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Speaker Lang: "The House will be in order. Members will be at their chairs. We shall be led in prayer today by Reverend Henry O. Hardy who is Pastor Emeritus Cosmopolitan Community Church in Chicago. Reverend Hardy is the guest of Representative Turner. Members and guests will please refrain from starting laptops, turn off cell phones, and rise for the Pledge of Allegiance. Reverend Hardy."

Reverend Hardy: "May we pray. Dear God, we seek wisdom to discern, integrity to initiate, humility to formulate. Empower our striving for beneficence and benediction of those whom we represent. Saturate our spirits that our efforts will result in enlightened decision-making. We approach our public policy responsibility with Isaiah's words resonating in the inner ear of our consciousness that the government of this Earth, indeed of this state, is upon Your shoulder. You alone the ultimate authority. We recognize the urgency of the present moment. Anoint our actions to be representative of dignity, decorum, and destiny. We pray for the vulnerable in our society that the defenseless will be protected, the aged will be assisted, and the children will be nurtured and nourished. Oh God, may we tremble in the inescapable truth of individual and collective accountability. Baptize us with the intellect, the imagination, and the generosity to make Illinois a habitation of hope where health, education, pension crisis, economic needs are mastered. Inspire us to perform our legislative challenges with courage, clarity, and charity. Invigorate us with the passion and pursuit of purpose to honor our office with ethical excellence and selfless sincerity. We seek Your counsel to guide us beyond personal and Party

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privilege to the most exalted status as servants of the people, advocates of the highest ideals, and promoters of public good and civic virtue. As we depart from this closing Session, may we leave with the conviction that indeed we've realized Amos's great prophecy that justice will roll down like waters and righteousness as an ever-flowing stream. This is our prayer, Amen."

Speaker Lang: "We'll be led in the Pledge by Representative Jackson."

Jackson - 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 Lang: "Roll Call for Attendance. Leader Currie."

Currie: "Thank you, Speaker. Please let the record show that Representative Davis is excused and so is Representative Davis and so is Representative Yingling and so is Representative Soto."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Brown."

Brown: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Please let the record show that Representatives Jesiel and Phillips are excused today."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Clerk, please take the record. There are 112 Members present. We do have a quorum. The Chair recognizes Mr. Butler."

Butler: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Go Hawks. A point of personal privilege, please."

Speaker Lang: "Please proceed, Sir."

Butler: "Today, I'd like to congratulate the... along with Representative Scherer, we split Rochester, the Lady Rockets

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girls' soccer team won the Class 1A Championship yesterday. And I'd just like to say congratulations to Rochester High School on winning yet another championship, this time in girls' soccer. Go Rockets."

Speaker Lang: "Congratulations. Mr. Clerk, Agreed Resolutions. Don't get too excited, Members."

Clerk Hollman: "Agreed Resolutions. House Resolution 567, offered by Representative Bradley. House Resolution 568, offered by Representative Poe. House Resolution 570, offered by Representative Gabel. House Resolution 571, offered by Representative Ammons. House Resolution 573, offered by Representative DeLuca. House Resolution 574, offered by Representative Winger. House Resolution 575, offered by Representative Hoffman."

Speaker Lang: "Leader Currie moves for the adoption of the Agreed Resolutions. Those in favor say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Agreed Resolutions are adopted. Mr. Clerk, Committee Reports."

Clerk Hollman: "Introduction of Resolutions. House Resolution 569, offered by Representative Ford. House Resolution 572, offered by Representative Christian Mitchell. House Resolution... House Joint Resolution 84, offered by Representative Conroy. These are referred to the Rules Committee."

Speaker Lang: "Moving to page 18 of the Calendar, under the Order of Resolutions, there appears House Resolution 241, Representative Gordon-Booth. Out of the record. House Resolution 431... let... let's just hold that one moment. The

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Chair recognizes... Pay attention now, folks. The Chair recognizes Mr. Moylan on a point of personal privilege."

Moylan: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. And I'd like to thank everyone that made last night's victory for the Blackhawks possible. We had an extra special fun party last night and it was all made possible by Leader Lou Lang, Representative David McSweeney, Andy Raucci, and Dave Sullivan, and especially, all the Members were there. And let's have a big cheer for the Blackhawks. Ready? Okay, go. Ready? Singing Blackhawks Theme Song. Okay, you had enough?"

Speaker Lang: "We've had enough, Sir."

Moylan: "Let's go get'em. Stanley Cup, bring it back to Chicago. Thank you, guys and the State of Illinois."

Speaker Lang: "Does anyone know if Mr. Moylan is in the chamber? House Resolution 431 to be presented by Representative Mayfield."

Mayfield: "Thank you. I stand to present House Resolution 431 which urges the Governor and the 99th General Assembly to review the possibilities of increasing distribution fees by 2.5 percent on craft beer beverages solely to fund child care services in the state universities. Ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Resolution say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Resolution is adopted. House Resolution 478, Representative Lilly. Please proceed, Representative."

Lilly: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the General Assembly. House Resolution 478 addresses the issue of mental health assessment and behavioral health issues in our great country. As you know, dramatically there are problems

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and violence that are breaking out throughout many of our communities, and many of these issues are related to mental health and behavioral health issues. The stigma around mental health issues are often prevent... often prevent conversation on mental health issues as well as proper treatment. Untreated mental health issues lead to loss of potential and nume... numerous social problems; increased incarceration rate, substance abuse rate, and emergency room visit. The Bureau of Labor Statistics estimate that 89.3 million Americans live in federally designated Mental Health Professional Shortage area where there is little to no access to mental health or behavioral health services. A total of 64... 64.2 percent of inmates in the local jail satisfy this criteria for mental health needs and health care services that are... they are not being addressed once they leave the system. I urge you to discuss this issue of behavioral health, mental health, and developmentally challenged issue in a forum... a community forum that promotes the awareness of mental health services, mental health issues, access to mental health, access to behavioral health, and identifies developmental challenges with individuals. I encourage all school districts in the Illinois to implement mental health screenings and discussions that properly identifies the mental health, behavioral health, and developmental challenges for children, and youth, and students throughout our great state. I ask for your 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Resolution say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Resolution is adopted. House Resolution 495, Representative Lilly. Please proceed."

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Lilly: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the General Assembly. House Resolution 495 discuss education, funding for education. In this uncertain time of budget... of a budgetary pos... process, there are many variables to consider. While our state is in financial struggles, we must not falter in our constitutional obligation to provide a high quality education for all children of Illinois who at this time have no input, have no cause of these difficulties. Education is more important than ever because it is an essential step to entering and being in a... a vital citizen in our great state. If we fail to instill a value of education on... of our students, we end up with a dropout rate at three times more likely and then to receive welfare assistance which costs us billions of dollars annually. Though proper education our youth, we have an abundance of high... we would have an abundance of highly skilled workers, improved business climate. Because it is estimated that by 2020 United States economy will face a shortage of 5 million workers without the necessary education and training. A highly educated... education also proves civic... civically responsible individuals and they are more likely to participate in our electoral process. Over the past 30 years, the U.S. has increased spending incarceration by 127 percent and only in education just 21 percent. Illinois has not fully funded education since FY09. A high qual... a high quality education system should be the... our identity and our legacy here in Illinois and in our United States. It is additionally important that we make education the number one priority for the State of Illinois. So I resolve and urge this Body to

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acknowledge the importance of a highly qualified education and the pari... priority of K-12 spending as the budget's number one priority as we close out this season. Thank you. I appreciate your 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Resolution say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Resolution is adopted. House Resolution 497, Mr. Ford. Please proceed, Sir."

Ford: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Members of the House. House Resolution 497 urges Congress to pass legislation in support of universal child care services. I ask for a favorable vote for House Resolution 497."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Resolution will say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Resolution is adopted. On page 8 of the Calendar, Senate Bills-Third Reading, Senate Bill 1906, Representative Hurley. Mr. Clerk, please read the Bill."

Clerk Hollman: "Senate Bill 1906, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. Third Reading of this Senate Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Hurley."

Hurley: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Senate Bill 1906 will add Special Olympics, Special Children's Charities, the U.S.S. Illinois Commissioning Fund, and Autism Care Fund to the income tax checkoff. I'm here for any questions and I appreciate an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Bill will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Ladies and Gentlemen, record yourselves. Gordon-Booth. Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And this

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Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Senate Bill 763, Mr. Zalewski, on the Order of Second Reading. Mr. Clerk, please read the Bill."

Clerk Hollman: "Senate Bill 763, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. This Bill was read a second time on a previous day. No Committee Amendments. Floor Amendments 1 and 2 were adopted previously. No further Amendments. No Motions are filed."

Speaker Lang: "Third Reading. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Hollman: "Senate Bill 763, a Bill for an Act concerning public employee benefits. Third Reading of this Senate Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Zalewski."

Zalewski: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Senate Bill 763 is an initiative of my... a town in my district, Bedford Park. The... with the Tier II change to public safety responders, there was a need for them to be placed into what's called the SLEP program in IMRF, which is the... which is the first responder portion of IMRF. Important for the Members to note two things. As a result of this change, these... these police and firefighters will be paying more into their system. So this is not a benefit increase in... in the sense that they'll be paying more for their... for their benefits. Additionally, it's important to know why we're doing this. As a result of the Tier II change, you would have had 67-year-old firefighters working in Bedford Park and... and we wanted to realign this to get them into an acceptable way for them to transition into retirement. So, I'd ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Ives."

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Ives: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To the Bill. What you have with this Bill is you have a situation where this city can already do this themselves. They do not need legislative approval to do this. They can set up their own retirement system. They can make it as broad as they want to. There's no reason for them to come here. What the... what you have is that this particular city rejected such a provision in the past via referendum. Now they're coming to us, the firefighters and such, to ask for this to be mandated by the state. There's... there's... it's... it's unnecessary to do this. It's going to increase taxes on the citizens and the commercial properties that are there. But let's not doubt this, they can do this on their own. There's no need for them to come here to do this. Vote 'no'."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Morrison."

Morrison: "I would just reiterate the last speaker's comments. I... I'm sorry, Mr. Speaker, to the Bill. Again, this is something that the residents had a chance to vote on. It is a small community, in other words, there's a lot of commercial property and a fairly small amount of residents for the... for the size of the village. But again, this is something that they can do on their own and that's why we voted 'no' in committee and why we'd urge a 'no' vote here on the floor."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Zalewski to close."

Zalewski: "Okay. A couple of notes. You can... the vil... Bedford Park cannot do this on their own. Respectfully, I disagree with the two previous speakers. They cannot go into the SLEP portion of IMRF on their own. We need to do that for them to make that happen. Additionally, this is not a mandate. Bedford

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Park will still have to pass a village-approved resolution for all this to occur, but they need statutory authorization. This is a... this is a good Bill for my district and an important Bill for the firefighters. I'd ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Bill will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Dunkin, Fortner, Franks, Gordon-Booth, Stewart. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 78 voting 'yes', 31 voting 'no'. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Senate Bill 1487, Mr. Evans. Please read the Bill."

Clerk Hollman: "Senate Bill 1487, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. This Bill was read a second time on a previous day. No Committee Amendments. Floor Amendment #1, offered by Representative Evans, has been approved for consideration."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Evans."

Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and the great Members of this Assembly. Senate Bill 1487 creates a pilot program in Cook County. It's an initiative of our Recorder of Deeds Office to try to deal with vacant properties and a lot of recordings which makes it very difficult to move vacant properties. The Amendment was... was one that was requested by the Contractor's Association 'cause working through this pilot program we wanted to make sure that the real legitimate liens were not excluded but just looking for a way to kind of start to move these vacant properties. So I ask for your support. Opposition was removed."

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Speaker Lang: "Mr. Franks. Can we... do any of the speakers mind..."

Franks: "Oh."

Speaker Lang: "...if we just move this Bill to Third Reading?"

Franks: "Yeah. That's fine."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Amendment say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Amendment is adopted. Mr. Clerk."

Clerk Hollman: "No further Amendments. No Motions are filed."

Speaker Lang: "Third Reading. Ladies and Gentlemen, moving to page 11 of the Calendar, under the Order of Concurrences. Many of you have concurrences, there's 60 or 70 of these on the Calendar. We can move through them expeditiously if you're ready. So please be ready. So on page 11 of the Calendar, the first Bill is House Bill 165, Representative Flowers. Please proceed."

Flowers: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur with House Bill 165. House Bill 165 expand upon the free exercise right by clarifying that under the U.S. and the State Constitution and Federal Equal Access Act of 1984 that students shall have the right, during the school day, during noninstructional time to volunteer in any type of collective, nondisruptive religious meeting. And I would urge an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed vote 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Members, please record yourselves. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 110 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House does concur in Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 165. And this Bill, having received the

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Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 175, Mr. McSweeney. Please proceed."

