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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The regular Session of the 1st -- 101st General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desk? Will our guests in the gallery please rise? The invocation today will be given by Pastor Jeremy Wood, First Congregational Church, Bunker Hill.

PASTOR JEREMY WOOD:

(Prayer by Pastor Jeremy Wood)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please remain standing for the Pledge Allegiance. Senator Cunningham, please lead us in the Pledge.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Cunningham)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Lisa Yuscius from the Bluestream.com {sic} (Blueroomstream.com) and Mark Maxwell from WCIA seek leave to photograph and videotape the proceedings. There being no objection, leave is granted. Mr. Secretary, Reading and Approval of the Journal.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Journal of Thursday, March 14th, 2019.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Madam President, I move to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal just read by the Secretary, pending arrival of the printed transcript.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hunter moves to postpone the reading and approval of

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the Journals, pending arrival of the printed transcripts. Being -- there being no objection, so ordered. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 226, offered by Senators Brady, Barickman and all Members.

Senate Resolution 227, offered by Senator Barickman and all Members.

Senate Resolution 228, offered by Senator Brady and all Members.

Senate Resolution 229, offered by Senator Koehler and all Members.

Senate Resolution 230, offered by Senator Anderson and all Members.

And Senate Resolutions 231 and 232, offered by Senator Hunter and all Members.

They are all death resolutions, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Resolutions Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 223, offered by Senator Fine.

Senate Resolution 224, offered by President Cullerton.

Senate Resolution 225, offered by Senator Manar.

And Senate Resolution 233, offered by Senator Fine.

They are all substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Mr. Secretary, Introduction of Senate Bills.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2242, offered by President Cullerton.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 2243, offered by President Cullerton.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Mr. Secretary, Appointment Messages.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Appointment Message 1010082

Governor's salaried appointment

To be Public Chairman of the Workers' Compensation
Commission, Michael Brennan

Appointment Message 1010083

Governor's salaried appointment

To be a Public Member of the Workers' Compensation Commission,
Barbara Flores

Appointment Message 1010084

Governor's salaried appointment

To be Labor Member of the Workers' Compensation Commission,
Douglas McCarthy

Appointment Message 1010085

Governor's salaried appointment

To be Labor Member Workers' Compensation Commission, Marc
Parker

Appointment Message 1010086

Governor's salaried appointment

To be Public Member of the Workers' Compensation Commission,
Maria Portela

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Ladies and Gentlemen, today Senator Bennett has a special

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guest, the President of FFA. Senator Bennett, to the podium.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Thank you, Madam President. I have a unique honor today to -- as I can guess you guys can assume at this point, today is Ag Legislative Day. So we have a lot of guests in the gallery. I imagine we'll be hearing some introductions for them, which are FFA chapters, Future Farmers of America chapters, all across our State. But we have the great honor of having the State President with us today. Sophia Hortin is a -- a -- a graduate of Fisher High School in Fisher, Illinois. She's actually a constituent of Senator Rose. And next year, she'll be going to the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign to study agriculture education to help more students understand how they can help Illinois as -- in -- in its largest industry, which is, of course, agriculture. So with that, Sophia, come on up.

2018-2019 ILLINOIS STATE FFA PRESIDENT SOPHIA HORTIN:

(Remarks by 2018-2019 IL State FFA President Sophia Hortin)

SENATOR BENNETT:

So this is always my favorite time of year, to watch whichever brave Senate soul wants to follow the Senate -- or wants to follow the FFA President. Who wants to speak next? Good luck. I would point out, there's not one note, there's not one teleprompter. That was all in her head. All that. I have a feeling that is not the last time she will address this Body on the Floor of the Illinois State Senate - and I don't just say that because you live in Chapin Rose's district and we're hoping for some candidates. But I hope you take the time today to talk to all these people. Would you please stand up in the galleries? All of the FFA members that we have will impress you. So take the time to meet with them

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today. You -- you will be impressed from the interaction. So, thank you, Madam President. We appreciate the time.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Can I have your attention, please? I want to welcome Senator Stadelman to the -- to the podium to introduce a special guest.

SENATOR STADELMAN:

Thank you, Madam President. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, continuing with the agricultural theme today, I think I may have one or two farms in my Senate district, very little agricultural products and businesses, but -- so I never thought I would be here introducing the Illinois County Fair Queen, but that's why I'm here. I have the honor to do that. And it's an historic announcement, because for the first time ever, the Illinois County Fair Queen represents Winnebago County, in northern Illinois, and is from Rockford as well. So Alexi Bladel has been an active member of 4-H and FFA as well, and her goal is to increase agriculture awareness around the State of Illinois, and has worked with the Farm Bureau to see that farm concepts are taught in school. So, please, a warm welcome for Alexi Bladel.

