226. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Illinois Department of Public Health. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any motion or floor Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

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Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 1593."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 1593. A Bill for an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense of the Department of Conservation."

Speaker Redmond: "Are there floor Amendments on that?" Floor Amendments filed, Representative Deavers. Representative Mautino and Mudd, are you ready to proceed with your floor Amendments on 1593? Have you read the Bill, Mr. Clerk?"

Clerk O'Brien: "Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee. 2 was withdrawn. Amendment #3, 4 and 5 were adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Are there any motions with respect to Amendments 1, 3, 4 and 5?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions filed."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "Amendment #6, Mautino. Amends House Bill 1593 as amended in Section 2, page 3 and so forth."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Mautino."

Mautino: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. Amendment #6 is the taking away of the appropriation of the Nature Preserve Commission in the amount of seventy-eight thousand dollars I believe is what it is. Basically, the situation is that this Commission has the authority to go out and purchase property and take it off the tax rolls of the State of Illinois. In this past year, what they've done is purchase property that was on the tax rolls and then put it in a nature preserve area so that it could not be used by the citizens of the State of Illinois. It's my feeling that since the Department of Conservation cannot, in my estimation, manage all of the lands that they have at this point in time, I think it's ridiculous for this Commission to be purchasing property and then not allowing the citizens to use it. This has happened basically in Ogle, Whiteside, Bureau, Henry, and LaSalle Counties to my knowledge, and I'm sure it's happened in other areas of the State of Illinois. And for that reason, I have put this reduction in appropriation into the Department of Conservation's budget and I'd be happy to answer any questions that anyone may have on it."



Speaker Redmond: "Representative Deavers."

Deavers: "Being a fiscal conservative, I have no opposition to this Amendment and I would move we accept it."

Speaker Redmond: "The question's on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of Amendment #6. Those in favor say 'aye'. Representative McMaster. Representative Totten, will you please sit down?"

McMaster: "Will the Sponsor of this Amendment please yield?"

Speaker Redmond: "He will."

McMaster: "Dick, I'm assuming from the counties you've mentioned that you're talking about an appropriation for the Hennepin Canal."

Mautino: "No, Sir. That's not true. Basically, they have purchased property in LaSalle County, approximately eight hundred and sixty acres and then took it out of use for the citizens of that county because they had found some wild orchids in that particular land. Also, over in Ogle County which Representative Rigney and Adams and myself appeared, the same complaint was aired. I think they took about ten thousand acres off the tax rolls and also did not allow the horsemen, et cetera to use that property. That has nothing to do with the Hennepin Canal Parkway, Representative McMaster."

McMaster: "Well, my main concern is that... you know the condition of the bridges all along that Hennepin Canal, and we need all the money we can get into the Department of Conservation to fix those bridges, and I want to make sure you're not taking any money out for that."

Mautino: "Only the operating money of that Commission there."

McMaster: "Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Simms."

Simms: "Would the Sponsor yield? Representative Mautino, in your Amendment you are taking away money from them to purchase land for acquisition?"

McMaster: "No, Sir. Only the operating expenses of that Commission itself because of the major complaints we've had in downstate Illinois in the way that they've purchased property and handled the property and manage it that they do buy."



Simms: "So, in essence, you're going to be abolishing the Nature Preserves Commission."

McMaster: "I'd like to send them a message, yes, Sir, that I'm... many people are not in favor of how they're handling the program of buying land and managing that land."

Simms: "Have you had some complaints... is some of this due to the fact that some of the horsemen have not, have been denied some privileges as far as using Castle Rock State Park? That they've taken this land and prohibited that use of horsemen in this area?"

McMaster: "That's one consideration, but that's not the only one. Probably the best one is in LaSalle County where they purchased the farmland next to Deer Park Estates and they basically kicked out the archers that have been paying with their own dollars for the upkeep for that area over the past fifteen years. It would seem to me that where they have no expenses that they should let the people use the land that they purchased for outdoor recreation. And they have not been doing so."

Simms: "Well, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, speaking to the Amendment, the Nature Preserves Commission serves... I think it's a very useful tool in that it does protect some of the rare type vegetation, the natural habitat of the land before, in those areas that have, really have not been exposed to a great deal of human inhabitation or a type of recreation use. And I think it serves a valuable purpose. I don't think that all land that the State of Illinois has, state parks for example, should be subject to the horsemen for the horseback riders. And some of these very historical areas should be preserved as a historic preservation as the Nature Commission is performing at the present time. And it is with a reluctance that I oppose the Amendment because I do think that the Commission does supply a very valuable need to the State of Illinois by preserving those lands that are as close to the natural state in which our area was founded, and there are not that many parcels of land in the State of Illinois that still have this natural growth. And for this reason, I would reluctantly oppose this Amendment."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Mautino."



Mautino: "I'd like to answer the Gentleman's first question."

Speaker Redmond: "Proceed."

Mautino: "Representative Simms, I think this is probably a misunderstanding because that Nature Preserve Commission if you will examine the concept behind it have no one to answer to, not even the Department of Conservation. They decide for themselves which land will be purchased and how it will be used. I agree totally that if there is some benefit to preserving a specific portion, I agree to it. Where you have wild orchids or you have some rare species, but what I'm saying is why take out eight or nine hundred acres for one or two items that could be done within, let's say, an acre of what they buy. And that's my major complaint with that particular Commission. I don't think you can basically say and I can give you specific examples, when you purchase eight hundred acres and not let anyone use them, I don't think that's such a good policy to have for the Department of Conservation."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Matijevich."

Matijevich: "Yes, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I rise also as Representative Simms did in opposition to this Amendment. I've seen through the years that the Nature Preserve Commission has been very effective in conserving some areas that ought to be preserved. And I think that those of you who very often get on the Roll Call to protect the environmentalists and environmental vote, you ought to be concerned about this Amendment. I think if the environmentalists were aware that this Amendment were coming up today that they would be up in arms because the Nature Preserves Commission has been most effective and probably because of some of the Members on that Commission. They are very influential people and have done a very good job, for example, in my area, the Chain-O-Lake State Park in preserving areas that ought to be preserved. So, I would urge the Members to vote against Amendment #6 to this Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Skinner."

Skinner: "Mr. Speaker and Members of the General Assembly, I realize that the Sponsor of this Amendment, sort of, is a little disturbed with the environmentalists who attempted to bankrupt part of his



district with the Bottle Bill. I would like him to know that I did not vote for that Bill, but I don't think that this is the type of retribution that he should take. And so I would appeal to all those on the floor who may have an environmental strain running through their district that this would be a very good vote for you to vote 'no' on. I mean, even if you couldn't vote for the Bottle Bill because of various economic and/or social pressures, this Amendment you can certainly vote against because we don't want to abolish this Commission. It's a very small Commission, but it's a very effective Commission in my opinion. And I think that we ought to suggest that the people from the Central Illinois Bottle Companies have had their... had their... their hide, had our hide, had the environmentalists hide tacked on a wall and they really don't need to shove it into one of those ovens in which they melt the glass and completely disintegrate us."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Cunningham."