McSweeney: "Mr. Speaker, House Bill 175 would allow Open Meeting Act violations to be reported 60 days after a violation is discovered. Amendment 2 simply clarifies that the Bill is perspective. I move for concurrence, would appreciate a 'yes' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion shall vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment #2 to House Bill 175. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 184, Representative Nekritz. Please proceed, Representative."

Nekritz: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. House Bill 184 has to do with education... public education regarding cytomegalovirus, which in newborns can cause congenital defects and is the most common cause of hearing defects in... in newborns. The Concurrence Motion... or the Senate Amendment brought the Department of Public Health on board so there's no opponents."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? D'Amico, Turner. D'Amico, Turner. Please take the record. On this question, there are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 184. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority,

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is hereby declared passed. House Bill 352, Mr. Verschoore.
Please proceed."

Verschoore: "Ladies and Gentlemen, Senate Amendment #1 provides that the harvesting of bobcats in the state shall be non-detrimental as defined by the federal regulations and determination of the United States Fish and Wildlife. What the Senate Amendment codi... it does is codifies into statute the administrative rules to try and satisfy some concerns that the environmental groups and the Sierra Club has. The department will do a survey over the whole state to determine the areas where there are a problem, meaning killing of livestock, companion animals like dogs and cats, and small game such as quail and pheasant. The DN... DNR director has told me he's gotten calls already where they're having some problems with them killing some smaller farm animals. I'd be glad to answer any questions. I'd ask for Concurrence."

Speaker Lang: "Ladies and Gentlemen, this seems to be getaway day. I see five people wishing to speak on this Bill. I would ask that the Members restrain themselves. Chair recognizes Mr. Phelps."

Phelps: "Thank you... thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I have no idea what my seatmate just said, but to the Bill. To the Bill. In my hand I have a map, and there's been a lot of phone calls going around, a lot of the Legislators up north. This map in the yellow, from Decatur on 36 up to 51 to Route 39 all the way through Chicago to the Indiana border, you cannot hunt bobcats in that area. Okay? There's only going to be so many permits that you're going to be able to hunt statewide. I trust... you know who I trust? I

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trust Director Wayne Rosenthal in DNR and we've got to trust their science. I know you all served with him, so let him do his job. This is a great Bill. This Concurrence Amendment is non-detrimental to the bobcat population. Urge an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Costello."

Costello: "I would second what Representative Phelps said. And I would also tell you that the Sponsor has worked very hard on this legislation to try to work with all groups. The number of permits issued I believe is 100 or less. This would not be detrimental to the population. The population has grown drastically in the last couple of years. And I urge an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Williams."

Williams: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To the Bill. Of course we really appreciate all the work the Sponsor has done on the Bill, but I did want to make sure the Members know that the environmental community, specifically the Sierra Club and the Illinois Environmental Council, are still opponents to this Bill. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Verschoore to close."

Verschoore: "I would just ask for an 'aye' vote. I know they've been passing around little brochures that shows this nice little kitten, you know, like everybody would want one. But these an... these kittens grow into larger animals that do a lot of damage to not only wildlife but small game and... and they... what? Apex predators, whatever that is. So, anyhow, I would just ask for a... an 'aye' vote."

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Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Burke, Cabello, Evans, Feigenholtz, Stewart. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 55 voting 'yes', 54 voting 'no', and 1 voting 'present'. And the Gentleman's Motion fails. Mr. Verschoore is recognized."

Verschoore: "Can I put that on Postponed Consideration?"

Speaker Lang: "Sir, there's no need. A Motion to Concur is renewable, so if you find your votes just approach the Chair. An announcement for the Members. The House Democrats will caucus immediately in Room 114. The Republicans will do whatever Republicans do. The House will be in recess 'til the call of the Chair. The House will be in order. Members will be in their chairs. Chair recognizes Speaker Madigan."

Madigan: "Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, my purpose is for an announcement on schedule. Today is the last regularly scheduled day of the spring Session. However, the House will be in continuous Session through the summer. The House will be in continuous Session through the summer. Our next date here at the Capitol Building will be this coming Thursday, June 4. All Members should understand that for purposes of the Sessions through the summer, there will be no mileage, no per diem. No mileage, no per diem, and you may be subject to a 48-hour notice to appear here at the Capitol Building. So, let me repeat. The House will be in continuous Session through the summer. Next Session day will be Thursday, June 4. There'll be no mileage, no per diem, and you may be

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subject to a 48-hour notice to appear here at the Capitol.
Mr. Speaker, thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Under the Order of Concurrence, House Bill 356,
Mr. Zalewski. Please proceed on your Concurrence Motion."

Zalewski: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur in Senate
Amendment #1. It simply adds the City of Chicago as a board
member on the pilot board."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Amendment say...
vote 'yes'; opposed vote 'no'. The voting is open. Have all
voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who
wish? Cavaletto. Please take the record. There are 112 voting
'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate
Amendment 1 to House Bill 356. And this Bill, having received
the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House
Bill 488, Mr. Riley. Please proceed."

Riley: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur with Senate...
Senate Amendment #2 House Bill 488. Essentially, what the
Senate did was it made the Bill permissive and added a word...
added the word 'reasonableness'. So, I ask for a Concurrence
to Amendment #2 to House Bill 488."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote
'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who
wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please
record yourselves. Ammons. Please take the record. There are
111 voting 'yes' and 1 voting 'present'. The House does concur
with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 488. And this Bill,
having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby
declared passed. House Bill 821, Representative Mussman.
Please proceed."

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Mussman: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Members of the House. Senate Floor Amendment #1 makes clarifying adjustments to certain words and descriptions of the Campus Sexual Assault Act at the request of the universities while also making small modifications to other requirements such as reporting and also allows for more customization on individual campus plans. All changes are agreed upon with the Attorney General's Office and universities. There is no opposition. And I request that the House concur with Senate Floor Amendment #1."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves, Members. Ives. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 821. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 11... Excuse me. House Bill 1336, Mr. Drury. Please proceed, Sir."

Drury: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur on Senate Amendment 1, I believe, to House Bill 1336. This simply states that... this is the liquor amnesty Bill that passed out of the House unanimously. This says that willful and wanton conduct by the police is not subject to the immunity."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Bellock, Hays, Ives. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 59 voting 'yes', 52 voting 'no'. And the Motion fails. House Bill 13... Bill..."

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House Bill 1337, Mr. Drury, Please proceed on your Motion, Sir."

Drury: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. House Bill 13... I move to concur on House Bill 1337 Senate Amendment #1. It simply says that law enforcement is not required to do an independent investigation."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Batinick."

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

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Batinick: "I have House Bill 1336 up from the votes before. I believe you said that it passed unanimously from the House. It was 69 'yeas', 39 'nays'. I just wanted to make sure you don't make that mistake again on this Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Members, do you want to finish Session today? Please record yourselves. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 98 voting 'yes', 13 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 1337. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 1424, Mr. Rita. Please proceed on your Motion, Sir. Out of the record. House Bill 1453, Mr. Walsh. Please proceed on your Motion."

Walsh: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur with Senate Amendment #1. It's a technical page and line Amendment that retains the underlying language of the Bill allowing to grant one-time court supervision for excessive speeding on a highway for the first offense. This Amendment was initiated

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by IDOT to clarify the changes made by this Bill in the corresponding Sections under the Vehicle Code. I'd ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sandack: "Larry, you said that there was a couple changes. Can you just elaborate what the changes are that the Senate made to your Bill?"

Walsh: "Well, they were technical changes to clarify within the Vehicle Code what we did. So IDOT wasn't comfortable with the way the language was put in statute. And they clarified it to... within... within the Vehicle Code to make it acceptable to them."

Sandack: "Okay. But give me an example of a technical change. I mean, they... I'm not asking for the exact words, but did it make a substantive difference?"

Walsh: "No, no. The underlying Bill is still the same. It's just the way they... the way the original Bill came through in the statute there was some duplications in there that they felt that weren't needed and basically they just cleaned that up."

Sandack: "Okay. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 77 voting 'yes', 31 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 1453. And this Bill, having received

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the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 1516, Mr. Cabello. Please proceed, Sir."

Cabello: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Ladies and Gentlemen of the House, I move to concur on Senate Amendment 2 and 4. Senate Amendment #4 is a technical change pertaining to the federal transportation requirements. And respectfully ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Phelps, Verschoore. Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 2 and 4 to House Bill 1516. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 1588, Mr. Bennett. Please proceed."

Bennett: "Thank you, Mr. Chair. This Bill came over from the Senate in Concurrence and I agree with the Senate version. This Bill amends the Criminal Code of 2012 by providing that a civil cause of action exists for financial exploitation of an elderly person or a person with a disability. It does not limit the right of a person to bring any other cause of action or seek any other remedy. There is no opposition to this... this Bill. And Sir, I move for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? McAuliffe. Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1

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to House Bill 1588. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Batinick is recognized."

Batinick: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Quick point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Please proceed, Sir."

Batinick: "I want to make my comments a little bit more clear. I do not believe that Representative Drury intentionally stated that the Bill had passed unanimously previously. I know we're going through a lot of Bills; these are important. So, I would appreciate if we made sure that we went slow enough so that there weren't missteps on... on the Bills. To the chamber and the process in general, I wanted to make that clear. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "House Bill 2462, Mr. Harris. Please proceed."

Harris, G.: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would like to move that the House concur in Senate Amendments #1 and 2. If you recall this is the Bill that would allow residents to install nursing homes... cameras in nursing homes. We were going to work out some issues in the Senate regarding consent and privacy with the industry. Those questions have been addressed in these Amendments. And I would ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sandack: "Greg, with the changes over in the Senate is it an agreed Bill?"

Harris, G.: "Yes."

Sandack: "So there are no known opponents now?"

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Harris, G.: "None that I know of."

Sandack: "Okay. And so the language changes make everyone that was either neu... any opponents at least neutral?"

Harris, G.: "Yes. It came out of the Senate unanimously."

Sandack: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Bennett, Poe, Wehrli. Please take the record. On this question, there are 96 voting 'yes', 15 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendments 1 and 2 to House Bill 2462. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Dunkin is recognized. Nice hat, Sir."

Dunkin: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "It is about the hat?"

Dunkin: "Yes, it is. Ladies and Gentlemen, I'd like for us to acknowledge someone who... often we go past the security guards all across this Capitol whose job it is to protect all of us. They do such a fine job. They're courteous; they're respectful. But there are... they are in... a critical element to our safety. The person who is retiring today after 27 years right behind me is Ms. Bonnie Smith, a security guard. Yesterday was her last day. I'd like for all of us to take our hats off to Ms. Bonnie. Thank you so much for your service Ms... Ms. Smith. We'll miss you."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you, Mr. Dunkin. House Bill 2495, Representative Williams. Please proceed."

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Williams: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur in Senate Amendment... Senate Committee Amendment #1 to House Bill 2495. It's a gut and replace that requires DCEO to support the development of, rather than actually develop, nationally recognized logos for use on all products manufacturers say are recyclable, compostable, or biodegradable. This takes out the requirement that DCEO develop a public education campaign, but they still must perform public education for recycling."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Andrade, Brown, Wheeler. Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. On this question, there are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2495. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2513, Mr. Evans. Please proceed."

Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'd like to concur in Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2513. I request its support."

Speaker Lang: "You'll have to tell us what the Amendment does, Sir."

Evans: "Yes, why not. This Amendment... the Bill was a Department of Revenue initiative. The Bill just is a cleanup, actually, to... it's a cleanup Bill to Senate Bill 1919. So, it tightens up some waiver eligibility through the Department of Revenue. So, there's no opposition to the Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed vote 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish?"

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McAuliffe. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2513. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2556, Barbara Wheeler. Please read the... please proceed."

Wheeler B.: "Thank... thank you, Mr. Speaker. I wish to move to concur Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2556. This simply exempts full-time food processing from the definition of farm labor contractors from our Human Trafficking Notification Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed vote 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Gordon-Booth, Tryon. Please take the record. On this question, there are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And this Bill, having received the Co... and the House does concur with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2556. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2635, Mr. Sandack. Please proceed."

Sandack: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2635. It simply changed the definition of prevailing party and when attorney's fees would be applicable for a winning party in a lien dispute. I ask for everyone's Concurrence and a 'yes' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Andrade, Flowers, Mitchell, Reaves-Harris, Turner. Please

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take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2635. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2683, Representative Chapa LaVia. Please proceed."

Chapa LaVia: "Thank you, Speaker. You look great today. How do you like that? I move to concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 2683. I'll take any questions."

Speaker Lang: "We know this is not your Bill, Representative, but you might want to describe the Senate Amendment."