2019 MISS ILLINOIS COUNTY FAIR QUEEN ALEXI BLADEL:

(Remarks by 2019 Miss Illinois County Fair Queen Alexi Bladel)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Thank you so much. Will the Members of the Committee on Assignments please meet in the President's Anteroom? Committee of {sic} Assignments. (at ease) The Senate will come to order. Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Lightford, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been

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assigned: Refer to Agriculture Committee - Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 61, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 201, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1490, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1535, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1634, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1704, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1572; refer to Commerce and Economic Development Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1608; refer to Criminal Law Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1462, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1693, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 219, Committee Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 1411, Floor Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1599, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1915, and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2081; refer to Education Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 142, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1212, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1213, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1287, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 142, and Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 449; refer to Energy and Public Utilities Committee - Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 130, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 135, and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2123; refer to Environment and Conservation Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1184, Committee Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1256, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1270, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1310, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1724, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 9, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 557, and Senate Resolution 214; refer to Executive Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 18, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 205, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1426, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1669, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1680, and Committee

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Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1758; refer to Financial Institutions Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1313, Floor Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1332; refer to Government Accountability and Pensions Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 37, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1910, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2022; refer to Higher Education Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 447, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1167, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2091, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2137, and Senate Resolution 217; refer to Human Services Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2087; refer to Insurance Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1710; refer to Judiciary Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 168, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 193, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 218, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 714, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 715, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1134, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1307, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1317, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1429, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1712, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1868, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1929, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2074, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2076, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2097, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2133, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2135, and Floor Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1429; refer to Labor Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 75, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1150, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1466, and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1972; refer to Licensed Activities Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 132, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1683, Committee Amendment 1

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to Senate Bill 715 {sic} (1715), and Senate Bill 1725; refer to Local Government Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 223, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 765, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1538, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1581, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1651, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1938, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2058, and Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 90; refer to Public Health Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 42, Committee Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1909, Senate Committee Amendment 1 and 2 to Senate Bill -- 1965, Senate Resolutions 201 and 216, and Floor Amendment 1 and 2 to Senate Resolution 63; refer to Revenue Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 68, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 170, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 582, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1296, and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1556; refer to State Government Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 211, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1153, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1621, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1951, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1981, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2041, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2062, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2153, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Joint Resolution 26, and Senate Resolutions 200 and 209; refer to Transportation Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 177, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 944, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1200, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1496, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1602, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1862, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 103, and Senate Resolution 208; refer to Veterans Affairs Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1244; Be Approved for

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Consideration - House Joint Resolution 24. Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1515 and Committee Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1853.

Signed, Senator Kimberly Lightford, Chairperson.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Cunningham, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

For an introduction.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please introduce your guests.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

Thank you, Madam President. I think I'll probably start a cavalcade of FFA-related introductions today. I'm joined by four students and a teacher from the Chicago High School on...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Can we have your attention, please? Please quiet it down. Thank you. Senator Cunningham.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

Thank you, Madam President. I'm joined by four students and a faculty member from the Chicago High School for Agricultural Sciences, which is in my district on the south side of Chicago, a Chicago Public School with a distinct agriculture-related curriculum. I'm proud to say they have the largest FFA chapter in the State. The students I'm joined with here on the Floor are Austyn Nuzzo and Jackson Piekarz. Up in the gallery is Donald Tichy and Nancy Sanchez, along with their teacher, Diana Krnjaca. They are here not only to lobby on behalf of the FFA, but also to shadow me as part of a job shadowing program at the high school.

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Please join me in welcoming them to Springfield.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Welcome to Springfield. Senator Morrison, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MORRISON:

For the point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you. Today I'd like to invite all of my colleagues to participate in the 4th Annual Youth in Care and Alumni Shadow Day, which is presented by the Foster Care Alum of America, Illinois Chapter, in partnership with DCFS and the Illinois Statewide Youth Advisory Board. This year, the date will be May 15th. For the last four years, the Foster Care Alum of America, Illinois Chapter has brought over two hundred youth in care and alumni to participate in this program. And on the 15th, you have the opportunity to make a difference in the life of a current or -- or former foster kid. This morning, all of your Senate legislative assistants have been delivered a fact sheet about the Shadow Day as well as an invitation. I hope you'll consider joining me in making a difference in a foster kid's life. I've participated in this the last several years. It's a wonderful opportunity to get to meet children, older teens who are in foster care and ask questions and to have them see what we do here. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

I want now bring -- to bring up Senator McClure to introduce special guests that he has here. Senator McClure.

SENATOR McCLURE:

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Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I'm here to welcome, number one, State -- or State Representative C.D. Davidsmeyer here for the honor to be with me to introduce the Griggsville-Perry Eagles. They have won the IESA 7-1A Boys Basketball State Championship. And so we have Coach Garrett White here and he's going to introduce the members of the team.