Cunningham: "Well, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I urge every one of you to give your enthusiastic support to Representative Mautino's Amendment. It's a stroke of genius and not unexpected from that particular source. I've had a little experience with the nature preserve. Let me tell you what they're doing down in my county. They're forcing on the taxpayers of that county a crabgrass area. Crabgrass - that's the last thing that we need is to preserve the crabgrass in Lawrence County. We've been afraid that the crabgrass and the Indians would take the county. What we're trying to do is build industry. And I'm sure that that's true elsewhere throughout the state. Instead of preserving nature, I urge you to preserve the taxpayers. You'll never have a better chance to help the taxpayers and seventy-eight thousand dollars worth here in the next few minutes without any demonstrable harm to anyone. Representative Mautino should get 140 votes on this Amendment. He'll certainly have mine."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Waddell."

Waddell: "Mr. Speaker, I, too, rise in opposition to this. And maybe they could get the crabs out of the grass down in Lawrence. But



nevertheless, I think that this is the wrong way to approach something like this, to hit them with a hammer, to try and get a message over because if you take a look at the work that it's done across the state as a whole, I think that they should be commended for their work instead of trying to use this means to get a message over to them. I suggest and hope that you vote 'no'."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Ebbesen."

Ebbesen: "Mr. Speaker, I move the previous question."

Speaker Redmond: "Ready for the question? Representative Mautino, to close."

Mautino: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to close by answering a few of the questions, some of those brought up by Representative Skinner. This no way, shape or form has anything to do with the Bottle Bill that was soundly defeated by the House of Representatives. What I'm attempting to do here is point out the fact that this Commission has been purchasing farmland, good farmland. They are not purchasing wasteland, but they're purchasing farmland and not allowing the citizens who are paying for this land to use it for outdoor recreation. And I know of no other way to get that message across and I've done it with this Amendment and I would appreciate an Affirmative Roll Call."

Speaker Redmond: "The question's on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of Amendment #6. Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Have all voted who wished? Have all voted who wished? Representative Von Boeckman."

Von Boeckman: "Well, Mr. Speaker, I am voting 'yes' on this Bill for various reasons. Because there was an Archery Association that had kept a certain section of land in LaSalle County in first-class condition and all the wildlife grew there. And it was this Association that denied this Archery Association from staying in that position. And therefore, I think it's a good Bill, a good Amendment and I wholeheartedly endorse it."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Mugalian, to explain his vote."

Mugalian: "Well, thank you, Mr. Speaker. I hope that most of my



colleagues know what they're voting for here. They're voting to abolish the Nature Preserves Commission. I understand what it is to send a message, but this is like sending a message to abolish state government. This is one of our very important Commissions and a very important value that I think most of the Legislators in this hall agree with. So please, let's just see what this Amendment does. If you're at all interested in the environment, at all interested in nature and the preservation of the Flora and fauna of this state, you cannot vote green on this Amendment."

Speaker Redmond: "Have all voted who wished? Representative Rigney, you seeking recognition?"

Rigney: "Well, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I'm making a rather difficult vote on this issue because we have had some problems with the Nature Preserves Commission in my legislative district. The thing that the Commission did was to say to the horsemen of that area that you won't be riding horses in Castle Rock State Park. But they said so, I believe, for a very good reason. This is a critical, environmental area and there is simply no way to preserve areas such as this unless you are willing to make some sacrifices in certain areas. Now, the Nature Preserves Commission, of course, is in the dog house in the district and I'm sure that I'll be in the dog house for voting with them to sustain their position at this time. But somebody has to be the referee in matters like this, somebody has to label the critical environmental areas in our district and somebody has to be responsible for their preservation. And I believe that this is the proper rule for the Nature Preserves Commission and I hope that there'll be more of you that will join in voting 'no' on this issue."

Speaker Redmond: "Have all voted who wished? Clerk will take the record. On this question there's 72 'aye' and 55 'no'. The Gentleman's motion prevails and the Amendment's adopted. Any further Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "Amendment #7, Mautino. Amends House Bill 1593 as amended by inserting immediately after Section 11, the following."



Speaker Redmond: "Representative Mautino."

Mautino: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House.

Amendment #7, to those Members that have served in the 79th General Assembly will recognize that this is the Amendment for Lake Depue which is a state-owned facility between Bureau and Putnam County. The appropriation does not come out of the General Revenue Fund. It comes out of the Boat Safety Act which is... that fund is paid for by the boaters of the State of Illinois on their registration fee. It seems to me that if the State of Illinois is going to purchase property, it's extremely important that they must also maintain and keep up what they have purchased. In this case, the lake was purchased in 1971 for approximately seven hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars. Since that time, it has been silted in because of topsoil runoff, et cetera; and this appropriation, this additional appropriation to House Bill 1593 would allow for the dredging of that particular lake. For many years, Lake Depue, approximately sixteen years, was the sight of the national outboard powerboat races. Since the lake has silted in, they've moved that national regatta to Winnona, Minnesota. This is the only recreational area in Bureau and Putnam County that's owned by the State of Illinois. And I'd be happy to answer any questions on this Amendment."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Deavers."

Deavers: "Mr. Speaker, I must oppose this Amendment. It's not in the Governor's budget in any way, shape or form. And I can understand that it took sixteen years to fill it in, but what's going to happen if we dredge it out, it's going to silt back again. I don't think we're going to solve the problem, so I must oppose it."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Byers."

Byers: "Will the Sponsor yield?"

Mautino: "Yeah."

Byers: "Representative Mautino, how much silt has made it's way into this lake?"

Mautino: "How much totally?"

Byers: "Yes, yes."

Mautino: "The lake used to be approximately twenty foot deep. Now,



it's about two foot."

Byers: "Two feet?"

Mautino: "Yes, Sir."

Byers: "It's not much worse than it was two years ago?"

Mautino: "I think it was two and a half foot, so it must have filled in about a half a foot since last year."

Byers: "It seems to be filling up at about the rate of three inches a years and if we wait another six or eight years, it'll be full and we can make it into a park, can't we?"

Mautino: "Oh, you can probably plant rice, but I think it's a bad investment by the State of Illinois."

Byers: "Okay."

Mautino: "If they aren't going to fix it, they should never have purchased it."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Ebbesen."

Ebbesen: "Yes, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I rise in support of Amendment #7 to House Bill 1593. Representative Mautino's done an excellent job of explaining this. We've addressed ourselves to this problem over the last four years and at one time, the Department of Conservation did assist in getting an appropriation for eighty-five thousand dollars. We can open up the channel out into the river and then move on with some additional expenditure of funds to work on this lake. I'm sure that it's not going to fill up, change the direction of one of the creeks it empties into and it's an excellent Amendment and I think we probably just saved enough money in Amendment #6 by the abolishment of that Commission, we've got a good down payment towards the financing of Amendment #7."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Skinner."

Skinner: "I wonder if the Sponsor could tell us how much money this Amendment's for. He seems to have neglected to state that. Maybe the Sponsor..."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Mautino."

Mautino: "I'm sorry, Cal. I was talking to..."

Skinner: "How much are you taking?"

Mautino: "It's less than a million dollars which was in there for two



years. I think this totals seven hundred thousand dollars on this Amendment. I happen to have the numbers in front of me. Seven hundred thousand."

Skinner: "Only seven hundred thousand this year?"

Mautino: "Yes, Sir. And I'll tell you why that came about because the..."

Skinner: "Why don't you tell me why that came about?"

Mautino: "Well, because the Division of Water Resources has agreed to rechannel a creek which the silt has been silting in for the lake and they're going to do that this fall. So with the Department of Transportation, Division of Water Resources handling that portion of the project, I reduce down the appropriation in this Amendment."