Chapa LaVia: "Oh. Oh, this is Will's Bill. Wait, I've got to do more justice to it. So, below... the Amendment creates a balanced accountability measure which will take into account various measures of district performance practiced in the district's overall accountability score. This legislation will apply to state authorized charter... charters, charters within districts, and CPS. This means we will no longer solely be focused on test scores when it comes to a district's accountability. Student performance and the district's ability to close achievement gaps between subgroups will still be a factor determining the district's accountability measures. The second component will be now... will be now to look to include three parts: compliance, evidence-based practices, and con... contentual improvements. Compliance will measure the degree of which a school district and its individual schools meet the current state compliance requirements. The ROEs and the ISE compliance prop. Evidence-based best practice 30 percent will measure the degree of which school districts and their individual schools are

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adhered to it a set of evidence-based quality standards will best practice for effective schools. These measures will be developed by ISBE and the stakeholders group established by the legislation. Contentual improvements 30 percent which provide school districts and their individual schools the opportunity to demonstrate improved outcome through local data, i.e. climate, unique characteristics, and banners that improve the educational environment and hinder the development and implementation of the action plans. I'll take any questions."

Speaker Lang: "We know far more about that than we actually care to. Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Yeah. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sandack: "Linda, can you summarize that Bill, please? I'm just kidding."

Chapa LaVia: "That... that is a summary. I love you, Ron."

Sandack: "Yeah. I was just kidding."

Speaker Lang: "Was the summary?"

Chapa LaVia: "Yeah."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Bill... of the Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Bennett. Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2683. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2706, Representative Hammond. Please proceed on your Motion."

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Hammond: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2706 on behalf of our colleague, Will Davis, and I... or me. Senate Amendment 1 adds additional measures that are deemed relevant to the patient's safety by the... relevant by the Department of Public Health. It requires the department to receive approval from the State Board of Health to retire measures deemed no longer scientifically valid or valuable. And it also requires the Department of Public Health to give notice to the Human Services Committee and the State (Sic-Senate) Public Health Committee Members of its intent to have the State Board of Health take action to retire measures. I would encourage an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2706. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2755, Representative Golar. Please proceed."

Golar: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Members of the House. I move to concur Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 2755. It simply eliminates the mandate to create a new advisory board and eliminates the fiscal impact on the department."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Phelps. Please take the record. On this question, there are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2765."

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And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2781, Mr. Fortner. Please proceed."

Fortner: "Thank you, Speaker, Members of the House. I move to concur with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2781. This clarifies and further specifies some of the parameters by which the State Board of Education will select the pilot weather related e-learning days."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Ammons, Andrade, Arroyo, Reaves-Harris. Arroyo. Please take the record. On this question, 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2781. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Turner in the Chair."

Speaker Turner: "House Bill 2790, Representative Fine."

Fine: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Members of the House. I wish to concur to... or I move to concur to Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2790. This Amendment specifies the date for initiating fees for newborn screening of adrenoleukodystrophy."

Speaker Turner: "Lady moves that the House concur with Amendment #1 to House Bill 2790. All in favor vote 'aye'; all opposed vote 'nay'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On a count of 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no', 0 voting 'present', House Bill 2790, having received the Constitutional Majority... the House concurs and it is passed. House Bill 1121, Leader Lang."

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Lang: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Senate Amendment 1 embodies some technical changes to the original Bill as it passed the House. I move Concurrence."

Speaker Turner: "Chair recognizes Representative Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Leader yield for a question?"

Speaker Turner: "He indicates that he will."

Sandack: "You may have anticipated it, Leader Lang. Do you mind just specifying the technical changes or addressing what changes the Concurrence seeks?"

Lang: "This Bill was about the... substantive Bill we would have to pass as a result of the Constitutional Amendment on crime victims, what we call Marsy's Law. And this just discusses the standard of evidence that's needed for a subpoena for court to order records."

Sandack: "Thank you."

Lang: "Thank you."

Speaker Turner: "Gentleman moves that... Chair recognizes Representative Flowers."

Flowers: "I'm... I'm sorry, Representative. Can you please explain that again? Because you're changing the evidence standards for the court. So, explain that part, please."

Lang: "Well, this deals with record subpoenas only, Representative. So, the Bill as it passed the House required a legal standard of clear and convincing evidence and it was changed to a preponderance of the evidence. It's a very minute change as all the lawyers will tell you. I don't know exactly why they made the change in the Senate, but this is agreed."

Flowers: "And it's reasonable you think? You think the changes is reasonable?"

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Lang: "I think it's reasonable because the... the advocates for the victims, the state's attorneys, the public defenders all got together and decided on this slight change and it's... this is not about guilt or innocence. This is simply about how records are delivered to the court and what records can be delivered to the court."

Flowers: "Thank you."

Lang: "Thank you."

Speaker Turner: "Moves that... Gentleman moves that the House concur with Amendment #1 to House Bill 1121. All in favor vote 'aye'; all opposed vote 'nay'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. With 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no', and 0 voting 'present', the House concurs with Amend... concurs with Amendment #1 to House Bill 1121. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2477, Leader Lang."

Lang: "Thank you. I move Concurrence in Senate Amendment 1. As it left the House, this Bill dealt with credit unions and still does. This Bill amends the Credit Union Act and the Banking Act to provide regulations relative to the issuance of raffles by a bank's credit unions. These are not raffles per se where people are buying raffle tickets, but this allows banks to provide promotions to people who make deposits at their bank."

Speaker Turner: "Seeing no debate, the Gentleman moves that the House concur with Amendment #1 to House Bill 2477. All in favor vote 'aye'; all opposed vote 'nay'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. With 108

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Members voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no', 2 voting 'present', the House concurs with Amendment #1 to House Bill 2477. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 2925, Representative Golar."

Golar: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur on Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 2925. This Amendment simply enhances the educational continuity for future podiatric physicians. Provides for three-year temporary license. Specifies that this temporary license is conditional and valid for the duration of the podiatric physician's postgraduate training. And lastly, the student must remain in good standing and the student remaining at a single practice site for his or her education. I urge an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Turner: "The Chair recognizes Representative Flowers."

Flowers: "Representative, why is it that the student have to remain at a single practice site for the duration of their education?"

Golar: "Well, it's a three-year period, so I would imagine based on whatever her studies... his or her studies are that they would remain at that site."

Flowers: "Well, I'm just thinking that maybe an incident may occur and they may have to transfer and go someplace else."

Golar: "Well, I'm sure that that could be worked out, Representative."

Flowers: "But here it says that it's predicated on that they remain..."

Golar: "Right. But I mean, if there is an issue in any kind of education and something happens, I would imagine they would make provisions for that."

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Flowers: "Thank you."

Speaker Turner: "Lady moves that the House concur with Amendment #1 to House Bill 2925. All in favor vote 'aye'; all opposed vote 'nay'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On a count of 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no', and 1 person voting 'present', the House concurs with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 2925. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Leader Lang in the Chair."

Speaker Lang: "Thanks, Sir. Mr. Butler is recognized."

Butler: "A point of personal privilege, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Lang: "Go right ahead, Sir."

Butler: "Thank you, Sir. Today, I'd like to introduce three Pages of the day from Williamsville, right up the road from Springfield here. They go to Williamsville Junior High: Hailey Hollinshead, Noah Sanders, and Corey Beaver. Thanks for being here today and go, Bullets. All right."

Speaker Lang: "House Bill 3079, Mr. Sommer. Please proceed, Sir."

Sommer: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move Concurrence in Senate Amendment 1 which provides for an immediate effective date to this adoption reform Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Motion will say 'yes'... will vote 'yes'; will... those opposed will vote 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Ford. Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3079. And this Bill, having

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received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3093, Mr. Sandack. Please proceed, Sir."

Sandack: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur with the Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3093 which is exactly the same language as... that came out of the House. They simply moved the provision in a different Section of the School Code per the Illinois State Board of Education."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Arroyo, Costello. Please take the record. On this question, there are 109 voting 'yes', 2 voting 'no'. And this... and the House does concur with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3093. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3101, Mr. Evans. Please proceed."

Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and the great Members of this Assembly. This was originally a banker's Bill, but we used the Senate version. It's a gut and Amendment with the Meat Packers Association. Apparently, and what they wanted to do is change the way in which they pay a particular fee for a program. I ask your support."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Franks."

Franks: "What was this Bill before?"

Evans: "It was my banker's Bill. But I took Representative Morrison's version."

Franks: "How does it differ now? 'Cause I'm reading and it says something about the Livestock Auction Market Law."

Evans: "Yeah. The understanding... it just says that all... it's three particular things that was changed. The Illinois Beef

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Association, it's a Checkoff Division, so it was named the Checkoff Division. That was a part of the Bill. And also, the Beef Program..."

Franks: "So, I'm just not sure what it does. Is this a new fee?"

Evans: "No, it's not a new fee. It just allows the individual members to set what the fee is. I think the Bill... the original law set a 50 cents at the amount. They may want to do more; they may want to do less. So, it allows the members to set the fee and then it changes the name specifically to the Illinois Beef Association Checkoff Division."

Franks: "Okay."

Evans: "It was... it was their initiative."

Franks: "All right."

Evans: "Yeah. There was no opposition..."

Franks: "There was no opposition? Okay."

Evans: "Yeah, it was the Association's initiative."

Franks: "Okay. Thank you."

Evans: "Yeah. Thanks."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Moffitt."

Moffitt: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To the Bill. This is one of those times when we hear we have a group in the beef industry and they're saying they want to help promote their own product. They're not asking for help and any... they're... it's member driven. They'll decide how much and what would be best for the industry. So, it's the way we should have more things being done. I commend the Sponsor for carrying this Bill. He had one and they put this language on. But it's excellent legislation. Agriculture's the number one industry in the State of Illinois and it's because the industry itself is out

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there being... addressing the needs and interests of the consumer, promoting their products. And I... I hope the Gentleman farmer will join in us and support this. And I know any Gentleman farmer who's serious will really be behind an effort like this. So, again, commend the Sponsor. But this is the industry itself saying we want to continue to make the industry better, make the better product. Vote 'yes'."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Arroyo, Williams. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111... excuse me, 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3101. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3159, Representative Nekritz. Please proceed."

Nekritz: "Now, Mr. Speaker, the... Representative Cavaletto has taken over sponsorship on this Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Cavaletto is recognized."

Cavaletto: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to move to concur on House Bill 3159's Senate Amendment #2."

Speaker Lang: "Please tell us what it does briefly, Sir."

Cavaletto: "This... on March 20, 2012, the voters of Sandoval School District voted to approve the proposition to allow the school district to issue bonds that would exceed their debt limit with 50... 74 percent of their voters approving of the proposition. This Bill would allow them to issue the bonds to exceed their debt limit that voters approved in order to build a new elementary school due to the age and current condition

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of their elementary school building. We have already approved of this measure in the House when we voted on House Bill 226 a few months ago. As I said, the voters approved of this measure with 74 percent of the vote. I ask for your support to allow them to build a new elementary school for the students of Sandoval."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Pritchard."

Pritchard: "Thank you. To the Bill. Ladies and Gentlemen, what we have here is two school districts that need to expand their bonding authority and one of them has already had a referendum where the voters approved it. The other one will have a referendum. And if we look at that North Shore School District that was added in the Senate, we are told that the architects estimate \$130 million to repair the buildings in this consolidated district. There's some 20 school buildings, I believe, in that district that are relatively old. So they're looking for a bond issue that will repair that. The district has been very supportive of their schools and the district currently has no debt at this time. So it's an issue where we have two school districts that need funding. We have no state capital funding for education right now. And I would ask for your support."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Drury."

Drury: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To the Bill. This... this Bill puts, I think, all of us in a... a little bit of a predicament. I had spoken with the Sponsor, and certainly I'm in full support of the bond for his... his school. His voters approved the bond; it's local control and they absolutely have every right to have that bond. For some reason, these Bills were combined.

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I represent North Shore School District 112 and what this Bill is asking for is \$150 million bond for that school district. I don't have an issue with the school district wanting to do that. The problem is, our school district hasn't gone to referendum yet. No one has approved the \$150 million in bonds and it's unclear whether they're even going to need \$150 million in bonds. I read an article this week that they've overestimated what they think the population's going to be in District 112 and they may not need to come close to that much amount of money. So I... I unfortunately can't support the Bill because of District 112. I, in no way, want to speak out against the good Sponsor's Bill. My suggestion would be that we continue trying to work this out. Maybe cut out District 112 and continue this discussion when we're back next Thursday. But I just wanted everyone to know why I'm going to be voting 'no' on it and it certainly has nothing to do with Representative Cavaletto's issue with his district. They want the money, my understanding is they need the money. But unfortunately, the process here on District 112's side would really be new precedent which would be to approve the bonds before the voters have approved them."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Dunkin."

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

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Dunkin: "Representative, so this is for your school district as well... as well as Scott Drury's?"

