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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The regular Session of the 101st General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desk? Will our guests in the galleries please rise? The invocation today will be given by Presiding Bishop John Franklin White, Fourth Episcopal District, African Methodist Episcopal Church, Chicago.

BISHOP JOHN FRANKLIN WHITE:

(Prayer by Bishop John Franklin White)

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 of -- seeks - of Bluestream.com {sic} (Blueroomstream.com) - to videotape. Seeing no objection, leave is granted. Mr. Secretary, Reading and Approval of the Journal.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Journal of Tuesday, March 26th, 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 approve the Journals just read -- moves to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal, pending arrival of the printed transcripts. There being no objection, so

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ordered. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 273, offered by Senator Manar and all Members.

Senate Resolution 274, offered by Senator Barickman and all Members.

And Senate Resolutions 275 and 276, offered by Senator McGuire and all Members.

They are all death resolutions, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Resolution Consent Calendar. Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Van Pelt, Chairperson of the Committee on Public Health, reports Senate Resolutions 201 and 216 Be Adopted; and Senate Amendment 1 and 2 to Senate Resolution -- Senate Resolution 63 Recommend Do Adopt.

Senator Bertino-Tarrant, Chairperson of the Committee on Education, reports Senate Bill 2 -- 1226 Do Pass; and Senate Bill 2025 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 209 and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1746 Recommend Do Adopt.

Senator McGuire, Chairperson of the Committee on Higher Education, reports Senate Bill 1809 Do Pass; Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 450 and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2150 Recommend Do Adopt; and Senate Resolution 217 Be Adopted.

Senator Morrison, Chairperson of the Committee on Human Services, reports Senate Bills 79 and 1735 Do Pass; Senate Bill 1778 Do Pass, as Amended; and Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1525 Recommend Do Adopt.

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Senator Mulroe, Chairperson of the Committee on Judiciary, reports Senate Bills 1134 and 1317 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 161, Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 391, Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 397, Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 982, Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1041, Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1429, Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1429, and Senate Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 1507, and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1597 Recommend Do Adopt.

Senator Collins, Chairperson of the Committee on Financial Institutions, reports Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1500 and Senate Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 1813 Recommend Do Adopt.

And Senator Aquino, Chairperson of the Committee on Government Accountability and Pensions, reports Senate Bill 1223 Do Pass; and Senate Bill 37 Do Pass, as Amended.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The Senate will stand at ease for a few minutes to allow the Committee on Assignments to meet. The Members of the Committee on Assignments will come to the President's Anteroom immediately. The Senate will stand at ease. Senator Morrison, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Madam President. I rise on a point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please go ahead.

SENATOR MORRISON:

It is my great pleasure to let my colleagues know that this morning at 9:34, Augustus Joseph Morrison was born. Augie weighed eight pounds. He is my fourth grandson and he joins two

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granddaughters. Everybody's five and under. And I'm never going to hit Bill Haine's numbers of thirty-something, but I feel very blessed and lucky today and I wanted to share with my colleagues.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Congratulations, grandma. Senator Crowe, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CROWE:

Thank you, Madam President. Point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR CROWE:

I'd like to introduce my Page for the Day, Mr. Ethan King. Ethan is a senior at Alton High School in my district. Ethan plays varsity tennis and soccer. He is the treasurer for his school's fan section, the Redbird Nest, and also a member of his student council. Ethan plans to attend Missouri State University to study political science. And I would be remiss if I didn't -- mention what an amazing woman Ethan's mother is. If you'd all please join me in welcoming Ethan to the Senate today.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please -- welcome to Springfield. Senator Rose, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you, Madam President. It's always lovely to see you in the Chair, I might add. I would like to make two points of personal privilege, if I may.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.



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SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you. Ladies and Gentlemen, in the gallery behind me here, we've got several students. They're technically from Senator -- Leader -- or Minority Leader Brady's district, but they're from the Washington/Peoria, Illinois area. They are home-school students, including -- including the son and daughter of a couple high school friends of mine from -- longtime friends. So if we could welcome...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Would our guests...

SENATOR ROSE:

...the home-school students here to Springfield.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Would our guests please rise and please be welcomed to the -  
- to Springfield. Thank you for visiting.

SENATOR ROSE:

And then on my second point, if I may, in the President's Gallery on this side is the Villa Grove Junior High School Dance Team. And I want to just let everybody know, this is their seventh consecutive State championship, if you can believe that - seventh consecutive championship in IDTA Hip Hop. They won by a huge margin. They were founded in 2012 and they've won the State championship every single year since. So, on top of that amazing accomplishment, we'd like to recognize them and their coaches, Alyssa Hudson, who also happens to work in my Champaign district office, and Katina Clodfelder. If we could welcome them. Ladies, please rise and be recognized.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Thank you and enjoy your visit in Springfield. Senator

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Hunter, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HUNTER:

Point of personal privilege..

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator, can you hold..

SENATOR HUNTER:

..Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Can I -- we please have your attention, Ladies and Gentlemen?  
Senator Hunter's going to make an introduction. Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Thank you very much, Madam President. We have some visitors here visiting us from all over the State from the AME Church, the African Methodist Episcopal Church, and Bishop Tyson -- Elder Tyson is here leading this wonderful delegation of -- and Bishop John Franklin White is here, and they have a delegation in the balcony and they're all over the place, and so we want to welcome them to the Illinois State Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Will our guests please rise to be acknowledged by us? Thank you for visiting us. Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Also, I have one of my pastors here visiting with me, Reverend James Moody, and First Lady Corlis Moody from Quinn Chapel, better known as the Underground Railroad, who are in my district. And many of our colleagues here on the Floor were invited towards the end of last year to tour Quinn Chapel and was explained the historical significance of Quinn Chapel. And so I'd like for Reverend Moody and his beautiful wife, First Lady Corlis Moody, to

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please stand to be recognized.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Thank you so much for your visit to Springfield. Welcome. Senator Curran, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CURRAN:

Thank you, Madam President. A point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business, sir.

SENATOR CURRAN:

I am very thrilled to introduce six very important women in my life accompanying me on the Floor today. I have my family here. I'd like to introduce to the Illinois Senate, my wife, Sue; I have my niece, Victoria Sanchez; my daughter, Sarah Curran; my daughter, Lauren Curran; my daughter, Jennifer; and my -- my youngest, Rachel Curran. So I would be thrilled if the Illinois Senate would give them a round of applause, welcoming them to the Senate. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Welcome to all the women in your life, Senator. Nothing like spring break in Springfield. Senator Sims, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SIMS:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business, sir.

SENATOR SIMS:

I have been joined by two amazing guests here on the Floor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Ladies and Gentlemen, can we please keep it down until the

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Senators introduce their guests, please?

SENATOR SIMS:

Thank you for that, Madam President. I've been joined here on the Floor by two amazing guests who are here on behalf of the AME Day here at the Capitol. One is -- one has been a longtime friend and mentor of mine, the Reverend Dr. Walter -- Walter Bauldrick, who has -- who's been -- who's been here -- he -- again, longtime friend and longtime -- longtime mentor. But also we have one of our -- one of my local pastors, who, believe it or not, will soon be celebrating forty years of ministry, here on behalf -- and on -- one of our -- one of our amazing churches in the -- in the district, the Greater Institutional AME Church. So I've got Reverend Walter Johnson with us. So please give them a warm welcome -- welcome to Springfield.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Thank you very much for your visit to Springfield. Senator Villivalam, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR VILLIVALAM:

I -- a point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

State your business.

SENATOR VILLIVALAM:

I would like to ask Members of the Senate to join me in welcoming an incredibly intelligent and hardworking young man, who is a constituent of mine, Jonathan Young. He lives in the Sauganash neighborhood and he's a seventh grader at Wildwood Elementary. He loves to play music, write and read poems. He also founded a cultural awareness troop at his school. He wants to be a doctor when he grows up, although after being here for a

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couple days, he's -- he's now interested in politics and public service. I've -- I've asked him not to consider, you know, my seat for the next, you know, ten, fifteen years. But Jonathan is -- is here on a mission. He appreciates that African American history is taught in schools. He has some ideas on -- on how we can expand that and include more about learning more about African American inventors and current events. He's here with his grandmother, Gene Moreno, who says he was always -- he's always been the "why" kid. Why this? Why that? So I would ask you all to please join me in welcoming Jonathan to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Welcome to Springfield, young man. Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Harmon, (Vice) Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Appropriations II Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2143; refer to Education Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 452 and Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1569; refer to Energy and Public Utilities Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 660; refer to Executive Committee - Senate Resolution 259 and Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 112; refer to Judiciary Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 398; refer to Licensed Activities Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1221; refer to Local Government Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 585; refer to Public Health Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1665; refer to Revenue Committee - Floor Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1379 and Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1755; refer to State Government

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Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1639; refer to Telecommunications and Information Technology Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1624; refer to Transportation Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1519; Be Approved for Consideration - Senate Resolution 269. And pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: Floor Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 61, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2121, and Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1449.

Signed, Senator Don Harmon, Chair -- (Vice) Chairperson.

Senator Harmon, (Vice) Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Executive Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Resolution 259.

Signed, Senator Don Harmon, (Vice) Chairperson.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR KOEHLER:

Thank you, Madam President. Actually, two purposes. The first is an introduction. And I want to also welcome all of my brothers and sisters from the AME Churches here to the Senate Chambers. I'm very proud of the fact, I think I'm the only ordained clergy person in the Senate and that my seminary training began at Payne Seminary in Wilberforce, Ohio, so I'm very proud of that. But with me today is -- is the pastor from the AME Church in Peoria. It's Reverend Adrian Johnson, who is the Pastor of Ward Chapel AME in Peoria, and I want her to stand and all of us to give her a very round, warm welcome. The second issue, if I could, Madam President.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please.

SENATOR KOEHLER:

A piece of business here. I move to waive all notice and posting requirements so that Senate Resolution 259 can be heard today at 3 p.m. in the Senate Executive Committee.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler -- moves to waive all notice and posting requirements so that Senate Bill {sic} 259 can be heard today at 3 p.m. in the Senate Executive Committee. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the... The requirement has been waived. Senator T. Cullerton, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR T. CULLERTON:

A point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

State your business.