Skinner: "Thank God for the Governor's line item veto."

Speaker Redmond: "Anything further? Representative Waddell. Representative Mautino, to close."

Mautino: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I think everyone here knows exactly what we're proposing to do to maintain and upgrade an existing state facility. This is not the purchase of land for a lake. It is an appropriation by Amendment to repair and maintain what we already own and I ask for a favorable Roll Call."

Speaker Redmond: "The question's on the Gentleman's motion. Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Have all voted who wished? Representative Mudd."

Mudd: "Yes, Mr. Speaker, I know that there's just a few votes separating this issue and I think when we take into consideration the final remarks made by Representative Mautino in closing, this is to maintain a facility that we already have. And if we can't justify spending money to maintain property that we already own, I can't see how we can possibly justify appropriating more money for new properties that are going to be left unattended and unmaintained. This was one of the facilities that brought hundreds and hundreds of thousands of dollars into the State of Illinois, brought one of the greatest boat racing events in the nation into the State of Illinois. And I think it's one that we should at least give



the consideration to the Department of Conservation and to the administration to make this final decision when it comes before them. It's something that's badly needed in the state and I think that we should try to at least offer the Amendment so that they can consider it when they're taking all the budget into consideration for the Department of Conservation."

Speaker Redmond: "Have all voted who wished? Clerk will take the record. On this question there's 68 'aye'... Representative Ryan."

Ryan: "Well, Mr. Speaker, I can appreciate the problems that they're having with Lake Depue but if this... I'm going to want to verify the roll, that's all unless you want to take another Roll Call."

Speaker Redmond: "Better dump this one. I've already verified my 'aye'. The question is, the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of Amendment #7. Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Please vote only your own switch. Have all voted who wished? Have all voted who wished? Clerk will take the record. On this question there's 56 'aye' and 66 'no'. The Gentleman's motion fails. Any further Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "Amendment #8, Mudd. Amends House Bill 1593 as amended by inserting immediately after Section 13 the following."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Mudd."

Mudd: "Yes, Mr. Chairman, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House, this Amendment is a simple Amendment. What it does it transfers the responsibility from the Department of Waterways who is currently funding this operation from their budget and moves it over to Conservation. And lets Conservation assume the responsibility for this expenditure and to be a watchdog over the properties that are acquired by this organization so that it can be used for public use and conservation. I ask for a favorable Roll Call."

Speaker Redmond: "Any discussion?" Representative Totten."

Totten: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Would the Sponsor yield for a question?"

Speaker Redmond: "He will."

Totten: "And, Representative Mudd, in the Water Resources budget, has this been removed?"



Mudd: "Pardon me, Sir. I didn't understand."

Totten: "You said this was a transfer from one Department to another."

Has this been removed from the other Department's budget?"

Mudd: "Yes, Sir."

Totten: "Eighteen thousand dollars?"

Mudd: "Yes, Sir."

Totten: "What... where did the money come from in the Water Resources budget, from what fund?"

Mudd: "This was a study that was produced, it was matching funds for a study and organization of that land use along the Illinois River flood control. It was produced by this organization and property that was acquired that was flood plain property, that was being used for public use and that and they had to produce different things to the state to justify this appropriation."

Totten: "My question was, in the prior... in the Water Resources budget, was this money appropriated from General Revenue?"

Mudd: "No, Sir."

Totten: "Where was it from?"

Mudd: "It was out of their contingency fund that dealt with the flood plain and land use studies along the Illinois River."

Totten: "All right, so that by transferring it into Conservation's budget, you're now taking an additional eighteen thousand dollars from General Revenue that was not from that fund in the prior budget in the other Department's budget. Is that correct?"

Mudd: "No, Sir. Just the... what it does is now that they have got the full plan out, it was felt by the Water Resources that it belonged in Conservation because this is the area that would have control over land use of the properties acquired. So, in Central Illinois, it's one of the largest metropolitan areas in the state, Peoria being the third largest city. There's very little conservation work going on in that area and this is one of the drives to acquire more conservation and public use land. And this is a very small appropriation along with the local contribution to acquire these properties and set forth the regulations by how they'll be used."

Totten: "Does the Department of Conservation and the Division of Water



Resources approve of this being done this way?"

Mudd: "I know that they've discussed it with the Waterways Director and the people in the Conservation Department. They felt that they would rather have it done this way and they felt that it is a good project because they've acquired hundreds and hundreds and hundreds of acres along this stretch of Illinois River to be used for public use and conservation. And they felt this was probably one of the more realistic approaches rather than to keep acquiring property through the state Department of Conservation and not having the money available to do something with the properties."

Totten: "Has... the Amendment indicates it's a matching grant. What are we matching?"

Mudd: "We're matching eighteen thousand dollars collected locally."

Totten: "Local participation. In other words, the total is thirty-six thousand dollars, half local - half state."

Mudd: "Yes, Sir. And this is the total budget appropriation for that organization to acquire all this property along the Illinois River. So you can see that we're getting, by helping these people, we're getting by pretty cheaply and we're putting hundreds of acres of riverfront property into public use and conservation."

Totten: "What are they going to acquire for thirty-six thousand dollars?"

Mudd: "What they do is they use their staff for public trust, individuals who donate property or who donates money to acquire property along. So what we're getting is the benefit of people working full-time to acquire properties from states and public donations."

Totten: "All right, thank you, Mr. Speaker. I have no further questions."

Speaker Redmond: "Anything further? Representative Deavers."

Deavers: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I think this is a reasonable approach in this matching fund of eighteen thousand of state monies transferred from one fund. It's no new expenditure and then eighteen thousand of public monies and I move that we adopt this Amendment."

Speaker Redmond: "Anything further? Representative Waddell."

Waddell: "Would the Sponsor yield?"



Speaker Redmond: "He will."

Waddell: "I notice that you use the terminology 'land'. Could you tell us whether this has any water connected with this, number one; and the location, number two?"

Mudd: "Yes, Sir. There is quite a bit of water. There is a large lake on the... that borders Pekin who is one area and there is some other water north of Peoria by Chillicothe and then along those adjoining properties, there's hundreds of acres of river-front property that sometimes gets in the flood plain. And that water right now is used for resting areas for ducks and wild game along the Illinois River."

Waddell: "Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "Are there any further questions? Representative Von Boeckman."

Von Boeckman: "Mr. Speaker, I'd like to ask a couple questions if I may."

Speaker Redmond: "Proceed."

Von Boeckman: "Is this Bill sponsored by the Tri-County Riverfront Forum?"

Mudd: "Yes, this Tri-County Riverfront Forum, this is the tri-county organization plus..."

Von Boeckman: "I'm aware of the..."

Mudd: "The answer is 'yes'."

Von Boeckman: "...organization."

Mudd: "Yes."

Von Boeckman: "Who is the President of that organization?"

Mudd: "I believe to my knowledge that they have a Board of Directors of all the local industry..."

Von Boeckman: "Would it be Tim Sodwell?"

Mudd: "I'm not sure."

Von Boeckman: "Well, I'll answer it for you. It is. Mr. Speaker, may I speak on, against the motion?"

Speaker Redmond: "Proceed. Please give the Gentleman order."