Cavaletto: "This is for my... yes."

Dunkin: "But his district is included."

Cavaletto: "Yes."

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Dunkin: "Okay. So I wasn't aware of that in the committee hearing. How did this... how did North Shore get on your Bill way down south?"

Cavaletto: "They did this in the Senate."

Dunkin: "Oh, they did it in the Senate? Oh, okay. So this is a completely different Bill. Didn't... why didn't it come back to committee?"

Cavaletto: "We did this in committee."

Dunkin: "When it added another school district?"

Cavaletto: "Yes... yes, Sir."

Dunkin: "For some reason I don't... I don't recall that and I sit on the committee. So, question. So this is for your school district, by and large, right?"

Cavaletto: "Yes, Sir."

Dunkin: "And you know what's best for your school district, correct?"

Cavaletto: "Yes."

Dunkin: "Not myself, but we should take your word for it that you know what's best for your district and your school district, correct?"

Cavaletto: "Well, I'm going with the constituents of my district and that they voted for a referendum and passed it that they wanted to build a new school because theirs is over 53 years old with... with broken water lines, broken sewer lines. It's a school with cracks in it; and so they need a new school. Those people down there voted for that referendum and passed it."

Dunkin: "And we should..."

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Cavaletto: "And they're ready... and they're ready to sell the bonds as soon as we pass the Bill this summer to start building their school."

Dunkin: "Okay. And so, since you know what's best for your district, you know what's best for your school district, we should take your word for it, correct?"

Cavaletto: "Well, I would hope so."

Dunkin: "Does this cost the state any money?"

Cavaletto: "Not a dime."

Dunkin: "Not a dime. Correct."

Cavaletto: "School... the state doesn't have any money to... for school construction. So, there..."

Dunkin: "But it won't cost..."

Costello: "...these..."

Dunkin: "...but it... no..."

Costello: "...these poor people are taking it upon themselves to do this."

Dunkin: "I get it. I guess the point that you know that I'm trying to make is that we should respect Members here in this chamber who, just like yourself, know what's best for their school district, especially when they... when it does not cost a red cent from the state, correct?"

Costello: "Correct."

Dunkin: "Then why is it that so many Members on the other side of the aisle challenges those of us who know what's best for our district, especially when there's zero cost to the state. But yet, we simply need authorization from the state, from this Body, to approve and have your district improve its schools, its water li... main, its building facility. Why is it that you

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and many of your colleagues tend to vote 'no' on many of the Bills that impact us in Chicago, more specifically?"

Costello: "I don't... I don't keep track of how I vote 'no', Sir."

Dunkin: "You voted 'no' on the... on the... on the pension Bill for our fire and our police and it cost the state zero."

Costello: "I may have. But this is a school referendum Bill for a school down home that needs a school."

Dunkin: "So, what's good for the goose..."

Costello: "And the Sen... Senate passed this 57 to nothing."

Dunkin: "I understand. But in this chamber, that you and I can speak authoritatively on, you don't give us the benefit of a doubt or the respect that we know, like you know what's best for your district, correct?"

Costello: "Is that a question, Sir?"

Dunkin: "That is a question."

Costello: "I'm voting for my... I'm doing what the constituents want in my district."

Dunkin: "I see. I understand."

Costello: "And you can do what you want for the constituents in your district."

Dunkin: "I get that part."

Costello: "And that's what makes this a democracy, I guess."

Dunkin: "Oh, I see."

Costello: "You vote for it and I vote for it or you don't vote for it. Whatever you choose to do."

Dunkin: "I understand. Thanks for that clarification, Sir."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "To the Motion, Mr. Speaker. The process that has happened here is certainly not of anyone's making in this

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room. The Gentleman's Bill went out on a pretty good Roll Call because his Bill had the re... the referendum already occurred in his school district. Seventy four percent of the folks in his district approved... excuse me... approved of the... of the issuance of a referendum. And it's for water improvements; it's for infrastructure improvements. It's nothing... it's nothing extravagant. The Senate decided to vote it down twice and send it back on an Amendment adding a different school district. A \$150 million bond was added. Isn't that great. The game's played. But the difference here, reason you should vote 'yes' is because if Mr. Drury's school district does not issue the bonds, no harm no foul. If the... if the referendum doesn't pass, if it doesn't pass, no harm no foul. If it passes, it's approved by the... by the voters in the school district affected. So I would ask people to ret... to understand how this Bill comes before us and understand the Gentleman, my colleague's school district already voted for a referendum. Vote 'yes'."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Chapa LaVia."

Chapa LaVia: "Thank you, Speaker. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Chapa LaVia: "I understand what you're trying to do, Representative Cavaletto, and I stand in support with you, but you also understand what our Representative Drury had stated about his district, right? So... and maybe your staff can clarify this. If we pass this and they choose not to go bond, his school district, does this affect them adversely? Can they just ignore it, or do they have to stand by the letter of the law that we pass, if the Governor signs this?"

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Cavaletto: "Representative, all I know is that Senator Morrison over in the Senate asked for this to be added on behalf of her citizens. And so the Senator from the..."

Chapa LaVia: "Right."

Costello: "...other side asked for this..."

Chapa LaVia: "So, let me ask you this."

Costello: "...and they must have a referendum before they..."

Chapa LaVia: "Right."

Costello: "Okay."

Chapa LaVia: "Right. So if Drury's people don't pass the referendum, this does nothing for him at all, correct?"

Costello: "Yes."

Chapa LaVia: "Okay. So us passing this doesn't automatically say they're going to get that... that referendum passed."

Costello: "Yes."

Chapa LaVia: "Oh, okay. So on Concurrences, can... can this go... Speaker. Parliamentarian question. Can this go on our docket when we get back? Is there something that we can maybe work out with the two school districts? 'Cause Representative Cavaletto really needs this. And I understand Representative Drury wants to represent his people and they haven't... they haven't passed a referendum yet. And both these school districts deserve what they want, but there seems to be... we're at a cro... crossroads right here. Maybe my attorney over here can enlighten us. But I rep... you know, I respect both Gentlemen. I just want to do what's best and we can get what you both need. So, I yield my time."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Wheeler."

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

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Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Wheeler, K.: "Representative, help me understand. The voters in your district approved a referendum, correct?"

Cavaletto: "Yes."

Wheeler, K.: "And so they have a clear understanding of their maximum exposure of what they're costs will be, correct?"

Costello: "Yes."

Wheeler, K.: "So they understand it, they have approved it, and it's up to us now. The same thing would be happening to the voters in North Shore District 112 because they're going to have to approve a referendum, correct?"

Cavaletto: "Yes."

Wheeler, K.: "So the... the way I understand it, or at lea... let's go right to the Bill. The difference between today and yesterday is that we're allowing local control to take place with a maximum understood exposure before we passed the Bill. Yesterday, there was no clarity about that: therefore, I'll be supporting this Bill. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Franks."

Franks: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Representative, I voted against your other Bill, okay? But I don't like what happened on this one. That's not fair to you. I had a Bill that was hijacked by a Senator to kill it as well and I think that's wrong. It's a hundred percent wrong. Perhaps, and I was wondering procedurally, that maybe you should file a Motion to Nonconcur on this, send it back, and then have them work on your Bill so that way you can get yours done, 'cause I think that's the fair thing. Even though I didn't support it, I don't think you're being treated fairly and I don't think that's right."

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So perhaps you might want to consider doing a Nonconcurrency at this one instead of the Concurrence. And where is your Bill in the Senate right now?"

Cavaletto: "Where's my Bill in the Senate? It's back here, dead."

Franks: "So your... so your original Bill failed in the Senate?"

Cavaletto: "Yes."

Franks: "Twice, so it can't be called again."

Cavaletto: "That's right."

Franks: "I see. I see."

Cavaletto: "So, you see, it's... it's a situation where people back there have alr... they're all... their... their school board is waiting for us to make this a law..."

Franks: "Okay."

Cavaletto: "...so they can go ahead and break ground. They want to sell the bonds this summer."

Franks: "I get it. I get it. I'm sorry you're in this position."

Cavaletto: "And I... I... you know, it's a shame, again, I have to say this. The procedure that democracy of this procedure has to go on like it did when it... over in the Senate, and I... I... I've never been through this before and it's new to me. But I think that I'm going to fight for my constituents in my district as you would you."

Franks: "I respect that, Sir. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Reis."

Reis: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. To the Bill. I, like everyone else in this chamber, don't like what happened over there. But you have to remember the Senator, whose school district this North Shore is in, sponsored the Bill. So I'm not sure what's going on there. But it did... she did sponsor the Bill. She okayed

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the two being combined and it passed 57 to 0. Now, so it's back here. These folks down there have to get started. So, I mentioned to the Gentleman whose has some concerns with this Bill about approving the Motion to Concur and then asking the Governor to AV out that school. We could come back in one day and approve that AV, Sandoval can move on. And I would hope that maybe that's the smoothest and the easiest way to do this, if the Gentleman whose has concerns can make that case to the Governor. If that's not the case, back to what was said before. If they don't approve the referendum, if they don't have the referendum, it's non... it's not an issue. If the referendum fails, its not an issue. If the referendum passes, they can move on. It seems like we have a lot more options moving forward with the Gentleman's Concurrence than we do if we don't. So I ask for your 'yes' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Ives."

Ives: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Let's remember why these Bills are in front of us to begin with. They're in front of us not because it's a local referendum issue. They're in front of us because taking on this additional debt will exceed their statutory debt limit. That's why they're in front of us. Now, a better Bill would be let's just allow for a complete local control, I mean, if somebody wants to run this, and just get rid of this provision. But that is the only reason that this Bill is in front of us because previous General Assemblies said, in some respects, we need to protect the taxpayers down at the local level so we have come up with statutory debt limits based on EAV. That's the only reason we're involved in this issue. And if my... our analysis is correct, it looks like

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the \$150 million bond issuance would exceed also their statutory debt limit. That's what this vote is about. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Phips... Phelps."

Phelps: "To the Bill. Thanks, John D'Amico. Thanks. To the Bill. Hey, everybody, the people of Sandoval already voted to do this. What happened in the Senate is unfortunate, but this is not fair to Representative Cavaletto. He's totally trying to represent his district like we all are. Vote 'aye'."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Flowers."

Flowers: "Speaker, I have a parliamentary question, please."

Speaker Lang: "Please state your inquiry."

Flowers: "If Representative Cavaletto choose to nonconcur, can he not just have a Conference Committee Report and then the question can be separated at the Conference Committee?"

Speaker Lang: "If Mr. Cavaletto filed a Motion to Nonconcur, the Senate would decide whether to recede or not recede from their Amendment."

Flowers: "But he cannot ask for a Conference Committee?"

Speaker Lang: "That wouldn't be the point at which it would happen and the Senate would be asking for it. It's a Senate Bill."

Flowers: "So... okay. So my second question, since this Bill is applicable to Representative Cavaletto and Representative Drury's district does not have to comply with it and Representative Cavaletto's district have complied with it, I think we should vote 'yes'. And it's still up to Drury's district if he want to vote 'yes', vote it up, or vote it down, but in the meantime, Representative Cavaletto's

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district has voted it up. So therefore, I concur with Representative Cavaletto."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Drury."

Drury: "Mr. Speaker, my name was used in debate."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed."

Drury: "I just want to make clear. My goal here isn't to convince everybody what to do either way. I was simply explaining why my vote is going to be a 'no' vote and in the process that led up to this. The reality is my district has not approved any referendum. We don't know that... that they ever will and we're going to approve \$150 million in bonding if they do. We don't normally do things that way in this chamber. Normally, it goes to a vote and then we vote to implement what the voters wanted. Here it's unclear if there's ever going to be \$150 million in bonds that they're going to approve. And with the school district, the reason that they want this bond to begin with in my district and the reason they want to do it now, because that's the question is why did they come to us and ask for this now? And that's what I asked them. And the real reason is, is that they're asking not only to go above the bonding limit, but they want to extend the term of the bond from what's allowed by law of 20 years to 30 years. And then they want to tell the constituents in my district that the property taxes will only go up about x amount as a way to sell this... sell this referendum. The issue I have with that is that it's actually going to cost my voters more over 30 years than it would over 20 years. So, I... I need, as a matter of conscience, to vote 'no' on this. It... I am not... again, I will... I... Representative Cavaletto, I understand your school

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needs this. I don't want anyone to think that I'm trying in any way to taint what your district wants. But out of matter of conscience on my side, I... I don't like the way the process has worked. I don't know what other options I have. And so, I... I am going to be voting 'no' on this. I've informed my school district that I'm voting 'no' on this. I've offered to talk with everybody to... at the school district about my vote. And you know, everyone else in the chamber can do what they think is right, but that is where I am coming from."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Cabello."

