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Clerk Leone: "All assembled in these chambers give attention.

The Secretary of State, the Honorable Jim Edgar, sends greetings and proclaims that this day, the second Wednesday of January, 1985, is the day fixed for convening of the House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly of the State of Illinois, pursuant to Article IV, Section 5 of the Constitution. All persons, except Members and their families, are requested to clear the chambers, and the provisional doorkeepers are directed to clear the aisles."

Secretary of State Edgar: "If everyone would please take their seats and persons not entitled to the floor, if you would please retire. And there are seats up in the gallery. We'd ask you to move along so we can get the House underway."

Doorkeeper Sturm: "Will all Members not entitled to the floor please retire to the chamber? Will all Representatives-elect please be assembled in the chamber?"

Clerk Leone: "May I have your attention? May I have your attention, please? At the Speaker's rostrum and ready to convene the House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly, in and for the great State of Illinois, is the Secretary of State, the Honorable Jim Edgar."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly of the State of Illinois will come to order. I would like to welcome all the Members-elect and their families and friends. In particular, I'd like to welcome the families of the new Representatives. This is something my family went through eight years ago, and I think this day is as important for the family as for the Members-elect. And I can assure the members of the family that your work has just begun, so enjoy today. You've got to go home and take all the phone calls. Quoting from the

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1970 Constitution of the State of Illinois, Article IV, Section 6(b), 'On the first day of the January Session of the General Assembly, in odd-numbered years, the Secretary of State shall convene the House of Representatives to elect from its Membership a Speaker of the House of Representatives as presiding officer'. We shall now be led in prayer by the Reverend Corneal Davis; Rabbi Barry Marks of Temple Israel in Springfield, Illinois; Father Charles Kyle, St. Xavier Church, Chicago. First, I'd like to ask former Member of the Illinois House of Representative, Reverend Corneal Davis."

Reverend Davis: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary of State. And because you are a Secretary of State and a good Secretary of State, may I impose upon your generosity, because I was here two years ago and you gave me the privilege of prefacing this prayer that I'm going to say here today. I, in 1942, myself, C. C. Wimbish and Frey J. Smith were the first black Democrats to ever walk through those doors. I simply say that so that you could look at the House now and see the improvement. Mr. Secretary, I want to congratulate especially the black caucus, because we have peace here in this General Assembly. And, you know, I've been in this General Assembly when we had the famous Roll Calls, and we went on and on and on, and like they said, ad infinitum, till only our good Lord had to step in and stop us. But I want to congratulate the black caucus for having chosen my friend. I said in the beginning that we came here in 1942. That's the same year the Speaker that you have chosen for the second time, the Honorable Mike Madigan, was born, in 1942. We came into this House, and I'm going to congratulate him because he has moved pretty fast, hasn't he? And it's because I found him to always take into consideration what's on the heart and mind of the other

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Members and this is the way you have peace. There is no such thing as another man can't be right and I be wrong, or that he be wrong and I be right. But, you see, Mike Madigan, your Speaker, and I have found him to be a man who will give you a chance to express what is on your hearts and minds. And since I was one of those who helped start this black caucus, I do want to congratulate you. And, Carol Mosely Braun, I really want to congratulate you because... because I know what a fog you can cook up when you get ready to cook up one. I do want to congratulate you. I love peace and I want to congratulate my friend, Speaker Madigan, for giving me this special invitation. This is the second time to come down here and to utter... and to utter this prayer. Now, I want to also congratulate all of you for passing that Bill that I was in here and privileged to hear. Speaker Redman, sitting over there, will tell you that when I first came down here in '42, the salary was \$3000, and I want to tell you, you have gone a long ways now and I take off my hat to all of you. And then, I want to tell you that if you look on this board, you will see my name there. I was one of the Committee. I didn't catch... I started to say something else. I didn't catch the criticism that Bob Blair caught, but it took a lot of criticism and a lot of money and the newspapers gave poor Bob Blair that criticism, but I'll always love him for giving you a decent place to entertain the people who come from your districts and to make them know that you are the kind of Representative they'd like to have represent them and you don't have to meet them out in the hall. I was a Member of that Committee and this is a beautiful place and we owe it to those old timers who had guts enough... who had guts enough to make it so. Thank you very much and after all of that, let us pray. God of our fathers and our

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God, I pray that our separate faiths will combine as we pause and then make this prayer. We thank you, Mr. Speaker and each Member of this House elected to this 84th General Assembly for this special invitation to come and be with the installation of the Members of the 84th General Assembly. O Lord, our God, open our minds once more to Thy truth. Preserve us from contentment, from contentment with things as they are and give us wisdom to strive for life as it ought be in these disturbing and difficult days. May the cry of our children for justice and peace be full of mercy and without partiality. In these testing and difficult days, may we show Godly concern, may we heed and respond to the cry from our cities and our city dwellers who are poor and often ignored under the cruelest circumstances. May we observe the number of mothers trying to raise a family alone. And I simply make this prayer because we have been talking so much about crime in our streets. Mothers, trying to find jobs, O Lord, our God, and have to leave their children at home to be neglected. O Lord, our God, they venture out looking for jobs in the labor force and a lot of times they cannot find them. O Lord, our God, take possession of the Membership of this House, sharpen their insights and command all of their energies. May their conscience monitor every thought they have. May their conscience monitor every word and every deed here in this House. And O Lord, our God, bestow upon the Membership the role of our Lord and Saviour. May they be reminded of Your words, 'To him that would be great among you, let him become Your servant.' Or, may they be reminded that the people have placed great trust in them and to whom much is given, much is expected in return. And there is no other higher occupation than to be the servant of the people who sent me here to serve. Thank You, my

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Lord, and thank You, my Saviour. Oh, I was sent a notice by the Chicago Urban League and it said to me, 'Ponder long over what I am saying to you,' and President 'Compton' of the Chicago Urban League stated, and I thank God for it, that - listen - 60 percent of your black teenagers, 60 percent of them, are without jobs. O Lord, our God, help us to remember those words because this is what he asked me to remember. In view of the people that make... In view of the people that make the laws, in view of the people that you have just approved of the salary of the Judges, in view of the people that determine the jury roll and the jury call. I'm not going to say all power is in your hand, but all power is in the hand of God Almighty, who is the alpha and omega or the Greek 'A' for beginning and omega is the last word in that alphabet and it is the ending. And I say to you, God Almighty is your beginning here in this House and if you serve well, he'll be your ending and all of the people whom you will have served will be much better off than the day you came into this House. Now, I want to also thank the Speaker and thank those who voted for that Resolution because the Resolution that was passed here last year and adopted by... proposed by the Gentleman who took my place over there, holding his little daughter, Larry Bullock, the Martin Luther King's birthday and this was a great day because Speaker Madigan and Speaker... my Speaker Redman were all here in those tough days and it took a lot of guts and a lot of courage - do you hear me - to vote to make a standing holiday for the dark angel of nonviolence. God bless every one of you that voted for it and God bless every one of you who two years ago that voted for that Resolution. And all the Resolution does is bring Martin Luther King's birthday, observance of Martin Luther King's birthday, in conformity with the Federal Government's

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birthday of Martin Luther King and they will all be working together on the 15th day... and that's just next week, and you, the House, you, Mr. Speaker Madigan, deserve the credit, every last one of you, for putting it in conformity with the federal law. Because this is the Land of Lincoln and it was the Land of Lincoln that made the dark angel of nonviolence - do you hear me - birthday an observance. Oh, on that side is Mr. Lincoln and on that side is Mr. Douglas. Working together, they saved this nation. Isn't that true? With a strong House and with a strong Speaker, all of the problems that's confronting this state, don't you know, you can solve them. It's in your hand. Remember, he says, 'I am the alpha and I am the omega. I am the beginning and I am the end.' All the power is in his hand and there is no problem your Lord cannot serve. Unemployment is running away. Speaker Redman who is now on the Board of Parole, sitting with me, told me the problem and I was praying as he was talking to me, about how many young people are in these institutions. And he says, you know, two things, two things can solve it. One is what a lot of them are doing in there. They are graduating in classes in there. And he says the other is what you can do. You can find some jobs for these young ones and it will do much when we talk about crime. It will do much to end all of your crimes, don't you know? I must shut off now. I sought my God and His Spirit I could feel, but my God I did not see. And then I sought my soul and my soul eluded me. Then I went out and I sought my unemployed unfortunuate brother, unfortunate teenager and don't you know what? I found all three and so will you. My God, my soul, my unfortunuate brother and me. Amen and thank you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you, Reverend Davis. Next speaker will be Rabbi Barry Marks from Temple Israel here

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in Springfield."

Rabbi Marks: "Lord God, we give you thanks for this day and for all that it means to us. We are grateful for life and for health, for the ties of love and sharing which bind us to family and friends, for the capacity we have to search for and discover truth, to understand in some small measure the workings of Your world, to experience beauty and to communicate our thoughts and feelings to each other. Above all, at this moment, we are mindful of the blessings of freedom which we enjoy in this land, the right we have exercised in recent weeks to choose those who will represent us in shaping the policies and managing the affairs of this state and nation. Grant us the wisdom to value and to safeguard our precious liberties. Bestow Your blessings, we pray, on those who will be inaugurated into office today. Endow them with those qualities they will need in the exercise of their responsibility, the patience to deal with the details of the legislative process, the openmindedness to honestly evaluate the merits on each side of an issue and to set aside preconceived notions when they no longer correspond to reality, the courage to heed the call of conscience, and the humility to recognize that power and position are not their own end, but they exist that we might serve and do good for our fellows. Our world becomes smaller, more complex and interrelated. What is done here in these halls affects the well-being of millions who reside in this state, millions of others who come to visit or to do business. Those who deliberate and act here have a weighty responsibility. Guide them, Lord God, and watch over them. Bless them, and us with the light of Your presence for by Your light do we see light. Amen."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you, Rabbi. Our last person to give an invocation will be Father Charles Kyle from St.