SENATOR T. CULLERTON:

First, I'd like to thank Madam President for allowing me to speak today and I'd like to introduce you -- for my Page for the Day. Kevin Rabinak is a freshman at Buffalo Grove High School. He's a member of the Buffalo Grove football and swim team. He is also a member of the Arlington -- Stallions Rugby Club. He plans to study political science and hopes to have a career future in Illinois politics. He's also joined here by his mother, Mary Gin Harrington, now Rabinak, who I actually went to high school with back in the day. So I'd like everybody to please give them a warm welcome.

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

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Yes, Madam President, Members of the Senate, I just -- I would like to introduce my two honorary Pages for the Day. I have with me, both from Pinckneyville High School, Jeremy Graves and Kally Mayo. Kally is a junior and Jeremy is a senior. They both want to study political science, like a lot of the other visitors today. Jeremy is going to go to the University of Illinois and study political science. Kally doesn't know where she's going yet, but she just said that she's thinking about going to California. So we all need to convince her that she needs to stay here in Illinois and study political science. So I'd like to ask that you all join me in welcoming to -- them to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Welcome to Springfield. California is a great state. Ladies and Gentlemen, we are going to 3rds. All Senators that are in their offices, please come down to the Senate Chamber. We are going to 3rd Reading, Floor action. Senator Barickman, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Madam President, a point of introduction.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Can we please keep it down? Please keep it down. Senator Barickman, please state your business.



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SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you again, Madam President. Just for the Body, I'd like to introduce my Page for the Day as well. My Page is Joe Gilmore. Joe is a sophomore at Pontiac Township High School and he is joined here today by his parents, George and Gerry Gilmore. They were here earlier, but we think they went on a tour, which is more interesting evidently than what we're doing, which is introducing everyone. But we're looking forward to what's next. I would ask that the Body welcome Joe and give him a kind Springfield welcome. Thank you, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

...for your visit to us. Thank you. Senator Hunter, for a third time. For what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HUNTER:

Point of personal privilege before we get started, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Today we're recognizing "women of wisdom" and so we are all supporting Senate Resolution 269, which honors -- honors elderly female residents in nursing homes, and these women are among the oldest Illinoisans of every race, ethnicity, and socio-economic status and have contributed mightily to our communities throughout {sic} their passion, ingenuity, and tireless determination. And I just simply want us to recognize these wonderful women who has been pillars of our communities throughout the State of Illinois. And we've been given names and pictures of all of these wonderful women, who currently resides in nursing homes throughout the State.

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So thank you very much, Madam -- Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler in the Chair.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator -- Senator Hutchinson, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR HUTCHINSON:

Thank you, Mr. President and Members of the Senate. We -- in -- in furthering our -- our honoring -- furthering our honoring of "women of wisdom", I have two constituents that I wanted to introduce to you all. They're -- they obviously could not come down to the Capitol, but I want -- this is in support of Senate Resolution 269 and the -- these stories are interesting. This -- one is, her name is Mary and she stays at the BRIA Health Service in Chicago Heights. She's ninety-seven years old. Her story -- she was born in Chicago in the year 1921. She says I love practicing my religion, which is Christianity. I have three daughters that I love so much. Now I have grandkids too. I loved doing house chores, like cleaning and cooking, but now I cannot really do so much. I love it here at BRIA, enjoy participating in games like bingo. I do prefer to sit in my room and watch TV or listen to gospel music for the better part of the day. My family visits me here and brings me goodies. My daughter always says, "My mom has always been a wonderful and hardworking individual. She looked after my siblings and I. She taught us so much and is a good mother. We went to church, school and family gathering. Now that she's old, we do our best to cater to her needs and we hope she stays with us longer to enjoy what she deserves in life." So this "woman of wisdom" is Miss Mary and, again, she's ninety-

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seven years old. My second one is Miss Carmella and she lives at Prairie Manor Healthcare Center, also in Chicago Heights, and she is one hundred and four. Carmella is one hundred and four years old with a wonderful sense of humor. She loves to socialize with the residents and staff. She states that she worked hard all her life and that's why she's still going strong. She's the matriarch of five generations. Her favorite day is Beauty Shop Day at a hundred and four years old. So we're sending all our love and wishes and sending everything we can to those two beautiful ladies that live in my district. And they're two "women of wisdom" we're honoring today.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Thank you, Senator. Supplemental Calendar No. 1 has been printed and distributed. We will now go to that. Senator Martinez, are you ready for Senate Resolution 269? Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 269, offered by Senator Martinez.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator Martinez, to explain your resolution.

SENATOR MARTINEZ:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies of the -- of the -- Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Can I please have your attention for just a quick moment? This resolution today declares March 27, 2019 as Elderly Women of Wisdom Day in Illinois to honor all women residing in skilled nursing facilities for their lifelong services to their families and communities. Today, as we honor these women -- these women are elderly women who acknowledge they have lived -- they have lived their lives with boundless spirit, courage, and

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commitment. They're some of the oldest women living in Illinois. Many more -- are over than a -- over a hundred years old. They raised families, they served in the military, they were farmers and factory workers, and they lived through the Great Depression. Elderly "women of wisdom" have a rich history. They made our great State what it is today. Unfortunately, these women are often forgotten because they live in nursing homes, and their friends and their family have gone before them. You should have received stories about someone who lives in your district. I encourage you to read their stories and learn about these courageous women. Whether their courage was on the battlefield, fighting to make their neighborhoods safer, or struggling to get their children the education they -- and health care they needed, they have a great story to tell. These are the stories of the women on {sic} our history. Please join me in honoring their commitment and contributions to our great State. I want to share with you two women that live in my district. One is Nina. She was born in 1919 in Abbeville, Mississippi, and eventually moved to Chicago. She was a housewife and raised two sons. Nina has been very involved in her church and has been a leader in her church community for over forty years. She has always had an artistic spirit and uses it -- it to color and draw as her hobby. This has continued on here at the Glen Elston, where you can find her diligently working on many of her coloring books. And the other young lady that I have in my district that I am honoring today also is Francisca. She is eighty-nine years old. She was born in Visalia, California. She moved to Mexico at a young age and then came back to California, where she learned -- where she made her life for herself and worked in all types of jobs. Her favorite

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position was working in a nursing home with her supervisor by her side and learning how to cook for residents of many different backgrounds and preferences. Long after she came to Chicago, she took up employment in the manufacturing world, making chocolate candy for Fannie May and for M&M. She also worked in a factory that manufactured small motors. Francisca's hobbies include knitting and cooking, especially her favorite Mexican dish. I want people to honor her and honor all those elderly women that are in a nursing home and to make -- make sure we continue to honor them all their lives. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Is there any discussion? Is there any discussion? Senator Van Pelt. Senator Collins.

SENATOR COLLINS:

Thank you, Mr. President. To the resolution.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

...resolution.

SENATOR COLLINS:

Thank you. First of all, I would like to thank the sponsor, Senator Martinez, for honoring the Illinois "women of wisdom" and I, as well, join with her and my other colleagues recognizing a young woman - ninety-three years old - who resides in my district at BRIA Health Services Forest Edge, Chicago. Let me tell you a little bit about Georgia. Georgia was born in 1925 in Arkansas. As a little girl, she worked in the cotton fields. Eventually, she and her family moved to Chicago in the 1940s. She raised four sons. And Georgia is an amazing woman, who always shares her positive vibes with others and provides words of wisdom. She enjoys listening to music and singing. She also tells many stories

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about her childhood, growing up in the South and in the booming metropolis of Chicago. Thank you, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, in helping us recognize the outstanding "women of wisdom" in Illinois. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Thank you. Are there any other questions on the resolution? We will be going afterwards to points of personal privilege for anybody that have -- has their lights on. So, any other questions on this? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Resolution 269 pass. All in favor will say Aye. All opposed, say Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted. Senator Martinez, in the Chair.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Van Pelt, for what purpose do you rise? Senator Rezin, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR REZIN:

Thank you, Madam President. Point of personal privilege. Thank you. I rise today in support, as well, of Senate Resolution 269. I thank the -- Madam President for sponsoring this wonderful resolution that recognizes "women of wisdom". I, too, have several people in my district that I would like to honor today by reading a little bit about their history. Grace was a very active senior of Streator, Illinois. Early in her adult life, she worked in Owen -- at the Owens Glass Factory in Streator. Eventually, she married and raised six wonderful children. As her kids got older, she went to work as a cook at the local junior high, where she had a positive and lifelong impact on students. She worked there until her retirement. She loved that learning environment so much that she donated her teaching -- time every Sunday to teach Sunday

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school. Grace became a member of the Streator Women's Club and volunteered at every community event, such as Relay for Life and serving as a Girl Scout leader. I also have June {sic} (Julia). June {sic} was born in DePue in 1912 to a family that eventually had eight children. June {sic} worked at the Westclox factory in Peru for a short time before her marriage. And the Westclox factory at the time was the first -- the factory where the first quartz clock was created; at its peak, had over six thousand people working at this factory. And I'm honored to say that actually my district office is in the Westclox factory. She and her husband were married for sixty-five years before his death. Julia lived on a farm and enjoyed cooking, baking, playing bingo, and playing euchre. She even frequented the riverboat casinos until she was ninety-eight years old. She and her husband raised three lovely daughters. And in conclusion, I would like to highlight Helen, who was born in Missouri. After she got married, she stayed in Missouri and worked on the farm. She also worked in the Finance Department at the Veterans' Hospital in Missouri for more than twenty years. Helen took care of her husband until he passed away, at which time she decided to move to Mendota, Illinois, to be near her husband -- or excuse me, to be near her son, John. Helen enjoys relaxing at her home at Heritage (Health) Mendota. She also likes to go out to eat, where she loves to order her favorite food - jumbo shrimp and coleslaw. Again, I'd like, you know, to recognize these young women for their accomplishments and we're honored today -- or we're glad to be here today to honor these "women of wisdom". Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Ladies and Gentlemen, while we want to make sure that we

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recognize all of our elderly in our district, I want to ask the -  
- the -- the -- the Senators who have a point of personal privilege  
to please make sure it's very short, 'cause we have -- we're going  
to have to go to 3rd. It's 1 o'clock and we need to continue to  
move on, so I'm going to go very quickly around point of personal  
privilege on my resolution, but please make sure it's very -- very  
-- very quick. Thank you. Senator Hunter, for what purpose do  
you rise?

