## 78th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

# June 6, 1973

1.	PRESIDENT:
2.	Will the Senate please come to order? The prayer
3.	will be delivered by Reverend James Fry of Westminster
4.	Presbyterian Church of Springfield. Will our guests
5.	please rise? Reverend Fry.
6.	(Prayer by Reverend James Fry,
7.	Westminster Presbyterian Church,
8.	Springfield, Illinois)
9.	Reading of the Journal.
10.	SECRETARY:
11.	Thursday, May 24, 1973.
12.	PRESIDENT:
13.	Senator Soper.
14.	SENATOR SOPER:
15.	Mr. President, I move that we dispense with the
16.	further reading of the Journal of May 24th and that the
17.	Journal stand approved unless there are some corrections
18.	or additions to be made.
19.	PRESIDENT:
20.	You have heard the motion. All in favor signify
21,	by saying aye. Contrary no. The motion carries and the
22.	Journal of May 24 is approved.
23.	SECRETARY:
24.	Friday, May 25th,1973.
25.	PRESIDENT:
26.	Senator Soper.
27.	SENATOR SOPER:
28.	. Mr. President, I move that we dispense with the
29.	further reading of the Journal of May 25th and unless
30.	there's some corrections or additions to be made that
31.	the Journal of May 25th stand approved.
22	PRESIDENT:

You've heard the motion. Is there discussion?

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- All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary nay. 1.
- motion carries, the Journal of May 25th is approved. 2.
- 3. SECRETARY:
- 4 . Tuesday, May 29, 1973.
- PRESIDENT: 6. Senator Soper.

- SENATOR SOPER: 7.
- 8. Mr. President I move that we...that we dispense with
- the further reading of the Journal of May 29th and unless 9.
- there's some correction to be made or additions that are 10.
- 11. Journal stand approved.
- 12. PRESIDENT:
- You've heard the motion. Is there discussion? All 13.
- in favor of the motion signify by saying aye. Contrary no. 14.
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  - The motion carries, the Journal of May 29 is approved.
- 16. Senator Soper. SENATOR SOPER: 17.
- Mr. President, I move that we postpone the reading 18.
- and the approval of the Journals of May 30th, May 31st, 19. 20.
- June 1st, June 4th and June 5th pending the arrival of the printed Journals. 21.
- 22, PRESIDENT:
- You've heard the motion. Is there discussion? 23.
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- All in favor signify by saying aye. Contrary no. The 25.
- motion carries. So ordered. Committee Reports. SECRETARY: 26.
- (Secretary reads Committee Reports) 27.
- PRESIDENT: 28.
- Messages from the House. 29. SECRETARY:
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- (Secretary reads Messages from the House) 31.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 32. Members of the Senate, this Resolution now pending on 33.

the Secretary's desk is substantially identical to the ı. Senate Resolution we passed last week with regard to 2. the retirement of Arthur Huffman. I would ask leave 3. of the Senate to suspend the rules. All in favor. 4. Opposed. The rules are suspended. I would now move 5. for the immediate adoption of the Resolution. All in 6. 7. favor of the adoption signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, the Resolution is adopted. Gentlemen, 8. Ladies and Gentlemen I counted the House Bills on 1st 9. 10. reading that are unattended or were a little while ago. 11. They number in excess of 160, House Bills 1st that do 12. not have Senate sponsors, perhaps that's good, but the 13. House members might not agree. Next order of business will be House Bills, 1st reading. Senator Bartulis. 14. 15. SENATOR BARTULIS:

I rise on a point of personal privilege...

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

State your point Senator.

SENATOR BARTULIS:

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Today we have visiting with us in the gallery just to my rear is a group of retired people from...persons from Macoupin County and I'd like them to stand and be recognized.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Once again Senators, if you desirous of picking up a House Bill on 1st reading, please indicate your desire by signing up on the yellow pad and not making it verbally... werbal request to the Secretary when they are so busy attempting to take care of the bills pending before the Senate. We'll appreciate your cooperation in that regard.

Mr. Secretary continue with House Bills 1st reading of

those that have Senate sponsors indicated.

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- ı. HB 771, Senator Latherow...HB 771, Senator Schaffer. 2.
- (Secretary reads title of bill) 3.
- 1st reading of the bill.
- 4. HB 834, Senator Schaffer (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 6. ~ ` HB 845...HB 845, Senator Savickas.

1st reading of the bill.

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- (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 8. 1st reading of the bill.
- 9. HB 1002, Senator Glass (Secretary reads title of bill) 10. lst reading of the bill.
- 11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
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- What was that last bill, Mr. Secretary? 13.
- SECRETARY: 14. 1002. 1002.
- 15. HB 1058, Senator Swinarski (Secretary reads title of bill)

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- 16. 1st reading of the bill. 17.
- HB 1121, Senator Latherow (Secretary reads title of bill) 18.
  - 1st reading of the bill.
- HB 1149, Senator Berning (Secretary reads title of bill) 19.

1st reading of the bill.

- HB 1201, Senator Bell (Secretary reads title of bill) 21.
- 22. lst reading of the bill.
- HB 1222, Senator Swinarski (Secretary reads title of bill) 23.
- 1st reading of the bill. 24.
- HB 1288, Senator Bartulis (Secretary reads title of bill) 1st reading of the bill. 26.
- HB 1364, Senator Bell (Secretary reads title of bill) 27.
- Ast reading of the bill. 28.
- HB 1397, Senator Knuepfer (Secretary reads title of bill) 29.

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- HB 1398, Senator Bell (Secretary reads title of bill) 31.
- 1st reading of the bill. 32. HB 1417, Senator Knuepfer (Secretary reads title of bill) 33.

- Ist reading of the bill. HB 1471 by Senator McCarthy (Secretary reads title of bill) 2. 3. 1st reading of the bill.
- 4. HB 1550, Senator Nimrod (Secretary reads title of bill)

- 5. 1st reading of the bill. HB 1560, Senator Weaver (Secretary reads title of bill) 6.
- 7. 1st reading of the bill.
- 8. HB 1562, Senator Wooten (Secretary reads title of bill) 9. lst reading of the bill.
- HB 1635, Senator Swinarski (Secretary reads title of bill) 10.
- 11. 1st reading of the bill. HB 1658, Senator McCarthy (Secretary reads title of bill) 12.
- 1st reading of the bill. 13. HB 1659, Senator McCarthy (Secretary reads title of bill) 14.
- 1st reading of the bill. 15. HB 1662, Senator Don Moore (Secretary reads title of bill) 16.
- 1st reading of the bill. 17.
- HB 1710, Senator Davidson (Secretary reads title of bill) 18. 19. 1st reading of the bill.
- HB 1733, Senator Davidson (Secretary reads title of bill) 20. 1st reading of the bill. 21.
- HB 1751, Senator Shapiro (Secretary reads title of bill) 22. 1st reading of the bill. 23.
- HB 1777 by Senators Bruce and Johns. 24.
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  - (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 1st reading of the bill. 26. HB 1800, Senator Schaffer (Secretary reads title of bill) 27.
- 1st reading of the bill. 28. HB 1803, Senator Knuppel (Secretary reads title of bill) 29.
- 1st reading of the bill. 30.
- HB 1133, Senator Soper (Secretary reads title of bill) 31.
- 1st reading of the bill. 32. HB 1573...HB 1573, Senator Savickas. 33.

- ١. (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 1st reading of the bill. 2.
- HB 1574, Senator Savickas 3. (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 4. 1st reading of the bill.
- 5. HB 1724, Senator Nimrod (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 1st reading of the bill. 6.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 7.
- Now members of the Senate, if I can have your attention 8.
- again so you'll understand. We're trying to help you. Q
- are now going to leave the order of House Bills on 1st reading, 10.
- give the Senators additional time to sign up and indicate 11. their desire and later on today before adjournment we'll do 12.
- like we did yesterday and go back and pick those up. And 13.
- we'll now go to the order of House Bills, 2nd reading. Senator 14.
- Sours. 15.
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SENATOR SOURS:

- Mr. President there's one bill on 1st reading that I 17. desired the other day to advance to 2nd without reference 18.
- and Senator McCarthy wanted me to hold it up which I did 19.
- for three days. Now apparently he finds no objection 20.
- to it and I'd like to make the proper motion that the... 21.
  - that this bill be advanced to 2nd reading without assignment
- to committee. What the bill does ... 23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
  - We need...We need the number of the bill, Senator.
  - - SENATOR SOURS:
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- HB 1054. I thought I'd mentioned that. What the .27. bill does is extend the...the rate of interest beyond
- the Arrington Amendment which would come to an end 29.
- June 30, 1973 unless it's extended. 30.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 31.
- You've heard the motion of Senator Sours that 32.
  - HB 1054 be order...be placed on the order of 2nd read

a 1st time, placed on the order of 2nd reading without
reference to committee. All in favor of the motion will
signify by saying aye. Opposed. Senator Hall. May we
have some order please? We have to read the bill a 1st
time. We are on an order of business now Senator...
wait till we read this bill.

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m HB}$  1054, Senator Sours (Secretary reads title of bill) lst reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Were you speaking to this bill Senator? All in favor of the motion of Senator Sours to have the bill placed on the order of 2nd reading without reference to committee will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, the bill's on 2nd reading. The Chair recognizes Senator Kenny Hall, and then Senator Berning.

SENATOR KENNETH HALL:

Thank you, Mr. President. I'd like leave of this Body to be shown as principal sponsor of HB 1344. It has Senator Saperstein's...shown and she and I have been in conference on it.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1344, Senator Kenneth Hall wants to be shown as the official Senate sponsor. Leave granted? Leave is granted and the Journal will so show. Senator Berning. SENATOR BERNING:

Thank you, Mr. President. Having confrred with

, the Chairman of the Local Government Committee, I would
ask leave to discharge the committee from further consideration of HB 886 and advance it to 2nd reading. By
explanation, this is identical to the SB 534 which was
passed out of the committee unanimously and passed this
Body without a dissenting vote. There seems to be no need

2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 3. You've heard the motion of Senator Berning, all 4. in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The 5. ayes have it and the Local Government Committee is dis-6. charged from further consideration of HB 886. Senator 7. Walker. We're not on the order of announcements, but 8. we are now. SENATOR WALKER: 9. 10. ... Than you, Mr. President. SB 1109 creating the 11. Little Calumet River flood control coordinating commission 12. 13. PRESIDING OFFICER ISENATOR GRAHAM): 14. Senator, we can't hear what you're saying up here, 15. I'm sorry. 16. SENATOR WALKER: 17. I would like to request unanimous consent to advance 18. HB 1109 to the order of 2nd reading without reference 19. to committee. I've checked with the leadership on the 20. other side and I assume it would be allright with the leadership on this side. That's all it does, creates the 21. 22. Little Calumet River Flood Control Commission. 23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 24. Please, Senators. Senator Walker has requested that HB 1109 be read a...that the committee on...what, what 25. committee Senator? 26. 27. SENATOR WALKER: Agriculture. 28 PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 29. 30. Committee on Agriculture and Conservation be discharged from further consideration of HB 1109, placed on the order 31. of 2nd reading. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed. 32.

to have 886 heard in Committee.