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Xavier Church in Chicago. Father."

Father Kyle: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary and thank you, Speaker Madigan, for honoring... allowing me to give this prayer and I'm especially gratified as a priest in Spanish speaking ministry to be here the first day that a Mexican-American would take his seat in the House of Representatives. In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, Amen. Heavenly Father, on this first day of the 84th General Assembly, we invoke Your blessings for Mr. Michael Madigan, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and all Members of the House of Representatives in the great State of Illinois. We ask for them the same blessings which were asked for Solomon in Psalms 72. We pray that they may be given the gift of your own justice and righteousness so that they may represent Your people rightly and Your poor with justice. We pray that the mountains and hills bring a message of peace for the people. We pray that the Speaker and Members of the 84th General Assembly will defend the poorest and will save the children of those in need. We pray that like the sun and the moon that the laws that this Assembly passes will endure age after age and that these laws will be welcomed by the people as rain that falls on the pasture and showers to thirsty soil. May these elected servants free the poor man who calls to them and those who need help. May they have pity on the poor and the feeble and save the lives of those in need. May they protect the lives of the weak from exploitation and outrage as all lives shall be precious in their sight. May there be grain everywhere in this great state, luxuriant as common grass. Due to the justice and wisdom of their works, may the names of this Speaker and General Assembly be blessed forever, enduring as the sun. May every race in the world bless the work which they will

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do. And finally, blessed be Yahweh, our God, who alone performs these marvels. Blessed forever be His glorious name. May the whole world be filled with his glory. Amen, Amen."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Everyone may be seated, if you can find a seat. If there are any seats left, feel free to sit down at this point, please. We are honored today to have several distinguished Illinoisans join us in the opening ceremony. I'd like to introduce a few. From the Supreme Court, I'd like to introduce Justice Ryan. Please stand. Justice Miller. And former Justice Underwood. I'd also like to introduce the Attorney General of the State of Illinois, Mr. Neil Hartigan. I'd also like to introduce the Auditor General of the State of Illinois, Robert Cronson. I'd like to introduce two former Members of the Illinois House who currently hold other positions. First, President of the Cook County Board, George Dunn. And Mr. Bus Yourell, Recorder of Deed, Cook County. Also I'd like to introduce former Speaker of the House, Mr. Bill Redmond. And I would like to welcome the many other honored guests here today. It's now my privilege to ask former Speaker of the House, current Lieutenant Governor of the State of Illinois, Governor George Ryan, to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance. George."

Lieutenant Governor Ryan: "Thank you very much. Mr. Secretary and distinguished Ladies and Gentlemen here, I'd like to take a minute to add my congratulations and best wishes especially to the new Members that are here. You've got an experience to look forward to at least for the next two years and I would hope, for at least most of you, longer than that. I'd like to congratulate Speaker Madigan on his reelection. I think it's going to be unanimous a little later on, but congratulations, Mike. You have done a good

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job, but you had a good trainer in former Speaker Bill Redmond. I'll do what I'm assigned to now, thank you. I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one Nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you, Governor Ryan. The Provisional Clerk... For the duration of the organizational proceeding, I have appointed the following provisional officers. As Provisional Clerk, Anthony J. Leone, Jr. As Provisional Doorkeeper, Larry Strum. And as Provisional Parliamentarian, Zale Glauberman. The Provisional Clerk will call the Roll of Members elected to the 84th General Assembly. The Roll will be called in alphabetical order, as certified by the State Board of Elections, with two changes. The Secretary of State has received a letter from Representative-elect Brummer which states that he will refuse to take the oath of office that is required to serve as a Member of the 84th General Assembly. The Secretary of State has also received a similar letter from Representative-elect Aaron Jaffe in which he states that he will also refuse to take the oath of office required to serve as a Member of the General Assembly. Under the election laws of our state, a vacancy in the office occurs when the person elected to the office refuses to take the oath of office. I, therefore, declare the seat for the 107th Representative District vacant because of Representative-elect Brummer's refusal to take the oath of office. I also declare the seat for the 56th Representative District vacant because of Representative-elect Jaffe's refusal to take the oath of office. The Secretary of State has received an appointment from the Democratic Representative Committee of the 56th Representative District appointing Mr. Calvin R. Sutker to

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fill the vacancy of Mr. Aaron Jaffe. Also, the Secretary of State has received an appointment from the Democratic Representative Committee of the 107th Representative District, appointing Mr. Charles Hartke to fill the vacancy of Mr. Richard H. Brummer. The Provisional Clerk will enter the name of Mr. Calvin... Calvin R. Sutker in the role of Representative-elect and strike the name of Aaron Jaffe. The Provisional Clerk will enter the name of Mr. Charles Hartke in the role of Representative-elect and strike the name of Richard Brummer. We will now proceed with the Attendance Roll Call. If Members will please answer 'present'. Mr. Clerk, call the Roll."

Clerk Leone: "Alexander. Barger. Barnes. Berrios. Bowman. Braun. Breslin. Brookins. Hartke. Brunsvold. Bullock. Capparelli. Christensen. Churchill. Countryman. Cowlshaw. Cullerton. Curran. Currie. Daniels. Davis. DeJaegher. DeLeo. Deuchler. Didrickson. John Dunn. Ewing. Farley. Flinn. Flowers. Virginia Frederick. Dwight Friedrich. Giglio. Giorgi. Goforth. Greiman. Hallock, absent. Hannig. Harris. Hastert. Hawkinson. Hensel. Hicks. Hoffman. Homer. Huff. Sutker. Sutker. Johnson. Keane. Kirkland. Klemm. Koehler. Krska. Kubik. Kulas. Laurino. LeFlore. Leverenz. Levin. Madigan. Matijevich. Mautino. Mays. McAuliffe. McCracken. McGann. McMaster. McNamara. McPike. Mulcahey. Nash. Oblinger, absent. O'Connell. Olson, absent. Panayotovitch. Pangle. Parcels. Parke. Bernard Pedersen. William Peterson. Phelps. Piel. Preston. Pullen. Rea. Regan. Rice. Richmond. Ronan. Ropp. Ryder. Saltsman. Satterthwaite. Shaw. Slater. Soliz. Stange. Steczko. Stephens. Stern. Tate. Terzich. Tuerk. Turner. Van Duynes. Vinson. Vitek. Wait. Washington. Weaver. White. Williamson. Wojcik. Wolf. Woodyard.

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Anthony Young. Wyvetter Young. Zwick."

Secretary of State Edgar: "115 Representatives-elect having answered the Roll and being in attendance, a quorum is present and the House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly is officially convened. The Provisional Clerk will enter the Attendance Roll in the Journal. In a few minutes, you are going to be asked to take the oath of office. Each Member should have at their desk a written note that they are to fill out which is to be eventually returned to my office to make this all official. After the swearing in, we would ask that you fill those forms out. A page will try to come through and pick up those oaths, but be sure that you fill the oaths out and give them to a page who should come to the seats before you leave here this afternoon. Now have the distinct honor of presenting the Honorable Daniel Ward, Chief... no, this is not right - Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court who will administer the constitutional oath of office. Justice Ward."

Justice Ward: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary, Jim Edgar. Will the Members-elect of this distinguished Body of Representative Government please stand? Raise your right hands and repeat after me. I, your name, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Illinois and that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Members of the House of Representatives of Illinois to the best of my ability."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you, Justice Ward. And let me be the first to officially congratulate you on your new position as State Representative and wish you well in the next two years in your undertaking. And the Secretary of State's Office looks forward to working with you in any way that we can be of assistance, excluding three digit license

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plates or jobs. I now would like to repeat for you to fill out the oaths you have. Also, I'd like to introduce another distinguished guest who has just joined us, the Comptroller of the State of Illinois, Mr. Roland Burris. Again, I would ask the pages, are there pages? Okay, to try to begin to pick up the oaths of office. I now would like to ask all persons except Members and authorized staff to withdraw from the chamber floors. I appreciate your cooperation and speed. This will allow us to continue the proceedings of electing a Speaker. I might mention there is closed circuit television in Room 118, 114, both on the first floor and in Representative Madigan's office and in Representative Daniels' office. You don't have oaths? You don't have oaths? The oaths are coming. Don't worry. You're going to be official, Representative Leverenz. We'll count you... might hold onto him for a while, though. If everyone who is not entitled to the floor would please retire from the House floor. Under Article IV, Section 6(b) of the Constitution, the first Order of Business of this House is the election from its Members of a Speaker as presiding officer. Sixty votes shall be required for the election of Speaker. The House is now governed by the rules of the House of Representatives of the 83rd General Assembly which are made applicable to these proceedings by Section 3 of an Act relating to the operations of the General Assembly and to repeal certain Acts therein as approved July 7th, 1967, as amended, which provides that a person receiving a Majority of votes of the Members elected shall be declared elected Speaker. Those rules further provide ten minutes per Member for debate, one minute for explanation of vote of Members who have not previously spoken in debate on the point. With the consent of the House, I would like to limit nominating speeches to no more

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than five minutes and seconding speeches to no more than three minutes. Consent... Consent granted? Fine. I would then permit three minute debate time on the vote itself or one minute of explanation of vote by any Member not previously having spoken on the Roll Call for the election of the Speaker. Is there consent? Consent granted. Alright. Let's get a little order. Just a little. I don't want to break tradition too much. Would everyone please be in their seat? We are now down to the election of a Speaker. It's important that we have order. Nominations are now in order for Speaker of the House. Are there any nominations? Hearing none... yeah. No, I don't have time. The Gentleman from Madison, Representative McPike, is recognized to offer a nomination. Please give the Gentleman your attention. This is an extremely important proceeding. Representative McPike."