Von Boeckman: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I rise in opposition against this motion for many reasons. One of them is that the very President of this Tri-County Riverfront



Forum is the man that scuttled the transfer of the Pekin Lake project to the Pekin Park District. And he did it for one purpose only so that he as President can control this through the very means that he's doing now. Now, I think it's bad precedent to put an Amendment on a Bill to give a grant to an organization who is going to hire somebody to try to acquire this property. Now, this... the people involved as far as I'm concerned, do a fairly well job in it's respect, but I think in my own mind that there is something else behind it and I certainly would ask everybody to vote against it."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Tuerk."

Tuerk: "Well, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House, just following up the comments just made, I don't know what Representative Von Boeckman is referring to. I would have to say that we don't necessarily need to get personality conflicts into this debate. I think the Amendment which Representative Mudd is attempting to attach to this Bill is noteworthy insofar as it definitely deals with conservation. It's, as he explained a while ago, it's a matter of helping out land acquisition along the Illinois River within the tri-county area of Peoria, Tazewell, Woodford County and it's a reasonable Amendment. It's going to provide this riverfront forum an opportunity to carry on it's duties and responsibilities in order to acquire some of the land along the river that's so needed in order to preserve the Illinois river bank. I would solicit an 'aye' vote for this relatively reasonable Amendment to the House Bill 1593 and ask for your support."

Speaker Redmond: "Ready for the question. Representative Deavers, you seek recognition? The question's... Representative Mudd, to close."

Mudd: "Yes, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House, this, I believe, is a, like I said earlier, is an appropriation of funds which is one that we've all been trying to move toward for a good many years and that's just helping local communities help themselves rather than to take over and to acquire large amounts of property. Up to date, if we'd have had to acquire for recreation, open areas and conservation purposes, the amount of properties that have been



acquired by this organization, it would be millions and millions of dollars. And on the other hand, these people fully realize that the expenditure made in these flood plain areas along the Illinois River for anything other than conservation are going to cost the state millions of dollars again in disaster funds and so on. So we're actually helping the public. I can certainly understand possibly Representative Von Boeckman's approach to this particular Amendment. However, I think if you just take into consideration certainly, I'm sure that Representative Waddell can see this, if we were to take a large area like Pekin Lake which belongs to the State of Illinois and dedicate it to one municipality and have one municipality control this large body of water along the Illinois River, we're taking property from public use away from the rest of the people in the area. And I think this is what the people of this organization are trying to provide - a continuity of services for everyone up and along the river and not just a flat turnover of public properties to one small entity for their personal gain. So I would ask you to support this Amendment. I think it's a good one and I think it's the way that we should try to go to get the most out of our revenues. So I ask for a favorable vote."

Speaker Redmond: "The question's on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of Amendment #8. Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Have all voted who wished? Have all voted who wished? Have all voted who wished? The Clerk will take the record. On this question, there's 54 'aye' and 43 'no'. The motion carries. The Amendment's adopted. Any further Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No further Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 1594, Representative Simms. Representative Houlihan. James Houlihan."

J. Houlihan: "Mr. Speaker, we have before us Senate Bills, First Reading, Supplemental #1 and I notice that in the Section which indicates the House Sponsor, somebody has penciled in or black-marked in various House Sponsors and I'd like to know how that procedure was arrived at."

Speaker Redmond: "Mr. Clerk. The House Members identified themselves



as the Sponsor of the Senate Bill and in the absence of anything to the contrary, the Clerk assumed that...."

Houlihan, J: "Mr. Speaker, I would suggest you check into that because I know of a specific House Sponsor who was not aware that he was indicated and made that request. Now whether he did that under the influence, I'm not sure...."

Speaker Redmond: "You identify one and we'll...."

Houlihan, J: "And also...."

Speaker Redmond: "We have a procedure if the Senate Sponsor is not satisfied to just notify the Speaker and we will remove the House Sponsor."

Houlihan, J: "But, Mr. Speaker, my point is a number of people, not the individual Sponsor, obviously seem to be placing names before Bills. And I think that's inappropriate. I think the Sponsors ought to do it themselves, and if there is a procedure which is being adopted where staff or someone else is putting House Sponsors before Senate Bills, that's entirely inappropriate."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Houlihan, I have done everything except crawl on my hands and knees to the House Members and the Senate Members and ask them to identify themselves so that we can put Sponsors on here. Now if there's any...any Sponsor that shows that doesn't want to be there or if there is any House Member who wants to be on the Bill, there's a way to do it. The Senate Sponsor has complete control of who the House Sponsor is. Now I...I don't know what Bills you're talking about but I can tell you that as far as I'm concerned, I, again beg the House Members to step forward and identify themselves. Now if you have anything that you're...have in mind you see me... you mention it now or you see me afterwards and we'll see what we can do because I don't know that there's any villainy involved in any of this stuff. It's hard to get Sponsors and we have Senate Bills that sit here two and three days with no Sponsor. And I've gone over to the Senate and individually went to the Senate Sponsor and asked them to identify House Sponsors. It's not that easy."

Houlihan, J: "I...I appreciate how difficult it is, Mr. Speaker, but I hope that there's no practice where staff is indicating or someone is indicating for a House Sponsor that they want to be on Bills



because that's entirely inappropriate. And if there's that practice going on, if a Sponsor doesn't know that he or she is a Sponsor of a Bill that must be the practice. And I think we ought to defeat that practice."

Speaker Redmond: "What Bill do you have in mind and what Sponsor do you have in mind?"

Houlihan, J: "Mr. Speaker, I'm speaking of specifically House Bill 785 and House Bill 1002. And there's a couple of other ones on here which has been brought to my attention where the House Sponsor didn't know."

Speaker Redmond: "785 and 1002? All we have to do, Representative O'Brien, on both of them, all you have to do is...Senator Netsch advised me whom she wants and that will be done. Just that simple. I don't know where it came from. But it is, you know, the House Members are not falling over themselves up here to identify themselves."

O'Brien: "The only reason I brought it to your attention, Mr. Speaker, is so you might look in to see where it came from and see if we could stop that practice."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Waddell."

Waddell: "Well, Mr. Speaker, I don't think that Representative Houlihan is...is correct. It's always been the procedure, as I remember it, that if the Sponsor in the Senate, if it's a Senate Bill, wants somebody over here that's their prerogative. On the other hand, if nobody picks up that Bill then I believe anybody can pick it up as long as it's with the approval of the Senate Member. Been that way as long as I've been here."

Speaker Redmond: "I think that's right. 1594. Representative Houlihan."

Houlihan, J: "Representative Houlihan, I'm not questioning that procedure. What I'm telling, and informing the Speaker and the Members, there are people picking up those Bills who are not Members and putting Members' names on that Calendar before that Calendar comes to our desks. And I think that practice is wrong and that has not been the practice we followed in the past."

Speaker Redmond: "1594."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 1594. A Bill for an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense of the Department of Business and



Economic Development. Second Reading of the Bill. Committee Amendments #1 and 2 were adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Simms? Out of the record. 1736.

Representative Polk on the floor? He's not? Looks like him to me. You want that out of the record? Out of the record. 2368."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2368. A Bill for an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense of the General Assembly. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Are there any motions or floor Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2369."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2369. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation to the State Treasurer. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any motions or floor Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2370."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2370. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation to the Secretary of State from the General Revenue Fund. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any motions or floor Amendments?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2371."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2371. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation for the furnishing of legislative staff to the General Assembly. Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2383."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2383. A Bill for an Act to make an appropriation for negotiated wage increases for the Office of Secretary of State. Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2384."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2384. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections



of an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense of the Department of Registration and Education. Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2391."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2391. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense of the Illinois State Scholarship Commission. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "There are no motion, no floor Amendments. Third Reading. 2396."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2396. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expenses of the Department of Transportation and the Governor's Traffic Safety Coordinating Committee. Second Reading of the Bill. No Committee Amendments."

