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Clerk O'Brien: "May I have your attention, please, the House of Representatives will delay convening until 12:00. The House of Representatives will convene at 12:00 noon. Thank you."

Speaker Giglio: "The House shall come to order. All Members please be in their seat. Today we will be led in prayer by Representative Nelson Rice. Representative Rice."

Rice: "We bow our heads. Dear Father with the passing of the sun and the moon, we mortals know that all things are possible in Your kingdom. We know that You are aware of the plight of the state in reaching an accord on the budget. Father, like Your work with the eclipse, will You hasten and put an end to the impasse confronting the negotiators, that's only profiting the news interest in this society. Finally, bless our constituents and our families in our absence from our homes and our districts. We ask these blessings in Your Son, Jesus' name. Amen."

Speaker Giglio: "We'll be led in the pledge by Representative Wyvetter Younge."

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

Speaker Giglio: "Roll Call for Attendance. Matijevich, are there any excused absences?"

Matijevich: "Yes, Mr. Speaker. Representative Flowers is an excused absence."

Speaker Giglio: "Let the record show, Representative Flowers has an excused absence. Representative Kubik, any excused absences on your side?"

Kubik: "Yes, Mr. Speaker. Let the record reflect that Representative Klemm and Churchill are excused today."

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Speaker Giglio: "Let the record so indicate, Mr. Clerk. On this quorum call, there are now 114 answering 'present'. A quorum is...formed and the House is ready to do its business. On page 4 of the Calendar on Conference Committee Reports, appears House Bill 56, Representative Santiago. Out of the record. House Bill 121, Representative Currie. Out of the record. House Bill 971, Representative Wolf. Representative Homer, House Bill 1415. Representative Curran House Bill 1499. Representative Keane in the chamber? Representative Capparelli, Senate Bill 908. Representative Obrzut. On page 3 of the Calendar, Senate Bills, Third Reading, appears Senate Bill 1421, Representative Wyvetter Younge. Read the Bill, Mr. Clerk."

Clerk O'Brien: "Senate Bill 1421, a Bill for an Act in relation to tax increment allocation redevelopment. Third Reading of the Bill."

Speaker Giglio: "The Lady from St. Clair, Representative Younge."

Younge: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Senate Bill 1421 is an Agreed Bill at this point. It effects only East St. Louis. And the only provision is to extend the planning and bonding time for the tax increment finance district, from 23 years to up to 35 years. Everything else has been taken out of the Bill that was controversial. And I move for the adoption of this Bill...passage."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion? The Gentleman from Cook, Representative Kubik."

Kubik: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I rise in support of the Lady's Motion. We have made considerable changes in this Bill with some Amendments. And it's a good Bill. I would urge your support of Senate Bill 1421."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion...Further discussion? Hearing none, the question is, 'Shall Senate Bill 1421 pass?' All

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those in favor signify by voting 'aye', opposed, 'no'. The voting is open. This is final action. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? The Gentleman from Kankakee, Representative Novak, are you seeking recognition? Take the record, Mr. Clerk. On this question, there are 114 voting 'yes', none voting 'no'. And Senate Bill 1421, having received the required Three-Fifths Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Supplemental Calendar #1, appears House Bill 1564, Representative Preston. Representative Preston in the chamber? Representative Keane. Representative Keane in the chamber? Representative Ronan. Representative Ronan? Representative Ronan, House Bill 1960. The other people on the list are: Representative Currie, Representative Munizzi, Representative Giorgi and Representative Shirley Jones. Representative Ronan on House Bill 1960."

Ronan: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. House Bill 1960, the Conference Committee Report, is another attempt by the Illinois General Assembly to get a transportation Bill passed this Session. Every project that's on this Bill has passed out of the House unanimously. We're trying to get the Senate to concur with something. As usual, the Senate is absolutely dead wrong on how they do government. As far as I'm concerned we should abolish the Senate but, if we can't get that accomplished, let's at least pass House Bill 1960. To let them know that we're trying to do something for transportation policy. Be glad to answer any questions."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion? The Lady from Kane, Representative Doederlein."

Doederlein: "Yes, would the Sponsor yield for a question?"

Speaker Giglio: "He indicates he will."

Doederlein: "I think it's a good idea but I do have some questions on page 71, with the high speed rail. Would this

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take in quick take powers? Would this give an individual quick take powers?"

