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Speaker Madigan: "The House shall come to order. The Members shall be in their chairs. Mr. Black, did you wish to take your seat? We shall be led in prayer today by Pastor Jim Campbell of the Christ Life Church in Woodstock. Pastor Campbell is the guest of Representative Jack Franks. The guests in the gallery may wish to rise and join us for the invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance."

Pastor Campbell: "Let us pray. Oh mighty God, once more our Representatives of the people of Illinois are gathered to legislate the will of the people. Father, they have been elected on trust from the people to faithfully and ethically carry out Your will in what is right and fair for all. The Scripture says concerning those who sit here before me today, in Romans 13:4, that government is God's servant for good. We are reminded of this, Holy Father. So, let it sink deeply into our hearts. We are God's servants for good and as Your servants, speak to us by that inner voice to let truth, justice and equality mandate our influence and actions done by this esteemed Body. We are God's servants for good, therefore let all actions and enactments of this Body be tempered with good reason and be abundant in fairness. Help us as we remember the poor and those who are mentally and physically challenged and those who cannot help themselves, for they are the ones that need God's help and certainly need our help. Great God, remind us today to call out to You in this time of danger and need. Our nation struggles with a war against terrorism. The people need Your protection and care. This esteemed Body needs prayer and protection. Our President and Congress and our military need prayer, as well. We pray for our enemies, as You have taught us to in Scripture. You did this because You knew that prayer changes things,

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causes people to lay down their thoughts of religious or secular conquest in war, and it can bring all of us to love and sharing with all. We are Your servants for good. Ever living Savior, we acknowledge that we cannot do perfectly what's right and good, so help us in this. You alone can bring out of us what is good, noble, and pure. Thank You for Your blessings upon these men and women. I bring their needs before You. Those who are struggling with illness, bring healing and health. Those who are wrestling with personal problems, bring peace and solution. Those who are in a valley of indecision, bring to them the right answer and action. Help us now to be God's servants for good. I pray over them the prayer of Jabez found in the Christian Old Testament. 'Oh that You would bless them indeed, and enlarge their borders and that Your hand might be with them, and that You would keep them from all hurt or harm.' And God granted this request. We have asked all these things through our Lord and Savior and Amen."

Speaker Madigan: "We shall be led in the Pledge of Allegiance by Representative Mary Kay O'Brien."

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

Speaker Madigan: "Roll Call for Attendance. Representative Currie."

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

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Bost."

Bost: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Let the record reflect that all Republicans are present today."

Speaker Madigan: "The Clerk shall take the record. There being

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115 Members responding to the Attendance Roll Call, there is a quorum present. Mr. Clerk, on page 2 of the Calendar, on the Order of House Bills-Second Reading there appears House Bill 3717. Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3717, a Bill for an Act in relation to criminal law. Second Reading of this House Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions filed."

Speaker Madigan: "Third Reading. House Bill 3734, Mr. Osmond. Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3734, a Bill for an Act concerning public funds. Second Reading of this House Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions filed."

Speaker Madigan: "Third Reading. House Bill 3736, Mr. Parke. Mr. Parke, do you wish to move the Bill? Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3736, a Bill for an Act concerning the Illinois Economic and Fiscal Commission. Second Reading of this House Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions filed."

Speaker Madigan: "Third Reading. House Bill 3749, Mr. Holbrook. Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3749, a Bill for an Act concerning firefighting. Second Reading of this House Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions filed."

Speaker Madigan: "Third Reading. House Bill 3750, Mr. Holbrook. Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3750, a Bill for an Act concerning firefighting. Second Reading of this House Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions

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filed."

Speaker Madigan: "Third Reading. House Bill 3771, Mr. Jerry Mitchell. Mr. Clerk, hold the Bill on Second Reading. On the Order of House Bills-Third Reading, there appears House Bill 3629, Mr. Black. Mr. Black. Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3629, a Bill for an Act concerning vehicles. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Black."