McPike: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. First, I would like to congratulate each and every one of you that just took the oath of office. You have been given a unique privilege and a wonderful opportunity, a chance to individually represent nearly 100,000 of your constituents as a Member of the 84th General Assembly of the State of Illinois. It is a tremendous honor, but with this honor and this privilege comes a deep responsibility, both individually as Legislators and collectively as a Legislature. As a co-equal branch of government, it will be up to this Body in the next two years to provide the leadership necessary to decide which problems of society can best be solved by government and then to solve those problems. We begin that process today by electing a Speaker. If we repeat what happened two years ago, if we select the same individual chosen at the beginning of the 83rd General Assembly, then we can't go wrong, because the

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man selected in January of 1983 was no ordinary individual. He has been and is an extraordinary leader. He possesses the qualities of all great leaders of all times. In a recent novel I read on Abraham Lincoln by Gore Vidal, the author talks about Lincoln's triumphant trip to New England in early 1860 where he first spoke at the Cooper Institute. Following a highly successful and widely publicized speech, Lincoln was invited to speak throughout the northeast. And as a result of the publicity that was generated by this trip, he went on to capture his party's nomination for President of the United States. Lincoln always claimed that he went east only to visit his son, Bob, who was going to school in New Hampshire and that the opportunity to give a speech was merely and only a lucky coincidence. Lincoln's close associates disagreed. They said really the exact opposite was true. Lincoln didn't go east to visit his son, but rather the truth was that a few years earlier young Bob was sent east to school so that the father could someday pay a casual visit and take that opportunity to launch his drive for the Presidency. Lincoln's close associates said there was nothing that Lincoln ever left to chance if he could help it. There was nothing that he ever left to chance if he could help it. I cannot find a more accurate description of the Speaker of the Illinois House in 1983 and in 1984 than what that says. There was nothing that the Speaker ever left to chance in those two years if he could help it. He worked at least twelve hours a day every day we were in Springfield. He was familiar with every Bill in every Committee. He knew the House Calendar better than anybody on this floor. He understood the budget, and he understood the political and the social impact of any changes in the budget. He was not only involved in every major issue, he made sure that

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compromises were reached and solutions were found to every problem. The Governor of the State of Illinois said that the 83rd General Assembly was the most productive in a decade. He said so for good reasons. Under the Speaker's direction and with his personal involvement, every major issue before this House was resolved - unemployment insurance, funding for roads and mass transit, nursing home reform, hospital cost containment, a compromise in workers' compensation, collective bargaining, utility reform, major changes in our environmental laws, a balanced budget in the midst of a terrible, terrible recession. The list goes on and on and on. It is a record unparalleled in recent memory. It would not, it would not have happened without the leadership of the Speaker. It happened because he meticulously followed every detail of every major issue. It happened because he mastered over and over again this legislative process. It happened because, like Lincoln, there was nothing that the Speaker ever left to chance. Beyond this, I think his greatest attribute is his ability to understand and work with people. He is respected on both sides of the aisle. No one, Democrat or Republican, is denied access to his office. The line of people waiting to see him, if you've never been in the back corridor, is endless. He listens to everyone. He hears our ideas, our concerns, our wants, our needs, our complaints, and he knows which is which. And he seems to have the wisdom to know which is the most important. He knows people. He has truly mastered the art and science of politics. As Corneal Davis indicated earlier, on April 19th, 1942, Mrs. Mary Rita Madigan gave birth to a baby boy. As he grew and matured, he graduated from St. Ignatius High School, the University of Notre Dame and Loyola University Law School. He served as a delegate to the Constitutional Convention

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and, in 1970, was elected as a State Representative from the 27th District. In 1983, he was elected Speaker of the Illinois House. Today, we will reelect him as Speaker of the 84th General Assembly. From the moment he reversed the gavel on January 12th, 1983 and tapped - not hammered - but tapped this Body to order, everyone acknowledge that someone special had assumed the Chair. From that moment until today, he has been judged over and over by his colleagues, and he has surpassed all expectations. The public will remember him for a number of accomplishments, but we, those of us who serve on this floor now and in the future, will remember what he did for this Legislative Body. One-third of our Membership had been removed from office by Constitutional Amendment forever. We were held in the lowest possible esteem by the public. In two short years, he has restored to us, to this Body, our morale, our respect and, once again, placed us as an equal branch of government. A smart, tough but compassionate leader, he has brought wisdom and vision to his office, and, yes, he did restore power and pride and dignity to this Body. I am personally very proud and deeply honored to place into nomination for Speaker of the Illinois House for the 84th General Assembly a great statesman and a great friend, Michael J. Madigan."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The Gentleman from Madison, Representative McPike, places in nomination the name of the Gentleman from Cook, Michael J. Madigan, for Speaker of the House. Is there a second to this nomination? The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Cook, Representative Brookins."

Brookins: "Mr. Secretary of State, fellow Legislators, it gives me great privilege to stand to second the nomination of our Speaker, Michael J. Madigan. He has run this House in a

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businesslike, hard working Assembly. He has shown great leadership. He has guided his Members so that we now have earned the respect of our constituency. His fairness in the decisions and his fairness in our support in our legislative ideas that we bring to him, the aid that he has given, especially to the new Members, is to be commended. I have found his word always to be his bond, when given, always carried out. I am very proud and honored to have this opportunity to second for Speaker of the House of the 84th General Assembly, my friend, Michael J. Madigan. Thank you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you, Representative Brookins. I'd like to introduce another honored guest we have with us, former Democratic Leader of the Illinois State Senate, now a Judge, Judge McGloon. The Gentleman from Cook, Representative Vitek."

Vitek: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary. I feel very humble and proud today to stand up to second the nomination for a great leader. How anybody can add to the wonderful nomination speech of our Leader, Jim McPike - I'm not going to take up the time of the House, because you all know the record that Michael put on this House floor. And, God, the only opposition that he had was from me when he worked as a State Representative and a Committeeman of the district that he presented, and he tried to get in ahead of me to see Mayor Daley. And I had my doorman there that always shoved me in ahead of Mike. So, we go back to the old days when we had Mickey McDermitt down here, Hanahan and all the old timers. I'm only too happy to stand up and second the nomination of Mike, because he's the guy, if you remember two years ago when I stood up and made the seconding speech, when we had labor, management, the school districts all up in the balcony, he is the guy the next day that he

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was elected Speaker got them all into his office and sat down - was a businesslike man - and come up with a real workmen's compensation Bill. And thank God for my old pal, Bill Redmond. I got to add that in there. When I came down here in 1975 after I stepped aside for 'Prairie', and Bill Redmond stood up on that podium, with the old Judge 'Kern' from Springfield here, had me sworn in with Jerry Shea. So these are bringing back a lot of memories. And Neil Hartigan said, 'Grandfather'. I was born in his grandfather's house on 29th and Walnut. So, this brings back a lot memories to me. And I don't want to delay it any longer, but I am proud, indeed, to second the nomination of Michael J. Madigan to the 84th General Assembly, Speaker of the House. Mike, God bless you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The Chair recognizes the Lady from Lake, Representative Stern."

Stern: "Mr. Secretary of State and Ladies and Gentlemen of the 84th General Assembly, it gives me a great feeling of pride and personal satisfaction, as well as making my voice tremble a bit, to make the first official act of this brand new, fuzzy, still-wet-behind-the-ears Legislator, to be that of seconding the nomination for Speaker of that extraordinary young man, Mike Madigan, extraordinary as much for his humanity, his cartographic skills and for his remarkable organizational talents. I am happy to second the nomination of Mike Madigan."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The Chair recognizes the Gentlemen from Cook, Representative Berrios."

Berrios: "Mr. Secretary, Members of the House of Representatives, under the strong and innovative leadership of Michael J. Madigan, education reform has already begun in Illinois. Speaker Madigan has conducted community conferences on education reform and school improvement all across the

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state in an effort to find solutions to the problems currently plaguing our school system. The Hispanic community has already benefitted from the Madigan education conferences. Under Speaker Madigan's leadership, new monies have been allocated to meet the growing demands for better quality education. Two new schools have been established in our Hispanic communities and will be built this year under the leadership of Mike Madigan. Speaker Madigan has helped develop the task force to study Hispanic dropout. Mike Madigan has not only shown his concern for these serious problems and has demonstrated his ability to act favorably to find solutions to them. For this reason among many others, today I, and the Hispanic Caucus, take pride in seconding the nomination to retain Michael J. Madigan as Speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives. Thank you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you. The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Saline, Representative Phelps."