Ronan: "No."

Doederlein: "It would not or would?"

Ronan: "Would not."

Doederlein: "But it says that the government can enter in to any contracts on this."

Ronan: "Yeah, but it does not include a quick take provision, Representative. Does not. We did quick take, remember, I did that last week. You didn't like it last week any more than you like it this week. But I did it last week to you already, so this has no quick take provision in it."

Doederlein: "Well, we had that in another Bill, right?"

Ronan: "Yeah, I passed quick take out of here last week, which you voted against, but this week we're not going to try to do it again. I only like to do things once a Session, since I did it last week, why do it this week?"

Doederlein: "So, with the other Bill and this one combined it could be quick take?"

Ronan: "Excuse me, Representative?"

Doederlein: "With the other Bill and this one, this Bill."

Ronan: "No. No. The other Bill dealt with highway projects, this is a high speed rail project. So this...this no...What I want you to understand is this has nothing to do with quick take provisions. So, that...this has...your...your...Your question is, this does not deal with quick take provisions in that part of the statute."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Deering."

Ronan: "So you can vote for it."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Deering."

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

Speaker Giglio: "Indicates he will."

Deering: "One question, Representative Ronan. On the front page,

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Senate Bill 523 provides that..."

Ronan: "What page, Representative, what page are you on?"

Deering: "Front page. I'm sorry, I'm on the analysis. Senate Bill 523 allows for a referendum to levy taxes for salaries of elected officials of a road district. Can you answer, is this a front door or back door referendum?"

Ronan: "Front door."

Deering: "Thank you."

Speaker Giglio: "The Gentleman from Cook, Representative Kubik."

Kubik: "Would the Sponsor yield?"

Ronan: "Sure."

Speaker Giglio: "Indicates he will."

Kubik: "Representative, you indicated in your initial remarks that everything in this...everything in this Conference Committee has passed this House already. Is that correct?"

Ronan: "Correct."

Kubik: "Correct me if I'm wrong, but on page 58 of the Bill, there is a provision which would limit the Pollution Control Board from placing...adopting any rules on tarps on trucks. And I don't recall passing a Bill which would do that out of this House. So, that seems to me to be a new provision. Perhaps you could shed some light on that."

Ronan: "Representative, I'm sorry to say you're wrong on that, this was House Bill 401. It passed out of the House unanimously with your support. And, consequently, we're looking forward to your support again. You voted for it once this Session."

Kubik: "Well, I guess, maybe it was one of those Bills on the Agreed Bill list that we should look a little bit closer at. And I'm looking a little bit closer at this one and I will be in opposition to this particular Bill."

Ronan: "Representative, it wasn't on the Agreed Bill list that was part of the omnibus Bill process in the House

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Transportation Committee. And it was supported by every Republican Member on the House Transportation Committee, led by one of the finest Minority Spokesmen's ever in the history of this state, Representative Hensel. So, if you've got a problem, you should go talk to Representative Hensel."

Speaker Giglio: "The Gentleman from Will, Representative Wennlund."

Wennlund: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. In response to the last speaker, all the provision says is, is that the Pollution Control Board can not adopt any restrictions which are greater than provided for in the Vehicle Code, which has provisions in it which require tarps under certain circumstances. It's a good legislation. The Pollution Control Board intended to...by regulation change the, in effect, the Vehicle Code which does require tarps under certain circumstances. It's a good Bill and I urge its passage."

Speaker Giglio: "The Gentleman from Effingham, Representative Hartke."

Hartke: "Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Giglio: "Indicates he will."

Hartke: "Representative Ronan, I noticed in the analysis, this also authorizes the Secretary of State to make special plates for federally appointed cabinet officials. Is this a special plate for Congressman, former Congressman, Madigan, whose now the Director of Agriculture?"

Ronan: "Yes, absolutely. And you know what Representative, when we get a Democratic president with your excellent background, we're going to make you the Secretary of Agriculture."

Hartke: "Thank you."

Ronan: "I pledge that I'll sponsor you for that position when we

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get a Democrat in as president."

Hartke: "Thank you."

Ronan: "You can serve in the Capitol."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Ronan to close."

Ronan: "This is a fine piece of legislation. It makes a lot of sense. Let's teach the Senate once and for all who's the top Body in this august capitol. The Senate's wrong, we're right. Let's send it to 'em. Let's teach 'em a lesson...this one's for the House. Come on, 118 green votes. Thank you very much."