Black: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. This is identical to a Bill we passed last year. House Bill 127, passed the House with more than 106 votes. It was brought to me by a constituent who is the bereavement coordinator for a hospice program in my district. Those of you... I think... I won't belabor the point. I think all of you are familiar with hospice and what it does in allowing people to spend the last weeks or months of a terminal illness with a measure of dignity and being surrounded by family and friends. I think you're all familiar with it. This is an attempt to create a hospice license plate with all of the extra fees. There will be no cost to the state. \$25 of the renewal fee would go into a hospice fund and be administered by, if memory serves me correctly, and I may be wrong on this, is the Department of Public Health. I'll be glad to answer any questions that you have."

Speaker Madigan: "The Gentleman moves that the House pass the Bill. The Chair recognizes Mr. Hoffman."

Hoffman: "Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Madigan: "The Sponsor yields."

Hoffman: "Representative, I understand that this did indeed pass the House. I believe it was last year. Is it in the same form as it passed last year?"

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Black: "Yes, it's exactly the same form. It has run into a momentary delay, I'm sure, in the Senate Rules Committee, and then they tried to collapse three or four Bills at the last minute. But the fee structure was rather high, so we're gonna try again in the exact same form. And I know a lot of you have been called by people in your areas who are involved in the hospice programs and they stand in full support of the Bill and I am aware of no opposition to the Bill."

Hoffman: "I, too, stand in support of the Bill, Representative, and if you need any help in the Senate trying to get out of Rules, I stand ready and willing."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Jerry Mitchell."

Mitchell, J.: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, to finalize a pledge that I made on this House Floor and to Representative Black late last year, at the end of the Session, when everyone here helped me pass a license plate Bill for United States Marine Corps personnel. I stand in strong support of the hospice license plate and Representative Black, if you believe it would help, I would be more than happy to talk to Senator Philip and remind him that he did say he would give fair hearing to these Bills the next time around. I would be more than happy to cosponsor this Bill along with you, unless you think that might hinder its passage. I certainly will do whatever you feel is best for this particular piece of legislation. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Madigan: "Representative Slone."

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

Speaker Madigan: "Sponsor yields."

Slone: "Mr. Black, can you tell me anything about the design of the proposed plate? How similar it will be to the new

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license plates that were just begun being issued during 2001?"

Black: "I'm sorry. In... Will they be the same as the plates?"

Slone: "Will they be similar to the, to the plate... the colors and design of the plates that we... the new plates that we have?"

Black: "The lady who brought this to me, who's been involved in hospice has an artist's rendition of what she would like to see. She understands that that decision will be made administratively by the Secretary of State. I would urge the Secretary of State, if my opinion were to be sought, that he work with the hospice people and that it be distinctive, such as the prevent violence plate or the breast cancer awareness plate. If it fades into the current color scheme, I think it may lose some of the impact. But that's a decision to be made by Secretary White, not me or certainly not in the Bill."

Slone: "Thank you."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Black to close."

Black: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. I appreciate the questions and would appreciate an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Madigan: "The question is, 'Shall this Bill pass?' Those in favor, signify by voting 'yes'; those opposed by voting 'no'. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? The Clerk shall take the record. On this question, there are 110 people voting 'yes', 4 people voting 'no'. This Bill, having received a Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3645, Mr. Holbrook. Mr. Clerk, hold the Bill. House Bill 3662, the Gentleman indicates he does not wish to call the Bill. House Bill 3769, Mr. Hultgren. The Gentleman indicates he does not wish to call this Bill. House Bill 3774, Representative

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Klingler. Mr. Clerk, read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "House Bill 3774, a Bill for an Act in relation to education. Third Reading of this House Bill."

Speaker Madigan: "Representative Klingler. Mr. Clerk, turn on Representative Mulligan. Representative Klingler."