Phelps: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary, fellow colleagues of the 84th General Assembly. I am honored to also stand for my first act in this great room, humbly addressing this great Assembly on a matter that I'm proud to stand for Michael Madigan. Even in our district - I represent the 118th District, the farthest south district of this state, reaching to the farthest southern tip end of this state - even there of the 118th District we have recognized the true leadership and the ability of this great leader of this state, Michael J. Madigan. His compassion and concern for legislation Bills with his name on it has shown us not only to be a very humane person, but one who is looking out for the working man, one who is looking out for the educational needs of our state. For this we are grateful. I am proud to stand and also endorse by seconding the

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nomination of Michael J. Madigan. Thank you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you. Representative Madigan is nominated for the Office of Speaker. Are there further nominations for the Office of Speaker? The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Edgar, Representative Woodyard."

Woodyard: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary of State and Members of the General Assembly. The last time I nominated a person for office, I was told to be brief but flattering. And so, I'll try to do that this afternoon. I certainly also wish to put into nomination a person of the highest degree of integrity and aggressiveness and innovation and imagination that our side of the aisle has seen for a long period of time. We were fortunate, two years ago, to have selected for our Leader, Lee Daniels, and he brought to that office those areas of compromise and open-door policy which has been a hallmark and a trade for that office. He has been complimented not only by his peers and his colleagues here in this Body, but also by media, by constituents, by people all over the State of Illinois for the leadership that he has shown. I will not take your time to go through those lists of many accomplishments, but I think one stands out certainly in my mind and that was the creation and establishment of the House Policy Committee. Out of that Policy Committee came recommendations of which many did become law. And if you'll recall one of those, and on a very tough vote, the passage of a temporary income tax that saved this state from financial disaster. That's only one of the many recommendations that were adopted. His integrity has been beyond reproach, and I certainly am very, very pleased to place his name into nomination as Speaker of the House today. Let's get to the flattery part just a little bit. He also will be the only candidate

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whose name you will have a chance to vote on this afternoon who also happens to be handsome, debonair, cosmopolitan and suave. I urge my colleagues on the other side of the aisle to join with we Republicans in electing Lee Daniels as our next Speaker of the House of Representatives. Thank you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you. The Gentleman from Edgar, Representative Woodyard, places the name of the Gentleman from DuPage, Representative Lee A. Daniels, for Speaker of the House. Is there a second to this nomination? The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Peoria, Representative Tuerk."

Tuerk: "Mr. Secretary and Members of the House, I'm beginning my ninth term in the House of Representatives. I've served under six Speakers. I have no breach with the Speaker; however, I rise to second the nomination of the Republican Leader who has served so well the past four years in Leadership capacity. In the 92nd General Assembly, Lee Daniels served as a Whip. In the 83rd General Assembly, Lee Daniels served, as we all know, as Minority Leader. He has served well. He is an articulate spokesman for the Party, for the Members sitting on this side of the aisle. He's a persuasive individual who knows the legislative process well and is able to communicate that process, and he knows how to fashion a program. He has proven to be a leader. He deserves to be considered for Speaker of the House. And, therefore, I am proud to second the Motion to put him in the nomination for Speaker of the House of Representatives. Thank you."

Secretary of State Edgar: "I'd like to introduce another distinguished former Member of the Illinois House of Representatives, Mr. Phil Collins, in the back of the room. Are there others seconding? The Chair recognizes the Lady from Cook, Representative Wojcik."

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Wojcik: "Yes, Mr. Secretary and Members of the newly 84th General Assembly, I stand before you a proud woman and a proud Lady to have Representative Daniels as a running mate. Not only have I found a fine quality in him, he has always been very honest, forthright and always there whenever you needed him to show how much he cared for you. And I must say that as a freshman, when I came in here, I was certainly green. And because of his leadership and the hours that he took to guide me and show me the proper way to do things, it is indeed a pleasure for me to place in nomination the name of Lee A. Daniels. And I certainly want to thank you for all of your help, and you would make an excellent leader."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Adams, Representative Mays."

Mays: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary, Ladies and Gentlemen of the 84th Assembly. I'm proud and honored also to second the nomination of Lee A. Daniels for Speaker of the House. Lee is a leader who is not afraid to follow the wishes of the Party, the wishes of his Members, the wishes of the state. He doesn't avoid the touchy issues. Indeed, we've seen him go out on a limb. And on those times, Lee, when you've been right, we've found ourselves out there with you, and we've stuck with you and you've stuck with us time and time again for the betterment of this state. Lee is not afraid to speak out, but he's got a remarkable quality to listen. He's got compassion, but he's got the ability to set priorities. He's a fighter, yet he knows when to set the gloves aside. It is these qualities and many, many more to which I am proud to be associated with Lee A. Daniels and am proud to second his nomination."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The Chair recognizes the Lady from Cook, Representative Williamson."

Williamson: "Secretary of State and Members of the 84th General

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Assembly, I also am a freshman Legislator. Although my district neighbors with Representative Daniels', I have known this man, worked with this man, and he has been there for me time and time again when I have needed him. He has been there to give me support and encouragement, but even more importantly, he'd always open to new ideas, new thoughts and he's willing to work with all of us. This man is able to work and talk with all walks of life. He has proven his ability to compromise, to work with both sides of the aisle. I feel that he is energetic, enthusiastic and that he is extremely qualified to be elected Speaker of the House."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you. The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Jersey, Representative Ryder."

Ryder: "Mr. Secretary, thank you. I stand to offer a second to the nomination of Representative Lee A. Daniels as Speaker. However, my thoughts come from a more personal perspective. You see, Lee Daniels was one of the first people to call me after I was appointed to the General Assembly. What brings that to my mind is the fact that he was calling from a hospital room. He was there. In fact, too often was he there, but he never set aside the many thoughts that he has for this Legislature and that, to me, was a very early measure of the extra effort that characterizes the leadership of Lee Daniels. During my first days in the 1983 Veto Session, I was very pleased with the openness with which Lee Daniels conducts the Republican Caucus. He has established, during the short time that I've been here, a very solid working relationship with the dedicated Minority and inspired the courage for that Minority to help dictate the agenda of this General Assembly. Lee Daniels has been fair and honest. He has kept his word. He has been an aggressive advocate for the Members of his Party

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and this General Assembly. As a dedicated Leader and a dedicated public servant, Lee Daniels presents the type of State Representative that I wish to emulate. I'm very proud to second the nomination of Lee A. Daniels as Speaker."

Secretary of State Edgar: "Thank you, Representative Ryder. Representative Daniels is nominated for the Office of Speaker. Are there further nominations for the Office of Speaker of the House of Representatives? Being none, no further nominations offered from the floor, nominations for the Office of Speaker are closed. The Gentleman from DuPage, Representative Daniels."

Daniels: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary. Speaker Madigan and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, honored guests in the gallery, two years ago, at the opening of the 83rd General Assembly, the Members of the Illinois House of Representatives, in an unprecedented gesture, unanimously elected Representative Michael Madigan Speaker of the House of Representatives. We did so because we shared a vision of a new era of legislation traditions and a new era of legislative goals, a vision calling for a new type of legislative leadership, one which would bring about necessary and effective changes in the ways that the Legislative Branch of State Government works, a vision fueled by a spirit of partnership and cooperation which would nurture the development of a more productive and deliberative process. We started on that path to the future by offering a gesture of unity. Since that time only two short years ago, I believe that that vision has now become a reality. The last two years have been years of change in Illinois, years of change represented through a new partnership and cooperation. Together we have managed to quiet the sometimes vain voice of partisan controversy in favor of the more potent and,

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yes, more profitable voice of teamwork and accomplishment. And for the most part, the initiatives of the 83rd General Assembly have been praised for their equity, balance and foresight. As policies were developed, consultation occurred. As Bills were considered, bipartisan Committees sat down together in serious negotiations to resolve any differences. And as questions arose, we struggled together, not alone, but together in bipartisan fashion to find and mold solutions. We solved the state's temporary fiscal crisis without incurring prospects or injuring prospects for our own recovery as a state and the state's economy. We brought needed reorganization to mass transit throughout Illinois through some difficult negotiations and legislation, and we performed a miracle by reforming our own House internally in the General Assembly through eliminating the system of legislative commissions which had become antiquated and too expensive. In other words, we conducted the people's business with their interests in mind and their paramount interests never escaped our attention. Today, as we launch this 84th General Assembly, I would like to thank Speaker Madigan and his Leadership team for his support and the leadership that he has provided during the past two years. His dedication to this great institution amplifies the opportunities that we all have to do all the good that we have long done together and striven to do together. No one here, not a single person I know, would want to lose our way along the path of cooperation and productivity as we have painstakingly built through the last two years. The future of Illinois is, as always, before this Body. The 84th General Assembly, as vividly and as forcefully as it has ever been, is now once again new and in its infancy and will be determined on a success based upon what we do starting

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today. So, Mr. Speaker, once again, in that spirit and the spirit of cooperation and partisanship, I rise, Mr. Secretary, to offer, on behalf of the Republican Members, and ask each and every one of them to join me in a Motion of acclamation to elect Speaker Madigan once again Speaker of the Illinois House. Now, lest we forget, if it was closer, if it was more capable of doing, I might change my Motion. And two years from now, Mr. Madigan, as you will remember, you are the younger of this team by four days, and you will remember that two years from now, hopefully, the Motions will be reversed. But, Mr. Secretary, I would like to move that Mr. Speaker, Representative Madigan, be elected by acclamation Speaker of the 84th General Assembly."

Secretary of State Edgar: "The Gentleman from Cook, Representative Madigan."