Speaker Giglio: "Question is, 'Shall the House adopt the First Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1960?' All those in favor signify by voting 'aye', opposed, 'no'. This is final action. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record, Mr. Clerk. On this question, there are 86 voting 'yes', 15 voting 'no'. And the House does adopt the First Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1960. And this Bill, having received the required Three-Fifths Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Representative Currie. Is the Lady in the chamber? Out of the record. Representative Munizzi, Senate Bill 999. Alright, we'll come back to that. Representative Brunsvold, are you ready on Senate Bill 1006? Senate Bill 1006, Representative Brunsvold."

Brunsvold: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. Senate Bill 1006, Amendments 1 and 2 were agreed in the Senate, Amendment 3 was a controversial Amendment. We have met with the Fire Marshall's Office, with the large fire distributors, and the Legislators concerned. And the changes that were made on this Conference Committee Report are agreed to now, which would simply wipe off the board, as of September 1, the Fire Marshall will appoint a new distributor board and...We have reduced the fees that were

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\$500 and \$1,000 down to 100 - 200 and 300. Representative Black and I have been working on this for a couple years now trying to get the distributors Bill up and operating. We think we've finally gotten there with this agreement now on the board and the fees. So, I ask for the adoption of the First Conference Committee Report on Senate Bill 1006."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion? The Gentleman from Cook, Representative Steczo."

Steczko: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Will the Gentleman yield?"

Speaker Giglio: "Indicates he will."

Steczko: "Representative Brunsvold, did you say there was an agreement now among all the parties?"

Brunsvold: "The large fire distributors were concerned about taking the board out. We tried to make the board a more level playing field. The Fire Marshall, the previous Fire Marshall, had had a lot of problems with some of the provisions that the board had set up which were slanted, we thought, towards the large fire distributors. The board now, we feel, is more level. That the small guy has an opportunity also to be part of the board."

Steczko: "So, the large fire distributors have agreed now with this language?"

Brunsvold: "Yes."

Steczko: "Okay, thank you."

Speaker Giglio: "Further discussion? Hearing none, the question is, 'Shall the House adopt the First Conference Committee Report to Senate Bill 1006?' All those in favor signify by voting 'aye', opposed, 'no'. The voting is open, and this is final action. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record, Mr. Clerk. On this question, there are 110 voting 'yes' and none voting 'no'. And the House does adopt the First Conference Committee Report to Senate Bill 1006. And this



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Bill, having received the required Three-Fifths Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Representative Preston on House Bill 1564. The Gentleman from Cook, Representative Preston."

Preston: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. This Senate Bill 1564 is the Charitable Trust and Solicitation Act of 1991 that has undergone substantial discussions. And to my knowledge now all the pertinent parties, the veterans organizations, are all in agreement. This Bill requires paid, professional fund raisers to report to the Attorney General the percentage of charitable donations that go to administrative and public education expenses and the percentage that actually goes to the charity for its charitable purposes. It requires the charitable organization to annually account to the Attorney General for the receipt and expenditure of charitable funds. And it increases the reporting threshold from \$50,000 to \$100,000, so that small community based charities will not be burdened with accounting and reporting requirements. I'd be glad to answer any questions concerning this. It's been debated and discussed ad nauseam. But the organizations involved have been party to the negotiations and, as I said, to my knowledge the major veterans organizations have all signed off on this Bill."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion? Hearing none, the question is, 'Shall the House adopt the First (sic - Second) Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1564?' All those in favor signify by voting 'aye', opposed, 'no'. The voting is open and this is final action...Second Conference Committee Report. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record, Mr. Clerk. Representative Homer."

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Homer: "No, go ahead and take the record."

Speaker Giglio: "On this question, there're 107 voting 'yes', none voting 'no'. And the House does adopt the Second Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1564. And this Bill, having received the required Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed."

Homer: "Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Homer."

Homer: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Having voted on the prevailing side on House Bill 1564, I now move to reconsider the vote by which the Bill passed."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Preston."

Preston: "Mr. Speaker, I move that that Motion lie on the table."

Speaker Giglio: "All those in favor signify by saying 'aye', opposed 'no'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the Motion is adopted. Representative Keane."

Keane: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Could we go to House Bill 1838, please?"

Speaker Giglio: "House Bill 1838, Mr. Clerk, House Bill 1838. Representative Keane."