Klingler: "Mr. Speaker, thank you very much. This Bill was brought to me by the vocational centers in Illinois, which wanted to be able to participate in school energy construction... I'm sorry, school energy conservation grants. These... this provision would allow a vocational center to apply for a performance contract with a heating company, when they wish to upgrade. For example, the Capital Area Community Center in Springfield is all... is a 1970's built, all electric building and there are electric contractors 200 Bills... \$250 thousand a year. They would like to be able to have a more energy efficient system, but the cost is prohibitive. If they could utilize this provision of the school energy conservation article, they would be able to pay for the upgrade, using the savings. I would like to emphasize that this provision does not in any way compete with pup... excuse me, with public schools that are now using it. It simply allows the vocational centers to enter into their own performance contracts for construction upgrades."

Speaker Madigan: "The Lady moves for the passage of the Bill. Is there any discussion? There being no discussion, the question is, 'Shall this Bill pass?' Those in favor signify by voting 'yes'; those opposed by voting 'no'. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Did Mr. Turner wish to vote? The Clerk shall take the record. On this question, there are 115 people voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. This Bill, having received a Constitutional

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Majority, is hereby declared passed. The Chair recognizes Mr. Lang for the purpose of an announcement."

Lang: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A committee announcement. Tomorrow, there's a meeting on the... posted on the Calendar is a committee meeting for the Disabled Community Committee, relative to Lincoln Developmental Center. I just wanted to inform the Body that is a joint committee between the Disabled Community Committee and the Mental Health & Patient Abuse Committee. That's at 2:00 in Room D-1 tomorrow. Thank you, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Smith."

Smith: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to announce that the Agriculture Committee meeting scheduled for today is canceled. That's the House Agriculture Committee."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Franks."

Franks: "Point of personal privilege, if I may, Speaker."

Speaker Madigan: "State your point."

Franks: "Last week when we were in Session, one of our Members had inquired as to the cost, to the Speaker, of the replating for our legislative plates. I followed up on that to get back to the person who asked the question. And the Secretary of State's Office informed me that for the 177 Legislators to have it replated it was less than a thousand dollars. They also pointed out, that as a result of the replating, 65 thousand people who had not registered the year before but had registered in prior years, registered their plates and brought in over \$5 million to the State of Illinois."

Speaker Madigan: "Mr. Black."

Black: "Well, thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. In response to the Gentleman's point of personal privilege, let me just respond on behalf of my side of the aisle. The question

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was not so much as to what it costs to get Legislators a 2002 plate in the new color scheme, as it was the fact that it wasn't necessary. We already have a 2002 plate. Our plates are given to us when we are sworn in in January and they are good for two years. And I've already renewed mine, as I hope all of you have, for the \$78 renewal fee. The question raised by Representative Winters, and I don't purport to speak for him, was that why were these plates made at all? We already have a plate on our car that is good until January of 2003. Now, do I take the current valid plate off and put the new color scheme plate on? I don't think so. That was the only question we were raising, is why that that was necessary. It seemed duplicative and unnecessary, plus the fact that most of us got a registration with that plate that indicated we owed \$78 for that plate. And when we called over there, we(sic-they) said oh, that was a mistake. You'd already paid for it. So that was the question we raised. We thought that the duplicative plate was simply an unnecessary exercise, whether it costs \$10 or a thousand dollars, it didn't need to be done and it surely didn't need to be done for Legislators. That we're the last group that ought to have a extra plate made for us in this time of a budget crisis. So, I simply rise to defend Representative Winters in his request that he asked last week."

Speaker Madigan: "Is there anything further to come before the Body? Is there anything that any Member wanted Mr. Black to speak to? There being nothing further, Representative Currie moves that the House stand adjourned until tomorrow at 12 noon, providing perfunctory time for the Clerk. Those in favor say 'aye'; those opposed say 'no'. The

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'ayes' have it, the House does stand adjourned until 12 noon tomorrow, providing perfunctory time for the Clerk. The Chair would like to announce that the Committee on Insurance has been canceled today, and that Consumer Protection for today has been canceled, so please be advised that two committees have canceled, Insurance and Consumer Protection. Representative Flowers."