Cabello: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I yield my time to Representative Sandack."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. I want to commend Representative Flowers on an explicitly... just a great explanation for everything. Let me add one more thing that can be done here. I think you ought to vote 'yes' because the Gentleman's Bill was a good Bill. It flew out of here. I think we can also ask the Governor for an Amendatory Veto to pres... to protect Representative Drury's district as well. So I think you should vote 'yes' and let this process ensue further. The Senate did us no favors. I think we need to protect our Member here and his district. They have spoken. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Ammons."

Ammons: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I yield my time to Representative Dunkin."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Dunkin."

Dunkin: "Oh, yes. Thank you, Madame Speaker... Mr. Speaker. I'm so... I'm just... I'm on ten. It must be church Sunday that we all

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attended this morning that we're such this unified Body of understanding, of good will, of recognizing Members and what's oh so wonderful and well for their respective district. How nice. That's... I think that's incredible to hear our Leader and other Members come up with this conciliatory approach towards representing the constituents in our respective districts. I agree with that. I helped get the Bill out of committee before it went to the Senate. But again, it's imperative for all of us as Representatives of our respective district to recognize that we are here fighting not just for the state, but for our districts. And for you to have an equal understanding, an equal level of compassion, empathy, that we know what in the world we're doing for our districts as well. Especially, when it costs the state zero dollars. So the conversation, again, yesterday was completely different about what we were trying to do for our district. So you can't have it one way and have it another way on another day. We spent two hours going against Barbara Flynn Currie's fire and police pension Bill and we come up with all of these manufactured philosophical dispositions towards why we shouldn't vote for a loan modification or reify of a Bill in our city and our greatest economic engine in the state. We whacked intellectual phoniness and we voted 'no', didn't we? And now we have a, you know, a humble situation... well, it's... I want to protect and work with my school district. You know, they authorized a \$150 million bonding for our schools. It's for the kids, right? I think you get my point. We should be a bit more fair and judicious in our decision-making... in our voting when it comes to protecting other parts of our state. That's

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all I'm saying. So, you... what's good for the goose is good for the gander, baby."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Cavaletto to close."

Cavaletto: "I... I want to say this. House Bill 226, in its original form, left this House 73 to 18. You all supported that Bill and I... and I thank you for that. And I ask for an 'aye' vote this time. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. There are 69 voting 'yes', 34 voting 'no', 9 voting 'present'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 3159. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Clerk, Adjournment Resolution. Don't get excited, Members. Don't get excited. Mr. Clerk."

Clerk Hollman: "The House Joint Resolution #85 offered by Representative Currie.

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that when the two Houses adjourn on Sunday, May 31, 2015, the House of Representatives stands adjourned until Thursday, June 04, 2015, or until the call of the Speaker, and will remain in continuous session at the call of the Speaker; and the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, June 09, 2015, or until the call of the President, and will remain in continuous session at the call of the President."

Speaker Lang: "Leader Currie moves for the adoption of the Adjournment Resolution. Those in favor say 'yes'; opposed

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'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Adjournment Resolution is adopted. The Chair recognizes Mr. Riley."

Riley: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Please proceed, Sir."

Riley: "You know, it happens from time to time. Two separate issues, two separate points of view, both sides can be right. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "House Bill 3194, Mr. Ford. Please proceed."

Ford: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Members of the House. I have the honor and the privilege to finish the work for our good friend Monique Davis to concur with Senate Committee Amendment #2. And what the Amendment does, it' a page and line Amendment that allows for the hourly wages associated with the federal prevailing wage rate for the weatherization workers to remain in place until another prevailing wage is authorized. I move for the adoption or Concurrence of Senate Amendment #2."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Ford: "Yes."

Speaker Lang: "Gentleman yields."

Sandack: "Representative Ford, can you just quickly say what the Senate did as far as their Amendment to the underlying Bill?"

Ford: "Pardon. Say that again."

Sandack: "Did the... what did the Senate do? What did... what's the..."

Ford: "Okay."

Sandack: "...the essence of the Amendment?"

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Ford: "To simply extend the prevailing wage for the weatherization workers until there is a... an extension with the federal prevailing wage law."

Sandack: "So it extends..."

Ford: "Yeah."

Sandack: "...beyond... to what? Is there an end date on it? Is there..."

Ford: "It expires June 30 of 2015, the current."

Sandack: "Right."

Ford: "And so now we're going to just... let me just look at this here. Hold on."

Sandack: "Yes, Sir."

Ford: "Okay. I'm glad you asked. I've just been informed that through the American Recovery Act from 2009 those funds will expire and so we want to make sure that we extend it past that date."

Sandack: "What date?"

Ford: "June 30, 2015."

Sandack: "Okay. So it extends it beyond that date into... Is there a cap or a sunset or is it in perpetuity?"

Ford: "Okay. So there is no sunset date on the current prevailing wage. And so we need to do this in order to make sure that we not extend the prevailing wage past the \$40 an hour is what I'm being told. It's... it's kind of..."

Sandack: "It's tricky."

Ford: "It's tricky."

Sandack: "Yeah. It's super tricky. All right. To..."

Ford: "I could... I could never do the job of Monique Davis. I should have done a little more homework on it."

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Sandack: "You want to pull it out of the record and try it in a little bit after you do your homework?"

Ford: "I said I should have done a little more homework, but I do understand it. I'll talk to you about it as soon as we're done."

Sandack: "Okay. To the Motion. I'm going to suggest that the Gentleman's doing as good a pinch hitting job as possible, but the underlying Bill had problems and I think the Amendment is open ended. If I understand the Gentleman correctly, may make it worse. So I would suggest a 'no' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Crespo, Franks, McAuliffe, Thapedi. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 66 voting 'yes, 45 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 3194. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3197, Representative Chapa LaVia. Representative Chapa LaVia."

Chapa LaVia: "I move to... Thank you, Speaker. I move to concur with Amendment #1 and 2 for House Bill 3197. The... the first... the Concurrence #2 what it does, it adds two associations to the language and the third one represents a statewide program actively involved in truancy intervention by the appointee by the State Superintendent of Education. I'll take any questions."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who

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wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mautino. Please take the record. There are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 and 2 to House Bill 3197. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3215, Representative Cassidy. Please proceed."

Cassidy: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur in Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3215. This is a companion Bill to House Bill 218 and contains some corrections that were requested over on the Senate side. One... one piece of it addresses issues raised by the clerks concerning the mechanism for the expungement process. It creates a mechanism where courts can create that mechanism. The other change, which was very poetically pointed out to us by Senator Murphy during debate, in the original drafting we failed to pick up one inconsistency where we were... we did not link the DUI standards to the law around supervising drivers on learner's permits. And in debate, Senator Murphy pointed out, as I said, quite poetically, that what we had done was create a situation where a parent could be stoned to the bejesus and drive their fi... let their 15-year-old drive home. Stoned to the be... to the bejesus, yes. Given that we not only do not want anyone driving while stoned to the bejesus or being driven by a 15-year-old while stoned to the bejesus... we're on three now... we also don't want them toasted, roasted, baked, fried, blazed, buzzed, or any of the other possible terms. And we already in our law do not allow adults who are wasted, tipsy, drunk... white girl wasted? Is that what you said? That. So, we want to be consistent. And this will prevent parents who are stoned

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to the bejesus from having their 15-year-old drive them home. This passed unanimously out of the Senate. It is directly linked to House Bill 218 and does not become law unless House Bill 218 does. And I ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sandack: "Representative Cassidy, I loved your incarnation of Senator Murphy. I think he was a little more boisterous when he made those candid remarks."

Cassidy: "A little bit."

Sandack: "Do you think his... the Senate improved your Bill?"

Cassidy: "In... in... in that we have responded to the concerns of the clerk and taken away their opposition and that we... that he pointed out an oversight on our part. It was never our intent to allow parents to be, sing along with me, stoned to the bejesus."

Sandack: "I'm not doing it."

Cassidy: "You're not doing it?"

Sandack: "I'm not doing it."

Cassidy: "You're no fun today. We... I do believe that this... that this does improve upon what was already a pretty darn good Bill."

Sandack: "Okay. Because obviously I thought Senator Murphy's point was well-taken and certainly that was one of the intentions of the language change. But speaking to the clerk's change, could you just elaborate a little bit on how you think that is easier or better to implement?"

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Cassidy: "Absolutely. The... the clerk's concern was that we were not explicit in the creation of a court order... or the requirement of a court order for the expungement. This language creates a mechanism by which individual circuits can set their own process and date in order to create the expungement process that best suits their community."

Sandack: "Thank you. Appreciate the answers."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Batinick, Dunkin, Sente. Please take the record. On this question, there are 79 voting 'yes', 32 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3215. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3234... Excuse me. Take that out of the record for the moment, Mr. Clerk. And Mr. Clerk, Rules Report."

Clerk Bolin: "Committee Reports. Representative Currie, Chairperson from the Committee on Rules reports the following committee action taken on May 31, 2015: recommends be adopted, Motion to Concur with Amendment #2 to House... Senate Amendment #2 to... Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 352."

Speaker Lang: "House Bill 3234, Mr. Costello. Please proceed."

Costello: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House. I ask for concurrence to Senate Amendment 1 and 2. Senate Amendment 1 changes the youth hunting age from 16 to 18. Senate Amendment 2 says that upon your 19th birthday you no longer qualify for the youth hunting license."

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Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Cloonen. Please take the record. On this question, 109 voting 'yes', 3 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 and 2 to House Bill 3234. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3237, Representative Feigenholtz. Please proceed. Out of the record. House Bill 3241, Mr. Fortner. Please proceed. Mr. Fortner."

Fortner: "Thank you, Speaker. I move to concur in Senate Amendments 1 and 2. This is the IDOT Land Conveyance Bill. The Senate Amendments add two additional parcels; one in DuPage and a parcel in Will for the Department of Natural Resources."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendments 1 and 2 to House Bill 3241. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3270, Representative Lilly. Please proceed."

Lilly: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen. I move to concur with Senate Bill... Amendment #1 to House Bill 3270. It's a simple change. It changes the discharge days from 90 to 45 days."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Sponsor yield?"

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Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sandack: "Representative Lilly, what... what's the effect of the change, the reduction to 45 days?"

Lilly: "It was discussed with the Department of Health and Family Services that with the increased number approving of signing on to Medicaid that the inmates will be on... or be eligible for their Medicaid card while still in prison."

Sandack: "Okay. But I mean, I'm just asking what the difference in the days from 90 to 45 does. Is it easier to implement? Is it..."

Lilly: "It reduces that risk. The 90 days, they... they have... if we... they enroll the individuals on to Medicaid within the 90 days. Before they are... become released they would be eligible for their Medicaid, but they will still be in... in prison. So this reduces that..."

Sandack: "Application."

Lilly: "...from happening."

Sandack: "Got it. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Brady, Chapa LaVia, Fortner, Thapedi, Wehrli, Wheeler. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 60 voting 'yes', 52 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3270. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3332, Mr. Rita. Mr. Rita. Out of the record. House Bill 3425, Mr. Jackson. Please proceed."

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Jackson: "Thank you, Speaker. Ladies and Gentlemen, I move to concur with Senate Committee Amendment #1 to House Bill 3425, which allows active duty military personnel to request a free credit freeze from consumer reporting agencies rather than active duty military personnel and veterans."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Costello."

Costello: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House. I'd just like to bring to the Body's attention, the Representative had a great Bill and this Bill is active duty, not active duty and veterans. That being said, we cannot let the perfect be the enemy of the good in this situation. It's still a great Bill for active duty military. And hopefully next year we can address veterans. I recommend an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Chapa LaVia, Golar. Golar. Please take the record. On this question, there are 112 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3425. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Wheeler is recognized."

Wheeler, K.: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A point of personal privilege."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed."

Wheeler, K.: "Thank you. All of us in this Body are fortunate enough to be supported and inspired by families we have back home. I am fortunate enough today to have my family here on the floor with me. So I'd like to introduce to you all to my wife, Lisa, my son, Chad, Matthew, my daughter, Ava. I'm sure

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you'll find a much improved voting record today, but I'd appreciate a warm Springfield welcome for my family. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "House Bill 3464, Representative Hernandez. Please proceed. Proceed."

Hernandez: "Oh, thank you, Speaker. So, I move to concur Senate Bill 1 and 2 to House Bill 3464. This addresses the concerns of the realtors and the real es... the real... Rental Properties Owner Association. The original Bill will make it unlawful to make, print, circulate, post, mail, or publish discriminatory statements in relation to real estate actions. The Amendment adds that it is also unlawful to cause such statements to be made, printed, circulated, posted, mailed, or published. So this was just to clarify the language which will make it now consistent with federal language."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Moylan. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendments 1 and 2 to House Bill 3464. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3497, Leader Currie. Please proceed, Leader."