Keane: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move the adoption of Conference Committee Report #1 on House Bill 1838. Basically, this deals with the TIF provisions for the village of Carol Stream. It also has a portion in it on behalf of Moline's Sales Tax TIF. The Senate receded from Amendment #1 which was incorrectly drafted. The...there's a affirmation on behalf of Moline that the notice requirements were met, even though containing errors, and that the city's actions were legally sufficient and, therefore, validated. There's an additional text on behalf of Chicago. It's two parts: it allows the TIF development project to conform to a strategic economic development plan

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or redevelopment plan, instead of being required to conform to a comprehensive plan. It allows the city to expand the boundaries of the established TIF within an established redevelopment project area, without having to go through additional hearings. It...Another portion of the Bill amends the Revenue Act regarding the Department of Conservation property leases on resort buildings. These were changes of the Department of Conservation. And we have an immediate effective date for the entire report. Be happy to answer any questions and move the adoption of Conference Committee Report #1."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion? Hearing none, the question is, 'Shall the House adopt the First Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1838?' And on that question, all those in favor vote 'aye', opposed, 'no'. The voting is open. Representative Dunn."

Dunn: "Well, I'll explain my...my vote for my friend over there. I think we may not want to vote for this, this has Eagle Creek in it. Is it okay? Alright."

Speaker Giglio: "Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record, Mr. Clerk. On this question, there are 109 voting 'yes' and 1 voting 'no'. And the House does adopt the First Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1838. And this Bill, having received the required Three-Tifths Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Representative Shirley Jones, Senate Bill 1471. Call this Bill? The Lady from Cook, Representative Shirley Jones."

Jones: "Mr. Speaker, Senate Bill 1471 requires the Department of Transportation to annually update the State Airport Plan. I urge for an 'aye' vote on this. Thank you."

Speaker Giglio: "Any discussion? Representative Balanoff."

Balanoff: "Yes, just for a question, nothing in this Conference

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Committee Report deals with the Lake Calumet Airport, is that correct?"

Jones: "No."

Balanoff: "Thank you."

Speaker Giglio: "The question is, 'Shall the House adopt the First Conference Committee Report to Senate Bill 1471?' And on that question, all those in favor signify by voting 'aye', opposed vote 'no'. The voting is open, and this is final action. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Representative Leitch."

Leitch: "Just to explain my vote, Mr. Speaker. I signed this so it could come before the Body, but I want the Members to know that it does have the controversial rider truck part in it, in the event that that makes a difference to the Members."

Speaker Giglio: "Have all voted who wish? Take the record, Mr. Clerk. On this question, there are 70 voting 'yes'...Representative...Mr. Clerk, Representative Phelps, 'aye'. Representative Parke, 'no'. Representative Hultgren. George Hultgren."

Hultgren: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I recognize that the time for debate is over but I wonder if the Sponsor could even shake her head 'yes' or 'no'. Does this Conference Committee Report allow a tax increase for the Metropolitan Airport Authority? Thank you."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Regan. Representative Regan votes 'no'. Representative Cowlshaw."

Cowlshaw: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To explain my vote, there are really two parts to this Conference Committee Report. The first one was originally one of my Bills, and it provides a limitation on the Property Taxes for the DuPage Airport Authority. That's all it does. It limits and, in fact, severely cuts the Property Taxes for the DuPage

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Airport Authority. And the Airport Authority is in accord with that, so is IDOT, everybody signed off. It is totally uncontroversial. The other element, which was mentioned by my colleague on this side of the aisle, that in in here is something that was originally very controversial. But it has since been altered and the Secretary of State no longer opposes that. Consequently, what you think that was in here, that was controversial, has been changed. And I think that it's kind of a good idea to vote for Property Tax limitations, which is basically what this Conference Committee Report does."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Keane votes 'no'. Representative Deering votes 'no'. Representative Parke votes 'aye'. Representative Santiago votes 'aye'. Cronin, 'aye'. Representative McGann. Representative McGann votes 'no'. Representative Balthis votes 'aye'. Representative Shirley Jones...McGann voted 'no'. Representative Balthis...Oh, my God. Alright...Alright...Representative Balanoff wants to be recorded as voting...what? 'Aye'? Persico, 'aye'. Pullen, 'aye'. Stange, 'aye'. Manny Hoffman, 'aye'. Petka, 'aye'. Peterson, 'aye', Bill Peterson. Balthis, 'aye'. Everybody on this side okay? Representative Obrzut, 'aye'. Anybody else? Steczo, 'no'. Representative Deuchler, 'aye'. Representative Peterson, 'aye'. Representative Doederlein, 'aye'. Hartke, 'no'. Walsh, 'no'. Anybody else? Novak, 'aye'. Novak, 'aye'. Curran, 'pass'. Take the record, Mr. Clerk. Obrzut, 'no'. Alright, take the record, Mr. Clerk. On this question, there are 77 voting 'aye', 30 voting 'no'...'Present', I said, 'present' for Curran. Have you got Curran off there? Now there are 76 voting 'aye', 30 voting 'no'. And the House does adopt the First Conference Committee Report to Senate Bill 1471. And this Bill, having received the

