

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
97th GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
TRANSCRIPTION DEBATE

152nd Legislative Day

8/16/2012

Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Introduction and First Reading of House Bills. House Bill 6197, offered by Representative Bill Mitchell, a Bill for an Act concerning public aid. House Bill 6198, offered by Representative Kosel, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 6199, offered by Representative Pritchard, a Bill for an Act concerning elections. House Bill 6200, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 6201, offered by Representative Kay, a Bill for an Act concerning State Government. House Bill 6202, offered by Representative Zalewski, a Bill for an Act concerning civil law. House Bill 6203, offered by Representative Paul Evans, a Bill for an Act concerning State Government. House Bill 6204, offered by Representative Fortner, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 6205, offered by Representative Kay, a Bill for an Act concerning employment. House Bill 6206, offered by Representative Paul Evans, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. House Bill 6207, offered by Representative Kay, a Bill for an Act concerning children. House Bill 6208, offered by Representative Cross, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. House Bill 6209, offered by Representative Nekritz, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 6211... correction, House Bill 6210, offered by Representative Nekritz, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. House Bill 6211, offered by Representative Bradley, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. House Bill 6212, offered by Representative

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Osmond, a Bill for an Act concerning local government.  
House Bill 6213, offered by Representative Paul Evans, a  
Bill for an Act concerning education.

Bolin: "First Reading of House Joint Resolution Constitutional  
Amendment #50, offered by Representative Reis.

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
NINETY-SEVENTH 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 9 to Article XIII of the Illinois Constitution as  
follows:

ARTICLE XIII

GENERAL PROVISIONS

SECTION 9. MARRIAGE

To secure and preserve the benefits of marriage for our  
society and for future generations of children, only a  
union of one man and one woman shall be valid or recognized  
as a marriage in this State. This State and its political  
subdivisions shall not create or recognize a legal status  
similar to that of marriage.

SCHEDULE

This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being  
declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the  
Illinois Constitutional Amendment Act. There being no  
further business, the House Perfunctory Session will stand  
adjourned."