Currie: "Thank you, Speaker and Members of the House. Today, 48 states, the Federal Government, and most private contractors use a single prime method of building of construction. Under a pilot program, our State Capital Development Board has been using the single prime methodology for the last several years. They've found that they do a better job at meeting price

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controls and they do a much better job at meeting minority, female, and disadvantaged business participation goals. The Bill we sent the Senate gave the CDB the opportunity to continue with the single prime methodology or resort to the multi prime methodology for the next five years. As the Bill has come back to us, it limits the project to four years and it says that for projects costing less than \$5 million, no more than 50 percent can be handled with the single prime approach. There is no opposition to the Bill as it was amended in the Senate. I think this is a good first step and I would appreciate your support for the Concurrence Motion."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Smiddy, Tabares. Please take the record. There are 110 voting 'yes', 1 voting 'present'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 3497. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3504, Mr. Sims. Please proceed."

Sims: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I move to concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3504. The Amendment represents an agreed... an agreement between the parties and lives up to the commitment that I made to continue work on the issue in the Senate. It... what it... what the... it all... it deals with an exemption for the Certificate of Need Program from the Health Facilities and Services Review Board. I ask for its passage."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who

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wish? Mr. Thapedi. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3504. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Bennett is recognized."

Bennett: "Thank you, Mr. Chair. A point of personal privilege, please."

Speaker Lang: "Proceed, Sir."

Bennett: "On House Bill 3215, I'd like to have my vote be 'no', please, instead of 'yes'."

Speaker Lang: "Your rec... the record will reflect your intention, Sir."

Speaker Lang: "House Bill 3527, Mr. Fortner. Please proceed."

Fortner: "Thank you, Speaker. I move to concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3527. This language represents an agreement between Facebook and the School Management Alliance to balance student privacy with legitimate need to protect the schools on our issues of cyberbullying."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3527. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Returning to House Bill 3332, Mr. Rita. Please proceed."

Rita: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. What do we got Amendment #2 and 3? This is a sunset Bill that combined a couple of the sunsets that we've passed that we put on in the Senate, as I said, in the previous sunsets for

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the Collection Agency Act. I'd ask for its approval. It just extends out the... their Act for 10 years."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Acevedo. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 1... 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendments 2 and 3 to House Bill 3332. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3556, Representative Moeller. Please proceed."

Moeller: "Thank you, Speaker. I ask for approval of the Concurrence on Amendment #1 from the Senate. Essentially, what this does is clarify that the one percent tax that's levied as part of the business development district is that one percent that is part of the sales tax increment assessed by the village. Be happy to answer any questions."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3556. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3560, Mr. Butler. Please proceed."

Butler: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I would move to concur with Senate Amendment 1 to HB3560, which is the Utilization of Renewable Energy on State-Owned Property Task Force. This Bill creates a task force to look at renewable energy on state property. The Senate Amendment merely added one additional

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member to the task force, the director of the Capital Development Board. This Bill passed unanimously both chambers. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3560. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3619, Representative Soto. Representative Soto. Out of the record. House Bill 3673, Mr. Smiddy. Please proceed."

Smiddy: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to concur with Senate Amendment #2 to this Bill. Basically, what they did is they took out the House Amendment and put it back to its original form and it's now the 3D mammography, which was a mandate in my Bill, is no longer a part of the Bill. I ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Breen. Please take the record. 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. The House concurs with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 3673. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3619, this Bill is to be handled by Representative Hernandez. Is there objection? Seeing no objection, please proceed, Representative Hernandez."

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Hernandez: "Thank you, Speaker. I move to concur Senate Bill Floor Amendment #2 to House Bill 3619, the Equal Pay Bill. The... the Amendment is a page and line Amendment that changes the penalties for violations of the Act. Instead of increasing the maximum penalty from 25 hundred to 5 thousand, it creates a fine schedule. I ask for your 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sullivan."

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

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sullivan: "Representative, I... it's my understanding with this Amendment that you've brought from NFIB, or NFIB brought to you and you agreed to, that this makes this a much better Bill, lowers the penalties, and is now agreed across all parties."

Hernandez: "That's correct. That's my understanding."

Sullivan: "I appreciate your... your diligent work on satisfying our side of the aisle. Appreciate it."

Hernandez: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Bellock. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 3619. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3674, Mr. Smiddy. Please proceed."

Smiddy: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I want to concur with Senate Amendments 3 and 4 regarding archery season. I ask for an 'aye' vote."

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Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Brady, Chapa LaVia, Drury, Mussman, Riley. Chapa LaVia, Riley. Please take the record. There are 106 voting 'yes', 5 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendments 3 and 4 to House Bill 3674. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3683, Representative Wallace. Please proceed."

Wallace: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I'm asking for a Motion to Concur with Senate Amendment 1 that will make the language more consistent in the Bill. This is a Bill that will assist with the collection of child support and distr... distribution to children and families."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor..."

Wallace: "It's just a tech change."

Speaker Lang: "...of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Evans, Flowers, Hernandez, Turner. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3683. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3684, Representative Wallace. Please proceed."

Wallace: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Again, this is the Foster Children's Bill of Rights adding Illinois to 18 other states who have such legislation. We're simply clarifying the language for a couple of the points. And I do ask for Concurrence."

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Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Drury. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3684. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3693, Mr. Hoffman. Please proceed, Sir."

Hoffman: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move that we concur in Amend.. Senate Amendment #1. What this does it clar.. simply clarifies the Bill to make sure it only applies to Belleville Township."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Cavaletto, Sommer. Cavaletto. Please take the record. On this question, 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3693. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3718, Representative Nekritz. Please proceed."

Nekritz: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur in Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3718. This is a very significant reform to our criminal justice system. It is the result of discussions between the state's attorneys, the Cook County Board President, and the juvenile justice groups. This ends, for many crimes, the practice of automatically, or presumptively, or mandatorily transferring juveniles to... to adult court for... for trial and sentencing in adult court. It does remain... automatic transfer does remain in effect for 16-

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and 17-year-olds for more serious crimes and for 16- and 17-year-olds who commit a forcible felony in furtherance of gang activity. Those are, I think... if I... I can't remember. There's too much speaking and... and mandatory presumptive remains. But those are the only categories for which a juvenile will... will not have the opportunity to go before a juvenile court judge who can take into account the circumstances of the crime, the juvenile's circumstances, and make a considered decision about whether this juvenile should remain in juvenile court or be transferred to adult court. And I'm very excited to be asking for your 'yes' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sandack."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Leader yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Leader yields."

Sandack: "Maybe I didn't hear it, Elaine. I thought you were... it sounded liked you were getting back to the underlying Bill. What... what's the Amendment? What change happened in the Senate?"

Nekritz: "The underlying Bill had nothing to do with automatic transfer. It was a..."

Sandack: "It's a gut and re..."

Nekritz: "...it... right. And so it was... this was a gut and replace that... that then becomes the... the automatic transfer legislation."

Sandack: "'Cause I know we were talking about this, and maybe it was in the House Bill, but I... obviously, I support this. I think it's a good Bill. And I don't know if you've heard from the Governor's Office on this as far as their support or nonsupport."

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Nekritz: "The... the Department of Juvenile Justice testified in support and has been supportive. I don't know that the Governor's Office has taken a... an official position."

Sandack: "But the department was obviously..."

Nekritz: "The department is very much on board."

Sandack: "And did they think it reduces some of their... I don't know, their... some of their work and some of the matters before them?"

Nekritz: "No. And actually... the depart... it will... it will increase the workload of the Department of Juvenile Justice because fewer juveniles..."

Sandack: "Will go to DOC."

Nekritz: "...will be tried in adult court. But this is part of the rebalancing effort and it's why we passed legislation earlier to... to reduce that... I had legislation earlier that actually did reduce the workload at juvenile justice so that they can accommodate this additional... these additional youths."

Sandack: "Thank you. I appreciate the answers to the questions."

Nekritz: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Bellock."

Bellock: "Thank you very much, Mr. Speaker. Just to the Bill. I just want to cam... compliment the Representative who sponsored this and compliment also the Juvenile Justice Agency for the work that they have done to look forward to helping juveniles to get out of going to jail, but also to do alternative sentencing of which they have been very successful at doing that. And I wish that our regular Corrections' numbers would be reduced as much as these have been. Thank you."

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Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Butler, Pritchard, Unes. Unes. Please take the record. There are 79 voting 'yes', 32 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3718. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3841, Mr. Sims. Mr. Sims. Out of the record. House Bill 3848, Representative Mussman. No running, Representative. No hopping either. Please proceed."

Mussman: "Okay. Thank you, Speaker and Members of the House. House Bill 3848 I vote to concur with Senate Amendment #1, 2, and 3. One removes language creating a new fund and directs the civil monetary penalty funds into an existing violent crimes victim assistance fund at the request of the Governor. Two adds a line clarifying the appropriate Medicaid managed care organizations at the request of the Illinois Hospital Association. Line 3 makes two technical changes. There is no opposition. And again, I request that we concur. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Drury. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendments 1, 2, and 3 to House Bill 3848. This Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3910, Mr. Reis. Please proceed."

Reis: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move that we concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3910. It simply adds the word

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'remit' and deletes the words 'collected from the consumer'.
I ask for adopt..."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Flowers, Golar, Manley, Unes. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 83 voting 'yes', 23 voting 'no'... Excuse me. 83 voting 'yes', 26 voting 'no', 1 voting 'present'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3910. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3988, Mr. Anthony. Please proceed, Sir."

Anthony: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur on Senate Amendment #1 on House Bill 3988. It adds to the Bill that new reimbursement provisions apply only to convictions for disorderly conduct on 9/11 or otherwise known as swatting. It also puts a cap of \$10 thousand. I move to concur on Senate Amendment #1. And I ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Bennett, Guzzardi, Tryon. Tryon. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3988. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 4029, Representative Conroy. Please proceed."

Conroy: "Thank you, Speaker. I move to concur Senate Amendment 1 and 4 to House Bill 4029. The Amendments simply remove a

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reference to feral cats and adds when you can go on someone's property."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House does concur with Senate Amendments 1 and 4 to House Bill 4029. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 4078, Representative Kifowit. Please proceed."

Kifowit: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I ask to concur with Senate Amendment 1. Senate Amendment 1 adds the Executive Ethics Commission on to the Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Bryant, Cavaletto, Hurley, Mayfield, Scherer. Hurley. Please take the record. On this question, there are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 4078. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 4090, Representative Moeller. Please proceed."

Moeller: "Thank you, Speaker. Ask for... I do concur with Senate Floor Amendment #1. It just simply clarifies the type of identifying information that will be provided to DHS from sheriffs' departments. Thank..."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who

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wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Anthony, Durkin, Lilly. Anthony. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 4090. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 4113, Mr. Costello. Please proceed, Sir."

Costello: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Members of the House. I ask for concurrence with Senate Amendment #1. Essentially, it says that this applies to SIU-Carbondale. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Record yourselves. Chapa LaVia, Ford, Fortner, Unes. Mr. Ford. Please take the record. On this question, there are 78 voting 'yes', 33 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 4113. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Joint Resolution 10, Representative Cloonen. Please proceed."

Cloonen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move to concur with Senate Amendment 1 on House Joint Resolution 10. And the change designates the Month of May as St. Juvin Post 1336."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Lady's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Frese, Turner. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment #1 to House Joint Resolution 10. And this Resolution is adopted. Page 18 of the Calendar, Order of Resolutions, House

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Resolution 241, Representative Gordon-Booth. Out of the record. Page 9 of the Calendar, Senate Bill 1487, Mr. Evans. Mr. Clerk, please read the Bill."

Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 1487, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. Third Reading of this Senate Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Evans."

Evans: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and the great Members of this Assembly. Senate Bill 1487 creates the foreclosure property pilot program in Cook County only. The program will require judicial order to record documents against a property subject to a foreclose action. This Senate Bill is an initiative of the Cook County Recorder of Deeds and is designed to address fraudulent recordings on foreclosed property. The Amendment, which was on Second earlier, removed the opposition. Please support this pilot program."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Bill... not quite yet. Mr. Sandack is recognized."

Sandack: "Thank you. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Sandack: "Marcus, I think you addressed all the concerns. Is there a sunset on this pilot program?"

Evans: "Yes, two years. And I'll communicate the Recorder's Office said, you know, we're open to seeing how the program works. Let's just say six months out we're seeing this not going in the right direction, you know, they'll be open to cease the program."

Sandack: "And this doesn't affect properly filed mechanic's liens against properties, correct?"

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Evans: "No. We cleared that up in the Amendment. I wanted it to do that to make the pilot program work, but we took it out. The contractors requested it."

Sandack: "And the contractors can continue to file liens as they see fit in the ordinary course."