SENATOR HUNTER:

Personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Can I please have a little bit of quiet in the room, please?

SENATOR HUNTER:

I have Cailian, who is one hundred and three years old. She  
was born in Canton, China, came to the United States at the age of  
eighty, and she is one hundred and three years old. And I also  
have Lillie from Kensington Place Nursing Home and -- and  
Rehabilitation Center. She is ninety-eight years old and she is  
the oldest at the nursing home and she's known as the mother of  
the second floor. And also I have Maybell from Warren Barr Gold  
Coast. She's ninety-nine years old. She was born on a plantation  
in Doddsville, Mississippi. And I also have Ernestine from  
Symphony in -- at Bronzeville, where she comes from humble  
beginnings and grew up in Hope, Arkansas. Thank you very much.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Ladies and Gentlemen, we're going to go to 3rds because we  
have some special guests that are here on a -- one of the bills -  
- one of the resolutions, so we're going to come back a little bit  
later on if we can, but right now we have to move to 3rds and we



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have to move to -- to a -- to -- to Senate Resolution 193. Senator Van Pelt. Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 193, offered by Senator Van Pelt.

SENATOR VAN PELT:

Thank you, Madam President. So today, March 27, 2019, we're here. Senate -- Senate resolution designates March 27, 2019 as African Methodist Episcopal Church Day. I'm going ask the elders to please stand. The African Methodist Episcopal Church was born through adversity and it grew out of the Free African Society. If I can just get a moment. It was established in Philadelphia by Richard Allen, Absalom Jones, and others in 1787. And due to the racial discrimination at the St. George Methodist Episcopal Church, members made plans to transform their mutual (aid) society into an African congregation. Bethel African Methodist Episcopal was dedicated in 1974 with Richard Allen as its pastor. The geographical spread of the African Methodist Episcopal Church prior to the Civil Rights -- the Civil War was mainly restricted to the Northeast and Midwest area. The most significant area -- era of denominational development occurred during the Civil War and Reconstruction. Because of its rapid spread below the Mason-Dixon Line, the African American -- the African Methodist Episcopal membership has now reached four hundred thousand and today the African American Methodist Episcopal Church has a membership in forty-four countries on five continents. Reverend John Franklin White is the 130th Elected and Consecrated Bishop and the Presiding Elder -- Presiding Bishop of the Fourth Episcopal District of AME Church. He supervises the AME Churches and pastors in Canada, Michigan, Indiana, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, and Illinois. And

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his wife, Penny Hartsfield White, is the Episcopal Supervisor of the Fourth District. So with that, we have members of the African American Methodist Episcopal Church here and we all -- I want to ask everyone to welcome them. They've struggled -- this whole church has struggled through -- through centuries and it's still here today because of the faith of these -- of -- of its believers. So, at this time, please give a handclap to our members here of the African Methodist Episcopal Church.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is -- is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Resolution 193 pass. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted. Senator Bennett, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BENNETT:

For the purpose of an introduction, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, if you'll kindly look up to the President's Gallery, you'll see quite a few young men and women in green shirts - if you'll kindly stand. We've had a lot of input lately about our State's number-one industry being agriculture. Today is 4-H Day and so we have people from all over this State who've come here to share their talents and their experiences, ask for more funding for Extension and for the programs they're into. Have -- if you have a chance, please stop 'em in the hall and ask where they -- what they're into. They're -- not all in agricultural. Some 'em are in robotics, some are in -- in a lot of different business backgrounds. 4-H is a lot more

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than it was when we were -- when we were kids. So I would encourage you all to give a warm welcome to our friends with 4-H.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Would our guests in the gallery please stand? And please be welcomed by the State Senate. Thank you for visiting Springfield. Ladies and Gentlemen, we are moving to 3rd Reading, page 45. We're going to start with page 45, middle of the -- of the page. Senate Bill 1630. Senator Stewart, do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1630.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Stewart.

SENATOR STEWART:

Madam President, Senate Bill -- and Members of the Senate, Senate Bill 1630 amends the Automatic Contract Renewal Act in which requires disclosure to school districts. I'm aware of no opposition and I would ask for your favorable support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any question? Discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1630 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 50 -- 54 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate -- Senate Bill 1630, having received the constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Mulroe, on Senate Bill 1636. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1636.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Mulroe.

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President and Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 1636 provides that a construction contract may allow up to ten percent of any payment may be withheld until the contractor completes fifty percent of the project. After a contractor completes -- or after the project is fifty percent complete, up to five percent of retainage may be held from any subsequent payments. This passed both the Senate and the House last year, was vetoed by the Governor. We'd ask -- I'd ask for your Aye votes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Senator Barickman, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

To the -- to the bill. Thank you -- thank you, Madam President. Just for the Body, we debated this bill at some length in committee and I appreciate the effort that the -- the sponsor here is making; however, many of us think or thought, certainly as presented in committee, that this issue, the retainage, the amount of money that is held back in construction contracts, which is a common practice in the construction industry, this legislation would shift that and it would shift it by mandating certain retainages in certain situations. To me, this steps on the toes of a contract right that two parties have today. We would be

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passing a law that would mandate a -- a -- mechanisms that two parties today can willingly contract to do. So we'd be taking away a right from one party, and as a result, I'd -- I'd encourage a -- a No vote on this measure. Thank you, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion? Senator Schimpf, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

To the bill, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To the bill.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. This was a -- this was a proposal that last year I was a No vote in committee and a No vote on the Floor. Looking at the proposal, compared this year to last year, this is much more limited in scope. This is something that is quite common in other states. There are thirty-eight states that have these types of -- of measures and this is really -- this is going to be identical to what is already in place in Kentucky. I would urge an Aye vote on this.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall -- shall Senate Bill 1636 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 37 Members voting Aye, 11 voting Nay, 2 voting Present. Senate Bill 1636, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator T. Cullerton, on Senate Bill 1656 {sic} (1651). Do you wish to

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proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1651.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator T. Cullerton.

SENATOR T. CULLERTON:

Thank you, Madam President. The -- I think I need -- I think I need to adopt an amendment, correct?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The amendment has been adopted.

SENATOR T. CULLERTON:

Okay. All right. Thank you. Madam President, this is just a easy bill cleanup that allows DuPage County Forest Preserve the ability to grant licenses and easements to also include licenses and easements for renewable energy resources. We're just adding a line that allows renewable energy to be brought forward to the DuPage County Forest Preserve.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1651 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 52 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1651, having received the constitutional -- majority, is declared passed. Going now to the bottom of page 45. Senate Bill 1674. Senator Anderson, do you wish to proceed? Out of the record. Senator -- 1694. Senator Bush. Do you wish to

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proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1694.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bush.

SENATOR BUSH:

I'm sorry, Madam President. If we could pull this out of the record, I do have an amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Out of the record. Senate -- Senator Steans, on Senate Bill 1696. Out of the record. Senator Stadelman, on Senate Bill 1699. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1699.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Stadelman.

SENATOR STADELMAN:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 1699 is cleanup language for legislation we passed last year that dealt with mugshots on social commercial {sic} media sites. And so this legislation just simply clarifies and makes a technical cleanup as far as describing what social media is. Happy to answer any questions, but there's no opposition. Ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall

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Senate Bill 1699 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1699, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Morrison, on Senate Bill 1702. Do you wish to proceed? Senator Glowiak, on Senate Bill 1711. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1715. Senator Hastings. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1715.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hastings.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill allows for the expansion of pharmacists to be able to administer injectable prescription medication to patients that have -- need antipsychotic medication. This is part of our march to mental health initiative on our side of the aisle and this is a great bill that's been agreed upon by pharmacists, Illinois State -- Medical Society and the Illinois Psychiatrists Association. I just ask for an Aye vote, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1715 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted



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who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1715, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Harris, on Senate Bill 1724. Senator Harris seeks leave of the Body to return Senate Bill 1724 to -- on the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading, the Senate -- Senate Bill 1724. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Harris.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Harris.

SENATOR HARRIS:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate -- Senate Bill 1724 establishes a water rates report that evaluates the setting of water rates throughout Illinois. And I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

That's for the amendment. All those in favor -- is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The -- the Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further -- is there any discussion? Are there any other -- further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill -- Senate Bill 1746. Senator Belt. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1750. Senator Crowe. Senator Crowe. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1755. Senator McConchie.

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Out of the record. Senator Hunter, on -- Senate Bill 1765. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1765.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1765 is an initiative of the Chicago Teachers' Pension Fund. The initiative removes outdated language with respect to contributions to certain credible services {sic} (creditable service) and it repeals the outdated Sections related to the early retirement and early retirement initiatives. I know of no opposition to this bill and I would ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1765 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 51 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1765, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Aquino, on Senate Bill 1786. Out of the record. Senator Bennett, on Senate Bill 1788. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1788.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bennett.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1788 simply reduces the number of members on the Diversifying Higher Education Faculty Program Board from twenty-one to eleven. Since the -- since the budget impasse from a few years ago, they've had trouble staffing this -- this board and simply finding a quorum has been a -- a challenge for the program board. They're hoping, by going to eleven members, they'll get more work done. I'm asking you for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1788 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are -- on that question, there are 7 -- 50 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1788, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Morrison, on Senate Bill 1796. Senator Rose, on Senate Bill 1800. Senator Mulroe, on Senate Bill 1825. Senator -- I'm sorry, Senator Schimpf. Not you, I'm sorry. Senator Schimpf, on -- Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1825.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

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Senator Schimpf.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 1825 is a bill that just clarifies that the Kaskaskia Regional Port District, which is in my district, is eligible to compete for State grants with DCEO. I know of no opposition to this bill and I'd ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1825 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1825, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Bush, on Senate Bill 1828. Out of the -- out of the record. Senator Tracy. Senate Bill 1841. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1841.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Tracy.