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker, to comply with a requirement of the rules which require that there be at least one vote recorded in favor of the candidacy of Representative Daniels so that he might become the Minority Leader, please record me as voting in favor of Representative Daniels for Speaker of the House."

Secretary of State Edgar: "You've heard the Gentleman from DuPage's Motion that the House shall elect by acclamation Michael J. Madigan Speaker of the House, the Illinois House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly. Also, make note that Representative Madigan wishes to be recorded as voting for Representative Daniels in order that he will be elected Minority Leader for the Illinois House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly. Now that we have that all on record of what we're voting on, I hope everyone understands the Motion. So in case in a few months people aren't quite as happy as they are now, we

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don't have to redo this. The Motion is, 'The House shall elect by acclamation Michael J. Madigan Speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives.' All those in favor say 'aye', those opposed 'nay'. The 'ayes' have it. The record will show that Representative Madigan voted in favor of Representative Daniels. I now have the pleasure of declaring that Michael J. Madigan has been elected by acclamation Speaker of the House of the 84th General Assembly, and Lee Daniels has been selected as Minority Leader. With the consent of the House, I will appoint nine Members to constitute an Honor Committee to escort the Speaker elect to the rostrum to take the constitutional oath. Is there leave? Leave being granted, I appoint by seniority the following to the Committee of Escort: Representative Dwight Friedrich, Representative Zeke Giorgi, Representative Gene Hoffman, Representative John Matijevich, Representative Fred Tuerk, Representative Ralph Capparelli, Representative Monroe Flinn, Representative Bill Laurino and Representative Tom McMaster. Will the Committee of Honor retire to the seat of Representative Madigan to escort him to the rostrum? To administer the constitutional oath of the Speaker elect, I have the honor of again presenting to this House the Honorable Dan Ward, Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court. Joining Justice Ward on the podium are Speaker elect Madigan's wife, Shirley, who will assist in the administering of the oath and the three Madigan children, Lisa, Tiffany and Nicole. Justice Ward."

Justice Ward: "Thank you, Mr. Secretary. Mr. Secretary, Mrs. Shirley Madigan, Lisa, Tiffany and Nicole, distinguished Members of the House and distinguished guests, it is with a sense of high honor and great pride that I am about to administer the oath of office to Mike Madigan. We know

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that his service will continue to be distinguished and the record of his service will be fondly remembered and long remembered in this House that he has served so well. Mr. Madigan, will you raise your right hand and, placing your hand on your bible before you, repeat after me, I, Michael Madigan..."

Madigan: "I, Michael Madigan..."

Justice Ward: "...do solemnly swear..."

Madigan: "...do solemnly swear..."

Justice Ward: "...that I will support..."

Madigan: "...that I will support..."

Justice Ward: "...the Constitution of the United States..."

Madigan: "...the Constitution of the United States..."

Justice Ward: "...and the Constitution of the State of Illinois..."

Madigan: "...and the Constitution of the State of Illinois..."

Justice Ward: "...and that I will faithfully discharge..."

Madigan: "...and that I will faithfully discharge..."

Justice Ward: "...the duties..."

Madigan: "...the duties..."

Justice Ward: "...of the Office..."

Madigan: "...of the Office..."

Justice Ward: "...of Speaker of the House of Representatives..."

Madigan: "...of Speaker of the House of Representatives..."

Justice Ward: "...to the best of my ability."

Madigan: "...to the best of my ability."

Speaker Madigan: "The Secretary tells me that we shall now appoint a Committee of the House, the same Committee that escorted me to the podium, to escort the Secretary from the chamber. So if those members would please come to the podium, the same people who escorted me to the Chair. And I would like to thank Secretary Edgar for his very professional manner in handling the deliberations this

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morning. Thank you very much. And as the Secretary leaves the chamber, let us recognize his wife, Brenda, who is in the gallery at the rear of the chamber. Brenda Edgar. Ladies and Gentlemen, before I begin my remarks, let me recognize a few people who have joined us today. First, a man who has already been recognized, but I would like to recognize him again because I have enjoyed a long, personal friendship with this Gentleman. As recognized earlier, a former Member of the House and now the president of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, Mr. George Dunn. George Dunn. George has been joined today by another former State Representative, a man who served with me when I first came to this Body in 1970, my very close, personal friend, Mr. Ira Colitz. Our former Speaker, Bill Redmond, has been previously recognized. Bill is sitting down in the very front of the chamber. I was very privileged to have served as an Assistant Leader to Mr. Redmond for six years. It was Bill Redmond who first appointed me to the Democratic Leadership in 1975 when I served as an Assistant Majority Leader, and then for two terms I served as his Majority Leader. Those were not always easy years, as some of us remember, but I did learn a great deal. I learned that for a person to serve as the Speaker of the House, that person must bring a great deal of experience, foresight, and especially in the case of Bill Redmond, a great deal of compassion and understanding for his fellow human being. And that's the type of person that Bill Redmond is. Bill, I'm very happy that you're with us today. In the same vein, earlier I saw on the floor our former Democratic Minority Leader, who I would also like to recognize, former Representative Clyde Choate. From my home district, the Alderman of the 13th Ward in the City of Chicago, who has been joined by his wife, Diane, Alderman

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John Madrzyk, and the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Authority in the City of Chicago, Mr. Michael Cardilli. Let me thank all of you for your confidence in my ability to serve for two more years as the Speaker of the House. In particular, let me thank Representative Daniels for renewing his Motion for a vote of acclamation. Those of you who were here two years ago will remember that Representative Daniels offered the same Motion. And upon offering that Motion and upon acceptance by the Body, I said that I thought that it was a gesture by Representative Daniels which would signal the type of Session that we should engage in for the following two years. You may also remember that at the time of my inauguration two years ago, I spoke of the fact that two years ago in this chamber we began a new era in the history of the Legislature, an era which had been begun because of legislative reapportionment and because of the constitutionally mandated reduction in the size of the House of Representatives. Those two events taken together had significantly reduced the size of our Membership. Those two events taken together had significantly altered the complexion of this Body. Recognizing those changes, I called upon you, as Representatives of the people of the State of Illinois, to engage in a new course of conduct for the House of Representatives. I called upon you to set aside the practices of the past, to set aside the antics and the playful activity that had characterized this Body for so many years. I am very happy to tell you that all of us have responded to that request. All of us have responded magnificently to that call for a new direction from the House of Representatives. Legislatively, in January of 1983, we clearly knew that there was a need for legislative activity in the area of economic development. On the day

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that I took my office... my oath of office two years ago, the unemployment rate in Illinois had risen well beyond twelve percent. As I recall, there were over 600,000 Illinoisians who had filed applications for unemployment insurance, and that figure did not even taken into account those who had simply given up on the system. They didn't even have applications on file. They were just living off the land. And so we knew that we would be under obligation to move with dispatch to improve the economic condition of this state, and we all know that major, major changes were effected in the unemployment insurance system of this state and in the workers' compensation system. Those changes were not advanced through this Body after a great deal of discord. Rather, those changes were discussed. They were negotiated. And in the end, they were passed by agreement. They were changes which recognized that there was a need for improvement in the economic and business conditions of this state so that we could begin to return Illinoisians to the work rolls rather than to the welfare rolls. And at the same time, under my personal sponsorship, we created the Illinois Finance Development Authority, a new state agency, a state agency that would engage in bond financing for small and medium-sized businesses in this state, the businesses that we know will provide the jobs to return Illinoisians to work. In January of 1983, clearly we knew that there would be a demand for change in the Regional Transportation Authority in northeastern Illinois. The Authority had been created by action of this Body in the early 1970s. From its very inception, it had not performed well and had come to the point where it enjoyed very little public confidence. Again, the Legislature and, in particular, this Body advanced legislation which reformed the Regional Transportation Authority, which provided for

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autonomous bodies to recognize the service needs of the City of Chicago, of the commuter rails and of the suburban buses. And that agency today, the agency that we created in the last Session of the General Assembly, has been acclaimed as a well-functioning agency, an agency which has returned two balanced budgets in the last two years without a severe diminution in the level of transit service. In 1983, we knew that there would be a requirement for changes in the regulatory law that relates to nursing homes. We've known for too many years there have been abuses in the nursing homes of Illinois, and we knew that there would be the need for change in this area. This Body, working in conjunction with other agencies of the State Government such as the Office of the Attorney General, under the Leadership of Neil Hartigan, provided that there was a major reform in nursing home regulation, a reform that hopefully will solve the many problems and abuses that have occurred in the past. And lastly, we knew that if we were to begin this Session today reflecting on the last Session with a sense of confidence and pride, that we would be required to change our method of operation to improve the efficiency of this Body. And you all know that today we convene on time, we meet on time. In Committee and on the floor we consider Bills and Resolutions in an orderly deliberative fashion. And already, the people of this state are beginning to recognize that we, collectively, have moved in a direction which will give the people of our state a sense of confidence in our ability to produce a good work product and in our ability to respond to the problems of the people. Our record was a good record. It has brought praise from many quarters. And in particular, the Governor of our state, Mr. James Thompson, standing on this podium on February the 8th of 1984 as part of his