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required Three-Fifths Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Sing Happy Birthday to Roger of the Clerk's Office here in the well. Dear Roger...Representative Wennlund. The Chair would like to recognize the new father on the floor, the former House Member, Representative or now Senator John Cullen...Cullerton, Representative Cullerton? Representative Wennlund."

Wennlund: "Thank you. Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I certainly want to join in wishing Roger a happy birthday. I'd like to point out to the Members of the House that it's also Representative Sieben's 46th birthday. And we wish him well and happy birthday also."

Speaker Giglio: "...Matijevich."

Matijevich: "Mr. Speaker, Members of the House. I would now move for a recess of the Regular Session and to move to the Special Session for the purpose of calling Senate Bill 1. I think it's about time we see some action. We've been here long enough and let's find out where everybody's at."

Speaker Giglio: "Alright, the House is now in recess 'til...The Gentleman moves the House in recess until 4:00 p.m. All those in favor say 'aye', 'no'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. The House is in recess until 4:00. The First Special Session will now come to order. The Attendance Roll Call of the General Regular Session will be used for the First Special Session. Senate Bill 1, Representative Matijevich."

Matijevich: "Yes, Mr. Speaker. Now I would ask that we go to the order of the business of Senate Bill 1. I think we ought to find out where everybody's at on permanent tax increases. We ought to find out where everybody's at on property caps. Let's get with it. We've been here, in

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Springfield, long enough. Let's find out if this is what's holding us here or not. I think we ought to have a vote on that and get down to the business."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Ryder. Representative Ryder."

Ryder: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. If the Gentleman is serious in his Motion then the Republicans need an opportunity to discuss this most recent event. I would request an immediate conference."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Matijeovich."

Matijeovich: "Well, you've had enough time to think about it. You've got now until 4:00 to think about all of that. But you've got all the time in the world. We've been spending a lot of time in Springfield here doing virtually nothing, waiting for the Governor to act, waiting for the Governor, I guess, to get national media attention. I guess that's what he was after. We Legislators are getting blamed for being in Springfield! We don't want to be in Springfield! We want to be home! You tell me who wants to be in... You give me one good reason why you want to be in Springfield when you don't have to be. Give me one good reason. The Governor lives here! He can stay here all he wants! Now I know it hurts! I know it hurts! But you've got 'til 4:00 to think it over. You've got some time now. You've been wasting enough time! You've got some more time to waste! Go ahead, waste some more time!"

Speaker Giglio: "Alright. Representative Black."

Black: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. No one in this chamber wants to go home anymore than I do. But I am asking the Chair, I am asking the Chair, are you ignoring our request for a conference?"

Speaker Giglio: "No, I'm not."

Black: "Alright, I would further submit to the Chair, that on the Calendar dated Thursday, July 11th, 1991, First Special

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Session; there isn't anything on it. So, let's be careful what we're going to consider now or at 4:00 or any time up to midnight tonight, cause there isn't anything on the Calendar!"

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Matijevich has moved to...there be a Motion to take from the table, Representative Matijevich. You didn't give an opportunity."

Black: "That was not his Motion."

Speaker Giglio: "You didn't give an opportunity, you wanted to go to a caucus, Representative."

Black: "I gave him an opportunity! He sat over there and filibustered for five minutes! He didn't make that Motion. Don't make it for him!"

Speaker Giglio: "He was trying to make it but there was too much hollering on that side of the aisle. The Chair couldn't even hear you."

Black: "No, he wasn't!"

Speaker Giglio: "The Chair couldn't even hear you, Representative Black."