SENATOR TRACY:

Thank you, Madam President. What this bill does is -- when the massage therapist Act was created several years ago, it exempted certain Asian treatments -- because -- trying to discern where that came from, perhaps it was because they were federally certified and the like. But this bill would remove that exemption

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and allow the Asian message therapy portion to come under the purview of the Illinois Department of (Financial and) Professional Regulations {sic} (Regulation), as is the other massage therapists, and it would sunset their exemption and then the IDFPR would -- it would have them register within it. So I'd be happy to answer any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none...(microphone cutoff)...shall Senate Bill 1841 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1841, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Bennett, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BENNETT:

For the purpose of an introduction.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please make your introduction.

SENATOR BENNETT:

...and I'll be brief. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, we have a friend here in our midst, former Representative and Republican Leader of the House, Chad Hays, is with us, certainly someone that we -- we all miss in his -- in his time away from the General Assembly. Hope you all will come over and say hello. Certainly, his presence is missed under the Dome. Thanks so much.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Welcome to Springfield, again. Senate Bill 1842. Senator Schimpf, do... Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1842.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Schimpf.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1842, with Committee Amendment 1, simply extends the statute of limitation to allow for prosecution of any offense under the Illinois Funeral or Burial Acts {sic} (Funds Act) to within one year after the discovery of the offense by the victim. This was an initiative of the Randolph County State's Attorney in response to a situation where they found out about misconduct, but the statute of limitations had already come and gone. I know of no opposition to the -- to this bill. It came out of committee unanimously and I would ask for a favorable vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1842 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1842, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Barickman, on Senate Bill 1845. Do you wish to proceed? Out of the record. Senator Link, on Senate Bill 1863. Out of the record. Senator Anderson, on Senate Bill 1872. Out of the record. Senator Plummer, on Senate Bill 1878. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1878.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

...President. Members of the Senate, this bill creates a twelve-month diversionary program for those arrested and charged with misdemeanor offense of retail theft. I'm aware of no opponents and I ask for your support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is this your first bill?

SENATOR PLUMMER:

...President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Congratulations. Is there any discussion on -- on the Senator's first bill? Senator Schimpf, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Will -- will the sponsor yield, Madam President?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

He indicates he will.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Thank you, Senator Plummer. First of all, it was really loud in -- in here, so I didn't hear -- I wasn't able to hear what you -- what -- what you said, the last half of it, and we all -- you know, one of the things we all need to do is cast informed votes, so I was wondering if you could just repeat what you had said and

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maybe -- maybe slow it down just a little bit so that -- so that I can understand.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer, can you please explain the bill again to your Senator?

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Members of the Navy are always used to helping out the Marines. So what this bill does is this bill creates a diversionary program for those who are convicted with the charge of a misdemeanor theft and it -- you have to have the support of the State's Attorneys and it -- it allows folks to enter into a diversionary program rather than prison.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Schimpf.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Would that be -- would that be -- would that be similar to how, you know, the -- the members of the Department of the Navy who are more -- who are more physically fit are diverted into the United States Marine Corps?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Some might say that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Schimpf.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

To -- to the -- to the bill, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To the bill.



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SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Just like -- I'd just like to say, you know, as one of my -- one of my new Members of the -- the Metro East Senate team here, I'd like to just say welcome to the Senate. I'm glad that we have you and look forward to you being here and -- and working for a -- for a long time. So congratulations and welcome to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Thank you. Senator Hutchinson, on Senator Plummer's first bill.

SENATOR HUTCHINSON:

Thank you, Madam President. Will the sponsor yield?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

He indicates he will, anxiously.

SENATOR HUTCHINSON:

I'm -- Senator, I'm a little confused, because I don't -- I don't seem to -- I can't tell how much you know about retail. Do you know a lot about retail? 'Cause, I mean, typically we bring bills to the Floor that we have some expertise in something. Could you explain to us what your background in retail is?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Background in retail is in the hardware business throughout the State of Illinois, including in your district, and this is a great opportunity to help retailers throughout the State. It has the support of the Retail Merchants. But, like I said before, it also helps out for those that may make a bad decision or two in life; it helps 'em -- put 'em on a path of success, rather than a path to the penitentiary.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hutchinson.

SENATOR HUTCHINSON:

I -- I -- I -- I don't know. I still don't -- I don't understand what plumbers know about retail. I don't -- I -- it's -- it's confusing to me, because I thought plumbers did other things that were not necessarily retail. So I just would like to see if you could make a connection with that, and if you can't, then I just -- Ladies and Gentlemen, I would suggest that people -- you really help him, like pull this out of the record until he can get this clear, so we like understand what's going on with the plumbers.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Well, I -- I'd invite the Senator and all Members to any of their local RP Lumbers and I'd gladly help sell you anything you'd like.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Manar, for what purpose -- all right, we're going to go to Senator Syverson. For what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SYVERSON:

Thank you, Madam President. Question of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Syverson.

SENATOR SYVERSON:

Yes, question of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

He indicates that he will yield.

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SENATOR SYVERSON:

Well, Senator, I'm trying to -- trying to understand exactly how this works. So let me just give you an analogy and tell me if this is how it -- how it pays out -- or how it works. So an individual gets caught stealing from, let's say, a -- an -- an RP Lumber store and you caught them stealing that. Under current law, that individual then is charged with either a misdemeanor or a felony and that's the end of it. Under this legislation, the individual would pay for the product plus give you a ten percent bonus on top of that product for not -- for, in turn, for not being sentenced. Is that -- is that right?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I think there's a timeline there involved, but, essentially, what it would do is it would allow that person to avoid the misdemeanor or felony offense and then, yes, if they go through the process with the State's Attorney, if they reimburse the retailer, then their record would be wiped clean.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Syverson.

SENATOR SYVERSON:

So, in this case, it's kind of a conflict of interest, because it's the -- in that particular case, the -- the -- the retailer then is -- that -- as opposed to current legislation where they may not get -- they may not recover that item, under this legislation, they get the full recovery retail price of that plus they get a ten percent on top of that. Sounds like, at least for those retailers, it would be a -- it would be a conflict of

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interest. I don't know how -- if you see that as a conflict or not.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

The defendant and the State's Attorney would have to agree to the process.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Manar, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MANAR:

Would the sponsor yield for a question, Madam President?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

He will yield.

SENATOR MANAR:

Thank you. Senator Plummer, I was wondering if you had any cosponsors on -- on your piece of legislation.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I'm -- I'm very honored to have Senate President John Cullerton on as the chief cosponsor of this legislation.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Manar.

SENATOR MANAR:

I -- I was wondering if you could share with us how you achieved the distinction -- distinction of having the Senate President be the chief hyphenated cosponsor on your first bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer, we want to know about that.

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SENATOR PLUMMER:

My -- my understanding is, this is a piece of legislation his office has had interest in in a period of time and I had filed some legislation and -- and met with his office and worked with them to change it and amend it to their liking.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Manar.

SENATOR MANAR:

So, I was also wondering, how -- how do you think the constituents of your district feel about the chief...(microphone cutoff)...your first bill?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

As a lot of folks on the other side of the aisle know, my commitment to the people of the 54th District is to work with everybody I can to move the State forward.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Manar.

SENATOR MANAR:

Last question. Thank you, Madam President. Is -- is it your plan to carry the Senate President's weight for the rest of the Session by -- by sponsoring bills that are of interest to him?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator -- Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I've been very pleased with the interest the Senate President has expressed in a lot of my legislation.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

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Senator Manar.

SENATOR MANAR:

To the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To the bill.

SENATOR MANAR:

I just -- I want to rise and welcome Senator Plummer to the Senate and presume congratulations on your first bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion? Oh, we have one final one here. Senator Jones, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR JONES:

Question to the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Indicates that he will yield.

SENATOR JONES:

Senator Plummer, do these persons have to fill out a survey like Senator Belt's bill, like would -- would the inmates have to fill out a survey if they're caught stealing out of a retail store?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

There is no survey requirement.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Jones.

SENATOR JONES:

Well, do you mind pulling this bill out of the record? I think you need to sit with Senator Belt. See, he has a bill that would actually make them do a survey, asking them why they

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committed the crime. I think these two bills go along real good together. I think you should sit down with Senator Belt and maybe the two freshmen Senator {sic} could come up with a good bill. Would you mind taking this bill out of the record, Senator?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I'm going to move forward with the bill. I -- I -- I'm not a big fan of bureaucracy and I don't like the sound of all these surveys and everything.

SENATOR JONES:

To the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To...

SENATOR JONES:

I've had enough freshmen bills for the year. Vote No.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion on his first bill? Seeing none -- oop! Senator Plummer, to close.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I -- just asking for everyone's favorable support and I'd like to thank the Senate President for his support of this as well. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please share your secret with us. The question is, shall Senate Bill 1878 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On -- on that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay,

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1 Member voting Present. Senate Bill 1878, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Congratulations. Senator Bennett, on Senate Bill 1881. Senator Bennett. Senator Weaver, on Senate Bill 1901. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1901.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Weaver.

SENATOR WEAVER:

Thank you, Madam President. This is a State Board of Education annual School Code cleanup bill. It moves language regarding paraprofessional fees to the correct Section and also does some cleanup on professional teaching with regard to State Board's teacher performance assessment. It was an agreed bill. There's no opposition. I'd request an Aye vote, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1901 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1901, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Weaver, on Senate Bill 1902. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill. Oh, this is -- oh, it's being recalled, okay. Senator Weaver seeks leave of the Body to return Senate Bill 1902 to the Order of 2nd Reading.