Evans: "Yes."

Sandack: "Thank you. Appreciate it."

Evans: "At the Recorder's Office, not just in court, but they will file at the Recorder's Office."

Sandack: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Bill will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Burke, Gordon-Booth, Lilly. Please take the record. On this question, there are 110 voting 'yes', 1 voting 'present'. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Chair recognizes Mr. Sullivan on a Motion."

Sullivan: "I move to waive the posting requirements on the bobcat Bill. I don't know the..."

Speaker Lang: "You heard the Gentleman's Motion. Whatever the heck the number is. Those in favor... House Bill 352. Those in favor say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the Gentleman's Motion carries. And the posting notice is waived. Mr. Verschoore on... Mr. Verschoore has a Motion to Concur that has been refiled with the Clerk on Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 352. The Chair recognizes Mr. Verschoore."

Verschoore: "Thank you, Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I'm not going to belabor this thing. I know people are

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wanting to get out of here. I just would like everyone to understand, you know, they think these are nice cute little kitties. Well, these nice cute little kitties grow up to be killers of livestock and small game and also companion animals. So, I would ask for an 'aye' vote on Concurrence."

Speaker Lang: "There being no debate, those in... Sorry. Representative Feigenholtz."

Feigenholtz: "Representative Verschoore, will you yield for some questions?"

Speaker Lang: "Gentleman yields."

Verschoore: "Yes."

Feigenholtz: "Could you explain to me how a bobcat is trapped?"

Verschoore: "Jaw traps."

Feigenholtz: "So this animal is walking innocently through..."

Verschoore: "No, they're not walking through. They're a predator."

Feigenholtz: "...and... So, does it die instantly?"

Verschoore: "Pardon me."

Feigenholtz: "Does it die instantly or does it linger?"

Verschoore: "They're trapped the same as any other animal, so coyotes, raccoons, bears, whatever."

Feigenholtz: "So, how many... how many animals do you think you're going to trap in one year?"

Verschoore: "Well, I don't know. The DNR said that there's a possibility that there could be as many as 500 permits, but that's going to be whether they shoot them with a crossbow or with a gun or that type. I don't know. I can't... I can't estimate that. I don't know how you would estimate how many are going to be trapped."

Feigenholtz: "And is this necessary?"

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Verschoore: "Is it necessary to what?"

Feigenholtz: "To trap these animals. I mean, why are we doing this?"

Verschoore: "Well, they're... they're wanting to reduce the population because they're becoming a nuisance in the southern part of the state. And they're killing an... there was an instance we heard just recently they killed several kid goats at a farm. They've killed rabbits, quails, small game, and also companion animals. It hurts farming. Representative Meier said that he's had some problems with them on his farm."

Feigenholtz: "You know, I... I really don't like this Bill and..."

Verschoore: "I know... I know you don't."

Feigenholtz: "And I'd like a verification should this receive a requisite. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Your request is acknowledged. Mr. Phelps."

Phelps: "To the Bill, and I'm not going to talk long either. Representative Cavaletto and myself are big quail hunters and they'll tell you right now, today as far as 20 years ago, we don't have hardly any quail population in southern Illinois and it's all to do with the bobcats. So, if you want to take care of the quail population, the pheasant population, and everybody keeps thinking these are nice cute little kitties, well, they're not because they're devouring and taking away the whole population of our small game. So that's why we're trying to control it. I trust Wayne Rosenthal and I trust DNR. I trust the science. And remember, this is federally regulated. We're not trying to wipe out the population, just trying to control it."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Meier."

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Meier: "It seems to be I heard my name. I would like to comment about this. As a farmer, I see a lot of bobcats in southern Illinois. I first saw them about 10 years ago. About 5 years ago they came from the bottoms and they came up to our home farm. Since they've been on the home farm, when I'm out there in the wheat fields combining in the early summer of the year, I have started finding young fauns and the only thing I find is a pool of blood in the wheat and their head. The rest of that little young dear is gone. I attribute this to the time that the bobcats came. Bambi is being killed by bobcats."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Bradley."

Bradley: "I... I saw one of these walk across my backyard. I saw one of these walk across my backyard and I thought I was looking at a saber tooth tiger. I am not... I'm not playing around; I'm serious. I saw one of these walking across my backyard and it scared me. I was scared for my kids. We're not talking about some kind of little docile creature here. We're talking about something that looks like it came out of another time. And... and we can't do anything about it. And you're telling me if this thing comes up and gets one of my pets... we just lost a dog this week. I don't know that it wasn't a bobcat that got him. Are you telling... it was a golden retriever. Are you telling me that we can't control that? I just don't think this is an unreasonable request of the Sponsor. I know that there are concerns, but we're not talking about pets here. We're talking about a creature which I would rather run into a coyote than a bobcat. And we have differences in this state, but listen to those of us that are from this area where these things are at. These things are

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dangerous. Let us control them; that's all we're asking.
Please vote 'aye'."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Cavaletto."

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

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Cavaletto: "That's very true is about what they're saying about the quail population in southern Illinois. It has definitely gone down in the last 10 years due to this bobcat. Also, this creature has no boundaries or territorial. It's very... it can go anywhere. And to say that a little incident that happened in my hometown just in the last week. A lady ran over an animal in the street and she stopped, picked it up, she thought it was a cat. She took it to a Rural King, who a lot of guys who know what those animals were. She was going to get it... see what he was going to do to help it. Well, when they got there they found out it was a baby bobcat. It was already in town, the mother had a litter of cats in town. And there was one lady who had lost her dog and this animal did come and take it away and killed the dog. So they are a different type of animal. And there's an old saying pretty is as pretty does, but in this case that's not the... not the same. Thank you very much."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Wallace."

Wallace: "Thank you. Will the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Wallace: "So, what studies have been conducted on like the population of the bobcats?"

Verschoore: "They... they think between 4 and 5 thousand right now."

Wallace: "Okay. Was this animal recently an endangered species?"

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Verschoore: "It was recent... they took it off the endangered species. I... I don't know the exact date they took that, but..."

Wallace: "Okay. And then what area..."

Verschoore: "These... a couple of my colleagues said they think it was a couple decades ago."

Wallace: "Oh, okay. Thank you. And then what areas will not hunting be allowed to occur?"

Verschoore: "Well, there's the... the Department of DNR is saying the northern part. Well, it's purs... it's supposed... you know, lower part of the state."

Wallace: "Okay. So just for those who may not know, the northeastern portion of the state would be allowed not to hunt. They would be barred from hunting."

Verschoore: "Decatur up 39..."

Wallace: "And then everything..."

Verschoore: "...all the way to Indiana."

Wallace: "Okay. Thank you very much."

Verschoore: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Costello."

Costello: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Members of the Body. Ladies and Gentlemen, we talk about regional issues in here. We talk about trying to help each other. This Amendment came because of work trying... us trying to work with the Sierra Club. One quarter of the state... and anybody that could look back here, please... the portion in yellow, that's highlighted, you would not be able to hunt or trap bobcats in that portion. One quarter of the state. Okay? The entire Chicago Metro area, you are not allowed to trap or hunt bobcats in that area. This is a regional issue. We have numerous bobcats. The

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population has expanded immensely in southern Illinois and we're asking you to help us by voting 'aye'. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Riley."

Riley: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Riley: "Representative Verschoore, again, what's the total number, or estimated number of bobcats?"

Verschoore: "They're estimating between 4 and 5 thousand."

Riley: "Okay. The deer population, for example, talking about another species, is about 850 thousand or something like that in the state."

Verschoore: "Oh, I... I would think it's at least that."

Riley: "Okay. And after the hunting season we find that, based on hunting, maybe about 200 to 250 thousand deer are taken."

Verschoore: "I don't know that exact number, but it's... I don't know that exact number, but it's in the... it's over... it's over a couple hundred thousand."

Riley: "Okay. But the fact of the matter is the entire population is not eradicated."

Verschoore: "Pardon me."

Riley: "The entire population is not eradicated."

Verschoore: "No."

Riley: "Do you feel that the entire population of bobcat will be eradicated..."

Verschoore: "That..."

Riley: "...once hunting starts?"

Verschoore: "No. That's why we put that Amendment on it. To answer the previous speaker's question, they were taken off the endangered species in 1999."

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Riley: "Because they started to proliferate."

Verschoore: "Right. Right."

Riley: "Okay. Thank you."

Verschoore: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Breen."

Breen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Breen: "Thank you. Representative, just... just to be clear, these
are predators, right?"

Verschoore: "Yes."

Breen: "And..."

Verschoore: "Apex predators."

Breen: "Absolutely. Then is there anything different about hunting
these predators than any other predatory animal?"

Verschoore: "Not that I know of."

Breen: "Okay. And this is a limited program?"

Verschoore: "Pardon?"

Breen: "Carefully crafted program?"

Verschoore: "Pardon me?"

Breen: "It is... this is a carefully crafted..."

Verschoore: "Right."

Breen: "...limited program."

Verschoore: "Right."

Breen: "All right."

Verschoore: "The DNR is going to set up a... and do a survey."

Breen: "In fact, you've added a requirement to this Bill that
says the program must be 'nondetrimental' to the population..."

Verschoore: "Correct."

Breen: "...of these animals."

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Verschoore: "Correct."

Breen: "All right. Now, and there will be no hunting in Cook or any of the collar counties."

Verschoore: "That's the way I understand it."

Breen: "All right. To the Bill. Folks, I mean, this is a big issue for people downstate. There's absolutely zero impact to those of us in Cook and the collar counties. You know, folks downstate are expected to come and help us when we need their help. We need to help them when they come and ask on something that has absolutely no harm to our districts up state. I would urge an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Turner."

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

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Turner: "Help me out, Representative. The... the Amendment that's... that we're... that was attached in the Senate came from the Sierra Club?"

Verschoore: "Yes."

Turner: "And that's the Amendment that we're trying to concur with right now?"

Verschoore: "Yes."

Turner: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Davidsmeyer."

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

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Davidsmeyer: "If you recall, we spent over \$100 thousand flying in prairie chickens from another state and... and I would guess that bobcats like the taste of chicken, wouldn't you think?"

Verschoore: "Yes. I'd say so, yeah. So do I, as far as that goes."

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Davidsmeyer: "So, my only point is that maintaining and working on this population also helps us maintain other populations of species. So I think it's important that we give DNR the tools to do that, correct?"

Verschoore: "Absolutely."

Davidsmeyer: "All right. Thank you very much."

Verschoore: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Arroyo."

Arroyo: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Would the Sponsor yield?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Arroyo: "Pat, you said something about the Humane Society. Where... where is the Humane Society on this?"

Verschoore: "I don't know about the Humane Society..."

Arroyo: "They're... they're aga... they're against this Bill, Pat."

Verschoore: "I..."

Arroyo: "And so is the Sierra Club. You say that this Amendment is for the Sierra Club. Is the Sierra Club for this Bill?"

Verschoore: "It's their Amendment."

Arroyo: "I believe that they are not for the Bill."

Verschoore: "It's their Amendment. They're the ones who wanted the Amendment."

Arroyo: "Okay. So, you know, I work with the Sierra Club and the Humane Society. You know, I... I have a Bill, a lion Bill to not consume lion meat. So, you know, I like animals. And when does this stop for you guys downstate to stop hunting animals? When... when is it going to stop? I mean, what do you do now... what do you do now when there's a... a bobcat in somebody's farm?"

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Verschoore: "We're not... we're not going after lions and... but we... we were trying to create a... you know, control the population..."

Arroyo: "So... but you..."

Verschoore: "...so they don't get out of hand."

Arroyo: "Pat, you... you do hunt... you're already entitled to shoot them... you're already entitled to shoot them, if they're in your farm, right? Or you trap them if they come and kill the livestock?"

Verschoore: "You... you have to get a permit to do that. You just can't kill them."

Arroyo: "Oh, so you don't have a permit through the year if they get on there you can shoot them? Or you have to run and get a permit when he comes on the property?"

Verschoore: "You have to have a permit to kill them."

Arroyo: "All right. Well, Pat, I'm sorry I have to vote against this Bill. You know, I usually don't vote against your stuff, but it's nothing personal. I just can't vote for this. Thank you."

Verschoore: "Okay. Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Williams."

Williams: "Hi. Will the Sponsor yield, please?"

Speaker Lang: "Sponsor yields."

Williams: "Representative, I just have been communicating with the Sierra Club and the Environmental Council and actually just got a text from Jack Darin. He said the Amendment, and I'm sure there was some..."

Verschoore: "I don't have it."

Williams: "...miscommunication, he said the Amendment was from DNR. So the Sierra Club is not supportive, did not write this

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Amendment, nor is the Illinois Environmental Council supportive."