Black: "No!"

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Olson. Olson. Olson."

Olson: "Thank you. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Thank you, Mr. Speaker. In reply to previous remarks, I believe the Constitution of this state says, that the General Assembly appropriates. The Governor either goes up and down on our actions. Any inaction down here falls right back on all of us in this chamber. We're here to do the appropriation process."

Speaker Giglio: "Matijevich."

Matijevich: "Mr. Speaker, as per Representative Black's request, I move to take Senate Bill #1 from the table in the Special Session and place it on the Calendar, Third Reading."

Speaker Giglio: "Representative Ryder."



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Ryder: "Speaker, we made a request for a conference. We asked for it to be immediate and we reinstate that request. Mr. Speaker, I'm not here to filibuster or to make public statements. We asked for a conference immediately."

Speaker Giglio: "Okay. Alright, the Republican Party is not ready to take action on Senate Bill 1."

Ryder: "Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Giglio: "We'll let the Republicans..."

Ryder: "Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Giglio: "The House stands in recess 'til 4:00 p.m."

Ryder: "Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Giglio: "The Republicans go to caucus, the House stands in recess 'til 4:00 p.m."

Speaker Young: "The House will come to order. We are in the First Special Session. The House will come to order. Senate Bill 1, Mr. Clerk. There is a Motion to take from the table. Representative Black. The mikes don't seem to be working, Representative, but you don't need one. Representative Black requests a Republican caucus, immediately. Representative Black, for how long will the Republicans need to caucus? The House will stand in recess until 5:45. The Republicans will caucus in Room 118. The Democrats will rest."

Speaker Madigan: "The House shall be in order. And the Order of Business is a Motion by Mr. Matijevich. Mr. Matijevich."

Matijevich: "Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend Rule 74(a), to take Senate Bill 1 in the First Special Session from the table, suspend Rule 37(g) and extend the Third Reading deadline until the end of the 1991 Spring Session. Everybody knows the purpose of this, so we can have a Roll Call Vote on the property tax caps and a permanent extension of the Income Tax. I would move to so table...take from the table."

Speaker Madigan: "You've all heard the Motion. Mr. Black."

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Black: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. An inquiry of the Chair, shouldn't the Sponsor also have a concurrent Motion to suspend the Calendar provision, so that he can take this from the table, because it has not appeared on the Calendar today anyplace."

Speaker Madigan: "That's the effect of suspending 74(a)."

Black: "And how ...An inquiry of the Chair, how many votes does this take to suspend 74(a)?"

Speaker Madigan: "71 to take from the table and 60 votes on 74(a)."

Black: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. I would question the 60 votes on 74(a). I realize my book is not in the best of shape, but if I can still read this, it's somewhat wrinkled. It says, 'The provisions of Sub-Sections A and B...'"

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Black."

Black: "...maybe suspended by an affirmative vote of 71 Members."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Black, your point is well taken."

Black: "Thank you."

Speaker Madigan: "The requirement is 71 votes. And on that question, those in favor signify by voting 'aye', those opposed by voting 'no'. Mr. Black to explain his vote. Mr. Black."

Black: "Yes, thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. Should this get the requisite number of votes, I would ask for a verification. I'm a little concerned about the Calendar requirement. Thank you."

Speaker Madigan: "Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? The Clerk shall take the record. On this question, there are 71 'ayes' and 42 'nos'. And Mr. Black has requested a verification. Mr. Clerk, read the names of those voting 'aye'."

Clerk O'Brien: "Balanoff. Brunsvold. Bugielski. Burke."

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Lou Jones. Shirley Jones. Keane. Kulas. Lang. Laurino.  
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Saltsman. Santiago. Satterthwaite. Schakowsky.  
Schoenberg. Shaw. Steczo. Stepan. Stern. Trotter.  
Turner. Walsh. White. Williams. Wolf. Woolard.  
Anthony Young. Wyvetter Younge and Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Black."

Black: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. Thank you very much,  
Mr. Speaker. Representative Giglio?"

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Giglio. Remove Mr. Giglio from the Roll  
Call."

Black: "Mr. Speaker, if we may depart from the verification for  
just a moment, I'd request that the Minority Leader be  
recognized."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Daniels."

Daniels: "Change me to present."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Daniels wishes to be recorded as  
'present'. Mr. Black."