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Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is Senate Bill 1902. Mr. Secretary, are there any amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Weaver.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Weaver, on the amendment.

SENATOR WEAVER:

Yes, I -- yes, thank you, Madam President. I'd just request that we adopt the amendment. I can discuss it on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, all those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Hastings, on Senate Bill 1911. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1911.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hastings.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Thank you, Madam President. I actually see on this bill analysis that somebody just slipped, so I'm going to pull this one

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from the record temporarily. Thank you, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Out of the record. Senator Hastings, on Senate Bill 1914.  
Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1914.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hastings.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

...you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1914 expands to allow all businesses to cure and cure deficiencies by increasing the work to be performed by previously identified women, minority, and persons with disabilities subcontractors. Currently, a business that's submitted a successful bid or proposal for a construction contract that included a completed BEB -- BEP utilization plan but fail to meet the goal set forth in the solicitation, the business is notified and given ten calendar days from the day of notification to cure the deficiency. The deficiency may only be cured by contracting with additional women or minority subcontractors. And I'll answer any questions, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1914 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1914, having received the required

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constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Mulroe, on Senate Bill 1915. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1915.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Mulroe.

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 1915 amends the Department of State Police Law to restructure the rights, powers, and duties to efficiently manage the Department. It moves certain management duties from the Division of -- of Administration to the Director. It also renames the Division of Administration as the Division of Justice Services. And finally, the Division of Justice Services shall exercise the rights, powers, and duties vested in law in the Department by the Criminal Identification Act, a duty that will no longer reside with the Division of Forensic Services. I know of no opposition. I'd ask for your support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1915 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1915, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1916. Senator Mulroe. Out of the record. Senator Manar, on Senate Bill

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1932. Out of the record. Senator Lightford, on Senate Bill 1952. Out of the record. Senator Manar. 19 -- Senate Bill -- Senator Sims, on Senate Bill 1965. Senator Sims. Out of the record. Senator Sims, on -- on Senate Bill 1966. Out of the record. Senator Sims. With the leave of the Body, we're going to go back to Senate Bill 1965. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1965.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Sims.

SENATOR SIMS:

Thank -- thank you, Madam President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Senate Bill 1965 allows for a workforce intermediary or -- I'm sorry, allows for an individual who is enrolled in a training program to be added to the definition of applicant under the Health Care Worker Background Check Act. It allows those individuals to initiate a criminal history check through a workforce intermediary or an organization or -- offering pro bono services. I know of no opposition and ask for a favorable roll call. I'll take any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1965 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there's 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1965, having received the required

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constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Sims, on 1968. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1968.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Sims.

SENATOR SIMS:

Thank you, Madam President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Senate Bill 1968 provides that when a court is imposing a sentence of Class 3 or Class 4, other than -- other than for a violent crime, and the individual has three or four months or less remaining on their sentence, that they may be confined to the -- may be confined or assigned to electronic home monitoring, adult transition, or other -- other facility within the Department of Corrections. Again, know of no opposition. Ask for any -- answer any questions. Take a favorable roll call.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any question? Senator Righter, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR RIGHTER:

Thank you, Madam President. Will the sponsor yield, please?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The -- the sponsor indicates he will yield.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

Thank you. Senator Sims, I -- perhaps I misunderstood you, I understood you to say that the bill would allow a judge to -- to sentence someone in a manner other than sending them to the

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penitentiary if they have less than, I think it's three or four months on their sentence. The bill, as I read it, prohibits a judge from sending someone to the penitentiary if that's what is left on their sentence. Can you clarify that for me, please?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Sims.

SENATOR SIMS:

Thank you, Madam President. I -- I'd be welcome -- welcome the opportunity, Senator. So, yes, I think -- I think your -- your read is -- is incorrect. The -- the confinement is permissive. It is not mandatory. It does not prohibit the judge from allowing an individual to go into -- into -- into those -- those options that I laid out. So, no, it's -- but it's permissive -- it's permissive authority on behalf of the -- the judge.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Righter.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

What information -- I mean, is there a requirement about what kind of information the judge needs to have in front of them before making the determination whether or not some kind of electronic home detention or monitoring -- monitoring might be available?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Sims.

SENATOR SIMS:

So, Senator Righter, as you know, the judge is the closest individual to the facts of the case, so they are -- they are the one who are -- who's in the best opportunity to -- to look at the circumstances around -- surrounding the -- the inmate. But the actions and activities that will take place, it will be done so in

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consideration with the -- with the individuals who -- the individuals who are -- the parole and -- and pretrial and -- and the services that are available that -- that -- that are -- that are surrounding that individual. So they would have -- the judge won't be doing that on their own, but there will be services laid out for -- and a plan laid out for that individual to -- to say which one of those placements would be most appropriate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Righter.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

Thank you, Madam President. Senator, I'm going to go back to my first question about the nature of the bill and whether or not a sentence to the Department of Corrections is being prohibited and I'm going to read from your bill. Starting with page 14 at line 20, "An offender sentenced to a term of imprisonment for a Class 3 or 4 felony, other than a violent crime as defined in Section 3 of the Rights of Crime Victims and Witnesses Act, in which a {sic} (the) sentencing order indicates that the offender has less than four months remaining on his or her sentence accounting for time served may not be confined in the penitentiary system of the Department of Corrections..." That to me reads to be a prohibition on the judge's discretion with regards to sentencing. Would you disagree with that interpretation?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Sims.

SENATOR SIMS:

Again, Senator, as -- as you read, it said, "may not", not "shall not". But then in the second sentence {sic} on -- on page 15, line 2, it says, "but may be assigned to electronic home

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detention under Article 8 {sic} (8A) of this Chapter" -- "of this Chapter 5, an adult transition center, or another facility or program within the Department of Corrections." And I...(microphone cutoff...the fact that these are nonviolent offenders.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Righter.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

To the bill, if I might, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To the bill.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

Thank you. I -- perhaps we have a difference of interpretation of the phraseology "may not". In the time that I've been here, any time I've seen the language used this way, it's a prohibition - you "may" or "may not". "May not" usually means you can't do it. If it's truly the intention to make this permissive, there's an option to take the bill out of the record and add an amendment on here, which I'm guessing would probably garner more support than this may right now as it stands, because we are telling the judge now, you can't send this someone to the penitentiary even if in your judicial discretion, which we are for sometimes and not for other times, you deem that's appropriate. Respectfully, I would urge a No vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion? Senator -- Senator Sims, to close.

SENATOR SIMS:

Thank -- thank you, Madam President. Again, I -- I appreciate and I -- appreciate my colleague's perspective, and as -- as I mentioned, the -- the bill is permissive. It allows for the judge



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to use his discretion and it -- it allows for us to make sure that we are providing -- we -- this morning we heard the Illinois Department of Corrections in the Senate Appropriations Committee. During that time, we talked about the -- where we are from a population standpoint and the work that we are doing to ensure that individuals meet the constitutional requirement that we all know that -- that we all know that we have, which is to return them to their fullest usefulness. This plan allows us to do that. So I'd ask for a favorable roll call. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The question is, shall Senate Bill 1968 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 35 Members voting Aye, 17 voting No, 0 voting Present. This bill, Senate Bill 1968, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1969. Senator Sims. Senator Hutchinson, on Senate Bill 2023. ...(microphone cutoff)...24. Senator Gillespie. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2024.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Your first bill?

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Yes, it is. All right, Senate Bill 2024 is a targeted Apprenticeship Study Act. It requires the DCEO to conduct a study to collect baseline data supporting the targeted expansion of

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apprenticeship programs. The goal is to ID regional gaps, promote inclusion, identify funding streams for these programs, and determine regional needs to close gaps. And I ask for a Yes vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion on Senator Gillespie's first bill? I guess if there's no questions, okay. Oop, there was one. Oh, there's two. Oh, there's three now. Senator Hastings, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Question of the sponsor, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please ask the question, Mr. -- Senator Hastings.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

So, for those of you who don't know, I sit next to Senator Gillespie in one of the committees and I know that she's very well read. Little did anyone know, she actually reads law review articles while in the committee itself. So, Senator Gillespie, is there any law review journal articles on this topic?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

You know, I'm sure there are hundreds, as there are on multiple topics of law reviews, but I have not read those yet.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hastings.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

You saying that you're not well read on this topic? Is that what you're saying?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

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Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

I'm well read on the business aspects, yes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hastings.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Senator, this isn't business; this is the law. Are you familiar with this law, the -- the legal aspects of this bill?

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

I am in -- I am. It's a study.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hastings, to the bill.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

I think you're going to do just fine. Congratulations, Senator, on your first bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Aquino, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR AQUINO:

Will the sponsor yield?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

She indicates that she will yield.

SENATOR AQUINO:

So, Senator, you know, this has to do with the economy, you know, apprenticeships and studying. I was just wondering if you have gone back to your district, if you've -- if you've asked any experts, specifically economics teachers, about this bill. Do they approve of it? Could you please..

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

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SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Well, you know, at this point, I'm not on particularly good terms with some economics teachers in my district, so I had to go outside the district, but yes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Aquino.

SENATOR AQUINO:

Fair enough. Welcome to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Steans, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR STEANS:

Question of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

She indicates that she will yield.

SENATOR STEANS:

Well, yes, we've been delighted to have you join us on the Medicaid working group committee, Senator Gillespie. You have a real background and expertise I know in the health care industry, been involved with MCOs and whatnot, but I don't -- I'm not seeing that this bill is looking at apprenticeship programs within the health care industry, or am I missing something?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

It's -- it's designed to collect survey data on all apprenticeship programs so we can identify if there are any gaps, and hopefully, if we identify some health care gaps, we'll be able to fix those.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

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Senator Steans.