Flowers: "...been canceled. Health Care has been canceled."

Speaker Madigan: "Health Care is also canceled."

Clerk Rossi: "Attention, Members, the Public Utilities Committee scheduled to meet today is also canceled. The Public Utilities Committee scheduled to meet today at 2:00 p.m. is canceled."

Clerk Bolin: "The House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Introduction - First Reading of House Bills. House Bill 4885, offered by Representative Jim Meyer, a Bill for an Act concerning grants. House Bill 4886, offered by Representative Novak, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxation. House Bill 4887, offered by Representative Novak, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxes. House Bill 4888, offered by Representative Bill Mitchell, a Bill for an Act concerning the regulation of professions. House Bill 4889, offered by Representative Rich Myers, a Bill for an Act concerning the regulation of professions. House Bill 4890, offered by Representative Poe, a Bill for an Act concerning farm products. House Bill 4891, offered by Representative Novak, a Bill for an Act in relation to food safety. House Bill 4892, offered by Representative Krause, a Bill for an Act concerning municipalities. House Bill 4893, offered by Representative Krause, a Bill for an Act concerning taxes. House Bill 4894, offered by Representative Krause, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxation. House Bill 4895,

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offered by Representative Tenhouse, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. House Bill 4896, offered by Representative Brunsvold, a Bill for an Act concerning patient billing. House Bill 4897, offered by Representative Stephens, a Bill for an Act concerning State funds. House Bill 4898, offered by Representative Delgado, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 4899, offered by Representative Delgado, a Bill for an Act concerning education. House Bill 4900, offered by Representative Fritchey, a Bill for an Act concerning partnerships. House Bill 4901, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act concerning taxes. House Bill 4902, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxes. House Bill 4903, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxes. House Bill 4904, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to gambling. House Bill 4905, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to income taxes. House Bill 4906, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxes. House Bill 4907, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxation. House Bill 4908, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxes. House Bill 4909, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act in relation to gambling. House Bill 4910, offered by Representative McKeon, a Bill for an Act concerning taxation. House Bill 4911, offered by Representative Hartke, a Bill for an Act in relation to vehicles. House Bill 4912, offered by Representative Wirsing, a Bill for an Act concerning higher education student assistance. House Bill 4913, offered by Representative Holbrook, a Bill for an Act relating to

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schools. House Bill 4914, offered by Representative Reitz, a Bill for an Act with regard to schools. House Bill 4915, offered by Representative Brunsvold, a Bill for an Act concerning peace officers. House Bill 4916, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act concerning professional regulation. House Bill 4917, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act concerning speech. House Bill 4918, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act in relation to gambling. House Bill 4919, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act in relation to gambling. House Bill 4920, offered by Representative Saviano, a Bill for an Act in relation to gambling. House Bill 4921, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act in relation to civil immunities. First Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment #10 offered by Representative Hoeft.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT #10

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a proposition to amend Section 2 of Article X of the Constitution as follows:

ARTICLE X

EDUCATION

(ILCON Art. X, Sec. 2)

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SECTION 2. STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION - STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION CHIEF-STATE-EDUCATIONAL-OFFICER

(a) There is created a State Board of Education to be elected or selected on a regional basis. The number of members, their qualifications, terms of office and manner of election or selection shall be provided by law. The Board, except as limited by law, may establish goals, determine policies, provide for planning and evaluating education programs and recommend financing. The Board shall have such other duties and powers as provided by law.

(b) A State Superintendent of Education shall be nominated at a general primary election and elected by the electors of the State at the general election every 4 years, beginning in 2004. The State Superintendent of Education shall hold office for 4 years beginning on the second Monday of January after his or her election. To be eligible to hold the office of State Superintendent of Education a person must be a United States citizen, at least 25 years old, and a resident of the State for 10 years preceding his or her election.