Speaker Redmond; "Any Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "None."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2397."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2397. A Bill for an Act to reorganize the Department of Law Enforcement. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendments # 1 and 2 were adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any motion or Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 2398."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2398. A Bill for an Act to create the Department of Administrative Services. Second Reading of the Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in Committee."

Speaker Redmond: "Any motions or Amendments from the floor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "No motions or floor Amendments."

Speaker Redmond: "Third Reading. 966, Representative Sandquist, you want that one? 966. Out of the record. House Bills Third Reading. House Bills Third Reading appears House Bill 409. Out of the record.



613, Representative Von Boeckman. Von Boeckman on the floor?
 Out of the record. 1115. Representative Friedrich on the floor?
 1115, Third Reading. You want that out of the record, Representa-
 tive Friedrich? Out of the record. 1429, Representative Madigan,
 do you want to call that one? Out of the record. 1595, Repre-
 sentative Jones, J. David Jones. Out of the record. 2355, Repre-
 sentative Taylor?"

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2355. A Bill for an Act to make appropria-
 tions for certain claims against the State of Illinois in conformity
 with awards of the Court of Claims. Third Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative James Taylor. James Taylor."

Taylor: "Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, H0use Bill 2355 is a
 ...is the appropriation Bill for the Court of Claims paying certain
 awards that have been awarded by the Court of Claims. And I solicit
 your support for House Bill 2355."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Totten."

Totten: "Well, thank you, Mr. Speaker. Again, I wonder if we could
 have the Sponsor explain the amount of money that's involved in the
 appropriation Bill and what's it for, how much was it over last year?"

Taylor: "Well, I don't think it has anything to do with last year but
 right now in this particular appropriation of \$591,512.96; \$507,164.
 comes from the Road Fund; \$44,801 comes from the General Revenue;
 791.20 from Federal Fund 061; 267.55 from Federal Fund 063; 27,450.53
 comes from Federal Fund #081; \$148.00 comes from Federal Fund #495;
 \$7,941.30 comes from Federal Fund 561; \$2,958.46 comes from Federal
 Fund #599. Mr. Speaker, I solicit your support for House Bill 2355."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Peters."

Peters: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, this is an
 ordinary appropriation to the claims which were approved by the
 Court of Claims and the numbers are as stated by Representative
 Taylor. It has received the approval of both staffs on both sides
 of the aisle in Committee. We certainly solicit your support."

Speaker Redmond: "The question is, shall this Bill pass? Those in favor
 vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Have all voted who wish? Have all
 voted who wish? The Clerk will take the record. On this question...
 Representative Younge, 'aye'. This question there's a 137 'aye'



and 1 'no'. The Bill having received the Constitutional Majority hereby declared passed. 2377."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2377. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Illinois Parent Education Assistance Authority. Third Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Out of the record. 2393."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 2393. A Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Department of Labor. Third Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Houlihan."

Houlihan, D: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I would ask leave of the House to hear in conjunction with House Bill 2393 the substantive measure for which this is the appropriation Bill and that is House Bill 1822."

Speaker Redmond: "Does the Gentleman have leave to have 1822 considered together with 2393? Hearing no objection...Representative Ryan objects. 2393."

Houlihan, D: "Did...did somebody object, Mr. Speaker?"

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Ryan objected, Representative Houlihan."

Houlihan, D: "I'd like to point out to Representative Ryan that in asking the Bills be heard together, one is the appropriation Bill for the substantive measure. And ask whether or not he still persists in his objection."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Catania, do you seek recognition?"

Ryan: "Well, I withdraw my objection, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Redmond: "ERA. The Gentleman has leave to consider House Bill 1822 together with House Bill 2393. Read...."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 1822. A Bill for an Act to establish service programs for displaced homemakers. Third Reading of the Bill."

Houlihan, D: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, House Bill 2393 is the appropriation measure calling for \$100,000 in funding for House Bill 1822 which would enact the Displaced Homemakers Assistance Act and to provide for the Director of the Department of Labor to institute job training programs, referral services and counseling services for displaced homemakers. These programs shall be operated by a community not-for-profit agencies and organizations which shall provide not less than five percent of the total cost of the operation. The rationale for this legislation is that there is



an increasing number of persons in this state who in their middle years and having fulfilled the role of homemaker find themselves displaced because of dissolution of marriage, death of a spouse or other loss of family income. And in consequence, displaced homemakers have a greatly reduced income. They also suffer a high rate of unemployment due to age. They have a lack of paid work experience and limited opportunities to collect funds of assistance, social security, unemployment compensation, medicaid and other health insurance benefits or pension plans of their spouse. I think that it is clear that assistance should be offered such displaced homemakers to enable them to contribute and to maintain their economic independence and economic security. My Cosponsor, Representative Catania, and I would be happy to answer any questions you may have in the absence of those. Would ask for a favorable Roll Call."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Totten."

Totten: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, would the Sponsor yield? Representative Houlihan, was this appropriation reduced or is it still a hundred thousand dollars?"

Houlihan, D: "I believe it is still a hundred thousand dollars. Let me confer with Representative Catania who was in the Appropriations Committee as to whether or not the appropriation was reduced."

Catania: "I'm sorry, would the Representative repeat the question, please?"

Totten: "Was...was this appropriation reduced? It's...it's indicated ...you cannot get the funds for quite a while, was suggested that the appropriation be reduced."

Catania: "Yes. The Committee did not reduce it, perhaps the Senate will choose to reduce it. The feeling was that it would go out the way it was since the substantive Bill had already been heard and received a 103 votes. And then if the Senate chooses to reduce it perhaps it will."

Totten: "I...I thought we were considering the substantive Bill at the same time."

Catania: "They're both being considered together, yes."

Totten: "How did it get...."

Catania: "The substantive Bill was heard, it had a 103 votes and then it was pointed out by the Committee Chairman...."



Totten: "Okay."

Catania: "That it hadn't been heard yet in Appropriations so we took it out of the record."

Totten: "How much of this is matching money?"

Catania: "There are four federal programs that are listed in the Republican Analysis which would contribute considerably more than a hundred thousand dollars. Most of these are not now being sought in Illinois because it has championed the cause of these displaced homemakers. So probably this is only ten to twenty percent of what would be available if all the federal funds were brought into Illinois."

Totten: "Okay. So you're saying that if the hundred thousand dollars was appropriated then you would have available for this program maybe seven hundred thousand dollars?"

Catania: "That kind of federal money is available in various programs which is, as I've said, were listed in the Republican Committee Analysis."

Totten: "What...what assurance do you have that if we put this money forward that continued federal money will be available and so that we don't end up picking up the full seven hundred or million... seven hundred thousand or million dollar tab in the future for this program?"