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State of the State Address, stated, and I quote, 'This has been a Session that I consider to have been the most productive in my seven years in office.' We have much to be proud of, but let us not rest on our laurels. Let us recognize that there are now new challenges, the challenges of 1985 and the challenges of 1986. And rather than rest on our laurels, let us begin today to commit and to devote ourselves to solving those problems. We've done much in the area of economic development, but there is much that must be done. Illinois still is above the national average in the area of unemployment. Even today, after all of our efforts, venture capital raised and developed in Illinois is leaving Illinois because those with the ability to invest that venture capital are investing in opportunities outside of this state. So that in my judgment our number one charge again must be economic development. And in that regard, if we are to have true, long-term economic development, then we must address the problem of reform of our educational system. We know that there is complaint all across the state concerning our educational systems. Many are hard at work at this. Here in the Legislature we have created a Joint Commission under the leadership of Senator Berman and Representative Mulcahey which has conducted extensive public hearings, which has already issued a report with a great deal of recommendations. Former Superintendent of Public Instruction, Michael Bakalis, is currently heading another group which is working in the area of excellence in education. Governor Thompson has clearly indicated that this will be one of his top priorities, and there are many others who have established working groups - so that we have placed ourselves in a position where the data and the evidentiary record is available. But if we are to provide for job

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opportunities in the future, then we must recognize that, from an educational perspective, we must begin to train our people for an economy which has changed already and an economy that will continue to change. We must prepare them for an economy which has moved away from an industrial base, has already moved to a technological base and will continue to move in that direction. If we are to have true economic development, then I think we have to do a better job of improving the coordination of those who work on economic development. Today we have agencies of the Federal Government that work to improve the business climate. We have agencies of the State of Illinois, agencies of local government and private groups and associations. I think all of that has to be brought together. We have to do a better job of working together and bringing those groups together if we are to eventually bring Illinois out of its economic difficulties. If we are to have true economic development, then maybe we have to refine the Illinois Development Finance Authority. Maybe we should look for even better, more innovative ideas in terms of providing financing for those who wish to open a business, to turn a profit and to hire Illinoisians as employees. If we are to have true economic development, if those who invest money all across this country are to seriously consider Illinois for investment, then we in State Government must do a better job in terms of improving the value and quality of the service which is offered by the agencies of our State Government. If you think on this for just a short time, I think you'll come to my view, which is that, on an ongoing basis, we in State Government never examine the performance of state agencies with a view as to the quality and the value of the service which is provided by those agencies. And if we wish to hold

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ourselves out to investors all across this country, then we have to clean our own house so that when they look at the State Government they will say, 'Well, that's a good functioning government. And there may be a price for the service provided by that government, but it's such a valuable service that we would be willing to pay that price.' And lastly, if we are to have true economic development, we must continue to maintain the strong agricultural economy of our state. We've done much in this area; but, if there is more to be done, then we should do it. As we move ahead to provide business opportunities, as we move ahead to provide an economic climate where business will flourish, we must not forget our obligation to protect the environment of our state. We must not forget our obligation to protect our people against toxic and chemical substances in the workplace, the neighborhoods and along the highways and rails of our state - so that we must do whatever we can to prevent the occurrence of a disaster such as occurred just recently in India. And lastly, if we are truly concerned about the future of our state, then we must devote ourselves to a resurrection and resuscitation of the cities of our state. We must be concerned not just with Chicago, but also with East St. Louis. We must be concerned with Rockford, Peoria, Decatur, our capitol city, Springfield. Wherever you look, regardless of which section of the state you come from, our urban areas have declined. Our urban areas desperately need housing assistance. Our urban areas desperately need infrastructure improvements. We must move in those areas. But most importantly, if we are to provide a good quality of life in our urban areas, then we in the Legislature must open an attack today against the criminal element in our urban areas which prevent people from living in peace in

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their homes and in their neighborhoods. We cannot sit back and wring our hands and say, 'Well, this is a difficult problem. I hope we don't get dirtied up in the process.' We have to stand up and send a signal to the gangs operating in our urban areas that we in the Legislature will not tolerate their activity. We will not tolerate their abuse of other citizens of this state. It was just a few short weeks ago that the mother of the basketball star, Ben Wilson, spoke from this podium, and she spoke eloquently of the need for teenagers in our urban areas to be enrolled in schools and to be given the educational opportunities that have been promised for so long by both the Federal and State Constitution but, on too many occasions, denied. So, we must commit ourselves to rectifying that problem. Our accomplishments are many. We have much to be proud of. We have much to work toward in the next two years. The reason that we have so much to be proud of is because for two years we have worked together. We have recognized that the problems of the state are not so much different for a Republican as for a Democrat. They are not so much different in the north or the south, the west or the east. They're not so much different if you're white or black or brown. They're not so much different if you're a Catholic, Protestant or Jew or if you're a man or woman. But if we continue to compromise, to negotiate, to work in a spirit of cooperation, then two years from now, once again, we can all stand here with our heads held high, look each other in the eye and say, 'Thank you very much. Thank you for cooperating and thank you for making this an institution we can be very proud of.' Thank you very much. The Chair recognizes Mr. Daniels."

Daniels: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Ladies and Gentlemen of the House and honored guests, I, too, would like to introduce

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to you my family - my wife, sitting on my right, my wife, Pam, and my mother and father are walking behind me right now as they have for years pushing me along, making sure I do the right thing, my father, Burt, and my mother, Evelyn. And I should mention to you that my father is the son of former State Representative Lee Daniels, who I was named after, who served in this Body for three terms. So, he's had a little bit of experience with the legislative process. And my five children are scattered all over the country, but they're... I know they're somewhere right now. Right, Pam? Right. They are. I want you to know that I consider it to be a great privilege and an honor for me to rise and to address you once again and to accept the honor and the responsibility that you have placed in my hands. When I spoke earlier, I spoke of the cooperative spirit that we fostered in order to enhance our ability to serve Illinois' problems. I also made mention of our future, for today we start anew a new General Assembly. We have a new Membership sent here by the people whom we serve, and we have new responsibilities and will set our sites on new goals and new achievements. Let us go forward into the future with the gifts from the past in our hands. We do have much to do and much more to learn in order to meet the great and difficult challenges in the years ahead. The people of Illinois, the people in Harrisburg and DeKalb and Chicago and Peoria are calling for action and calling for assistance. They are concerned for their future and for the future of their children. They are calling for reform and relief in many, many areas of government, in many areas of spending and the economy, utility regulation, crime, business development, unemployment, medical costs, care for the elderly, care for the disabled, for our poor, for our sick and for, yes, quality in education for our children

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throughout the State of Illinois, regardless of which part or which section you come from. It is our responsibility to answer those challenges, the challenges of today and the challenges of tomorrow. And with these responsibilities in mind, we open a new Session of the Illinois General Assembly, and there is much to be done. Our constituents need to be heard and we will listen and we will act. They have elected us to be their Representatives, their advocates and their spokesmen. In order to be responsive to them, let us continue in the way which we have begun; and, as the Speaker spoke earlier, the way we began two years ago. In beginning anew, let us show them that we can work side by side, working to make our state stronger through constructive harmony rather than debilitating dissidence. Let us strive to be open. Let us strive to be cooperative and respectful of one another's needs and one another's responsibilities to his or her constituents. In this way and by following this path, we will leave a bright and clear road to the future for those who follow. Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I am a politician and proud to be. I am proud of the job that I fulfill and the position that I fulfill. I pledge to you the continuance of each and every single bit of energy, aggressiveness, ability and intellect that I have in serving you to move forward to solve the problems of this state. But join with me in a pride in your profession and bring anew in Illinois a pride to be a Member of the greatest Body in government and that is the Illinois General Assembly. Thank you very much for giving me this honor and responsibility. Thank you."

Speaker Madigan: "The next Order of Business is the election of the Chief Clerk. The Chair recognizes the Gentleman from Winnebago, Mr. Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the provisions of House

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Rule 1 requiring separate elections of the Clerk and Doorkeeper and offer, in lieu of separate elections, a Resolution for the election of Mr. John F. O'Brien as Chief Clerk, Mr. Anthony J. Leone as Assistant Clerk, and Emery Koehler as Doorkeeper. Further, the Motion and Resolution is on the Clerk's desk, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Madigan: "On the Gentleman's Motion to suspend the rule, is there any discussion? Is there leave to use the Attendance Roll Call on the suspension of the rule? Hearing no objection, the rule is suspended, and the Attendance Roll Call will be journalized. Resolutions. Mr. Provisional Clerk, read the Resolution."

Clerk Leone: "House Resolution #1. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly of the State of Illinois that the following officers are hereby elected for the term of the 84th General Assembly: John F. O'Brien as Chief Clerk of the House; Anthony J. Leone, Jr. as Assistant Chief Clerk of the House and Emery Koehler as Doorkeeper of the House."

Speaker Madigan: "On the Resolution, the Gentleman from Winnebago, Mr. Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I move the adoption of House Resolution #1."

Speaker Madigan: "The Gentleman moves the adoption of House Resolution #1. All those in favor signify by saying 'aye', all those opposed by saying 'no'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it, and the Resolution is adopted. Pursuant to House Resolution 1, the Chair declares Mr. John F. O'Brien elected as Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives for the 84th General Assembly, Mr. Anthony... Mr. Anthony J. Leone, Jr. is declared elected as the Assistant Clerk of the House for the 84th General Assembly, Mr. Emery Koehler is declared elected as the

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Doorkeeper of the House for the 84th General Assembly. Do those Gentlemen accept the office to which they have been elected? They have all nodded their heads 'aye'. The Gentleman from Winnebago, Mr. Giorgi, is recognized to offer a Resolution."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I move the immediate adoption of House Resolution 2 to direct the Clerk to inform the Senate that the House is now organized."