Verschoore: "It was negotiated when we were working on this. We tried... we had several meetings with them trying to come to some type of agreement, but they wanted to have a... have in every county they wanted to have a... a open meeting on this thing and it was dragging it out and dragging it out. So, we... we tried to compromise and they didn't want to compromise, so we ran the Bill."

Williams: "Okay. Yeah, I get that. And then I appreciate your response. I did... I'm reading a text right now from the Sierra Club and they said that the parties rejected the proposal from the Sierra Club. So, just to clarify, Sierra Club is telling me this is not their Amendment. They're still very opposed. Said the Amendment is from DNR and 'does nothing'. Thank you."

Verschoore: "Well, if the... if the Sierra..."

Williams: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Sullivan."

Sullivan: "Thank you. One of the previous speakers asked why we continue to hunt. And why we hunt these predators are real simple. In the north, we have these bobcats. I live in Lake County, half hour from the state border of Wisconsin, and there was a bobcat sighting in the neighboring town. Our problem up there is coyotes, and let me tell you a little bit about coyotes. There was a study done out of California that said there were 35 instances where a coyote, if not for the intervention of human, could have carried a child away and seriously injured them. A bobcat is bigger and more aggressive

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than a coyote. And so, while we don't have the solid problems of bobcats up north, they do down south. So imagine a bobcat that's 60 pounds that could attack and kill something ten times its weight. Think of a small child, or a small woman, or a small boy that could be attacked and carried away. That's why we kill these things. That's why we hunt them. They don't have natural predators. We don't have wolves, we don't have bears, we don't have anything in the wild that can take care of the population and so they're encroaching on humans. You see that in the suburbs because of all of the... you can see the attacks on children, you can see the attacks on animals, specifically little dogs and cats. Down there, they have livestock; they have their livelihood that we're trying to protect. That's why we have this Bill. That's why it needs to move forward. God forbid, something terrible would happen with a 60 pound bobcat taking away a 60 pound child, which is very easily done with these animals. They are ferocious. For those of us up north, you think about coyotes and your fear of coyotes, you would never want to see a bobcat in the woods without being able to defend yourself. So that's why we are here. That's why we need to have this Bill."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Burke."

Burke, D.: "Thank you, Speaker. I would certainly like to support the Gentleman's legislation, but I believe that there are other reasonable means to control this population of bobcats. If we have the resources to maybe neuter these animals, who it appears that they are overwhelming our society, there... Mr. Speaker. Don't we have other more important issues to concern ourselves with? Mr. Verschoore, medical science will provide

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opportunity to eliminate this overwhelming population. Do you agree?"

Verschoore: "No, I don't think so because their numbers have been increasing. They've gone up. They were off the... they took them off the endangered species list in 1999. So evidently through, I guess... they're predators themselves and unless we had bigger animals to predator on them, which we don't, that I don't think that's going to happen."

Burke, D.: "Well, let's face it, wild animals are predators, are they not?"

Verschoore: "Some are."

Burke, D.: "They survive; they exist. This is our society. We have two-legged predators in our society that make their way every day taking advantage of our society. So, I... I would like to think that maybe there's an opportunity for the veterinarian community to say there's a chance that we could eliminate this predator..."

Verschoore: "Well..."

Burke, D.: "...in our society."

Verschoore: "...you were here when Representative Karen May wanted to neuter the deer in her area and that Bill did not pass. So... and I don't know how you're going to control the population without neutering them and I... I don't think I'd want to try and take a wildcat in... or a bobcat into a veterinarian myself."

Burke, D.: "What?"

Verschoore: "I said I... you said... you talked about neuter them, control them, a veterinarian controlling them. So, how are you going to get them in there to get them neutered?"

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Burke, D.: "Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, are we going to be here until 2:00 in the morning?"

Speaker Lang: "It's not my plan, Sir."

Burke, D.: "What is your plan?"

Speaker Lang: "My plan is to finish the debate on this legislation."

Burke, D.: "And I would like to move the previous question."

Speaker Lang: "Sir, that would be out of order since you spoke in debate. There's only two speakers left."

Burke, D.: "Thank you so much."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you. Or three. Representative Cloonen."

Cloonen: "I yield my time to Representative Phips."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Phips."

Phelps: "Thank you. Thank you. Thank you. Hey... hey, Ladies and Gentlemen, to the... to the one of the previous speakers. Do you remember Representative Karen May came to us and said, we don't want the hunting up in our forest preserves. Will you, as the Sportsman's Caucus, get some people together and let's do a tranquilize and neuter program? That didn't work, folks. Too much money. No veterinarian wanted to go out and tranquilize them. So, it doesn't work. And I can't tell you one veterinarian that's going to go and pick one of these bobcats up, because they'll probably rip their throat out. So, it's a... it's ridiculous that this Bill has gotten to the point it's... that it has. It's ridiculous. Common, guys. Vote 'aye'."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Mautino."

Mautino: "Simply rise in support of the Gentleman's Bill. We do have a problem throughout downstate Illinois, not only with

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the bobcats, but we've had a growth in coyotes. I live on an apple orchard and any given day I can go out and I can find the carcasses of young deer, in some cases, other small animals just as recently as last week. Coyotes come in, they are very vicious. The bobcats that are there, if you haven't seen one, I mean, it'll... they will take you by surprise to see one run across our property. They move like lightning. This is not a cat. And they can take down a small deer, a pet. The farms next to me; they can take down those animals and it's not uncommon to come down and, like I said, find a carcass that's there. Whether it's coyote, whether it's bobcat, it is still a predator and there has to be a way that we can go ahead and control those populations for not only disease control but also to keep the... the farms and the basis of our economy safe. Appreciate an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Mr. Verschoore to close."

Verschoore: "I would just ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Members are to be reminded, Representative Feigenholtz has asked for a verification. So Members will be in their chairs, staff will retire to the rear of the chamber. Those in favor of the Gentleman's Concurrence Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Please record yourselves. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 60 voting 'yes', 46 voting 'no', and 2 voting 'present'. And Representative Feigenholtz has asked for a verification. Members will be in their chairs. The Clerk will read the affirmative roll."

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Clerk Hollman: "A poll of those voting in the affirmative.
Representative Andersson; Representative Anthony;
Representative Batinick; Representative Beiser;
Representative Bellock; Representative Bennett;
Representative Bourne; Representative Bradley;
Representative Brady; Representative Breen; Representative
Brown; Representative Bryant; Representative Butler;
Representative Cabello; Representative Cavaletto;
Representative Cloonen; Representative Costello;
Representative D'Amico; Representative Davidsmeyer;
Representative DeLuca; Representative Demmer; Representative
Durkin; Representative Flowers; Representative Fortner;
Representative Frese; Representative Gordon-Booth;
Representative Hammond; Representative David Harris;
Representative Hays; Representative Hoffman; Representative
Ives; Representative Jackson; Representative Kay;
Representative Leitch; Representative Mautino;
Representative McAuliffe; Representative McDermed;
Representative McSweeney; Representative Meier;
Representative Bill Mitchell; Representative Moffitt;
Representative Morrison; Representative Phelps;
Representative Poe; Representative Pritchard; Representative
Reis; Representative Riley; Representative Rita;
Representative Scherer; Representative Smiddy;
Representative Sommer; Representative Sosnowski;
Representative Stewart; Representative Sullivan;
Representative Unes; Representative Verschoore;
Representative Walsh; Representative Barbara Wheeler;
Representative Keith Wheeler, and Representative Winger."

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Speaker Lang: "Representative Feigenholtz."

Feigenholtz: "Representative Bryant."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Bryant is waving at you."

Feigenholtz: "Representative Scherer."

Speaker Lang: "Representative Scherer's in her seat."

Feigenholtz: "Thank you."

Speaker Lang: "On this question, there are 60 voting 'yes', 46 voting 'no', 2 voting 'present'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 352. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Page 12 of the Calendar... Excuse me. Chair recognizes Mr. Wehrli."

Wehrli: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. On that previous Bill, I was a green button; it didn't record. So, I wish to be recorded as a 'yes' on that previous Bill."

Speaker Lang: "The record will reflect your intention, Sir. House Bill 1424, Mr. Rita. Please proceed, Sir."

Rita: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. Senate Amendment #2 is an Amendment for the barbers to the Cosmetology Sunset Act. This is agreed language, just made an adjustment for the barbers in that Act that we overlooked when we did it here. Ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Bryant, Harris. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House does concur with Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 1424. And this Bill, having received

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the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3841, Mr. Sims. Please proceed."

Sims: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. I move to concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 3841. This represents an agreement between the parties involved to exempt certain individuals. I know of no... it clears up all opposition. I ask for... opposition. I ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Please record yourselves. Bellock, Bennett, Davidsmeyer, Leitch, McAuliffe, Stewart, Wheeler. Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this question, there are 69 voting 'yes', 39 voting 'no'. And the House does concur with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3841. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 4044, Mr. Sims. Please... please proceed."

Sims: "Thank you, again, Mr. Speaker and Ladies and Gentlemen of the House. House Bill... I move to concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 4044. It introduces a new concept under the Bill regarding juvenile justice councils. The underlying Bill they were juvenile justice our... juvenile justice council or local advisory committees. And this creates one in the southern suburban area of Cook County. I know of no opposition and ask for an 'aye' vote."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Gentleman's Motion will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Bennett, McAuliffe, Stewart,

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Thapedi. Please take the record. On this question, there are 109 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House does concur with Senate Amendment #1 to House Bill 4044. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. House Bill 3231, Mr. Burke. Please proceed, Sir."

Burke, D.: "Thank you, Speaker. I would move to concur with the Senate's Amendment #1. Be happy to answer any questions."

Speaker Lang: "Please tell us what it does, Sir."

Burke, D.: "It... it limits the penalties for those that would incur cruelty on animals."

Speaker Lang: "Those in favor of the Amendment will vote 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Butler, Flowers, Kay, Wallace, Wheeler. Please take the record. There are 111 voting 'yes', 0 voting 'no'. And the House concurs with Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 3231. And this Bill, having received the Constitutional Majority, is hereby declared passed. Mr. Brown."

Brown: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. The Republicans will caucus upon adjournment in Room 118."

Speaker Lang: "That was upon adjournment. Is that correct, Sir?"

Brown: "That's correct."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you. Mr. Moffitt."

Moffitt: "Just a point of personal privilege, Mr. Speaker."

Speaker Lang: "Please proceed, Sir."

Moffitt: "We had a little weight loss contest again this year, the Retrofit Caucus, and I do have some results. Now specifics, you know, what happens in the paramedic's office

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stays there, so we're not going to get into any details. But I want to, you know, in the spring Session there's awful tendency to put on weight and we had a couple people that took off some and we should have run it longer than we did. But the point is, we... we do have a winner. Second place went to one of our staffers, Embarina Mendiola, and she got second place and I'm not going to say numbers. But the first place, in other words the biggest loser, or the one that was the most successful is none other than my seatmate Representative Charlie Meier who lost the most weight. So, congratulations. And next week he's going to donate his hundred and second pint of blood and he would even be lighter if we had to weigh out next week. So, congratulations, Charlie."

Speaker Lang: "Congratulations, Sir. Members will rise for a Death Resolution. Excuse me, not a Resolution. Mr. Breen is recognized."

Breen: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. And I just now filed that... that Resolution for the approval of the Body at a later time. But I wanted to take a moment of silence here to remember Petty Officer Second Class Ryan D. Burris of Lisle, Illinois. He passed in Abu Dhabi. He was in the Navy and he was temporarily assigned to the Crisis Response Element to the Joint Special Operations Task Force-Arabian Peninsula, Special Operations Command Central, U.S. Central Command. And just one little tidbit about Ryan was that he was always proud to quote President John F. Kennedy and that quote was, 'I can imagine no more rewarding a career. And any man who may be asked in this century what he did to make his life worthwhile, I think he can respond with a good deal of pride and satisfaction: I

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served in the United States Navy.' And I would just ask folks here, the funeral is tomorrow morning in Lisle, and so I would ask for a moment of silence both for him and for his family who are grieving today."

Speaker Lang: "Thank you, Mr. Breen. And now, leaving perfunctory time for the Clerk, Leader Currie moves that the House stand adjourned 'til Thursday, June 4 at the hour of 1 p.m. Those in favor say 'yes'; opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. And the House stands adjourned 'til Thursday, June 4 at the hour of 1 p.m. Drive safely."

Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Introduction and First Reading of Senate Bills. Senate Bill 2038, offered by Speaker Madigan, a Bill for an Act concerning appropriations. First Reading of this Senate Bill. Introduction of Resolutions. Senate Joint Resolution 5, offered by Representative Bellock. Senate Joint Resolution 12, offered by Representative Brown. Senate Joint Resolution 29, offered by Representative Ford. These are referred to the Rules Committee. There being no further business, the House Perfunctory Session will stand adjourned."