Catania: "The experience with similar programs in other states such as the California Program and the Maryland Program is that very small amounts of money can be used very successfully to run these programs. In California, two hundred thousand dollars was appropriated over two years ago to run this center in Oakland and that is what that center has been functioning on, just that two hundred thousand dollars. They are now seeking a reappropriation but that's been their total budget for the last two years. You see, these are people who need only minimal assistance to get into the job market. They are people who have a number of skills that they don't recognize as saleable, marketable job skills that once they get back on their feet they're able to become very economically stable. They don't need a whole lot of counseling and money. If you let me go on for just another minute. With one center in California they are able to service the whole state. A person who finds herself in this predicament



you know being recently widowed can just send a postcard to the center and say, 'I'm 42 years old. I have two children in college. Twenty years ago I worked as a file clerk, what is available in my area here in Sacramento?' And they send back a letter telling her of what opportunities are available to her and who else in her own immediate area has a similar problem that she might want to get together and talk her. You see, it's very minimal counseling that has this astronomically beneficial results."

Totten: "Thank you. Mr. Speaker, may I speak to the Bill?"

Speaker Redmond: "Proceed."

Totten: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Again, I think we find ourselves, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, looking at something that we all recognize as a need and we're looking again to the state and the federal government to supply the need in the way of dollars. I have questioned again whether in the future we may not be asking for a much higher price tag than the hundred thousand dollars that's asked for in this Bill. Well, I think it's a dangerous precedent for us to continue on. Secondly, the appropriation Bill has not been amended sufficiently to bring in line with the amount of money that can be spent this year which is somewhere in the neighborhood of thirty-five thousand dollars. And I think that both measures have deficiencies in them that they should not receive the favorable support of this House at this time."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Peters."

Peters: "Mr. Speaker, if Representative Keats would kindly sit down. Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "That's asking a lot."

Peters: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, House Bill 2393 was heard in the Appropriations Committee and was recommended out on a 15 'yes', 9 'no' do pass motion. There was a little bit of discussion in the Committee in regards to some of the subject matter as brought up by Representative Totten in regard to exactly how far down the road we can take this program and what it might end up in the future. For your consideration in making up your minds on how you're going to vote on this, what we're talking about initially is an appropriation here of one hundred thousand dollars to the



Department of Labor to help train and counsel displaced homemakers to train and counsel women who are now in need a job because of whatever circumstances might have happened in terms of the home. One of the things that strikes me personally on this particular kind of legislation is that although we end up talking about a hundred thousand dollars initially what we end up finding out that once people in community organizations end up getting involved in the program there is no way to stop or pull back this program. It's a hundred thousand, a two hundred thousand, a three hundred thousand, like the Dangerous Drug Commission is up to something like thirteen million dollars now. Children and Family Services I think started out at eight million, it's up to a hundred twenty-seven or a hundred and thirty million. There's no way to stop the floodgates it ends up opening. The other point I just give to you for your consideration is this, if we spent the money that we have appropriated for public aid and for various other social welfare program, just outright appropriated that money and gave it directly to the people who need the money, we'd be a lot better off in our society and a lot more of the cash that people need to lead decent lives would be there. What we end up doing in half of these programs is spending countless millions, hundreds of millions of dollars, to employ other people that try and help another group of people who really need the help. And what we in fact are creating in our society is a group of people who become permanently, permanently on either a welfare roll or in a permanent position when another group of people in fact make their living by trying to help them. I don't know if ever this kind of a thing can be stopped in our system but I certainly suggest to you that you give serious consideration before you vote the approval of either the money or the substantive legislation to initiate more programs of this nature."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Catania to close. Representative Houlihan to close."

Houlihan, D: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I would suggest that the logical extension of the remarks of the two speakers who spoke in opposition to this Bill, that the logical expense of their remarks would be that we should never fund, ever,



any program that would address itself to the needs and the problems of any segment of our society. And the fact is that this is a pilot program. I think the need that it addresses is a particularly meritorious one. It is no defense to deny support to this kind of a Bill simply because in the future the problem may be even more extreme than it is now. We've an obligation to address the needs of all segments of our society. That's what this Bill does. What will happen in the future is something that neither I nor anyone else can predict. But I think that we can predict with some assurance the failure to implement this type of legislation will simply lead to an increase in what we are paying in the huge cost of public welfare in this state. This is an imaginative Bill. It is a novel approach and one that really deserves the support of the Assembly. And I'd ask for an Affirmative Roll Call."

Speaker Redmond: "The question is, shall this Bill pass? Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Have all voted who wish? Representative Mulcahey."

Mulcahey: "Well, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House, under the...under the present structure of the Bureau of Employment Security within the Department of Labor, employment training and placement programs are available to those people who are unemployed and looking for work. And the program proposed here seems to duplicate the duties of the Bureau of Employment Security. And in my opinion the entire operation of Bureau Employment Security is funded from federal funds. So it seems that the programs that exist to aid the unemployed are already federally funded and I don't think it requires any state funding at this time. So I'm going to vote 'no'."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Satterthwaite."

Satterthwaite: "Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, I think we are putting our head in the sand if we say that there is not a specific need for programs of this sort. The intent of a very, very minor kind of appropriation at this point could be directed toward giving these people an opportunity to be in the work market, to be able to earn their own living and to be able to support themselves and their families in such a way as to keep them off the public aid roll. It seems to me inconsistent for us to say that we are not willing to



invest a small amount of money to help people to make them self-sufficient but we would instead prefer that we not give this money to this very worthy cause. And by that result have to put many, many more dollars into supporting them in many other ways through governmental assistance. I think this is one area where a very minor kind of expenditure on the part of the state can be multiplied many times over in the advantages not only to the specific people who are placed in jobs through mechanism but also in terms of the additional income they have which will provide additional tax revenues for the State of Illinois. And I urge your support of this very worthy Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Dyer."

Dyer: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, as I look up on that board I am very, very disappointed to see that a lot of the red lights come from my side of the aisle. Now if we think back to what Abraham Lincoln said about government it should do only those things for people that they cannot do for themselves. If we think of the Chinese proverb, you know, 'If you want to feed a person for a day you give them a fish. If you want to feed them for a lifetime you teach them how to fish'. As I understand the philosophy of my party it is to try to make people self-sufficient so that they can get an occupation. And, sure, we can teach these widows, divorced women, single women, we can keep them on welfare. We can give them a check every month as someone suggested. But how much more American it would be to teach them how to do an occupation. To teach them a skill so that they can earn their own living. I would certainly hope to see more green lights up there from this side of the aisle."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Deuster."

Deuster: "Well, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, in a way it might be appropriate that this legislation is coming to us at a week and at a time when we're also going to be considering an Amendment to the United States Constitution on equal rights. I think those of us in this Legislature who have felt there's a difference between men and women know that we have always recognized that women sometimes need different treatment under the law particularly those women who have chosen not to be career or professional girls or



women but those who have cared for children and stayed at home. And although this legislation happens to be cast in sex neutral language nonetheless we all know what we're talking about here. We're talking about women who have been home taking care of babies and who have suddenly either through divorce or death lost their husbands and found that after all these many years they're not skilled and they're not capable of going out into the work world. This legislation is a perfect example of a way in which if we want to we can far better help women specifically by addressing specific problems. And we can present an appropriation like this so we know what the cost is and exactly what it's going to do. And I would urge of you who think this is a problem that we can address by this legislation to vote for it, to demonstrate that we can help where there is a specific need. And also, we can do it better than by sweeping something into the United States Constitution we can handle this on the state level and we can go back to our constituents and say, 'Yes, we've done something women. We've really done something for women. Not just a slogan in the Constitution but specific action for the women of Illinois'. And I would urge those of you who feel that this is helpful to vote 'yes'."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Jacobs."