Speaker Madigan: "The Gentleman has moved the adoption of House Resolution 2. This is the traditional notification to the other chamber that this Body is prepared to do the people's business. All in favor signify by saying 'aye', all those opposed say 'no'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it, and the Resolution is adopted. The Gentleman from Winnebago, Mr. Giorgi, is recognized to offer a Resolution."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I move the immediate adoption of House Resolution 3 for the appointment of a Committee to attend the Governor and to inform him that we are organized and await communication he may have."

Giorgi: "The Gentleman has moved the suspension of the rule in the adoption of the Resolution. This is another traditional ceremonial procedure. Without objection, we can take both Motions on one vote. All in favor signify by saying 'aye', all those opposed say 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it, and the Resolution is adopted. Pursuant to House Resolution 3, I appoint the following Committee to wait upon the Governor. The selection of this Committee has been based upon seniority. Representative John Vitek, Representative Robert Terzich, Representative Bruce Farley, Representative Roger McAuliffe, Representative Alan Greiman, Representative Frank Giglio, Representative Jane Barnes, Representative

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John Dunn, Representative Tom Ewing. The Gentleman from Winnebago was recognized to offer a Resolution."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I move for the immediate consideration of House Resolution 4, and I offer this Resolution to adopt the rules of the House of the 83rd General Assembly to conform to constitutional and statutory changes as the temporary rules of the 84th General Assembly. And I think the Clerk should read the Resolution in its entirety."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Clerk, read the Resolution."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolution #4. Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly of the State of Illinois that the rules of the House of Representatives of the 84th General Assembly are adopted as the temporary rules of the House of Representatives of the 83rd General Assembly and as such rules shall continue in effect until the House shall adopt permanent rules for the 84th General Assembly."

Speaker Madigan: "The Resolution is on the Members' desks. And, Mr. Giorgi, do you wish to offer a Motion? Mr. Giorgi."

Giorgi: "I move that Resolution #4 be adopted."

Speaker Madigan: "The Gentleman has moved the suspension of the rule and immediate consideration of the Resolution for the adoption of temporary rules. All those in favor signify by saying 'aye', all those opposed by saying 'no'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it, and the Resolution is adopted. The Chair recognizes Mr. Daniels to appoint the Members of your Leadership."

Daniels: "Can I think about it?"

Speaker Madigan: "Sure."

Daniels: "No. Mr. Speaker, I would like to appoint the same Members that have served us so well for the last two years. Would you like me to recite them? I don't know if I can remember them all."

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Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Daniels, I think I have a list, here."

Daniels: "Good. Could you tell me who my leaders are?"

Speaker Madigan: "No, we don't."

Daniels: "Mr. Vinson, Representative Vinson. Starts already... "

Speaker Madigan: "There has been objection raised."

Daniels: "Well, he's got a repealer Bill he wants to talk to you all about a little bit. Represent... As an Assistant Minority Leader. Representative Tom Ewing Assistant Minority Leader. Representative Jack Davis, Assistant Minority Leader. Representative Gene Hoffman, Assistant Minority Leader. Representative Penny Pullen, Minority Whip. Representative John Hallock, Minority Whip. And Representative Dwight Friedrich, Conference Committee Chairman. Do I get any more? No, I don't get any more? Can I have a Majority Leader on my side, too? I'd like to make those appointments, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Madigan: "Thank you, Mr. Daniels. Before we proceed further, the Chair wishes to recognize the presence of the Senate President, Phillip Rock, for two more years. I'm not so sure he wants the job, but he's got it. Senator Rock."

President Rock: "See what a difference a pay raise makes? Mr. Speaker, I came over to congratulate you and Representative Daniels and all of the Members on the opening of the 84th General Assembly. I pledge to you our best cooperative efforts. I think, as I heard both speeches, we have a lot to do. And frankly, with the Leadership that this House has so wisely chosen, it will get done. I congratulate you all. Thank you very much."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Daniels having announced his Leadership, I will now announce the Democratic Leadership. Majority Leader, Representative Jim McPike. Assistant Majority Leader, Representative Carol Mosely Braun. Assistant

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Majority Leader, Representative E. J. 'Zeke' Giorgi.
Assistant Majority Leader, Representative Alan J. Greiman.
Assistant Majority Leader, Representative John S.
Matijevich. Majority Whip, Representative Peg McDonald
Breslin. Majority Whip, Representative Ralph C.
Capparelli. Majority Conference Chairperson,
Representative Frank Giglio. The Chair recognizes
Representative McPike. But before we proceed to Mr.
McPike's Motion, the Chair would like to call your
attention to a memo which has been distributed. This memo
explains that the House Rules Committee will meet on
Wednesday, January 23 in Chicago and on February 4 here in
Springfield. The Committee will take testimony from
Members concerning proposed rules changes. Our plan is to
adopt the permanent rules of the House when we return for
the State of the State Address on February 5. For the
Democratic Members, you have been given a questionnaire
which will permit you to indicate your preference for
committee assignment. Please complete that questionnaire
before you leave today and leave it in my office or leave
it with one of the Members of the Democratic Leadership.
And again, before we proceed to the adjournment Motion, we
have been joined by another distinguished and well-known
public official from the City of Chicago, the Alderman of
the 10th Ward in the City of Chicago and the Chairman of
the Cook County Democratic Organization, Mr. Edward R.
Vrdolyak. Ed Vrdolyak. For the Republicans, you shall
receive your requests for Committee assignment in the mail.
Okay? They'll miss a mail drop. And Ladies and Gentlemen,
we do plan to select our seats before we leave. So after
the adjournment Motion has been adopted, the Clerk will
proceed to seat selection which shall be done on a
seniority basis. Is there any further business to come

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before the House? On the Order of Resolutions, Mr. Clerk, do you have any Resolutions?"

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Joint Resolution #1. Resolved, by the Senate of the 84th General Assembly of the State of Illinois, the House of Representatives concurring herein, that when the Senate adjourns on Wednesday, January 9, 1985, it stands adjourned until Tuesday, February 5, 1985 at 11:30 a.m.; and, when the House of Representatives adjourns on Wednesday, January 9, 1985, it stands adjourned until Friday, January 16, 1985; and, when it stands adjourned on Friday, January 18, 1985, it stands adjourned until Friday, January 25, 1985, and, when it stands adjourned on Friday, January 25, 1985, it stands adjourned until Friday, February 1, 1985; and, when it adjourns on Friday, February 1, 1985, it stands adjourned until Tuesday, February 5, 1985 at 11:00 a.m."

Speaker Madigan: "You've all heard the Resolution. The Chair recognizes Mr. McPike."

McPike: "I move for the adoption of the Senate Joint Resolution #1."

Speaker Madigan: "The Gentleman has moved for the adoption of the Resolution. Those in favor say 'aye', those opposed say 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolution is adopted. Are there any further Resolutions? Mr. Clerk, read House Joint Resolution #1."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Joint Resolution #1, Matijevich."

Speaker Madigan: "This matter is an Agreed Resolution. The Chair recognizes Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I move for the adoption of House Joint Resolution #1, which is agreed on both sides of the aisle."

Speaker Madigan: "You've all heard the Motion. Those in favor say 'aye', those opposed say 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Resolution is adopted. Are there any further

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Resolutions, Mr. Clerk? Now, is there any further business to come before the House? Before we adjourn, the Chair would like to recognize the presence of another alderman from the City of Chicago, the Honorable Alderman Anthony C. Laurino from the 39th Ward in the City of Chicago. Tony Laurino. I'm told we're also joined by Alderman Roman Puchinski of the 41st Ward in the City of Chicago. Alderman Puchinski. Mr. McPike, for the adjournment Motion."

McPike: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. With the understanding that January 18th, January 25th and February 1st will be Perfunctory Sessions, I move that the House now stands adjourned until February 5th, 1985 at the hour of 11:00 a.m."

Speaker Madigan: "You've all heard the Motion providing for one half hour of time for Perfunctory Session to accept the introduction of Bills and Resolutions and seat selection. Those in favor say 'aye', those opposed say 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Motion is adopted. Let me remind all of you that you are invited to the reception at the Hall of Flags sponsored by myself and Representative Daniels. Thank you very much."

Clerk O'Brien: "If everyone will clear the chamber, we will proceed to the selection of seats for Members. If the Leadership will come forward or their aides and get their tickets, Leadership may select their seats immediately. Nine term Members, Members with nine terms, Representative Tuerk and Representative Vitek. Will the Pages please come over here, and they can move some of these back to Members? Pages report to the Clerk's well. Representative Tuerk. I have... I have stickers here with your names on them. And as I call your name, at random, I'll put the order of which I drew your name, the order of which I drew

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your name so you can determine who has priority in selection of seats. Eight term Members, Members with eight terms, Monroe Flinn, Tom McMaster, Representative McMaster, Representative Terzich and Representative Laurino. Representative Laurino. Is Representative Laurino in the chambers? See if he wants the same seat. Bill Laurino. Same seat? Representative Laurino is taking the same seat. Six term Members, Members with six terms. Presently with six terms. LeRoy Van Duyne, Representative Leverenz. Oh, I'm sorry. Leverenz, hold up. LeRoy, hold your ticket. I missed seven terms. Seven terms, Bruce Farley and Roger McAuliffe. Back to six terms. Leverenz. Continuing with six terms, John Dunn. I think that was number three. Continuing with six terms, Mautino. That's four. Continuing with six terms, Huff. Number five. Representative Huff in the chambers? Continuing with six terms, Representative Younge, Wyvetter Younge. Please paste your name on your voting switch so we can wire the voting board. Six termers, Jane Barnes. Six termers, Bruce Richmond, Rich Mulcahey and Ms. Satterthwaite. Five term Members, Members with five terms. Jesse White, Representative White. Five termers. Sam Wolf, two. Larry Steczo, three. Ray Christensen, four. Woods Bowman, five. And Tim Johnson, six. Fourth termers next. Have we given fifth termers time enough? Has Doug Huff... Is he in the chamber? Here we go. Fourth termers. Robert Piel, number one. Josephine Oblinger, number two. Robert Krska, three. Representative Krska? Ellis Levin, number four. Representative Alexander, five. Representative Nash, six. Representative Bullock, seven. Virginia Frederick, eight. Barbara Flynn Currie, nine. Gary Hannig, ten. Lee Preston, eleven. Representative Ropp, twelve. Myron Kulas, thirteen. Jim Rea, fourteen. Jim Keane, fifteen.