SENATOR STEANS:

So, are there apprenticeship programs right now in Illinois in the health care industry that we can be -- can be building on, to your knowledge?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Yes, there are. We've got some excellent ones at Harper Community College, right in my district, and we'd like to expand those to across the State.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Steans.

SENATOR STEANS:

I -- I hope your bill accomplishes that. That is terrific and we really are delighted to have your expertise added to our working group, Senator Gillespie. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR KOEHLER:

Thank you, Madam President. Will the sponsor yield?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler.

SENATOR KOEHLER:

Will the sponsor yield? Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

She indicates that she will yield.

SENATOR KOEHLER:

I -- I'd like to ask you, Senator Gillespie, if you'd pull

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this out of the record. I don't think it's very clear. I think this could be written in a much better way. When you say "requires", is that "shall" requires or "may" require? Because this -- this is kind of vague.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

I think requires speaks for itself.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler.

SENATOR KOEHLER:

We like to nail things down here. We like to make it absolutely clear. So I think you need to add a defining word in this, either a "shall" or a "may", because otherwise I don't know what to do.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

You know, I think it's something that could be handled in regulation after we pass the bill, so I'm going to urge you to pass the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Koehler.

SENATOR KOEHLER:

One more thing that we send to Rules Committee. That's a good idea. No, Senator, I think you're going to do fine. Welcome to the Senate.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bush, for what purpose do you rise?

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SENATOR BUSH:

Question for the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

She indicates that she will yield.

SENATOR BUSH:

Thank you. Welcome, woman of substance, as I've identified you. So I just have a couple of questions and I admit I didn't read the bill closely, but are you trying to study an apprentice program for being a Senator?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

You know, that's definitely a regional gap. I think we should look at that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bush.

SENATOR BUSH:

So there are many people that believe that's the House. You didn't think that, is that why you ran the Senate -- for the Senate instead, so you weren't part of an apprentice program?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Well, not having gone through that...(microphone cutoff)...program, I wanted to see what others we could come up with.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator -- Senator Bush.

SENATOR BUSH:

Senator what's-her-name. Anyway, I just want to welcome you.

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Thanks for putting together an apprentice program for us. Many of us could have learned a little bit more before we got here, I'm sure. But welcome to the Senate. Really happy to have you here. Congratulations on what I'm sure is going to be your first bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bennett, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BENNETT:

Question of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

She indicates that she will yield.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Thank you. Senator Gillespie, like you, I'm a huge fan of Donald Trump's show, The Apprentice, and I appreciate you taking the time to codify in law the many leadership skills we could all learn if we study each and every episode of each season. I'm curious, after you've mandated this study of each and every episode of The Apprentice, which I think was in the bill - I just read the summary - what is -- what is your favorite of Donald Trump's leadership characteristics that you've gained from the show that you're hoping to bring to the Senate?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

No comment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bennett.

SENATOR BENNETT:

...have to put us on a clock for me to go through 'em all and I -- I know you feel the same. But one other question, I suppose.



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I know your favorite when you're not reading law review articles, you like to go through the Celebrity Apprentice seasons. Those are my favorite too. Who's your favorite celebrity apprentice? And I caution you, this is being recorded - please don't say Rod Blagojevich. Go ahead. Who is your favorite celebrity apprentice?

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Well...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

...I think it's everybody's favorite, Gary Busey.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie, we have -- let -- let's -- let's just show you a little bit. You have to wait until I call you, okay?

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Sorry.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

I think it's Gary Busey, everybody's favorite.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bennett.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Busey would get along just fine in this hallowed Chamber. So welcome to the Senate and welcome {sic} on your first bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Murphy, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MURPHY:

Question of the sponsor, Madam President.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

She indicates that she will yield.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Thank you. Senator, I, too, am confused by this whole apprenticeship program. So can you explain to me some of the things you're teaching in your apprenticeship program?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Well, this is to do a study to determine what apprenticeship programs are out there and what's included in them. So it doesn't actually teach them.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY:

...know what apprenticeship programs we're going to study? Because I heard reference in this bill that there might be something about studying the State bird and eliminating the State bird. Is that in your bill?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

No, I love our State bird. I would never do that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Senator Gillespie, I think you're going to be fine. Welcome to the Senate. We're thrilled to have you and keeping the State bird.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

And our final speaker, Senator Jones. Purpose you rise?

SENATOR JONES:

To the bill, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Straight to the bill.

SENATOR JONES:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I think this is a great bill. I want to commend the sponsor, all the hard work you have done on this bill. You been a -- a terrific office suitemate. We have sat down and talked about this legislation. So I urge everybody to still vote No on this bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2024 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the -- the record. There are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2024, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Congratulations on your first bill. Senator Mulroe, on Senate Bill 2030. I'm -- Senator -- oop, let me stop right there. Senator Plummer, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Madam President, a point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business, sir.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I'd like to welcome to Springfield a constituent of Senator

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Curran's, my sister-in-law, Jackie Rowe; and her two daughters, my nieces, Faith and Ella. And I'd also like to welcome my wife, Shannon, and my daughter, Audrey.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Congratulations to a beautiful family. Moving on. We are on page 48, Senate Bill -- middle of the page. Senator Mulroe. Senate Bill 2030. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2030.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Mulroe.

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 2030 amends the Chicago Firefighter Article of the Illinois Pension Code by specifying that the age stated in a firearm -- fireman's application for appointment as a member shall be conclusive evidence of his or her age for the purposes of providing all benefits under the Article. The bill also provides that for any fireman entering service with the City of Chicago Fire Department after January -- January 1, 2020, the actual birthdate as provided in the firearm's -- fireman's birth certificate shall be conclusive evidence of the fireman's age for the purpose of the Article. I know of no opposition. I'd ask for your Aye votes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2030 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The

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voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2030, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Harris, on Senate Bill 2035. Out of the record. Senator McConchie, on Senate Bill 2038. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2038.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator McConchie.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill simply adds a provision to the driver's training to ensure that in heavy traffic areas, like what we represent in the Chicago area, that it trains new drivers how to appropriately merge two lanes into a single lane and be able to do so in -- in a more efficient way. I know of no opposition. Encourage an Aye vote. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2038 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes -- the -- the voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2038, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 2040. Senator Hastings. Out of the record. Senator Rose,

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on 20 -- Senate Bill 2067. Out of the record. Senate Rose --  
Senator Rose, on Senate Bill 2068. Mr. Secretary, please read the  
bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2068.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Rose.

SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you. This is a trailer bill to Public Act 100-330 with  
a technical change to clarify the -- the original intent that --  
a public health district from regulating the preparing and serving  
of food on private residential leasehold estates that is prepared  
by and for the lessees and consumed by the lessees and their  
guests. And it -- again, it just clarifies that a public health  
district was included, although it should have been in -- obvious  
on its face. This just clarifies that -- that point. I think it  
passed unanimously before. Everything. And then was signed into  
law.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any questions? Any discussion? Seeing none, the  
question is, shall Senate Bill 2068 pass. All those in favor will  
vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted  
who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take  
the record. On that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0  
voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2068, having received  
the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate  
Bill 2076. Senator Stewart. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2076.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Stewart.

SENATOR STEWART:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 2076, Committee Amendment 1, which becomes the bill, amends the Illinois Code of Military Justice. It makes conforming changes to parallel the federal Uniform Code of Military Justice. Much of the language is just updated and clarifying. This is an initiative of the Department of Military Affairs. I know of no opposition and I ask for your favorable -- favorable support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2076 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2076, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Fines -- Fine, on Senate Bill 2087. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2087.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Fine.

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SENATOR FINE:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 2087 is designed to reduce the unemployment rate for people with disabilities. Currently, the unemployment rate for people with disabilities is 16.2 percent in Illinois. That is three times higher than the statewide unemployment rate. This bill creates the Customized Employment for Individuals with Disabilities Act. It requires the Department of Human Services to establish a five-year Customized Employment Pilot Program to help people with intellectual or developmental disabilities find employment with competitive wages. I know of no opposition to the legislation.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall 2087 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2087, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Aquino, on Senate Bill 2090. Senator Manar, on Senate Bill 2096. Out of the record. Senator Hutchinson, on Senate Bill 2099. Madam Secretary -- Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2099.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Hutchinson.

SENATOR HUTCHINSON:



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Thank you, Madam President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Senate Bill 2099 exempts contracts entered into prior to July 1, 2022, by a State agency or by multiple State agencies for the single integrated tax processing system currently in use by the Department of Revenue from posting those contracts on the appropriate procurement bulletin. Happy to answer any questions. Look for your support. Passed unanimously in -- in committee.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2099 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 49 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 29 -- 20 -- 2099, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Anderson, on Senate Bill 2117. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2117.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Anderson.

SENATOR ANDERSON:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 2117 is -- is a good governance bill. It's actually reversing -- it's taking away regulation. What this bill does is we found out that licensing some of these farm implement machinery equipment, it was costing the State more to implement it than it was gaining from -- from

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bringing in some of these licenses, so we're just erasing it. We're rolling back government. There's no opposition. I would ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2117 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 52 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2117, having received the -- the required -- required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator McGuire, on Senate Bill 2119. Out of the record. Senator Sims, on Senate Bill 2120. Senator Ellman, on Senate Bill 2122. Out of the record. Senator Link, on Senate Bill 2136. Out of the record. Senator Ellman, on Senate Bill 2140. Out of the record. Senator Villivalam, on Senate Bill 2142. Out of the record. Senator Hastings, on Senate Bill 2148. Out of the record. Senator McConchie, on Senate Bill 2150. Senate -- Senator McConchie seeks leave of the Body to return Senate Bill 2150 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is Senate Bill 2150. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator McConchie.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator McConchie.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

...you -- thank you, Madam President. This just makes a technical change. I'd be happy to adopt it and discuss it on 3rd.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment -- the amendment is adopted. Is there -- are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. With the leave of the Body, we are going back to Senate Bill 2126 -- 2136. Senator Link. Senator Link. Senate Bill 2136. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2136.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Link.