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The ayes have it, the bill's on 2nd reading. I aked if it

had been read, it has not been read a 1st time. The 1. motion is that the bill will be read a 1st time and placed 2. on...let's find out where the bill is. Disregard the 3. committee action, it was never in committee. SECRETARY: (Secretary reads title of bill) нв 1109 6. 1st reading of the bill. 7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 8. All in favor of this bill being advanced to the 9. order of 2nd reading without reference signify by saying 10. aye. Opposed. The ayes have it. The bill is on 2nd 11. reading. Senator McBroom. You're recognized. Gentlemen, 12. we just cannot hear. 13. SENATOR MCBROOM: 14. Mr. Chairman, I've been asked to pick up HB 1568. 15. I'd like to move it to 2nd reading without reference 16. to committee. The...it was on the...the consent Calendar 17. in the House. I don't believe it's controversial. 18. any one would like to ask me a question about it, I'd... 19: I'd be happy to try to answer it, if there's any discussion 20. why it can go to committee, but it came over here on the 21. consent Calendar and as I understand the bill there's 22. no reason why there should be any controversy over it. 23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 24. My only feeling is I've never known Representative 25. Hanahan to have a non-controversial bill. 26. SENATOR MCBROOM: 27. This is his first one, Mr. Chairman. 28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 29. I'm going to request it go to committee. 30. SENATOR MCBROOM: 31. Thank you, Mr. Chairman. 32.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

You want the bill read a 1st time? Senator Partee, we'll 2. 3. get to you. 4. SECRETARY: HB 1568 (Secretary reads title of bill) 5. 6. 1st reading of the bill. 7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 8. Were you wanting to speak to that bill Senator? 9. Senator Partee for what purpose do you rise? 10. SENATOR PARTEE: 11. On a point of personal privilege, Mr. President. 12. I wanted to introduce to the Senate members of the Chicago 13. Board of Education who are seated in the President's 14. gallery...some of them have left, but if...there was 15. Superintendent Redmond, Mr. Bird the Deputy Superinten-16. dent, President Carry, Mrs. Certa, Mrs. Malase, Mrs. Wilter, 17. Mr. Boutay, Miss Denader, Dr. Freedman and Mr. Sharbarbo. 18. I'd ask them to stand and be recognized by the Senate. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 19. 20. And at the same time we might apologize to them 21. Senator for some of us being absent at their meeting 22. this morning because of several other meetings going 23. on at the same time. Any one else? We're now on the 24. order of House... Senator Saperstein we're going to the 25. order of House Bills 2nd, so if we have any motions, suggestion or otherwise confusion to offer we'll listen to 26. 27. you this time. Senator Saperstein. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN: 28. 2nd reading? Mr. President... 29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 30. 31. We're trying to get there, yes. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN: 32.

Senator Partee. Are you going to be the sponsor?

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Right.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

We're trying to get to House Bills 2nd as soon as 2. 3. we can relieve ourselves of all the hands that are rising 4. to make suggestions. ... Saperstein. We'll take the House 5. Bills on 2nd reading in order Senator. It's just easier for the Secretary. Senator Partee, would you take Senator Johns' microphone there, you wanted to do something. 7. 8.

SENATOR PARTEE:

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Yes, Senator Hynes has an amendment to SB 998. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

And...you want leave of...Senator Hynes wants leave of the Body to have it returned to the order of 2nd reading for the purpose of considering an amendment, is that it?

SENATOR HYNES:

Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I would ask leave of the Senate to bring SB 998 back to 2nd reading for purposes of offering an amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

All in favor of Senator Hynes' motion will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it the bill is now on the order of 2nd reading and Senator Hynes will discuss his amendment.

SENATOR HYNES:

I would offer Amendment No. 1 which would permit the Chicago Board of Education to adopt a...

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

It's Amendment No. 2 I believe Senator. Just one moment. It will be Amendment No. 2, Senator Hynes, our records show. May we have some order please? Senator Hynes has the Floor to discuss an amendment. May we give him our attention please. That would be desirous of the Chair if all of us gave him our attention. Continue Senator Hynes.

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SENATOR HYNES:

I would move the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to SB 998. Amendment No. 2 would permit the Chicago Board of Education to adopt a supplemental budget to make use of the funds that would be made available through the provision of SB 998. The bill provides for the issuance of up to \$90,000,000 in bonds and also would permit the board to pay custodial salaries from the building fund. This ultimately has the potential of freeing up a total of \$26,000,000 per annum for educational purposes and this amendment is necessary to permit that to be done in this fiscal year. And I would move the adoption of the amendment.

#### PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

You have heard the motion of the Senator from Chicago on Amendment No. 2 to SB 998, all in favor will signify by saying age. Opposed. The ages have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Saperstein has a similar motion on a House Bill and we'll go out of order to do this, despi e the fact that I don't want to. Senator Saperstein.

### SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

Thank you very much Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen. HB 1405 is similar to SB 4 therefore... PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Continue Senator.

### . SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:

Thank you. I would like to suspend the rules to place HB 1405 on 2nd reading without reference to committee. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

The Senator's motion is that HB 1405 be read a

1st time and moved to the order of 2nd reading without

1.	committee consideration. HB 1405. It's on the Calendar
2.	today. HB 1405. Senator Moore, for what purpose do you
3.	rise?
4.	SENATOR DON MOORE:
5.	I believe there's a motion to advance this without
6.	reference, is that correct?
7.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
8.	That is the motion, it was clearly stated, Senator.
9.	What is your desire?
.0.	SENATOR DON MOORE:
1.	I wonder if the sponsor would hold that motion until
.2.	Senator Knuepfer gets on the Floor, Mr. President, there
.3.	may be an objection to that. Would the sponsor hold his
.4.	motion on that bill?
.5.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
.6.	Where is Senator Knuepfer? She reluctantly indicates
.7.	that she will hold it until Senator Knuepferwill some-
.8.	one send a page for Senator Knuepfer? Senator Moore.
.9.	SENATOR MOORE:
20.	I'm informed he has no objection to it, Mr. President
1.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
	Then the motion is that HB 1405 will be read a 1st
23.	time, placed on the order of 2nd reading without reference
24.	to a committee. All in favor will signify by saying aye.
.5.	Opposed. The ayes have it and the bill's on the order of
26.	2nd reading. Senator Course. Oh, he has to read the
27.	bill, I'm sorry.
28.	SECRETARY:
29.	HB 1405 (Secretary reads title of bill)
30.	1st reading of the bill.
31.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM)
32.	2nd reading. Senator Course.
2	SENATOR COURSE.

Thank you Mr. President. I'd like to return to ı. House Bills on the order of 2nd reading for the purpose 2. of correcting an error. I'm shown as the chief sponsor 3. on HB 29, 270 and 271, and I think this should be Carroll. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 5. I think these bills were assigned by your leader-6. ship. Do you want...will you want...you're moving now 7. that you be removed as a sponsor of HB 29, 270 and 271 8. and that they be assigned to Senator Carroll as the 9. House sponsor of those bills. Is that correct? 10. 11. SENATOR COURSE: That is correct, Mr. President. 12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 13. All in favor of the request signify by saying aye. 14. 15. Leave is granted. 16. SENATOR COURSE: Thank you. 17. . 18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 19. Senator...Senator Partee. SENATOR PARTEE: 20. 21. Mr. President, I'd like to move to the order of business which would permit my calling House Joint Resolution 14 for 22. the purpose of an amendment. The study commission calls 23. for sixteen members which we think is just too cumbersome, 24. and we want to diminish it to eight. 25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 26. Senator Partee moves that we move to the order of 27. motions for the purpose of him recalling, or calling . 28. House Joint Resolution No. 14 for the purpose of con-29. sideration of an amendment. Is leave granted? Leave 30. is granted and we will now consider his request on 31. House Joint Resolution 14.

SENATOR PARTEE:

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1. Now I offer Amendment No.1 which simply strikes the 2. word sixteen in reference to the number of persons who 3. shall serve on the committee and inserts in lieu thereof 4 . eight. I move the adoption of the Amendment. 5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 6. You've heard the explanation of the Minority Leader, 7. all in favor of the adoption of this...of this Amendment 8. will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, 9. the amendments adopted. Resolution will return to the 10. Secretary's Desk. Now, we are hopefully on the order 11. of House Bills 2nd reading where I tried to get fifteen 12. minutes ago. House Bills 2nd reading. First bill...we'll 13. start on HB 137 on 2nd reading. If I remember we kind 14. of stopped on 32 yesterday. My memory serves me clearly. 15. We'll start on 137 and continue on House Bills 2nd reading. 16. SECRETARY: 17. Senator Bruce, HB 137 18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 19. · Do you want to advance it? 20. SECRETARY: 21. (Secretary reads title of bill) HB 137 22. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 24. Senator Nudelman you want 144? 3rd reading on 137. 25. Secretary will read HB 144 a 2nd time. That's assuming 26. there were no amendments from the Floor on 137, none were 27. offered. 3rd reading. 28. SECRETARY: 29. HB 144 (Secretary reads title of bill) 30. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Insurance 31. and Financial Institutions offers one amendment. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 32.