The names of the candidates for State Superintendent of Education shall be printed on the ballot directly below the names of the candidates for Secretary of State.

Any vacancy in the office of State Superintendent of Education shall be filled in the manner provided in Section 7 of Article X.

The State Superintendent shall be the chief educational officer of the State. The-State-Board-of-Education-shall-appoint a-chief-state-educational-officer.

(Source: Illinois Constitution.)

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois

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Constitutional Amendment Act, and when the State Superintendent of Education initially elected under Section 2 of Article X of the Illinois Constitution takes office, the term of office of the chief state educational officer appointed by the State Board of Education shall expire. First Reading of this Constitutional Amendment."

Clerk Rossi: "Introduction - First Reading of Bills. House Bill 4922, offered by Representative Slone, a Bill for an Act concerning environmental protection. House Bill 4923, offered by Representative Slone, a Bill for an Act in relation to environmental safety. House Bill 4924, offered by Representative Steve Davis, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 4925, offered by Representative Steve Davis, a Bill for an Act in relation to vehicles. House Bill 4926, offered by Representative Steve Davis, a Bill for an Act in relation to criminal law. House Bill 4927, offered by Representative Steve Davis, a Bill for an Act in relation to vehicles. House Bill 4928, offered by Representative Kosel, a Bill for an Act concerning bonds. House Bill 4929, offered by Representative McAuliffe, a Bill for an Act in relation to public safety. House Bill 4930, offered by Representative McAuliffe, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 4931, offered by Representative Novak, a Bill for an Act in relation to public employee benefits. House Bill 4933, offered by Representative Hoffman, a Bill for an Act concerning vehicles. House Bill 4934, offered by Representative Hoffman, a Bill for an Act concerning insurance. House Bill 4935, offered by Representative Hoffman, a Bill for an Act in relation to vehicles. House Bill 4936, offered by Representative Hoffman, a Bill for an Act in relation to criminal law. House Bill 4937, offered

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by Representative Fritchey, a Bill for an Act in relation to vehicles. House Bill 4938, offered by Representative McGuire, a Bill for an Act concerning State records. House Bill 4939, offered by Representative Novak, a Bill for an Act in relation to real property. House Bill 4950 (sic-4940), offered by Representative Dale Righter, a Bill for an Act in relation to criminal law. House Bill 4941, offered by Representative Winters, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. House Bill 4942, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act concerning pest control. House Bill 4943, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act making appropriations. House Bill 4944, offered by Representative Feigenholtz, a Bill for an Act in relation to public aid. House Bill 4945, offered by Representative Hassert, a Bill for an Act concerning trust and payable on death accounts. House Bill 4946, offered by Representative Art Turner, a Bill for an Act relating to higher education student assistance. House Bill 4947, offered by Representative Art Turner, a Bill for an Act concerning corporations. House Bill 4948, offered by Representative Acevedo, a Bill for an Act in relation to vehicles. House Bill 4949, offered by Representative Lang, a Bill for an Act in relation to alcoholic liquor. House Bill 4950, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act in relation to alcoholic liquor. House Bill 4951, offered by Representative Acevedo, a Bill for an Act in relation to criminal law. House Bill 4952, offered by Representative Dart, a Bill for an Act concerning banks. House Bill 4953, offered by Representative Hoffman, a Bill for an Act concerning motor vehicles. House Bill 4954, offered by Representative Brunsvold, a Bill for an Act in relation to criminal law. House Bill 4955, offered by