Jacobs: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. You know, this I think is very good piece of legislation. In my district we just have taken over a girl's lodge that has ceased being in operation and made a home for displaced homemakers. Now we're doing this with local financing, donations. And why not pass legislation to train these people so they can be self-supporting? I think this is a good Bill, Ladies and Gentlemen, and I think it's deserving of an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Redmond: "Have all voted who wish? The Clerk will take the record. On this question there's a 101 'aye' and 43 'no'. Bill having received...these Bills having received Constitutional Majority are hereby declared passed. Representative Maragos...Marovitz."

Marovitz: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I rise for the purpose of an announcement. On the desk....Representative Capparelli and Representative Lucco have passed out something about softball practice for next week



House-Senate game. There's an addition to that. We have a field for tonight, at six o'clock...from six o'clock until it gets dark, Diamond 4 at Lincoln Park. So anybody who wishes to play in the House-Senate games wants to get some practice to hit, field, Diamond 4, Lincoln Park, tonight at six o'clock. We welcome everybody to attend. Thank you."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Geo-Karis."

Geo-Karis: "Mr. Speaker, by leave of the Minority Leader, George Ryan, I have the pleasure to announce that we have visiting us today...."

Speaker Redmond: "Give the Lady...give the Lady attention."

Geo-Karis: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Matiejvich. Proceed."

Geo-Karis: "And, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, we have the privilege of having with us, members of the Lake County Board of Realtors, Don 'Freels', Dan Knox, Russell 'Grotney', Ed 'Blacaniac' and Bob 'Freels'. And they're in the District 31 and 32 represented by Representatives Pierce, Reed, Deuster from Thirty-second. Thirty-first District by Representative Matiejvich, Greisheimer and Geo-Karis. They're sitting up in the Speaker's gallery and welcome, gentlemen, here."

Speaker Redmond: "Gentleman from Lake, Representative Matiejvich."

Matiejvich: "These gentlemen are from my area, I'm going to withhold any other introductions."

Speaker Redmond: "Your attention is directed at the top of page 10 in your Calendar, unlikely as it seems, there is a mistake and that should be Wednesday, should be the caption up at the top of page 10. Now, House Bills Third Reading, appears House Bill 1595, Representative J. David Jones."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Bill 1595. A Bill for an Act to provide for the ordinary and contingent expense of the State Fair Agency. Third Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Jones."

Jones, J.D.: "Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, 1595 is the annual appropriation for the Illinois State Fair Agency in the amount of four million, seven hundred and forty-five thousand, two hundred dollars, which is a hundred and fourteen thousand dollars less than



last year."

Speaker Redmond: "Any questions or any discussion? The question is, shall this Bill pass? Those in favor vote 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Clerk will take the record. On this question there's a 133 'aye' and 3 'no' and the Bill having received the Constitutional Majority hereby declared passed. Mr. Clerk, are the Senate...are the Amendments to Senate Bills Second Reading, have they been printed and distributed, 344 and 1098? The Amendments on 344 and 1098. Don't have them? Consideration Postponed. Representative Pouncey, do you want 217 called? Out of the record or do you want it called, which? Out of the record. 408, Representative Richmond? 1180, Representative Taylor? 1211, Hanahan? Order of Speaker's Table, House Joint Resolution 1, Representative Yourell, do you want that one called? Out of the record. House Joint Resolution 25, Matijevich, do you want that one called? On the Speaker's Table, House Joint Resolution 25. Out of the record. House Joint Resolution 74, Representative Bowman. Is he on the floor? Out of the record. 112, Representative Terzich? Out of the record. Senate Joint Resolution 18. Representative James Houlihan, would you like to Sponsor House Joint Resolution 18? We don't have a Sponsor on Senate Joint Resolution 18. May we assign Representative Giorgi? Hearing no objection, Representative Giorgi is assigned. Without being here. Representative Madigan, do you have any excused absences on the Democratic side?"

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker, would the record show that Representatives Kornowicz and Mann are excused because of illness? And that Representatives Pierce and Beatty are excused?"

Speaker Redmond: "Is there any objection? Hearing none, the record will so show. Representative Mugalian will be the Chairman of Revenue today at 2 o'clock. And they tell me he's a stern taskmaster. Yes, Mr. Clerk. Very important announcement from the Clerk."

Clerk O'Brien: "Second announcement on the finding of a very valuable ballpoint pen in the vicinity of Representative Conti's desk. If anybody will identify it, we have the ballpoint pen here."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Conti. Representative Conti."

Conti: "Mr. Speaker, there might be a confusion when you refer to it as



a ballpoint pen. It is the expensive regular pen and ^{pen set} pen set. And it happens to be one of the best."

Speaker Redmond: "If it will make the owner feel any better, it was found very close to Representative Luft's desk. Representative Giorgi, do you want to proceed on Senate Joint Resolution 18? It's on the Speaker's table. Agreed Resolutions. Wait a minute, now. Can you proceed on Senate Joint Resolution 18? Not yet. Agreed Resolutions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution 287, Waddell. And House Resolution 285, Stanley."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Resolution...House Resolution 287 by Waddell honors the Lion of the Year, Raymond Bock. But I don't have House Resolution 285 in front of me. And I moved for adoption of Agreed Resolution 287."

Speaker Redmond: "Question's on the Gentleman's motion, the adoption of Agreed Resolution 287. Those in favor say 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolution's adopted. Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "And House Resolution honor Edward Mihalkanin is the president of the senior class of Bradley University. I move the adoption of the Agreed Resolution."

Speaker Redmond: "Any discussion? The question's on the Gentleman's motion for the adoption of the Agreed Resolution. Those in favor say 'aye', 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. Resolution's adopted. Representative Lucco."

Lucco: "Thank you...thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I'd like to announce that there's a girl out in the lobby, right out here in the rotunda on this floor, that'll be selling tickets for the annual House-Senate Softball Game which is scheduled for June the 9th. And, of course, as Pete Miller said, 'Every Member of the House should buy at least two tickets! One dollar a piece. It's one of the fine things that we as Members of the Legislature do each year. The money goes to the benefit of the kids here in Springfield and it's very, very much appreciated."

Speaker Redmond: "I understand that former Member, former Representative Pete Miller in the St. Patrick outfit is there also selling tickets. Is that right? Representative Madigan. Mr. Clerk, will you explain



what the needs of the Clerk's Office...."

Clerk O'Brien: "Ten minutes of Perfunctory Session for reading of messages from the Senate and Senate Bills First Reading."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Taylor, for what purpose do you rise?"

Taylor: "Mr. Speaker, I rise for the privilege of an announcement and that is that the...."

Speaker Redmond: "Give the Gentleman order, please."

Taylor: "The Committee on Cities and Villages will meet immediately after adjournment, 2 o'clock...."

Speaker Redmond: "Any further announcements?"

Taylor: "State Office Building."

Speaker Redmond: "Any further announcements? I'd just like...I don't know whether you got the memo but the Senate passed pretty nearly seven hundred Bills. And Representative Caldwell, will...we shouldn't be misled by the fact our Calendar today is pretty skimpy because seven hundred Bills will be screaming at us pretty soon. Representative Caldwell."

Caldwell: "In connection with that, Mr. Speaker, I notice that the Calendar has a misprint. The Committee on Public Utilities is scheduled to meet on Wednesday and we only have two Bills scheduled and I'm suggest that we won't meet until next week. I don't think that we ought to meet for two Bills and one of the Sponsors says it doesn't make any difference to him. So the Public Utilities Committee will not meet this week unless we do it in our overtime."