GRIGGSVILLE-PERRY COACH GARRETT WHITE:

(Introductions by Griggsville-Perry Coach Garrett White)

SENATOR McCLURE:

So, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, can you please give them a round of applause and congratulate them on their State Championship? Thank you very much.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Belt, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BELT:

I move to waive all notice and posting requirements so that Senate Bill 1244 can be heard today at 1 p.m. in the Senate Veteran {sic} (Veterans) Affairs Committee.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Belt moves to waive all notice and posting requirements so that Senate Bill 1244 can be heard at 1 p.m. in the Senate Veterans Affairs Committee. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the posting requirement has been waived. Senator Bush, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BUSH:

Thank you, Madam President. I -- I move to waive all notice and posting requirements so that SB 1829 can be heard today at 3 p.m. by the Senate Judiciary Committee. And I would ask for

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support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bush moves to waive all notice and posting requirements so that Senate Bill 1829 can be heard today at 3 p.m. in the Senate Judiciary Committee. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and all the notice and posting requirements have been waived. Senator Bush, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BUSH:

Madam President, may I have another? May I also ask to move all notice/posting requirements for Senate Bill 1829 so that it may be also heard in Judiciary. Why -- they're the same numbers.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Do you mean Revenue, Senator?

SENATOR BUSH:

I absolutely do. But, you know, when staff makes a mistake on your paper, what are you supposed to do? I do mean Revenue. Thank you very much and thank you for that correction, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Thank you. Senator Bush moves to waive all notice and posting requirements so that Senate Bill 1296 can be heard at 4 p.m. in the Senate Revenue Committee. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the -- all notice and posting requirements have been waived. Senator McClure, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR McCLURE:

Thank you, Madam Speaker -- or Madam President. I was just informed that FA -- FFA students from Franklin and Waverly and

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their advisor, Mr. Nelson, have arrived in the Senate gallery. So I'd ask those students to stand up, please, and be recognized in the State Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Guests, please rise. Thank you for visiting Springfield. Senator Rezin, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR REZIN:

Oh, I'm sorry. Point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR REZIN:

Thank you, Madam President. I have a very important guest with me today. I have Zach Zabel here, who's also here with his family as well, sitting behind me, Tracy, Brian, and Zach's youngest brother, Zane. They're sitting behind me. They are from Morris. And Zach is in the fifth grade at Lisbon School. He is ten years old and his favorite subjects are politics and history. Zach, when he's home, he likes to do two things: He likes to read books - he likes to read Harry Potter - and he also likes to play sports out in the barn behind their house. So I would like a warm Springfield welcome for my intern for the day, Zach Zabel.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Welcome to Springfield, Zach. Enjoy your day with us. Senator Villivalam, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR VILLIVALAM:

For purposes of a -- a point of privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business. Will everyone please quiet down here in the Chamber? Please quiet down. Senator.

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SENATOR VILLIVALAM:

Thank you, Madam President. As you all are aware, last Thursday -- a horrific crime was committed against those worshipping at Al Noor and Linwood Mosques in Christchurch, New Zealand. Fifty people, engaged in peaceful, beautiful prayer, lost their lives to a man whose mind was warped with hate and anti-immigrant propaganda. It is clearer now more than ever that gun violence and anti-Muslim bigotry is not just an American problem. This is a global epidemic of white nationalist rhetoric that we -- will require all of us to come together to confront. To our Muslim brothers and sisters: We stand shoulder to shoulder with you. Know this will not just be a day of remembrance, but weeks and months of ongoing action to support you and root out the evil causes of this horrendous attack. To my colleagues: I'm encouraged that New Zealand's government will be taking legislative action in hopes that no family is ever affected by gun violence in their country again. I strongly urge our legislature and those in Washington to take a similar approach. I would like to request a moment of silence in honor of the victims in New Zealand, the pain felt by the Muslim community, and all of those who have had their lives affected by senseless gun violence and bigotry. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Will everyone please rise for a moment of silence? (Moment of silence observed) Thank you very much. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, Supplemental Calendar No. 1 has been distributed. We are going to House Joint Resolution 24. Senator Peters, do you wish to proceed?

SENATOR PETERS:

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Yes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Joint Resolution 24, offered by Senator Peters.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Peters, on the resolution.

SENATOR PETERS:

Thank you, Madam President. House Joint Resolution 24 supports legislation in Congress to close a loophole that affects thousands of internationally adopted individuals. When the Child Citizenship Act passed in 2000, the Child Citizenship Act of 2000 granted automatic citizenship to internationally born children adopted by American-citizen parents, but those born before 1982 were left out. I took this on because, in 1985, I was adopted and being an adoptee is a huge part of who I am. The resolution passed with unanimous bipartisan support in the House, with no opposition. I urge a Yes vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall House Joint Resolution 24 pass. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted. ...please, please. Thank you. We encourage everyone to please go to committees. There being no further business to come before the Senate, the Senate stands adjourned until the hour of 12 noon on the 20th day of March 2019. The Senate stands adjourned.