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Representative Brunsvold, a Bill for an Act concerning banks. House Bill 4956, offered by Representative Younge, a Bill for an Act in relation to transportation. House Bill 4957, offered by Representative Boland, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 4958, offered by Representative Miller, a Bill for an Act concerning schools. House Bill 4959, offered by Representative Bill Mitchell, a Bill for an Act in relation to firearms. House Bill 4960, offered by Representative McGuire, a Bill for an Act making appropriations. House Bill 4961, offered by Representative McGuire, a Bill for an Act concerning personal care attendants. House Bill 4962, offered by Representative Hamos, a Bill for an Act concerning recording conversations. House Bill 4964, offered by Representative McGuire, a Bill for an Act making appropriations. House Bill 4965, offered by Representative McGuire, a Bill for an Act concerning preventive services. House Bill 4966, offered by Representative Hamos, a Bill for an Act in relation to taxes. House Bill 4967, offered by Representative Rutherford, a Bill for an Act relating to corporate fiduciaries. House Bill 4968, offered by Representative Rutherford, a Bill for an Act concerning human rights. House Bill 4969, offered by Representative Rutherford, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 4970, offered by Representative Rutherford, a Bill for an Act concerning municipalities. House Bill 4971, offered by Representative Rutherford, a Bill for an Act concerning State construction projects. House Bill 4972, offered by Representative Coulson, a Bill for an Act concerning firearms. House Bill 4973, offered by Representative Brady, a Bill for an Act concerning zoning. House Bill 4974, offered by Representative Reitz, a Bill

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for an Act concerning motor vehicle decals. First reading
of these House Bills.

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT #11

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-SECOND
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING
HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the electors of the State
for adoption or rejection at the general election next occurring
at least 6 months after the adoption of this resolution a
proposition to add Section 8.1 to Article IV of the Illinois
Constitution as follows:

ARTICLE IV

THE LEGISLATURE

(ILCON Art. IV, Sec. 8.1 new)

Section 8.1. Passage of Revenue Bills.

(a) A bill that would result in the increase of revenue to
the State may become law only with the concurrence of two-thirds
of the members elected to each house of the General Assembly.

(b) The General Assembly may not vote upon a bill that would
result in the increase of revenue to the State until a public
hearing on the bill has been held. Reasonable notice of the
hearing, in no event less than 2 weeks, shall be given to the
public.

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being declared
adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois
Constitutional Amendment Act. First Reading of this House Joint

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Resolution Constitutional Amendment.

Introduction - First Reading of House Bills. House Bill 4974, offered by Representative Reitz, a Bill for an Act concerning motor vehicle decals. House Bill 4975, offered by Representative Hoffman, a Bill for an Act regarding vehicles. House Bill 4976, offered by Representative Smith, a Bill for an Act concerning counties. House Bill 4977, offered by Representative Winters, a Bill for an Act in relation to family law. House Bill 4978, offered by Representative Winters, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 4979, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act making appropriations. House Bill 4980, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act in relation to insurance. House Bill 4981, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning the comprehensive health insurance plan. House Bill 4982, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning the Comprehensive Health Insurance Plan. House Bill 4983, offered by Representative Winters, a Bill for an Act in relation to professional boxing. House Bill 4984, offered by Representative Zickus, a Bill for an Act concerning impaired professionals. House Bill 4985, offered by Representative Lou Jones, a Bill for an Act making appropriations. House Bill 4986, offered by Representative Lou Jones, a Bill for an Act in relation to housing. House Bill 4987, offered by Representative Mautino, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal offenses. House Bill 4988, offered by Representative Mathias, a Bill for an Act concerning municipalities. House Bill 4989, offered by Representative Krause, a Bill for an Act relating to insurance. House Bill 4990, offered by Representative Garrett, a Bill for an Act concerning townships. Introduction and First Reading of

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these House Bills. Representative Barbara Flynn Currie, Chairperson from the Committee on Rules, to which the following measure/s was/were referred, action taken on February 5, 2002, reported the same back with the following recommendation/s: 'to the floor for consideration' House Resolution 624. Being no further business, the House Perfunctory Session now stands adjourned."