Black: "I'm suddenly blinded by many lights, Mr. Speaker. Do you  
want me to continue or do you want to recognize these  
people that are seeking recognition?"

Speaker Madigan: "Well, if they're seeking recognition, we'll  
recognize them, why not? How 'bout Mr. Ryder. Mr. Ryder."

Ryder: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Would you please vote me as  
'present'?"

Speaker Madigan: "Record Mr. Ryder as 'present'. Can I just  
presume that anyone seeking recognition wishes to change

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their vote? So, Mr. Kubik wishes to be recorded as 'present'. Mr. Kirkland wishes to be recorded as 'present'. Representative Cowlshaw, 'present'. Balthis, 'present'. Parcells, 'present'. Churchill, 'present'. Mr. Parke, 'present'. Mr. Weller, 'present'. Mr. Weaver, 'present'. Mr. Tenhouse, 'present'. Mr. Burzynski, 'present'. Burzynski, 'present'. Persico, 'present'. Wojcik, 'present'. Hensel, 'present'. Frederick, 'present'. Ropp, 'present'. Deuchler, 'present'. Deuchler...Doederlein, 'present'. Pedersen, 'present'...Pedersen from Cook. Pullen, 'present'. Noland, 'present'. Sieben, 'present'...Sieben. McAuliffe. McAuliffe. Stange. Wennlund. Black. Hultgren...Hultgren. Hoffman. Robert Olson. Mr. Peterson from Lake. Petka. Mr. Johnson. Johnson. Regan. Leitch. Ackerman. Cronin. Mr. Cronin. I want to thank you for giving me this opportunity to learn all these names. With a little more work I'll associate the faces with the names. Alright, on this question, there are 70 'ayes' and '4' nos. Mr. Matijevich to explain his vote."

Matijevich: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. What we just found out, that the Minority, the Republican side of the aisle, just spent five hours and two caucuses to vote 'present'. That took a lot of guts. Well, somebody voted 'no'. Well, let me...let me tell you why Representative McCracken voted 'no'. See he doesn't have the opportunity like the Governor, the Governor's expert political consultant is 'Irv Corey', a professor backwards, and you don't have that expertise at your command. Now, what we just went through, Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, we had an opportunity to show the Governor; whether within his own political party that he had the support for property tax caps. Whether he had the support...Whether he

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had the support..."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Matijevich, apparently some people don't want to listen to what you've got to say."

Matijevich: "Well, I thought it was very important. I know one guy that doesn't, that's the Governor, because he hasn't been listening to anybody. But..."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Matijevich."

Matijevich: "We just found out and the Governor ought to have been listening, because he has a speaker, that within his own political party, he has no support for property tax caps. He doesn't have support for permanent income tax increase. He ought to know by now, this many days after the Session, that there's one issue, one issue that can bring us all home. One issue that can start government for everybody not just state employees but everybody. One issue that can finalize the work here of the General Session. And that one issue and we all know it. And I've talked to Republicans privately. The one issue is to finalize the budget. That can take us home. Now, Mr. Governor evidently you don't know your own political party, because they do not want to vote on a permanent income tax increase. Evidently, they got that letter, as I did from whatever that responsible group is that we received the letter, I think it's called CAG or something (I called it GAG but I think it's CAG). We all received a letter and they said they don't want any surcharge. So, there are Republicans, Mr. Speaker and Mr. Governor, that don't want to vote on that income tax increase. So you ought to know that, you ought to know that throughout the State of Illinois, Members on your side of the aisle don't want to vote for Property Tax Cap. You just saw them vote 'present'. So, Mr. Speaker, I think if anybody learned a lesson this afternoon, it should have been the Governor.

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Governor Edgar, it's about time you get us out of here. We must...Governor Edgar...Governor Edgar is the only one that can take the chains off of the Legislature and let's finalize a budget! Let's finalize a budget!"

Speaker Madigan: "On this question, there are 70 'ayes' and 4 'nos'. And the Motion fails. The Chair recognizes Mr. Matijevich for the Adjournment Motion 'til 10:00 a.m. tomorrow morning. Those in favor say 'aye', those opposed say 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The First Special Session is Adjourned. The House shall be in order in the Regular Session. Mr. Matijevich moves that the House does stand Adjourned until 10:00 a.m. tomorrow morning. Those in favor say 'aye', those opposed say 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The House does stand Adjourned until 10:00 a.m. tomorrow morning."

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