Speaker Redmond: "Representative Madigan for a motion."

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker, what time do we plan to come in tomorrow?"

Speaker Redmond: "Nine thirty."

Madigan: "I move that we adjourn until 9:30 tomorrow."

Speaker Redmond: "The question's on the...Representative DiPrima."

DiPrima: "I was just looking at the Calendar, Mr. Speaker, and it says that Committee Meetings on Tuesday and it includes Veterans Affairs. We meet until tomorrow, Wednesday at 4 o'clock."

Speaker Redmond: "The announcement was made....on the top of page 10, there's a mistake in the printing on the Committee Meetings should be Wednesday instead of continued. The question's on Representative Madigan's motion that we now adjourn until 9:30 tomorrow morning



after having the Clerk stand Perfunctory Session. Those in favor of the motion indicate by saying 'aye', 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The motion carries. We now stand adjourned until 9:30 tomorrow morning."

Clerk O'Brien: "A message from the Senate by Mr. Wright, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker, I am directed to inform the House of Representatives the Senate has passed Bills of the following titles and the passage of which I am instructed to ask concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit: Senate Bills #19, 161, 187, 233, 319, 327, 380, 403, 466, 752, 767, 762, 810, 839, 878, 894, 893, 1209, 1331, 1019, 1060, 1155, 1251, 1274, 1275, 1302, 1335, 23, 165, 385, 391, 392, 399, 464, 600, 633, 650, 1177. Passed by the Senate, May 27, 1977. Kenneth Wright, Secretary.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Wright, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker, I am directed to inform the House of Representatives the Senate adopted the following Preamble and Joint Resolution and the adoption of which I am instructed to ask concurrence of the House of Representatives, to-wit: Senate Joint Resolution #43. Adopted by the Senate, May 27, 1977. Kenneth Wright, Secretary.

A message from the Senate by Mr. Wright, Secretary.

Mr. Speaker, I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has concurred with the House in the adoption of the following Preamble and Joint Resolution, to-wit: House Joint Resolution #43. Concurred in by the Senate, May 27, 1977.

Kenneth Wright, Secretary.

Senate Bills First Reading.

Senate Bill 710. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act in relation to county zoning. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 948. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to create sanitary districts and remove obstructions in Des Plaines and Illinois Rivers. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1039. A Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 23. A Bill for an Act to amend the Currency Exchangethat's the wrong one. Scratch 23.

Senate Bill 319. A Bill for an Act to make appropriation to the



St. Louis Metropolitan Area Airport Authority. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 327. A Bill for an Act to make appropriation for the Department of Local Governmental Affairs. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 600. A Bill for an Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 633. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act relating to reinstatement of insurance policies. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 750. A Bill for an Act to make appropriations for fiscal year '78 expenses for the Illinois State Scholarship Commission. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1177. A Bill for an Act to amend the Election Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 23. A Bill for an Act to amend the Currency Exchange Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 385. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 391. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 392. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 399. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 464. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 466. A Bill for an Act to amend the Insurance Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 603. A Bill for an Act to amend the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 693. A Bill for an Act to create an Act to prevent the issuance of revenue debt bonds by units of local government which are not home rule units. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 708. A Bill for an Act to amend the Gas Revenue Tax Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 892. A Bill for an Act to require identification for voluntarily handicapped and automatic elevators. First Reading



of the Bill.

Senate Bill 896. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code.

First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 912. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code.

First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 913. A Bill for an Act to amend an Act concerning preferred claims for wages. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 944. A Bill for an Act to create the compensations ...Comprehensive Solar Energy Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 949. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Abortion Law and the Medical Practice Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1045. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1049. A Bill for an Act to establish uniform system for the control, manufacturer, distribution, possession of control of dangerous substances. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1060. A Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Health Finance Authority. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1095. A Bill for an Act to direct a one time transfer from the Office Supplies Revolving Fund to the General Revenue Fund. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1209. A Bill for an Act to amend the School Code. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1243. A Bill for an Act appropriating...make an appropriation to Capital Development Board for acquiring land in Jackson County. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1259. A Bill for an Act to provide for bimonthly payment of salaries for Commissioners of banks and trust companies and Deputy Commissioners. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1274. A Bill for an Act to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1275. A Bill for an Act to amend the Code of Criminal Procedure. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1297. A Bill for an Act to amend the Capital Development Board Act. First Reading of the Bill.

Senate Bill 1298. A Bill for an Act to amend the Civil Administrative



Code. First Reading of the Bill.

No further business the House now stands adjourned."



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27		Speaker Redmond	
27		Clerk O'Brien	HB 2383-2nd-No C.A.
27		Speaker Redmond	3rd Reading
27	1:12	Clerk O'Brien	HB 2384-2nd-NO C. A.
28		Speaker Redmond	3rd Reading
28		Clerk O'Brien	HB 2391-2nd-Am #1 adopted
28		Speaker Redmond	3rd Reading
28		Clerk O'Brien	HB 2396-2nd-No C.A.
28		Speaker Redmond	3rd Reading
28		Clerk O'Brien	HB 2397-2nd-Am 1 & 2 adopted
28		Speaker Redmond	3rd Reading
29		Clerk O'Brien	HB 2355-2nd
29		Speaker Redmond	
29		Taylor	
29		Speaker Redmond	
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29		Taylor)	
29		Speaker Redmond	3rd Reading
29		Clerk O'Brien	HB 2393-3rd Reading
30		Speaker Redmond	
30		Houlihan, D.	Leave to hear HB 1822
30		Speaker Redmond	Objections
30	1:20	Houlihan)	
30)	
30		Ryan)	Withdraws objections
30		Speaker Redmond	Leave granted
30		Clerk O'Brien	HB 1822-3rd Reading
30		Houlihan	



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31		Houlihan, D)	
32,33		Catania	
33		Speaker Redmond	
33,34		Peters	
34		Speaker Redmond	
34		Houlihan, D.	To close
35		Speaker Redmond	
35		Mulcahey	Explains vote
35		Speaker Redmond	
35		Satterthwaite	Explains vote
36		Speaker Redmond	
36		Dyer	
36		Speaker Redmond	
36	1:35	Deuster	Support
37		Speaker Redmond	
37		Jacobs	
37		Speaker Redmond	HB 2393 & 1822 passed
37	1:38	Marovitz	Announcement
38		Speaker Redmond	
38		Geo-Karis	
38		Speaker Redmond	
38		Matijevich	
38		Speaker Redmond	
38		Clerk O'Brien	HB 1595-3rd Reading
38		Speaker Redmond	



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39		Madigan	Excused absence
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39		Clerk O'Brien	
39		Speaker Redmond	
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39		Speaker Redmond	
40		Clerk O'Brien	Agreed Resolution
40		Speaker Redmond	
40		Giorgi)	
40		Speaker Redmond)	
40		Lucco	Announcement
40		Speaker Redmond	
41		Clerk O'Brien	
41		Speaker Redmond	
41	1:48	Taylor	Announcement
41		Speaker Redmond	
41		Caldwell	Announcement
41		Speaker Redmond	
41		Madigan	Move adjourn
41		Speaker Redmond	
41		DiPrima	
41		Speaker Redmond	Adjourn after perfunctory session
42,43,44,45		Clerk O'Brien	Senate Bills First Reading Adjourn