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Al Ronan, sixteen. And Harry Woodyard, seventeen. Third termers. Let's give them a minute to get their stickers off. Please place these... you name stickers on your voting console on the desk that you select. Third termers. Let's give them a minute to get their stickers off. Please place these... your name stickers on your voting console on the desk that you select. Third termers next. Third termers. Please do not take the drawers out of desks as the lockers are numbered accordingly. Please leave the drawers in the desks where they are. Third termers, Representative Zwick, one. Representative Turner, two. Representative Saltsman, three. There's Jill. Representative Saltsman. Representative Mays, four. Representative Hastert, five. Representative Koehler, six. Representative Tate, seven. Representative Klemm, eight. Representative O'Connell, nine. And Representative Deuchler, ten. Two termers, Representative Harris. Representative Pangle, two. William Peterson, three. John Countryman, four. Representative Cowlshaw. Representative Panayotovich, six. Seven, Representative Curran. Eight, Representative McCracken. Nine, Representative Brookins. Number ten, Representative Pedersen, Bernard Pedersen. Eleven, Representative DeJaeger. Twelve, Representative Hicks. Thirteen, Representative Didrickson. Representative Didrickson. Is that thirteen, Fourteen, Representative Berrios. Fifteen, Representative Homer. Sixteen, Representative Brunsvold. Seventeen, Representative Wait. Eighteen, Representative McGann. Nineteen, Representative McNamara. Here he comes behind you. Twenty, Representative Bice. Twenty-one, Representative Hensel. Twenty-two, Representative Kirkland. Twenty-three, Representative Parcells. Twenty-four, Representative Churchill. Twenty-five,

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Representative Barger. Twenty-six, Representative Shaw. Twenty-seven, Representative Ryder. Twenty-eight, Representative Hawkinson. Twenty-nine, Representative Wojcik. Thirty, Representative LeFlore. We'll give the two termers just a minute to select their desks. Then we'll be ready for one termers. By the way, on the Democrat side, the first three rows on the extreme east are in a no smoking area. The desks are so marked. If you want to be in a no smoking area, the first three rows are so marked for designating a no smoking area. Have all the two termers selected their seats? Anyone still selecting? First termers. Number one, Ron Stephens. Number two, Anthony Young. Number three, James DeLeo. Number four, Robert Regan. Number five, Michael Weaver. Number six, Charles Hartke. Number seven, Jerry Washington. Number eight, Soliz. Number nine, Goforth. Number ten, Slater. Eleven, Cal Sutker. Twelve, David Phelps. Thirteen, Grace Mary (sic - Grace Mary Stern). Fourteen, Terry Parke, or is it Parke? Parke. Fifteen, Mary Flowers. Sixteen, Linda Williams. Seventeen, Jim Stange. And eighteen, Jack Kubik. Please place your name stickers on your voting console of the desk you select. If you have trouble finding a desk, please come to any of the staff and we'll assist you. On the Democrat side, every desk should be used. The back row is marked not available. they'll be removed on the Democrat side. Is Representative Shaw still here? Is Representative Hartke still here? Is Representative Steczo or Rea still here? Is Representative Saltsman here? Is Representative Cullerton in the chamber? Representative Cullerton. If you have any trouble finding a desk, please come to any of the staff and we'll assist you. Someone was looking for Representative Cullerton. Jennifer was looking for you. Introduction and First

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Reading of Bills. House Bill 1, Cullerton, a Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 2, Curran, a Bill for an Act on the aging. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 3, Terzich - Capparelli, a Bill for an Act in relation to retail sales on batteries. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 4, Levin, a Bill for an Act to amend the Public Utility Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 5, Levin, a Bill for an Act to amend the Open Meetings Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 6, Levin, a Bill for an Act to amend an Act concerning public utilities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 7, Matijevich, a Bill for an Act to create the Police Officers Collective Bargaining Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 8, Bowman - Levin, a Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Human Rights Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 9, Levin - Bowman, a Bill for an Act to amend the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 10, Cullerton, a Bill for an Act to amend the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill."

Clerk Leone: "Continuing with introductions and First Readings. House Bill 11, Matijevich, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to revise the law in relationship to criminal jurisprudence. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 12, Shaw, a Bill for an Act to create an Illinois Civil Rights Commission defining its powers and duties and amending various Acts in relation thereto. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 13, Leverenz, a Bill for an Act to repeal Sections of the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 14, Leverenz, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 15, Cullerton, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension

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Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 16, Preston - et al, a Bill for an Act to amend certain Acts in relationship to leaded motor fuels. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 17, Terzich - Capparelli, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 18, Homer - et al, a Bill for an Act in relationship to certain public utility taxes and amending certain Acts herein named. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 19, Cullerton - Madigan, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 20, Mautino - et al, a Bill for an Act to repeal Sections of the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 21, O'Connell, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Criminal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 22, Capparelli - McAuliffe - Terzich, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 23, Giorgi - Hallock et al, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to an Act in relationship to Northern Illinois University. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 24, Hallock - Giorgi - et al, a Bill for an Act making an appropriation to the Board of Regency Universities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 25, Giorgi - Hallock, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act to revise the law in relationship to county clerks. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 26, Bowman, a Bill for an Act to add Sections of an Act codifying the powers and duties of the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 27, Bowman, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to an Act codifying the powers and duties of the Department of Mental Health and Developmental Disabilities. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 28, Mautino, a Bill for an

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Act to amend Sections of the Unemployment Insurance Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 29, Terzich - Capparelli - et al, a Bill for an Act relating to the availability of compressed air at gasoline service stations. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 30, McNamara, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Educational Labor Relations Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 31, McNamara, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 32, Terzich, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to the Illinois Income Tax Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 33, Terzich - et al, a Bill for an Act to restrict smoking in public places and provide penalties for violations thereof. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 34, Terzich - Capparelli - Berrios and Krska, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Professional Boxing and Wrestling Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 35, John Dunn, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Code of Civil Procedure. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 36, Capparelli - et al, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the County Jail Good Behavior Allowance Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 37, Representative Olson, a Bill for an Act to add Sections of an Act requiring certain custodians of public monies to file and publish statements of receipts and disbursements thereof. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 38, Sam Wolf, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Law Enforcement Officers, Civil Defense Workers, Civil Air Patrol Members, Paramedics and Firemen Compensation Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 39, Sam Wolf, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act authorizing the reorganization of certain sanitary districts. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 40, Klemm - Dwight

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Friedrich, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of an Act concerning fees and salaries and to classify the several counties of this state with reference hereto. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 41, Terzich - Capparelli - et al, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 42, Capparelli - McAuliffe - et al, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 43, Oblinger, a Bill for an Act concerning hypothermic thermometers and amending certain Acts herein named. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 44, Harris, a Bill for an Act to add Sections of the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 45, Levin, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 46, Levin, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 47, Leverenz, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Revenue Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 48, John Dunn, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Income Tax Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 49, Wyyetter Younge, a Bill for an Act creating the East St. Louis Development Authority and defining its powers, responsibilities and duties and to establish the framework for cooperative relationship between such authorities in existing state and federal departments. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 50, Preston - et al, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 51, Preston - et al, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 52, Preston - et al, a Bill for an Act in relationship to prospective public school teachers and prospective employees of child care facilities. First

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Reading of the Bill. House Bill 53, Preston - et al, a Bill for an Act to add articles to the Code of Criminal Procedure. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 54, Preston - et al, a Bill for an Act concerning unidentified bodies. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 55, Terzich - Capparelli - et al, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to the Liquor Control Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 56, Shaw, a Bill for an Act to amend certain Acts in relationship to police force for the Regional Transportations Authority. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 57, Saltsman, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Municipal Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 58, Curran, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 59, Curran, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code and amend the States Mandates Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 60, Curran - et al, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 61, Don Saltsman - et al, a Bill for an Act to amend Sections of the Illinois Pension Code and amending the States Mandates Act. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 62, Greiman, a Bill for an Act to add Sections to the School Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 63, Vinson, a Bill for an Act to repeal Sections of the Illinois Vehicle Code. First Reading of the Bill. House Bill 64, Wojcik, a Bill for an Act relating to service of notice decisions and other documents by certified mail amending certain Acts herein named. First Reading of the Bill."

Clerk O'Brien: "Introduction of Resolutions. House Joint Resolution #2, Madigan - Daniels; House Joint Resolution #3, Harris, to Committee on Assignment. No further

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business. The House now stands adjourned."

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