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Senator Nudelman moves the adoption of the committee

l. amendment to HB 144. All in favor signify by saying aye. 2. Opposed. The ayes have it the amendments adopted. Any further amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Secretary 3. 4. will read HB 151 by title a 2nd time. 5. SECRETARY: 6. HB 151 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 9. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator 10. Latherow are you ready on 162? Senator Latherow, do you 11. want to move it? Senator Fawell. Senator Harber Hall, 178. 12. You want to move it? 178 be read by title a 2nd time. 13. SECRETARY: 14. HB 178 (Secretary reads title of bill) 15. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 17. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 18. Senator Mitchler. Senator Roe. 188, read it by title 19. a 2nd time. 20. SECRETARY: 21. HB 188 (Secretary reads title of bill) 22. 1st reading of the bill. 23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 24. Senator Hall, Harber Hall, 19...Any...No amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator Mitchler. 25. 26. SECRETARY: 27. 2nd reading of the bill. No...on 188 of the 2nd 28. reading of the bill the Committee on Local Government 29. offers one amendment. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 30. 31. Senator Roe moves the adoption of the committee

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amendment to HB 188. All in favor will signify by saying

aye. Opposed. Do we have any one signifying adoption of

- 1. a motion? I can't hear an aye. The ayes have it, the
- 2. motions adopted. Any amendments from the Floor? These
  3. motions are being threat and the floor.
- 3. motions are being taped gentlemen so it is important that
- we get an acknowledgement other than a nod of the head.
- Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator
- Mitchler.
- 7. SECRETARY:
- 8. HB 181 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
- 10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
- 11. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
- 12. Senator Harber Hall, 199. Read it by title a 2nd time.
- 13. SECRETARY:
- 14. HB 199 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 15. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. Amendment
- 16. No. 1 by Senator Harber Hall.
- 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
- 18. Senator Hall will explain his amendment. Senator Hall.
- 19. SENATOR HARBER HALL:
- 20. This...this amendment puts into order a House Bill:
- 21. that was passed here...similar Senate Bill was passed here...
- 22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
- 23. Gentlemen, please.
- 24. SENATOR HARBER HALL:
- 25. ...this puts it in the same order that the Senate Bill
- 26. was on, and I move adoption.
- 27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
- 28. Senator Hall moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to
- 29. HB 199, all in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed.
- 30. The ayes have it, the amendments adopted. Any amendments
- 31. from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator Berning, HB 203
- 32. read by title a 2nd time.
- 33. SECRETARY:

1.	HB 203 (Secretary reads title of bill)
2.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
3.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
4.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator
5.	Fawell did youwere you desirous of calling 171? We'll
6.	read by title a 2nd time, HB 171.
7.	SECRETARY:
8	HB 171 (Secretary reads title of bill)
9.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
10.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
11.	Any amendments from the Floor? Senator Moore, are
12.	you going to wait? Senator Schaffer, oh, you want to call
13.	those bills? You sure? HB 213 to be read by title
14.	204? 204, I'm sorry. Senator Berning.
15.	SECRETARY:
16.	HB 204 (Secretary reads title of bill)
17	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
18.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
19.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator
20.	Moore, HB 213 through 220.
21.	SECRETARY:
22.	. HB 213 (Secretary reads title of bill)
23.	2nd reading of the bill. 2nd reading of the bill. No
24.	committee amendments. Amendment No. 1 and 2 byoffered
25.	by Senator Moore.
26.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
27.	Amendment offered?
28.	· SECRETARY:
29.	Amendments numbered 1 and 2 offered by Senator Moore.
30.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
31.	Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1
32.	to HB 213, all in favor will signify by saying aye.
33.	Senator Moore, Senator Welsh would like for you to explain

1. to him the content of your Amendment No. 1. I think he 2. would like for you to answer on the microphone. Senator Moore. 3.

SENATOR DON MOORE:

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These amendments were discussed in committee, Mr. Chairman or Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 has to deal with the right of a poll watcher to examine the poll books and the cards. And this amendment says that they can examine them only to the extent necessary to determine the question of the person's right to vote. Amendment No. 2 also adds the words that the registration of the cards may be inspected during the 28 days preceding the election upon the approval of the officer in charge of the cards. I move the adoption of both amendments, Mr. President. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to HB 213. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Now, Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to HB 213. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it the amendment is adopted. Any amendments from the Floor? Senator Moore.

SENATOR DON MOORE:

Yesl there's one more amendment that was recommended by the committee that deleted the...certain provisions of the bill ...

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Gentlemen and Ladies whether you know it or not, these bills concern the election of people to offices in the State of Illinois and amendments are being proposed in that regard and I would solicit your attention to the sponsor of the amendments, please.

SENATOR DON MOORE:

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1.	This amendment Mr. Presidnt came at the request
2.	of the committee. It deletes certain language as to
3.	what a poll watcher can do in thein the polling place
4.	on election day. It was the feeling of the committee
5.	that the language was too broad and they wanted it de-
6.	leted, this is what Amendment No. 3 does. And I move
7.	its adoption.
8.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
9.	Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 3
10.	to HB 213, all in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed.
11.	The ayes have it and the amendment is adopted. Any further
12.	amendments? 3rd reading.
13.	SECRETARY:
14.	HB 214 (Secretary reads title of bill)
15.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
16.	HB 215 (Secretary reads title of bill)
17.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
18.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM)
19.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
20.	SECRETARY:
21.	HB 216 (Secretary reads title of bill)
22.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
23.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
24.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
25.	SECRETARY:
26.	HB 217 (Secretary reads title of bill)
27.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
28.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
29.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
30.	SECRETARY:
31.	HB 218 (Secretary reads title of bill)
32.	2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Elections and
33.	Reapportionment offers one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): l. 2. Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to HB 218. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed. з. 4. The ayes have it the amendment is adopted. Any further 5. amendments? 3rd reading. SECRETARY: 6. 7. (Secretary reads title of bill) 8. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 10. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 11. SECRETARY: HB 220 (Secretary reads title of bill) 12. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 13. 14. ment No. 1 by Senator Moore. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 15. Senator Moore will explain his amendment. 16. 17. SENATOR DON MOORE: Yes this is a technical amendment Mr. President. It 18. restores certain language of the original statute that was 19. 20. left out of the bill as it came over from the House... PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 21. 22. Gentlemen, please. 23. SENATOR DON MOORE: ...and it just puts in the old language that was... 24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 25. Senator there...When we get some order we're going 26. to continue, and not until. May we break up the caucuses 27. \* please. Do you have another motion Senator? 28. SENATOR DON MOORE: 29. Yes, this is a technical amendment. It restores 30. certain language that was left out that was in the 31. original statute. I move it's adoption, Mr. President. 32.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

ı. What language was it Senator? What language did 2. you put in? SENATOR DON MOORE: 3. 4. It's language that was left out of the... 5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 6. I've been trying to get some order. Will you please 7. break up the caucuses, you're having a meeting right there 8. behind a man sponsoring amendments. Gentlemen, please. 9. Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to 10. HB 22...220. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it the amendment is adopted. 11. 12. Any further amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Schaffer 13. you prepared to read 229 by title a 2nd time. 14. SECRETARY: 15. HB 229 (Secretary reads title of bill) 16. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 17. 18. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator 19. Nimrod are you prepared? 231 by title a 2nd time. 20. SECRETARY: HB 231 (Secretary reads title of bill) 21. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 23. 24. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator Don Moore, 244? Hold it. Senator Knuepfer. 25. Read 264 by title a 2nd time. 26. SECRETARY: 27. HB 264 (Secretary reads title of bill) 28. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 30. Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Read 31.

HB 265 by title.

SECRETARY:

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1.	HB 265 (Secretary reads title of bill)
2.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
3.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
4.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator
5,	Course, 269. Hold it. HB 269, Senator Course.
6.	SENATOR COURSE:
7.	President this is another bill that belongs to
8.	Senator Carroll and I didn't see it before when I mentioned
9.	that the other three bills. This belongs to Senator
10.	Carroll too.
11.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
12.	The Calendar will so show and we will not read the
13.	bill in the absence of Senator Carroll. Senator Moore
14.	indicates he's ready to have HB 244 read a 2nd time.
15.	by title.
16.	SECRETARY:
17.	HB 244 (Secretary reads title of bill)
18.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. Amendment
19.	No. 1 by Senator Don Moore.
20.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
21.	Senator Moore moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1
22.	to SB 244. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed
23.	The ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. 3rd reading.
24.	270 will be Senator Carroll. 271 will be Senator Carroll.
25.	Next one is 271, Senator Saperstein. 274. You want it
26.	read?
27.	SECRETARY:
28.	<ul> <li>HB 274 (Secretary reads title of bill)</li> </ul>
29.	2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health,
30.	Welfare and Corrections offers one amendment.
31.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
32.	Senator Saperstein moves the adoption. Senator
33.	Saperstein for what purpose

7.		SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:
2.		I move to Table Committee Amendment No. 1the
3.		Amendment No. 2 is on the table.
4.		PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
5.		Senator Saperstein moves to Table Committee Amendment
6.		No. 1 to SB 274. All in favor will signify by saying aye.
7.		Opposed. The ayes have it and the amendment is Tabled.
8.		Senator Saperstein now wishes to advance Amendment No. 2
9.		we may have a problem. The Secretary informs me Senator
10.		that the amendments seem to be identical and the question
11.		is why do you Table
12.		SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:
13.		I'm sorry, theisn't theon the second page the
14.		first line, the three words to establish a fund, that
15.		should be underscored.
16.		PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
17.		You added three words, to be established. All in
18.		favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to HB 274 will
19.		signify by saying aye. Opposed. The aye has it, the
20.		amendment is adopted. Any amendments from the Floor?
21.		3rd reading. Gentlemen, Gentlemen. Senator Palmer are
22.		you ready with 279, to be read by title a 3rd2nd time.
23.		SECRETARY:
24.		HB 279 (Secretary reads title of bill)
25.		2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
26.		PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
27.		Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator
28.	•	Davidson. Are you prepared?
29.		SECRETARY:
30.		HB 284 (Secretary reads title of bill)
31.		2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
32.		Amendment No. 1 by Senator Davidson.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Amendment...Senator Davidson moves the adoption of 1. Amendment No. 1 to HB 284, all in favor will signify by 2. saying aye. Opposed. The aye has it and the amendment 3. is adopted. Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 4. 5. Senator Hynes, are you prepared on 295. Read 295 by title 6. 2nd time. SECRETARY: 7. 8. HB 295 (Secretary reads title of bill) 9. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Education 10. offers one amendment. 11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 12. Senator Hynes moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1 to HB 295. All in favor will signify by saying aye. 13. 14. Opposed. The ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Walker, read 15. HB 299 by title a 2nd time. 16. 17. SECRETARY: 18. HB 299 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 20. Amendments from the Floor? Senator Walker. 21. 22. SENATOR WALKER: 23. There should be a home rule amendment on there and I move the adoption. 24. SECRETARY: 25. Amendment No. 1 by Senator Walker. 26. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 27. Senator Walker moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 28. to HB 299, all in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed. 29. The ayes have it the amendment is adopted. Any further 30. amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Latherow, 301, 302? 31. Senator Donnewald on 305. Senator Daley on 313. 32.