SENATOR LINK:

Thank you, Madam President. This just extends the emergency cap to five hundred thousand, rather than three hundred and fifty thousand; adds the ability to -- nutrient trading in North Shore Water Reclamation District; and adds construction {sic} (connection) fees owed at the time of the property sale. I know of no opposition of the bill and it's for the North Shore Water Reclamation District.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Senator Rose, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR ROSE:

Will the -- the good Senator yield for a single question?

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

The sponsor said he will yield.

SENATOR ROSE:

Senator Link, is there any water left in Illinois that you have not regulated at some point in time?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Link.

SENATOR LINK:

...find it, I'll regulate it.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 2136 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 2136, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Ladies and Gentlemen, we're moving to the top of the order again, page 12. At the top, Senate -- I'm sorry, Senate Bill 28. Bertino-Tarrant, do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 28.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bertino-Tarrant.

SENATOR BERTINO-TARRANT:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate -- Senate Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 28 is agreed language between school management

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and the unions. It details activities that are counted towards the minimum five-hour school day that are required. Additionally, the bill removes the cap on e-learning program by eliminating the pilot program, allowing any school board to adopt a program for e-learning. I am happy to answer any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Senator Weaver, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR WEAVER:

To the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To the bill.

SENATOR WEAVER:

Thank you. I just want to compliment the sponsor here and also just the negotiation process on this. I've talked about this bill a lot back home from a perspective that this bill had been - the law on this had been over here on this side. The Governor moved it here and there is a tendency to want to move it all the way back. And the reality is we needed this to land somewhere in the middle. And I cannot thank the IEA on their negotiations on this enough as well as the Senator on this. We have landed into a great place and I know my districts back home that wanted to see this flexibility, once they saw where this bill landed, are very pleased. So I think everybody involved should be very pleased. I'd request an Aye vote. And thanks again to the Senator for running it.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any further discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 28 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted

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who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 28, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Anderson, on Senate Bill 40. Out of the record. Senator Holmes, on Senate Bill 61. Out of the record. Senate Bill 69. Senator -- Senator Bertino-Tarrant. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 69.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bertino-Tarrant.

SENATOR BERTINO-TARRANT:

Thank you again, Madam President. Senate Bill 69 expands a Class 2 felony offense of theft by deception over five thousand to include offenses committed against a person with disability. The bill also provides that a court shall not order the sealing conviction record for a financial exploitation of an elderly person or a person with disability, aggravated identity theft against any person over sixty, and abuse or neglect of a long-term care facility resident. I know of no opposition.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any questions? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill... Senator...

SENATOR VAN PELT:

I'm sorry, I -- I had pushed the button and I didn't know if you saw it. So Senate Bill 69, I understand what the sponsor is trying to do and I appreciate her efforts. The problem I have

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with this bill is that it reverses us, takes us back to the past when it comes to sealing of records. We worked for years to try to be sure that crimes that we give a person the sentence for would not be a lifelong sentence. We even have sealing of records available for murder. After ten years of being on the registration list, murder registration list, many after three years, they could seal their records. This bill ignores all the historical work that we've put in trying to reform criminal justice in Illinois. When people have a lifelong sentence, the communities pay for it, 'cause we pay for their children's food, their -- you know, with food stamps, we pay for their health care, we pay for everything, including for the -- for the person who committed the crime who ends up in a cycle of going in and out of prison, in and out of prison. So, for that reason, I do not support this, because this bill is going to cost us far more money than it's going to save us. And any time that you can seal a more egregious crime, such as if they killed the senior citizen, they will be able to seal the record, but if they don't kill 'em and they just steal five thousand dollars or more from 'em -- extort 'em out of five thousand dollars or more, that record cannot be sealed. So as uncomfortable as this is for me to stand up and say this, I realize that we were sent down here to Springfield to carry the voices of ordinary people and to be sure that the government is really operating in the best interest of its citizens, and when a person is locked out of society for life for a crime like this, we all pay and we pay over and over and over again. For that reason, I do not support this legislation.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any other discussion? Seeing none, Senator Bertino...

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The question is -- all those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 46 Members voting Aye, 1 voting Nay, 1 voting Present. Senate Bill 69, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 71. Senator Manar. Out of the record. Senator Stadelman, on Senate Bill 86. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 86.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Stadelman.

SENATOR STADELMAN:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 86 clarifies the current State ban on using a cell phone while driving. What -- this legislation would -- will update that -- that particular law. Video streaming, as you know, is becoming more and more popular and, unfortunately, there have been incidents across the country of drivers, operators of motor vehicles, watching videos on their personal cell phone or their electronic device while they're driving. So what the -- there's some concern that the current State law is somewhat unclear. It could use further clarification to make sure that's prohibited. So this legislation specifically states that watching video on a personal electronic device will not be allowed. I'm happy to answer questions. I'm not aware of any opposition.

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Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 86 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 51 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. With -- Senate Bill 86, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 87. Senator Stadelman. Out of the -- out of the record. Senator McConchie, on Senate Bill 90. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.  
SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 90.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator McConchie.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Thank you, Madam President. What this bill would -- right now we have drainage districts across the State, and as we've had urban areas expand over into those areas, we actually have municipalities and counties who can better service some of these areas. So what it does is it provides for the opportunity to transfer drainage responsibilities from drainage districts to other units of government. It protects property owners. I've worked with the Farm Bureau to try to soften the language on this. We only apply it to drainage districts that are seventy-five -- at least seventy-five percent inside of a municipality. It applies to four watersheds in the Chicagoland area. I would welcome any questions.

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Any questions? Senator Schimpf, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

To the bill, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

To the bill.

SENATOR SCHIMPF:

Yes, Members of the -- Members of the Senate, I'd just like to commend the sponsor for his work on this bill. This is something where I usually give great deference to the Farm Bureau; however, I think -- I -- I -- I think they're wrong on this one. I'm a cosponsor and I would urge a Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Seeing no further discussion, the question is, shall Senate Bill 30 {sic} pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 37 Members voting Aye, 9 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 90, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Link, on Senate Bill 109. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 109.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Link.

SENATOR LINK:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill, as amended, amends the -- expands the list of facilities that must allow electronic

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monitoring in patient's room to include those rooms located in a building that is entirely dedicated to dementia care or in a building wing that is solely dedicated to dementia care. As introduced, the bill allows electronic monitoring in any room occupied by a dementia patient, rather than rooms located in the dedicated wings or the building. I know of no opposition to the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall -- Senate Bill 109 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 109, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator -- Senator Barickman, on Senate Bill 117. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 117.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you, Madam President. This is an issue that arose from a school district within my Senate district. It's an amendment to the Illinois (School) Student Records Act. Provides that if a school intends to destroy a school record, they're able to give reasonable prior notice to the student in lieu of the parent so

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long as the rights and privileges accorded to the parent have been transferred to the student. Kind of a technical bill. There's no opposition to it. I would ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 117 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 117, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Collins, on Senate Bill 138. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 138.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Collins.

SENATOR COLLINS:

Thank you, Madam President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Senate Bill 138 provides that under the qualifier for residential property, it must be linked to the primary residence of a person instead of the principal residence. What this basically does, it provides that 501(c)(3) nonprofits may purchase a mortgage or residential property without an ombudsman affidavit from the lender being enforceable. I know of no opposition and I ask for your support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate

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Bill 138 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 138, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. ...Stadelman, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR STADELMAN:

Point of personal privilege -- privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business, Senator.

SENATOR STADELMAN:

Just want to take a quick break and welcome a family from my Senate district in Rockford who drove three hours this morning to come to Springfield advocating for their particular issues. So I'd like to say welcome to Kenny Bohamus and his sons, who are Brendan and Bryce. Hopefully this is better than any civics lesson they can get in school. That's right, it's -- school's out this week. But please give a warm Springfield welcome to the family.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Will our guests please rise? And welcome to the Senate. Thank you. Senator Rezin, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR REZIN:

I, too, would like to call your -- a point of personal privilege, first. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Please state your business.

SENATOR REZIN:

Thank you, Madam President. I would also like to direct your

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attention, as well, to the President's Gallery. I have two visitors from my district. I have Scott Gryder, who's the Kendall County Chairman, visiting today, as well as Matt Prochaska, the - - Kendall County Board Member as well. So we'd like a warm Springfield welcome.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Will our guests please rise? And welcome to the State Senate. With leave of the Body, we're going to go over to Senate Bill 187. Senator Villivalam. Out of the record. Senator Morrison, on Senate Bill 190. Senator Fine, on Senate Bill 193. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 193.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Fine.

SENATOR FINE:

Thank you, Madam President. This legislation applies another layer of protection to youth in care of DCFS. It ensures that youth between the ages of eighteen to twenty-one will have their cases closed only after a judge finds it is in their best interest. Currently, their cases automatically close when the youth in care turns nineteen. I know of no opposition to the legislation.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 193 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question,

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there are 53 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 193, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Hastings, on Senate Bill 195. Out of the record. Senator Curran, on Senate Bill 199. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 199.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Curran.

SENATOR CURRAN:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 199 seeks to treat fentanyl the same as heroin under our criminal statute. Currently, fentanyl does not ladder up with larger amounts in possession in terms of penalty and sentence, like heroin does. This seems to - - this intends to mirror heroin for fentanyl. As we know, fentanyl is a particularly dangerous drug. It is really responsible for the uptick in overdose deaths in this State. I would be happy to answer any questions and would respectfully request an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 199 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there is 52 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 199, having received the constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 209. Senator Bertino-Tarrant. Senate Bill -- 219. Senator T. Cullerton. Mr.

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Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 219.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator T. Cullerton.

SENATOR T. CULLERTON:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 219 provides that probation, periodic imprisonment or conditional discharge shall not be imposed as a violation of possession of child pornography when the child is a household or family member. I would like to thank the DuPage County State's Attorney for bringing this forward and I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 219 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is now open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, we have 54 Members voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 219, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Ladies and Gentlemen, we are going to 2nd Reading. Please, everyone who has bills on 2nd Reading that are ready to move, we are going to go through this real quickly. So we are starting on page 2. Senator Cunningham, on Senate Bill 18. Senator Link, on Senate Bill 24. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 24.



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(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Bush, on Senate Bill 30. Senator Bush, on Senate Bill 30. Senator Hastings, on Senate Bill 52. Out of the record. Senator Harmon. Senate Bill 54. Senator Morrison, on Senate Bill 68. Morrison. Senator Villivalam, on Senate Bill 75. Senator Sandoval, on Senate Bill 102. Senator Koehler, on Senate Bill 130. Senator Koehler. Senate Bill 135. Senator Muñoz, on Senate Bill 145. Senator Harris, on Senate Bill 177. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 177.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Transportation adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Has there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Muñoz, on Senate Bill 205. Senator Bennett, on Senate Bill 211. Mr. Secretary, are there... Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 211.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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2nd Reading of the bill. No committee amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Bennett.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senator Bennett, on the amendment.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Madam President, the -- the amendment becomes the bill. I'll discuss on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, all those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Is there any further amendments approved for consideration, Mr. Secretary?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Villivalam, on Senate Bill 245. We're going to go back to -- to the top of the page. Senator Muñoz, on Senate Bill 145. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 145.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for

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consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Muñoz, on Senate Bill 205. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 205.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendment reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Minority Leader Brady, on Senate Bill 1057. Out of the record. Senator Link, on 1124. Senator Holmes, on 1189 - Senate Bill 1189. Senator T. Cullerton, on Senate Bill 1214. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1214.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Belt, on Senate Bill 1244. Senator Belt. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1244.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Veterans Affairs adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Has there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Hunter, on 1281 - Senate Bill 1281. Out of the record. Senator Tracy, on Senate Bill 1285. Out of the record. On Senate Bill 1296, Senator Bush. Senator Bush. Senate Bill 1296. Senator Rose, on Senate Bill 1371. Senator Rose. Out of the record. Senator Hutchinson, on Senate Bill 1379. Senator Link, on Senate Bill 1453. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1453.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

...there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration? Senator Muñoz, on Senate Bill 1464. Senator Muñoz. Van Pelt. Senator Van Pelt, on 1467. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1467.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Higher Education adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Has there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1472. Senator Hastings. Senate Bill 1473. Senator Hunter. Senator Hunter. Senator Collins, on Senate Bill 1510. Senator Collins. Senator Hutchinson. Senate Bill 1515. Senator Jones III, on Senate Bill 1519. Senator -- Senator Harmon, on Senate Bill 1522. Senator Steans, 1533. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1533.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for... 3rd Reading. 3rd Reading. Senator Link, 1536. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1536.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1583. Senator Collins. Senate Bill 1594. Senator Sims. Senator Jones, on Senate Bill 1621. Senator -- thank you. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1621.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on State Government adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1624. Senator Glowiak. Senator Glowiak. Senator Villivalam, on 1628. Senator Peters, 1641. Senator Peters, on 1642. Senator -- Senator Muñoz, 1658. Senator Schimpf, on 1660. Senator Hastings, 1665. Senator Koehler, on Senate Bill 1667. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1667.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Koehler, on Senate Bill 1712. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1712.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary adopted Amendment No. 2.

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Have there been any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Hastings, on 1716, Senate Bill. Senator Castro. Senator Bertino-Tarrant, 1756. Senator Muñoz, 1758. Senator Stadelman, 1760. Senator Stadelman. Senator Rose, 1798. Senator Rose. Senator Rose. Senator Bennett, 1805. Senator Bennett. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1805.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senate -- Senator Koehler, on 1814. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1814.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senate Bill 1831. Senator Muñoz. Senator Curran, on 1852. 1854. Senator Koehler, 1857. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1857.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

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3rd Reading. Senator Link, 1862. Out of the record. Senator Link, 1864. Out of the record. Senator Link, 1868. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1868.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Anderson, 1873. Senator Crowe, on 1882. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1882.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd...(microphone cutoff)... Senator Muñoz, 1834. Senator Gillespie, 1919. I'm sorry, it's 1919, Senate Bill. Senator Muñoz, 1894. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:



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Senate Bill 1894.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. With the leave of the Body, we're going to return to 1847. Senator Muñoz. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1847.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Gillespie, on -- I'm sorry. With the leave of the Body, we're going to go back to 1831. Senator Muñoz. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1831.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Senate Bill 1758. Senator Muñoz. ...Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1758.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive adopted

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Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further -- no further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Muñoz, on Senate Bill 1680. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1680.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. The top of page 10. Senate Bill 1929. Senator Curran. Senator Manar, 1934. Senator Manar, 1934. Senator McGuire, 1939. Senate Bill 1939. Senate Bill 1957. Senator Sims. 1980 -- 1980. Senate Bill 1980. Senator Bennett. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1980.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments

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reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Rezin, on Senate Bill 2026. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2026.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 2027. Senator Bennett. Senator Crowe, 2037. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2037.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Rezin, 2047. Mr....

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2047.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. On the top of page 11, Senate Bill 2052. Senator Stadelman. Senator Hastings, on 2080. Senator Fine, on Senate Bill 2085. Senator Aquino, 2098. Senator Link, on 2097 -- I'm sorry, 2093. Senator Rose, on Bill 2124. Senate Bill 2124.

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Senator Rose. Senator Stadelman, on Senate Bill 2097. 2104.  
Senator Rose, 2124. Senator Villivalam, on 2144. Top of page 12.  
Senate Bill 2146. Senator Villivalam. Senator Steans, on Senate  
Bill 2153. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2153.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on State Government adopted  
Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments -- Floor amendments  
approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 130. Senator Koehler. Mr.  
Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 130.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Energy and Public  
Utilities adopted Amendment No. 2.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for  
consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Senator Koehler, on Senate Bill 135.

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...Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 135.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Energy and Public Utilities adopted Amendment No. 2.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MARTINEZ)

3rd Reading. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, the deadline for filing Floor amendments will be Friday, April the 5th. Please have all Floor amendments filed by 3 p.m. on Friday, April 5th. There being no further business to come before the Senate, the Senate stands adjourned until the hour of 12 noon on the 28th day of March. The Senate stands adjourned. Off to committees.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Pursuant to the directive of the Senate President, the regular Session of the Senate is now in perfunctory Session.

Communications from the President. A letter dated March 27th, 2019.

Dear Mr. Secretary - Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a perfunctory Session to convene on March 27th, 2019.

Sincerely, John J. Cullerton, Senate President.

Committee Reports.

Senator Hastings, Chairperson of the Committee on Executive, reports Senate Bill 1246 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Amendment 2

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to Senate Bill 1407 Recommend Do Adopt; and Senate Resolution 259 Be Adopted, as Amended.

Senator Jones, Chairperson of the Committee on Licensed Activities, reports Senate Bill 1683 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Landek, Chairperson of the Committee on State Government, reports Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 190 and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2037 Recommend Do Adopt; Senate Resolution 200 and -- Senate Resolutions 200 and 209 Be Adopted.

Senator Harris, Chairperson of the Committee on Insurance, reports Senate Bill 1449 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Hutchinson, Chairperson of the Committee on Revenue, reports Senate Bill 1591 Do Pass; Senate Bill 1595 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 527, Senate Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1379, Senate Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1515, and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1755 Recommend Do Adopt.

Message from the House.

A Message from the House by Mr. Hollman, Clerk.

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

House Bill 2071.

We have received like Messages on House Bills 2160, 5177 {sic} (2177), 2200, 2252, 2256, 2266, 2308, 2309, 2433, 2440, 2455, 2459, 2487, 2489, 2492, 2499, 2557, 2613, 2628, 2639, 2659, 2669, 2699, 2719, 2720, 2737, 2802, 2818, 2824, 2832, 2846, 2852, 2862, 2868, 2896, 2934, 2935, 2940, 2941, 2946, 2988, 3014, 3041, 3069, 3092, 3151, 3153, 3191, 3213, 3233, and 3299. Passed the House, March 27th, 2019. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

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House Bills 1st Reading.

House Bill 1559, offered by Senator Martinez.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2071, offered by Senator Hastings.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2086, offered by Senator Tracy.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2160, offered by Senator Morrison.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2177, offered by Senator Tracy.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2200, offered by Senator Morrison.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2252, offered by Senator Bennett.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2266, offered by Senator Cunningham.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2308, offered by Senator Righter.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 2309, offered by -- I'm sorry, House Bill 2309,  
offered by Senator Righter.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2433, offered by Senator Collins.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2440, offered by Senator Aquino.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2455, offered by Senator Aquino.

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House Bill 2459, offered by Senator Anderson.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2557, offered by Senator Martinez.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2628, offered by Senator Martinez.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2639, offered by Senator Martinez.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2659, offered by Senator Mulroe.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2669, offered by Senator Anderson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2699, offered by Senator Murphy.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2737, offered by Senator Bennett.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2802, offered by Senator Castro.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2818, offered by Senator Glowiak.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2832, offered by Senator Tom Cullerton.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2846, offered by Senator Fine.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2862, offered by Senator Link.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2946, offered by Senator Koehler.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2988, offered by Senator Cunningham.

(Secretary reads title of bill)



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House Bill 3014, offered by Senator Aquino.

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And House Bill 3041, offered by Senator Weaver.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 3151, offered by Senator Sims.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 3191, offered by Senator Bertino-Tarrant.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 3213, offered by Senator Aquino.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 3233, offered by Senator Sandoval.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

And House Bill 3299, offered by Senator Harmon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

There being no further business to come before this perfunctory Session of the Senate -- there being no further business to come before this perfunctory Session, the Senate stands adjourned until March 27th -- March 28th, 2019, at the hour of 12 p.m., or until the call of the Senate President. The Senate stands adjourned.