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1. HB 313 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Industry and 3. Labor offers one amendment. 4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 5. Senator Daley moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 6. to HB 313, all in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. 7. The ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further 8. amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Carroll. 9. SENATOR CARROLL: 10. Thank you Mr. President with leave of the Senate 11. HB 812 is listed as being sponsored in the Senate by 12. Senator Chew. With leave of the Body would effect be 13. replaced with myself Senator Carroll in lieu of Senator 14. Chew. 15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 16 Been a requested that Senator Carroll be shown as 17. the chief sponsor of HB 812. Is leave granted? Leave 18. is granted, Journal will so show. Senator Netsch are 19. you prepared on... Senator Dougherty, Senator Dan Dougherty. Senator Latherow, 342. Read 342 by title. Please. Read... 20. 21. HB 342 by title a 2nd time. 22. SECRETARY: 23. HB 342 (Secretary reads title of bill) 24. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 25. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator 26. Scholl. 27. SENATOR SCHOLL: 28. Mr...Mr. President, I'd like to ask leave to be 29. Senate sponsor of HB 820. ...accidently picked up by 30. Senator Chew and we've agreed that I should handle it. 31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

Is leave granted to have Senator Chew removed as

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ı. chief sponsor and Senator Scholl on HB... SENATOR SCHOLL: 2. 3. 820. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 4. 820? Leave is granted. You will be so shown. I would... I would request we'd like to go on through 6. 7 House Bills on 2nd reading. If you're listening, and then get into these motions. Senator Partee. Now, 8. 9. Gentlemen, if you will let us know of your desire to do something with regard to sponsorship or some other 10. extraneous business if we can do that after we com-11. plete House Bills on 2nd reading it will make it so 12. much easier for the Secretary and the Chair recognizes 13. 14. Senator Carroll. Next time be on time. 15. SENATOR CARROLL: 16. If you would call ... 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): HB 269 by title a 2nd time. 18. SECRETARY: 19. 20. HB 269 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendment. 21. 22 PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 23. 24. 270 by title a 2nd time for Senator Carroll. 25. SECRETARY: (Secretary reads title of bill) 26. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 28. Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 271 29. by title a 2nd time for Senator Carroll. 30. SECRETARY: 31. (Secretary reads title of bill) HB 271 32.

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

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PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
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                Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Now,
           Senator Dougherty...would you want to move HB 326?
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           Senator Dan Dougherty would you want to move HB 326?
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           Read it by title a 2nd time.
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           SECRETARY .
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                HB 326
                         (Secretary reads title of bill)
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           2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
           PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
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                Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. We will
           read HB 319 by title a 2nd time for Senator Netsch.
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          SECRETARY:
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               HB 319
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          2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
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          PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
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               Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
          Senator Kenneth Hall you ready on 353? Senator Hall.
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          Kenneth Hall, oh, I thought it was...you're ready.
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          Read it by title a 2nd time.
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          SECRETARY:
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                        (Secretary reads title of bill)
          2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
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          PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
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               Amendments from the Floor? Senator Hall.
          SENATOR KENNETH HALL:
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               Yes Mr. President there's an amendment on the
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          Secretary's desk.
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          SECRETARY:
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               Amendment No. 1 by Senator Hall.
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         PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
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               Will...the Senator explain his amendment?
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         SENATOR KENNETH HALL:
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This amendment was agreed on in the committee when

1.	this bill was heard. And it simply amends HB 353 on
2.	page 1, line 19 by insertine after the word "discharged
3.	the following: "or discharged for bad conduct".
4.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
5.	All in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1
6.	to 353 will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes
7.	have it the amendment's adopted. Amendments from the
8.	Floor? 3rd reading. Senator Mitchler prepared on 354?
9.	Be read by title a 2nd time.
10.	SECRETARY:
11.	HB 354 (Secretary reads title of bill)
12.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
13.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
14.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rdWe will read
15.	HB 361 by title a 2nd time, Senator Howard Mohr.
16.	SECRETARY:
17.	HB 361 (Secretary reads title of bill)
18.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
19.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
20.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
21.	Senator Schaffer. We'll read 371 by title a 2nd time.
22.	SECRETARY:
23.	HB 371 (Secretary reads title of bill)
24.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
25.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
26.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
27.	Senator Harber Hall, 376 are you prepared? Read it
28.	by title a 2nd time.
29.	SECRETARY:
30.	HB 376 (Secretary reads title of bill)
31.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
32.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

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amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator Knuepfer ı. are you prepared on 389? Senator Latherow on 412. HB 2. 3. 412, Senator Latherow. Senator Kenneth Hall. Read 416 4. by title a 2nd time. SECRETARY: 5. 6. HB 416 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 9. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Are 10. you prepared Senator Knuppel? 425, read the bill by title. 11. SECRETARY: 12. (Secretary reads title of bill) 13. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 15. Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. SB 431 16. are you prepared Senator Mitchler. 17. SECRETARY: HB 431 18. (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Pensions and 19. 20. Personnel offers one amendment. 21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 22. Senator Mitchler moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 23. to HB 431. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further 24. 25. amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Weaver. Read the bill 26. by title. 438. 27. SECRETARY:

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator

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2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

Roe. 32. SECRETARY: 33.

HB 438

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

1.	Amendment No. 1 to 438 offered by Senator Schaffer.
2.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
3.	Senator Schaffer will explain his amendment.
4.	SENATOR SCHAFFER:
5.	The amendment clarifies the procedure whereby a
6.	plat is amended once without having to be replatted.
7.	This clarifies the dimensions so that this can only be
8.	used once so that this technique cannot be used to
9.	circumvent local zoning and platting regulations.
10.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
11.	All in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1
12.	to HB 438 will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The
13.	ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further
14.	amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Roe, you prepared
15.	on 442? Read it by title.
16.	SECRETARY:
17.	HB 442 (Secretary reads title of bill)
18.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
19.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
20.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
21.	Senator Don Moore. Read the bill by title.
22.	SECRETARY:
23.	HB 453 (Secretary reads title of bill)
24.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
25.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):
26.	Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator
27.	Course, 457, read the bill.
28.	SECRETARY:
29.	HB 457 (Secretary reads title of bill)
30.	2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations
31.	offers one amendment.
32.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

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Senator Course moves the adoption of Amendment No.1.

All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ı. ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further 2. amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Knuepfer. Senator 3. 4. Knuppel are you prepared on 479? Read the bill by title. 5. SECRETARY: 6. HB 479 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Elections and 8. Reapportionment offers one amendment. 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 10. Senator Knuppel moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. 11. The ayes have it, the amendment's adopted. Any further 12. amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Palmer are you... 13. That series of bills starting with 486. Oh, I'm sorry, 14. it's Walker and Ozinga. I got the wrong Palmer. 15. 16. SECRETARY: 17. HB 486 (Secretary reads title of bill) 18. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 20. Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 21. SECRETARY: 22. (Secretary reads title of bill) 23. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 24. Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 25. 26. SECRETARY: HB 489 27. (Secretary reads title of bill) .2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 29. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Read 30. 505 by title a 3rd time. 31. SECRETARY: 32.

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HB 505 (Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. l. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 2. З. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Read HB 527 by title a 2nd time, Senator Ozinga. 4. SECRETARY: 5. HB 527 (Secretary reads title of bill) 6. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 7. 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): Amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator 9. Ozinga, 527 just went to 3rd reading. Senator Berning 10. are you prepared on 533? 11. SECRETARY: 12. (Secretary reads title of bill) 13. HB 533 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health, 14. Welfare and Corrections offers three amendments. 15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 16. Senator Berning. 17. SENATOR BERNING: 18. Move for the adoption. There are actually three 19. committee amendments there Mr. Chairman. 20. (SENATOR GRAHAM): 21. PRESIDING OFFICER 22. Senator Berning moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1 to HB 533, all in favor will signify by 23. saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it. The amendment 24. is adopted. Senator Berning now moves the adoption of 25. Amendment No. 2 to HB 533, all in favor will signify 26. by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it. The amend-27. ment is adopted. Senator Berning now moves the adoption 28. of Amendment No. 3 to HB 533, all in favor will signify 29. by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, the amend-30. ment's adopted. Any further amendments from the Floor? 31.

Amendment No. 4 by Senator Berning.

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#### SENATOR BERNING: ı. Mr. President and Members of the Body, Amendment 2. No. 4 is the updated home rule amendment. This has з. been drafted in conjunction with the advisors for the 4. leadership on the other side and on this side. I think 5. that it satisfies the requirements of the Chicago group 6. 7. and I would move for adoption of Amendment No. 4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 8. All in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 4 9. will signify by saying aye. Opposed. The ayes have it, 10. 11. the amendment's adopted. Any further amendments? 3rd reading. We'll read...HB 536 by title a 2nd time for 12. 13. Senator Knuppel. SECRETARY: 14. 15. HB 536 (Secretary reads title of bill) 16. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. We'll 18. 19. read HB 539 by title a 2nd time for Senator Schaffer. SECRETARY: 20. 21. HB 539 (Secretary reads title of bill) 22. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 23. 24. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator 25. McBroom. Senator Kosinski are you ready to proceed? Senator Roe on 625. Read the bill by title, 625. 26. SECRETARY: 27. HB 625 (Secretary reads title of bill) 28.

Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator 31. Swinarski. Senator Daley on 629. Senator Harris, 634, 32. read the bill.

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

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SECRETARY: 1. 2. HB 634 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 3. 4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 5. I've just been advised that the Senator wants to 6. hold this bill. We'll take it from the record. Senator 7. Wooten on 642. Read by title. 8. SECRETARY: 9. HB 642 (Secretary reads title of bill) 10. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER 11. (SENATOR GRAHAM): 12. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. Senator Bruce. Senator Latherow. 648. Read by title a 2nd time. 13. 14. SECRETARY: 15. HB 648 (Secretary reads title of bill) 16. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. Amend-17. ment No. 1 by Senator Latherow. 18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 19. The Senator will explain his amendment. As soon as 20. we get some order, Senator. Please gentlemen. 21. SENATOR LATHEROW: 22. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, this Amendment was worked out with the Department of Agriculture and I 23. 24. see nothing wrong with it myself. I move the adoption 25. of the amendment. PRESIDING OFFICER 26. (SENATOR GRAHAM): Senator moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to 27. HB 648. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed. 28. The ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Any further 29. 30. amendments? 3rd reading. SB 557, read by title a 2nd time for Senator McBroom. 557. You're next up Senator 31. Kosinski. 32. SECRETARY:

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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HB 557

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. ı. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 2. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 4. HB 587 by title a 2nd time for Senator Kosinski. 5. SECRETARY: 6. HB 587 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM): 9. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd. Senator 10. Conolly, 652. Read 647 by title a 2nd time for Senator 11. Bruce. 12. SECRETARY: 13. (Secretary reads title of bill) 14. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Education 15. offers one amendment. 16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 17. Senator Bruce moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to HB 647. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed 18. 19. nay. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments 20. from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB...HB 657. Call it. 21. SECRETARY: 22. (Secretary reads title of bill) 23. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 25. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 658. 26. SECRETARY: 27. HB 658 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 29. 30. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 695. 31. SECRETARY: 32. HB 695 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

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1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

2. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 696.

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4. HB 696 (Secretary reads title of bill)

5. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. Amendment

No.1 by Senator Vadalabene.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

8. Senator Vadalabene.

SENATOR VADALABENE:

10. Yes, thank you Mr. President and Members of the

11. Senate. Amendment No. 1 to...to HB 696 relates to a...

section...an insert in Section 11-1406 where no passenger

on a school bus may ride or stand in a position as to

interfere with the driver's view ahead or to the side

or to the rear, or to interfere with his control of the

driving mechanism of the bus. There are already provisions

for buses, but however there's never been any for school

buses and I would approve the adoption of this amendment.

It has the approval incidently of Senator Conolly, the

Chairman of the Transportation Committee.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Vadalabene moves the adoption of Amendment

No. 1 to HB 696. All in favor signify by saying aye.

Opposed nay. The amendment's adopted. Any further amendments?

3rd reading. 697.

SECRETARY:

HB 697 (Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 707.

SECRETARY:

HB 707 (Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Licensed Activities

and Credit Regulations offers one amendment. 1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 2. Senator Weaver offers adoption of Amendment No. 1 3. to HB 707. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed 4. 5. nay. The amendment's adopted. SECRETARY: 6. 7. Amendment No. 2 by Senator Weaver. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 9. This amendment amends Section 25 which says using prize money, free gifts or other valuable consideration 10. or inducements to (1) secure customers to purchase, rent 11. or lease property when the awarding of such prizes, monies, 12. free gifts or other valuable considerations is considered 13. upon the purchase, rental or lease or (2) secure clients 14. to list properties with registrant. This is an amendment 15. 16. that is agreed to by the real estate board and the... S & H green stamp, or other green stamp people. I move 17. 18. adoption of the amendment. All in favor signify by saying 19. aye. Opposed nay. Amendment 2 is adopted. Any further amendments? 3rd reading. Senator Palmer. Senator Walker, 20. 21. 737. 22. SECRETARY: HB 737 23. (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 25. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 739. 26. 27. SECRETARY: HB 739 (Secretary reads title of bill) 28. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 30. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 748. 31. For what purpose does Senator Nimrod rise? 32.

SENATOR NIMROD:

On 739 here, could I have just a minute to discuss that 1. with Senator Latherow. I have an amendment and I'm not 2. sure that he has... 3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 5. Senator, it's on 3rd reading. 6. SENATOR NIMROD: Well, I tried to get your attention before you... 7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 8. 9. I'm sorry. Senator Latherow do you want to consult 10. with Senator Nimrod, we'll come back to it. ...748, 11. Senato Roe. SECRETARY: 12. 13. HB 748 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 15. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 785, 16. 17. Senator Bruce. 18. SECRETARY: 19. HB 785 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 21. 22. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. SECRETARY: 23. 24. (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 26. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 814, 27. Senator Rock. 28. SECRETARY: 29. HB 814 (Secretary reads title of bill) 30. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 32.

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Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 829,

l. Senator Swinarski. 2. SECRETARY: З. (Secretary reads title of bill) HB 829 4. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 6. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 848, 7. Senator Latherow. 8. SECRETARY: 9. ·HB 848 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 10. 11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 12. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 8... 13. HB 859, Senator Saperstein. 14. SECRETARY: 15. (Secretary reads title of bill) HB 859 16. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 18. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 865, 19. Senator Roe. 20. SECRETARY: 21, (Secretary reads title of bill) 22. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 23. Amendment No. 1 by Senator Roe. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 24. Senator Roe will you explain your amendment? 25. SENATOR ROE: 26. This deletes words on page 3, line 34, if the 27. adjudicatory. And this is what Senator Rock wanted. 28. I would move its adoption. 29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 30. Senator Roe moves adoption of Amendment No. 1 to 31. HB 865. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed 32.

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nay. The amendment's adopted. Any further amendments?

1.	3rd reading. HB 866.
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3.	HB 866 (Secretary reads title of bill)
4.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
5.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
6.	Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 897,
7.	Senator Roe.
8.	SECRETARY:
9.	HB 897 (Secretary reads title of bill)
10.	2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. Amendment
11.	No. 1 by Senator Roe.
12.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
13.	Senator Roe may explain his amendment.
14.	SENATOR ROE:
15.	Thisthis change was agreed on in Judiciary
16.	Committee that it be put on on 2nd reading, and it's
17.	just a technical amendment of which I gave all my copies
18.	to the Secretary.
19.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
20.	Senator Roe moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1
21.	to HB 897. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed
22.	nay. The amendment's adopted. Any further amendments?
23.	3rd reading. HB 910.
24.	SECRETARY:
25.	HB 910 (Secretary reads title of bill)
26.	2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Transportation
27.	and Public Utilities offers one amendment.
28.	PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
29.	Senator Graham moves the adoption of Committee
30.	Amendment No. 1 to HB 910. All in favor signify by saying
31.	aye. Opposed nay. The amendment's adopted. Any further
32.	amendments? 3rd reading. HB 912, Senator Bruce.

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ı. . HB 912 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 3, Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 914, 5. Senator Welsh. 6. SECRETARY: 7. HB 914 (Secretary reads title of bill) 8. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 10. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 947, Senator Shapiro. 11. 12. SECRETARY: 13. (Secretary reads title of bill) 14. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 15. 16. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 17: HB 948. 18. SECRETARY: 19. HB 948 (Secretary reads title of bill) 20. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. Amendment No. 1 by Senator Shapiro. 21. 22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 23. Senator Shapiro may explain his amendment. 24. SENATOR SHAPIRO: Mr. President, members of the Senate. Amendment No. 1 25. to HB 948 is a technical amendment. It brings 948 into 26. conformity with the Appropriation Bill which is 947. I 27. 28. · urge it's adoption. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 29. Senator Shapiro moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 30. to HB 948. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed 31. nay. Amendment is adopted. 3rd reading. 32. SECRETARY: 33.

2. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 3. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 1070. 5. SECRETARY: 6. HB 1070 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 9. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 1104, 10. Senator Saperstein. 11. SECRETARY: 12. HB 1104 (Secretary reads title of bill) 13. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 14. 15. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 1125, 16. Senator Course. 17. SECRETARY: 18. HB 1125 (Secretary reads title of bill) 19. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 21. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 1928, 22. Senator Saperstein. 23. SECRETARY: 24. HB 1928 (Secretary reads title of bill) 25. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 26. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 1316, 27. \* Senator Savickas. 28. SECRETARY: 29. HB 1316 (Secretary reads title of bill) 30. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 32. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. HB 1317. 33.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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HB 1062

1. SECRETARY: 2. HB 1317 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 4. 5. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 6. SECRETARY. HB 1423 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 8. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 9. 10. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 1648, 11. Senator Dougherty. 12. SECRETARY: HB 1648 (Secretary reads title of bill) 13. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 14. 15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 16. SECRETARY: 17. 18. HB 305 (Secretary reads title of bill) 2nd reading of the bill.. No committee amendments. 19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 20. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 21. Are there any other bills on 2nd that any member wishes 22. to move from 2nd to 3rd? Senate Bills on 2nd reading. 23. SB 704, Senator Bruce, you wish to move that? Senate 24. Bills, 2nd. 25. 26. SECRETARY: SB 704 (Secretary reads title of bill) 27. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. 28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 29. Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading. 30. Senator Dougherty. 31. SECRETARY: 32.

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SB 1146 (Secretary reads title of bill)

- 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
- 4. 1183.
- 5. SECRETARY:
- 6. SB 1183 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
- 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
- Senator Dougherty. Senate Bills, 3rd reading. Senator
- Saperstein, SB 4.
- 12. SECRETARY:
- 13. SB 4 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 14. 3rd reading of the bill.
- 15. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Senator Saperstein.
- 17. SENATOR SAPERSTEIN:
- 18. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,
- 19. SB 4 creates the Department of Aging, and repeals
- 20. that Section of the Public Aid Code which relates to
- 21. services to older people. The bill provides for the
- 22. Department on Aging to become the sole State agency
- 23. for coordinating and evaluating services to the aging
- 24. and gives the Department the authority to...to develop
- 25. the State programs and plans to meet the needs of the
- 26. senior citizens. This bill creates...the...an advisory
- 27. committee to serve as liaison between the department
- 28. and the several State agencies which serve in some way
- 29. the needs of the senior citizens. It also creates an
- 30. advisory council which gives advice and which will
- 31. provide representation from various agencies in the
- 32. community and also...and also will be represented of
- the various senior citizens who are active and who have

- 1. an interest in developing a program for senior citizens.
- 2. This is an important development in State government.
- 3. There are over a million and a half senior citizens in
- 4. the State of Illinois, and this will permit the focusing
- 5. of, in one department the needs of the senior citizens,
- 6. the developing of programs, and also the coordinating of
- 7. the State program throughout the State of Illinois. It
- 8. has received support of mass media. It has received the
- 9. ... support of all groups dealing with the senior citizens.
- 10. And very little opposition. I urge your support of this
- 11. very important development in State government. Thank you.
- 12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 13. Is there any discussion? The question is shall
- 14. SB 4 pass, and upon that question the Secretary will
- 15. call the roll.
- 16. SECRETARY:
- 17. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
- 18. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
- 19. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
- 20. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
- 21. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
- 22. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
- 23. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
- 24. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
- 25. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
- 26. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
- 27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 28. Senator Hall.
- 29. SENATOR HARBER HALL:
- 30. Mr. President, I'm going to take this opportunity
- 31. to vote, I haven't voted on this, but I would point out
- 32.
- 33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Hall, there's no explanation of votes, please. Let's not get started on that this early in the morning. Thank you. On that question the ayes are fifty, the nays are none. SB 3 having received the constitutional majority, excuse me. SB 4 having received the constitutional majority is declared passed. Another bill on that subject is, we promised to call together is SB 517, Senator Moore.

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10. SB 517 (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. 3rd reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Moore.

# SENATOR DON MOORE:

Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate. This is another bill dealing with the senior citizens of our State. Little different approach than the prior bill. I think that both bills have merit. What this bill does it creates a Division of Services for the Aging in the Office of the Governor. The coordinator shall be a resident of the State and shall be appointed by the Governor with the advise and consent of the Senate and shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor. The duties of the coordinator would be to coordinate and evaluate the social services furnished by State agencies to senior citizens. I think we're all aware that we have various functions dealing with senior citizens in many of the code departments. It's my feeling that by having a coordinator in the Office of the Governor that can coordinate the activities of the various directors that... so as to accomplish something insofar as our senior

citizens are concerned is a very good approach. Also what this bill does it takes and creates the Illinois

1. State Council for the Aging, it takes it out of the

Public Aid Code and puts it in the ...in the Office

of the Governor. Be happy to answer any questions, or

if not, I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Hall.

SENATOR HARBER HALL:

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24. 25. Well, Mr. President, I've read both of these bills that you have chosen to call at the same time and I think it's incumbent upon this Body to vote for the best bill available, and I would suggest to the members that this bill is superior in many, many respects to SB 4 that we just passed. It's true that everything both sponsors have said about the aged in our State, very true. But we need a vehicle and I suggest this is better for the simple reason that we are increasing the bureaucracy, we are bringing this under separate heading in the Office of the Governor where it should be. And I would certainly solicit 59 votes from this Body indicating their acceptance

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

of the proposal of the sponsor.

Is there any further discussion? The question is shall SB 517 pass, and upon that question the Secretary will call the roll.

SECRETARY:

26. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
27. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
28. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
29. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
30. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
31. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,

32. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,

33. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

- Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
- Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
- 3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- On that question the ayes are fifty-two, the nays
- 5. are none. SB 517 having received the constitutional
- majority is declared passed. Senator Partee, would you
- 7. like to introduce our friend?
- SENATOR PARTEE:
- 9. Yes, Mr. Speaker, our friend is a man who has some
- familiarity with this place having served as Lieutenant
- 11. Governor of the State under the old Constitution we...where
- 12. he had the privilege of presiding and he was a very fair
- 13. presider, and I would say to you only that he is now a
- 14. professor at Harvard and has come back to edify our youth
- 15. in this area at a school in this town, the Honorable
- 16. Paul Simon.
- 17. HONORABLE PAUL SIMON:
- 18. Mr. President, Senator Partee, but you'd better
- 19. stop the applause or I'll deliver a state of the State
- 20. message here. I...I used to borrow papers from Senator
- 21. Partee when he sat in back of me and I just came to
- 22. borrow a paper here right now for old time sake. It's
- 23. great to be back once again. For the new members I just
- 24. say it's the greatest experience you're ever going to have
- 25. to sit in this Body. And I...right now, you don't think
- 26. so I can hear my Senator complaining, but it was great
- 27. to be here. Incidentally, at Harvard one of the really
- 28. bright young students I met was a fellow named Kelly
- 29. Welsh whose the son of Senator Ray Welsh wherever he
- 30. may be. He's on the telephone...there he is, right
- 31. back there. And another is a student by the name of
- 32. Albert Molly whose the grandson of Representative Corneal
- 33. Davis so Illinois was represented back there too. It's

- great to be here, I'm going to be back in Illinois and
- be over here visiting with you every once in a while.
- Good seeing you Mr. President.
- 4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Very nice to see you sir. SB 955. Senator Mitchler,
- 6. for what purpose do you rise?
- 7. SENATOR MITCHLER:
- Yes, Mr. President, I tried to get your attention
- 9. before. I wonder if I could be listed at this time as
- 10. a co-sponsor of SB 517 that we just passed.
- 11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 12. Is there leave? Leave is granted. 955.
- 13. SECRETARY:
- 14. SB 955 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 15. 3rd reading of the bill.
- 16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Senator Knuepfer.
- 18. SENATOR KNUEPFER:
- 19. Well the few minutes that I am allotted under the new
- rules would have been a substantial problem in addressing
- 21. itself to this bill. However, there was a Committee of
- 22. the Whole hearing that you were all invited to that
- 23. discussed this bill in some considerable detail about three
- 24. hour's worth, so that I think most of you are familiar with
- 25. the substantive provisions of the bill or at least in
- 26. general familiar with those. At the Committee hearings
- 27. you may remember we had the secretary of the equivalent
- 28. department from Florida testify and Florida has this kind
- 29. of a structure, and in fact is moving to...moving more
- 30. completely in the direction of the structure as articulated
- 31. in this bill. It provides in essence a single point of
- 32. delivery for all social and health services, some 22 States
- 33. have adopted this concept one way or the other. It provides

ı. for a single secretary who would be in charge of this 2. department. That single secretary would then have the 3. power to provide the coordination which so frequently is 4. lacking between the various division director, department 5. directors now in office. In fact one of the questions we 6. addressed ourselves to at that Committee hearing was the 7. fact that some of the directors were not even sure how 8. many coordinating committees did exist statutorily or 9. by department rule within their department. The bill 10. generally provides for the delivery system at the point of the seven regions. That delivery system for all of 11. the services would be unified. The services as we know 12. 13. them now or the departments as we know them now would 14. exist only as functional units rather than as specific departmental units. The bill leaves the Governor maximum... 15. 16. the bill unlike most other reorganization bills I've seen 17. leaves the Governor the power to really provide all the 18. framework on the skelton. For those of you who have read the bill you will note that there is very little framework 19. 20. and that was done very deliberately. It was the feeling that that skelton existing the bill can better be filled 21. 22. in by the various department heads when the...as the bill 23. becomes effective. It was the feeling that there might be ...desirable differentiation as between various regions, 24. and that can be accomplished with this kind of open structure. 25. The bill establishes a coordinating council which would 26. become effective on October 1 of this year. 27. The committee, or council would be made up of the department heads involved. 28. They would have some nine months to work out the various 29. organizational problems until the effective date of the 30. bill, July 1, 1974. It is the ... certainly a trend that 31. many States are moving in. I suggest to you it is a 32. desirable trend from two points of view. From the point

- 1. of view of the State of Illinois and...but most importantly
- 2. from the point of view of the clients who now tends to fall
- 3. in between the cracks, between the various agencies and
- departments of those agencies. I would be happy to attempt
- 5. to answer any question on these bills if you still have
- 6. them
- 7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 8. Is there any discussion? Senator Rock.
- 9. SENATOR ROCK:
- 10. Yes Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
- 11. We all sat I think at the Committee of the Whole hearing
- 12. and there were many questions raised. The question that
- 13. I raised at that time and raise here again today as I stand
- 14. in opposition to SB 955. This would effect substantial major
- 15. overhauls with regard to reorganization of certain State
- 16. agencies. Under the new Constitution this is the first
- 17. such attempt. And I think that if anyone will look at
- 18. Article 5, Section 11, I think what the framers of the
- 19. Constitution had in mind was that this is more rightfully
- 20. a prerogative of the Chief Executive. It says the Governor
- 21. by Executive Order may reassign functions among or reorganize
- 22. executive agencies which are directly responsible to him.
- 23. If such a reassignment or reorganization would contravene
- 24. a statute then the Executive Order shall be delivered
- 25. to the General Assembly. Now, I think this is rightfully
- 26. a prerogative of the Chief Executive. I think to attempt
- 27. to effect a major overhaul with...in the first few months
- 28. of a brand new administration is just a little premature,
- 29. a little presumptuous on our part and I would urge
- 30. opposition to SB 955.
- 31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 32. Is there further discussion? Senator Bell.
- 33. SENATOR BELL:

- Well, I might just point out that we've gotten very
- little in the way of executive leadership from the Governor
- 3. or the Governor's Office at this time. And I think that
- 4. the General Assembly, the Senate here has every right
- 5, and indeed these particular times for the lack of executive
- 6. leadership the responsibility to assert ourselves. And
- 7. I think this is a responsible law, one that's going to help
- 8. cut into the bureaucracy that plaques the State and I think
- 9. it should be passed out of the Senate.
- 10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 11. Is there any further discussion? Senator Knuepfer,
- 12. do you care to close debate?
- 13. SENATOR KNUEPFER:
- 14. Well, all...all I can suggest and I'll be very brief
- 15. on this is that certainly I recognize that the Governor
- 16. stands behind this bill eventually. He does have the veto
- 17. power. If sincerely he doesn't want it he has a mechanism
- 18. for killing it. I suggest to you further that if the
- 19. Governor does initiate the proposal then it comes before
- 20. this Body within 60 days under the new Constitution. There's
- 21. no constitutional provision restricting legislative implementation.
- 22. The new constitutional provision simply provides a mechanism
- for the Executive to do it. I think it's a good bill for
- 24. the people of Illinois and I would urge your support.
- 25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 26. Excuse me Senator Knuepfer, I forgot to call on
- 27. Senator Netsch. I didn't see her in time. Do you wish
- 28. to say something on the bill Senator?
- 29. SENATOR NETSCH:
- 30. Thank...thank you Mr. President. I did. I'll make
- it very brief because Senator Knuepfer has closed now. .
- 32. wanted to add simply one thing to what Senator Rock had
- said. I think that it is not fair to say that a Governor

1. has not exercised leadership in a massive reorganization

of this sort within a couple of months after he has come

into office. Senator Bell. In fact if a Governor had

4. presented this proposal himself after he had held office

5. only six weeks or two months I think you would rightfully

6. have been highly suspect of it because it's the sort of

7. thing that takes a great deal of thought and consideration

8. and a great deal of familiarity with how these agencies

9. operate. But apart from that question I wanted to add

·10. only one thing. We did consider this in addition to the

11. Committee of the Whole hearing in the Committee...on

12. Health, Welfare and Corrections and had some discussion

13. about it. And my...my concern about the bill is not its

14. concept. Senator Knuepfer is quite right, at some point we

15. are going to have to head in this direction. But I think

16. that several of us, at least I felt that this particular

17. structure was a little too heavily management oriented and

18. was not necessarily going to achieve the end result which

19. was a consolidated delivery of services and not an additional

bureaucracy. I don't feel we have quite found the right

21. key to that yet and I...I genuinely believe it needs some

more time and some more work. Thank you.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

24. President Harris.

## SENATOR HARRIS:

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Well, Mr. President, I just want to say that this is a tremendously sound piece of legislation and everyone of us has experiences constituent frustration of Illinois citizenry in need of service going from door to door, multiple stop service requirements. Surely we have the administrative capability and sense to structure statutorily the organizational delivery capability to provide acceptable service to our people. That's the whole thrust of SB 955.

ı. The natural dichotomy of separate civil administrative code 2. department delivery systems with their independent and З. separation is a fact about which this bill directly asserts a solution. I urge this Body to accept the principles 4. 5. that were in fact affirmed by several of the Directors 6. in the testimony before the Public Health, Welfare and 7. Corrections Committee. We do have here a product of a 8. great deal of background study and evaluation of it's 9. effective operation in several of the sister States. Illinois 10. was first, way back in the days of Lowden with his civil 11. administrative code. Let Illinois be first within it's 12. relationship and this border of one of the best pieces 13. of administrative reorganization machinery for health and 14. social services delivery to its people. 955 is a vast 15. improvement over the experience of North Carolina, Florida, 16. California. I urge the membership of this Body to support 17. this very meaningful and far-reaching concept of improvement 18. of delivery services to its people. I urge a favorable 19. roll call. 20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 21. The question is shall SB 955 pass. Upon that question 22. the Secretary will call the roll. 23. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT): 24. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, 25. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, 26. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth 27. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, 28. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard 29. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, 30. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano, 31. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,

Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.

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- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- McCarthy, no. On that question the ayes are thirty-
- two, the nays are seven. SB 955 having received a con-
- stitutional majority is declared passed. Senator Buzbee,
- 5. 982.
- 6. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT):
- 7. SB 982 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 3rd reading of the bill.
- 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Senator Buzbee.
- 11. SENATOR BUZBEE:
- 12. Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President, this is a
- 13. bill that on yesterday's Calendar it showed that it would
- 14. appropriate \$3,000,000 to build an overpass in the City
- 15. of DuQuoin, Illinois. I might add, Mr. President, that
- 16. this bill was amended down to \$750,000 so already in
- 17. this bill I have saved the State of Illinois \$2,250,000.
- 18. Mr. President this bill would build an overpass in the
- 19. City of DuQuoin over a railroad track there, the Illinois
- Central-Gulf Line which sometimes traffic is tied up one,
- 21. two and three and four hours a day. This bill is a little
- 22. bit different than most of the so-called creek bills in
- 23. that the City would participate in the paying on this
- 24. railroad overpass also with the State participating up
- 25. to 75% or \$750,000. I would ask for a favorable roll
- 26. call.
- 27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 28. . Is there any discussion? Senator Walker.
- 29. SENATOR WALKER:
- 30. Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate. I
- 31. think here's our chance to save the State another \$750,000.
- 32. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 33. Is there any further discussion? Senator Harris.

### ı. SENATOR HARRIS: Well, I would just point out that there is some kind 2. 3. of a mutual cooperation understanding that exists in 4. deliberative bodies and...if one were to recall the procedures 5. of individual Senators yesterday appropriating funds for 6. their special unbudgeted projects within their States and the record of those who would come to the trough for them-8. selves that we just give some thought to past record. 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 10. Senator Savickas. SENATOR SAVICKAS: 11. 12. I just wondered if this was in the budget, this bill. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 13. 14. Senator Buzbee. 15. SENATOR BUZBEE: 16. Senator Savickas I have looked the budget over thoroughly 17. and I'm sure...it's been a mistake on my part that I haven't found it in there yet. 18. 19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 20. Is there further discussion? The question is shall SB 982 pass and upon that question the Secretary will call 21. 22. the roll. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT): 23. 24. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, 25. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth 26. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, 27. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard 28. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, 29. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano, 30. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, 31.

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PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): ı. Swinarski, aye. On that question the ayes are 2. seventeen, the mays are ten. SB 982 having failed to 3. recieve the constitutional majority is declared lost. 4. 5. SB 1024, Senator Davidson. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT): 6. SB 1024 (Secretary reads title of bill) 7. 3rd reading of the bill. 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 9. 10. Senator Daley. SENATOR DALEY: 11. This is an appropriation of \$15,000 to a companion 12. bill which we passed out last week dealing with the Handgun 13. Study Commission. I would ask for a favorable roll call. 14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 15. Is there any discussion? The question is shall SB 1024 16. pass. Upon that question the Secretary will call the roll. 17. 18. ACTING SECRETARY (MR. WRIGHT): Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll, 19. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald, 20. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth 21. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, 22. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard 23. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman, 24. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano, 25. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, 26. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, 27. .Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President. 28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 29. Palmer aye. Latherow, no. Hynes, aye. Romano, 30. 31. aye. Welsh, aye. Daley, aye. ...aye. ...Senator Schaffer arise? 32.

SENATOR SCHAFFER:

While we're adding it all up down at the podium, ı. I'd like to take this opportunity to introduce the wives 2. of a couple of our colleagues in the President's gallery. 4. Senator Mitchler's wife, Helen and Senator Glass' wife, 5. Barbara. We appreciate you're being here, it's the only 6. way we seem to be able to keep your husbands on the Floor. 7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 8. On that question the ayes are thirty-one, the nays 9. are ten. SB 1024 having received a constitutional majority 10. is declared passed. Senator Dougherty moves to reconsider 11. the vote by which 1024 passed. Senator Carroll moves to 12. Table. All in favor signify by saying aye. The motion is 13. Tabled. SB 1147...oh, excuse me. 14. SECRETARY: 15. (Secretary reads title of bill) 16. 3rd reading of the bill. 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 18. Senator Mohr. 19. SENATOR HOWARD MOHR: 20. Yes Mr. President, I'm handling this for President 21. Harris who's off the Floor. This is the appropriation of 22. \$26,000,000 for the salaries of the Supreme Court, Appellate 23. Court and Circuit Court judges , clerks and staff. I know 24. of no objection and I ask for a unanimous roll call. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 25. 26. Is there any discussion? If not, the question is 27. shall SB 1174 pass and upon that question the Secretary 28. will call the roll. SECRETARY: 29. 30. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,

Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,

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- 2. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
- Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
- Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
- 5. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
- 6. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
- 7. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 8. Sours, aye. Newhouse. Rock, aye. McBroom, aye.
- 9. Course, aye. Kenny Hall, aye. Senator Vadalabene, no.
- 10. Senator Vadalabene for what purpose do you rise?
- 11. SENATOR VADALABENE:
- Mr. President and Members of the Senate, I am happy
- 13. to announce on the Floor of the Senate my former boss and
- 14. a great friend Secretary of State, the Honorable Michael J.
- Howlett.
- 16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 17. On that question the ayes are forty-eight, the nays
- 18. are none. SB 1174 having received a constitutional majority
- 19. is declared passed. 1173.
- 20. SECRETARY:
- 21. SB 1173 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 3rd reading of the bill.
- 23. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 24. Senator Mohr.
- 25. SENATOR HOWARD MOHR:
- 26. Yes,...
- 27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 28. . For what purpose does Senator Bruce arise?
- 29. SENATOR BRUCE:
- Yes, Senator Mohr, I know Senator Harris is off
- 31. the Floor. I gave an amendment to 1173 for his perusal
- 32. this morning and I don't know whether he's made a decision
- on that or not.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

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4. Yes, Mr. President, I'll respond to that. Senator...
5. Senator Harris has looked over the amendment and it is not
6. acceptable. No, he's going to call the bill. The amendment
7. is not acceptable Mr. President and the bill does as the
8. synopsis states, and I'd ask for a favorable roll call.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Is there any discussion? The question is shall SB 1173 pass. Senator Bruce.

12. SENATOR BRUCE:

Well, I suppose that in these last days that from time to time courtesies will not be extended. It's surprising to me that this amendment at least we did not have the attempt to...allowed the attempt to place this amendment on and I would like to discuss very briefly the problem this bill now presents. SB 1173 is an appropriation to the State Supreme Court, and I hope the lawyers who have cases before that and before the Judicial Commission and the Courts Commission will have a change to take a look at this appropriation. For what this appropriation does I believe violates two things. First of all a constitutionally created commission is funded in SB 1173. My amendment and bill which was not allowed to be introduced would have corrected that error. We now find in SB 1173 \$15,000 for the Courts Commission, established by the Constitution under Article 6, Section 15, Subsection E. I don't believe that we can fund that through this particular piece of legislation. It's question of disagreement with leadership, but I am...I am thinking that this Legislature is making a mistake that I hope can be corrected in the House for this reason, if

we do...if we do appropriate the money to this Supreme Court

- in this fashion I believe there's a chance that in a case
- before the commission someone can allege that there's been
- an inappropriate appropriation. You've got to remember
- there are two bodies involved, the Judicial Inquiry Board
- 5. and the Courts Commission. Both of those are constitutionally
- 6. created not legislatively but constitutionally created.
- 7. We have historically since the beginning of the Judicial
- 8. Inquiry Board given them money directly. Now, the Courts
- 9. Commission however last year I did not catch it, I think
- 10. it's time we correct our errors. We proceed with the error
- 11. by putting the money with the Supreme Court. You find
- 12. yourself in the very delicate situation of funding the
- 13. body that is going to be investigated. Now maybe everyone
- 14. would like to do that with the court system in the situation
- 15. it is in Illinois. I don't want to and I believe others on
- 16. this Floor don't want to and would have supported an amendment
- 17. to remove that \$15,000 and give it directly to the Courts
- 18. Commission. But now what we've said is we're giving the
- 19. money to the State Supreme Court, you give it to the
- 20. Courts Commission and that Court Commission will investigate
- 21. the very judges that are underneath your control. I feel
- 22. very uncomfortable about that. I believe other members
- 23. feel uncomfortable about it. For one thing the Constitution
- 24. says we by law will give sufficient money to the Commission.
- 25. I don't think we can do it in the appropriation to the
- 26. Supreme Court. I'm going to support this appropriation.
- 27. I don't understand Senator Harris' view that we could not
- 28. at least have discussed the amendment, discussed the very
- 29. delicate situation we're in of giving money to the Supreme
- 30. Court for the Courts Commission, a constitutionally created
- 31. commission. I don't know why we don't put the Judicial
- 32. Inquiry Board in here under that logic. I know why we
- 33. don't, is this Legislature and the Constitutional Convention

- 1. wanted an independent investigatory body under the Judicial
- 2. Inquiry Board and an independent trier of fact under the
- 3. Courts Commission. It seems to me just bad legislative procedure
- 4 . to give this money to the State Supreme Court. I'm sorry
- that we were not able to talk about that amendment. We're
- 6. not able to discuss the Judicial Inquiry Board, and the
- 7. Courts Commission particularly in light of what has happened
- 8. in some of our courts in this State.
- 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 10. Is there any further discussion? Senator Mohr may
- 11. close debate.

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- 12. SENATOR HOWARD MOHR:
- 13. Yes Mr. President, of course the time to put the amend-
- 14. ment on Senator Bruce would be either in Committee or on 2nd
- 15. reading. I would raise that point and Senator Harris has
- 16. had time to review this. It is his bill and he just does
- 17. not want to accept the amendment. He points out that the
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- Commission is created by the 1970 Constitution under Article 19.
- 20. General Assembly shall provide by law for the expenses of the

6, Section 15, paragraph E through G which provides that the

- 21.
- Commission and this is not a statutory body as suggested by
- 23.
- problem with the bill, so I'd ask for a unanimous roll call.

Senator Bruce. The Legislative Reference Bureau has no

- 24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 25. The question is shall SB 1173 pass. Upon that
- 26. question the Secretary will call the roll.
- 27. SECRETARY:

- 28. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,
- 29. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,
- 30. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
- Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski, 31.
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ı. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith, 2. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker, 3. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President. 4. 5. PRESIDING OFFICER (SEMATOR WEAVER): 6. Senator Chew would like to be recorded aye. Buzbee, 7. aye. Daley aye. Bell, aye. On that question the ayes 8. are forty-eight, the mays are none, three present. SB 1173 9. having received a constitutional majority is declared passed. 10. 1193. 11. SECRETARY: 12. SB 1193 (Secretary reads title of bill) 13. 3rd reading of the bill. 14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 15. Senator Harris. SENATOR HARRIS: 16. 17. This is a transfer within the appropriation to the 18. General Assembly out of committee expense of \$50,000 to the Senate Operations Commission. No new money, just a 19. 20. transfer. Would urge favorable roll call. 21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): Is there any discussion? Senator Swinarski. 22. 23. SENATOR SWINARSKI: I've looked in the synopsis and in the bills and I've 24. gone in the backroom looking for a copy of it, and I don't 25. quite understand that where the transfer is coming from 26. and to and what for exactly. And I wanted the opportunity 27. , to read it. I don't believe it's printed yet, Senator. 28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 29. Senator Harris. 30. SENATOR HARRIS:

be just fine. Just take the bill out of the record. Any

Senator, if you want this bill printed now that will

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- old time you want some help, you let me know.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- The question is shall SB...take it out of the record,
- 4. Mr. Secretary. We will proceed to the order of House Bills
- 5. on 3rd reading, and by agreement we're moving to HB 200.
- 6. Senator Mohr.
- 7. SENATOR HOWARD MOHR:
- 8. Mr. President, I think if some of the members would spend
- 9. more time on the Floor and be here every day...during the week
- 10. and read these bills and not wait until the last minute
- 11. until the bill is called, we'd be in much better shape. I
- 12. hope Senator Swinarski can get that off of the tape, he isn't
- 13. listening, but it's for his benefit.
- 14. SECRETARY:
- 15. HB 200 (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 16. 3rd reading of the bill.
- 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 18. Senator Glass.
- 19. SENATOR GLASS:
- 20. Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate. HB 200
- 21. would lower the drinking age in Illinois for beer and wine
- 22. to 19. Now I believe this is a bill which represents the
- 23. natural step in giving the full rights and responsibilities
- 24. to our citizens at earlier ages. As you know, 18 year olds
- 25. are now deemed old enough to vote, sign contracts and serve
- 26. their country in the armed services. And frankly I can see
- 27. little justification for discriminating against them in many
- 28. other areas. Now, I think there are advantages also in moving
- 29. in step. In the House the original bill contained the age
- 30. of 18 and it was increased to 19 basically on the grounds
- that a 19 year old would be out of high school. I believe
- 32. this is an appropriate distinction. Now, 18 year olds and
- 33. 19 year olds have entered our adult society in many respects

and as you know many of them drink already. Our neigh-2. boring States of Iowa, Wisconsin and Kentucky have legalized drinking for 18 years olds without serious З. incident. Many European countries have no curtailment 4 . 5. on...on drinking rights. And frankly I have a good deal 6. of faith in our younger citizens and I believe this is 7. a right that they should have. I would just amplify 8. briefly on this by saying that to me the single argument 9. that is most compelling is that of military service. 10. seems to me inconceivable that we can send our young men 11. and women into the service of their country and then tell 12. them on the other hand that they are not morally responsible 13. enough to drink beer and wine. I... I believe this is 14. indefensible. I think that virtually everyone who does 15. attend college today who wants to drink beer does so, 16. that it's hypocritical to assume the posture of attempting 17. to prohibit them from...from drinking. And I would point 18. out also that we're talking about not only college students 19. but the many, many, young men and women who do not go to 20. college but enter society upon their graduation from high 21. school and are breadwinners and are employed in gainful employment and yet legally cannot indulge in the drinking 22. 23. of beer and wine. So, Mr. President and Senators, I would 24. urge your support of HB 200. 25.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Bell.

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Well, Mr. President, I'm going to rise in opposition to HB 200. And it's something that I'm doing after a lot of study on my part. I know that as many of you have done because I've talked to many of you that we've searched our minds and come up with different position at times, but I think I've come to the proper position at this time.

and I'd like to point a few...a few incidents...a few ı. statistics...I'd like to point a few statistics that I 2. 3. think are very meaningful and proper in our considerations 4. upon this problem. And now I'm quoting in reference to, 5. or I'm taking these statistics in reference to a study 6. conducted in Ontario, Canada by Drs. R. G. Smart, a Diana 7. Faser, A Father J. White concerning the survey of addiction 8. sponsored by the Research Foundation of Ontario, Canada. 9. was printed...printed in a magazine called the American 10. Issue, by the American Council on Alocohlic Problems. There 11. has been a 10% increase in youthful drinking under the Canadian, the Ontario, Canada study that allows 18 year 12. 13. olds the right to drink. There has been a 71% increase in 14. drinking by students in the grades of 7, 9, 11 and 13. 15. They have consumed alcohol at least once a month, the 71%. 23.3% admit to the fact that it's four or more times per 16. 17. I might add that in 1971 Ontario brought in 18 year month. 18. old drinking as a law, they reduced it from 21 to 18. 19. The making of a drug, and that's what alcohol is, the 20. making of a drug legal for use is vastly, vastly different from allowing them to decide for themselves whether or not 21. 22. they're going to marry, or whether or not they're going to get a drivers license. And I submit to you... I submit to 23. 24. you that the question of military service while on the surface seems related is in fact not. I'd like to mention 25. in reference to Senator Glass' comment about military 26. 27. service making an individual a responsible individual and able to imbibe in alcohol. You know we can carry this 28. a step further and granted it is ridiculous, but the point 29. can be made that four year olds are old enough to fight and 30. they'll take on almost anyone as you know, even an adult 31. sometimes. However more pointedly 12 year olds can be 32. taught to obey orders and to shoot a gun with accuracy 33.

And they did it in the German army during the fall of the Nazi regime. But they're not old enough to drink, and for you that don't know it witness the problem that they have in France with 6 year old that have an alcoholic problem. Now I don't think we're going to be doing any favors for our youth by passing this bill. I think it's a bill that rather than giving them what they need and what they really desire to pssess puts an added burden on them that their responsibilities in life has been too. limited to properly adjust to. I might finally add in closing Senators that the State of Michigan the 29th of May had sought to reverse it's previous passed bill that allowed 18 year olds to drink it's before committee in the Michigan Legislature, evidently there's about a 10 to 1 committee favor...showing favoritism to reverse this so it's highly likely that the State of Michigan may reverse it's previous action in allowing 18 year olds to drink and put it back to 21. I think we stand on the verge in this Senate of some responsible decisions. been trying to make some. I feel that this decision can be irresponsible. I think we need it ... I think we need to ·make that decision for the State of Illinois and to safequard our children. I have three teenage daughters, and I don't think that I want to see this bill passed. Thank you. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Rock.

#### SENATOR ROCK:

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Yes, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I rise in support of HB 200. I congratulated the sponsor for successfully getting this bill out to the Floor of the Senate to get the kind of debate and discussion it deserves. I was the Senate sponsor of a similar measure which died in committee last year. There was only one sole objection

in the Senate committee and that was with regard to the l. arbitraryness of the 18, 19 or 20 year old. It was pointed 2. out and I think probably rightfully that an 18 year old in 3. many instances is still a senior in high school. 4. This bill has now been amended to cover just exactly that objection, 5. and relates to those who are 19 and 20. These are the 6. citizens of our State who have a right to vote, who have 7. the duty to fight and I suggest that we should extend to 8. them the privilege to have a glass of beer. I urge an 9. 10. aye vote.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

12. Senator Mitchler.

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### SENATOR MITCHLER:

Very briefly, Mr. President, Members of the Senate, because I believe all of you have received considerable mail both pro and con and I can't conceive why anyone would not have his or her mind made up at this time. I would like to ask the sponsor a question, and that is why is this bill at 19 years of age for drinking only beer and wine when you so eloquently advocated the age 18 for voting and doing many other things, serving on jury duty and I would suspect that you'd even approve of legislation to have 18 year olds on school boards. Could you answer the question why it's 19 and why it's limited to beer and wine?

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Glass.

### SENATOR GLASS:

Yes, Senator Mitchler, I did allude to that in my earlier presentation, but specifically the age was increased to 19 over in the House for several reasons, and changed to beer and wine rather than all alcohol for several reasons. I think the majority feeling was that by raising the age

to 19 high school students would not be included and many ı. persons in that Chamber had reservations with regard to 2.

high school students and so the sponsor in the House agreed з.

to increase the age to 19. Beer and wine are not...are 4

alcoholic beverages but do not cause intoxication as readily 5.

as others you know. And I think it was felt that this was a proper first step for Illinois to move in the direction 7.

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of more complete rights for 18 year olds. So I believe

these are the reasons that the age was changed and the 9.

bill modified in the House. 10.

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SENATOR MITCHLER:

Well, Senator Glass then you concur that age 19 is the proper age to have in this bill rather than 18.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Glass. 17.

SENATOR GLASS:

19. Well, I would concur for the reasons I gave that this is a proper first step toward giving more complete rights 20. to 18 year olds and I believe it is a proper age to have 21.

22. in the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 23.

Senator Mitchler.

SENATOR MITCHLER:

Thank you. Now, I want to go back to where this ball started. You know...everytime you get a bill down here you want to have a referendum on it when it involves the taxpayer, that poor little Mr., what was it, Sweeney or that guy the stiff on the street that Senator Sours refers to him in Peoria? But you know we .ad a constitutional convention and they put this proposition of lowering the voting age to 18 to the people. And the December 15, 1970

this is how the people voted. You always talk about the people. Yes, 869,816 on the question of lowering the voting age to 18, no, 1,520,924. But in February of 1971 immediately following the expression of the people this Body and the other Body across the rotunda saw fit to ratify and lower the voting age to 18. And from that we've had the genesis of all of this lowering down and lowering down giving all these additional privileges. If you put this up to the people, the people you'd find that the vote would be no. Because if you're mail is anything like my mail they do not believe that it is a proper thing. Now you all know of the arguments pro and con and I'm going to cast a negative vote. My little son happens to be sitting in back of me, he's going to be 18 here in January, another year he'll be able to vote. And I hope he votes right, at least I've tried to train him so, but I'm not going to try to train him to drink at 19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

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Well, I think it's unfortunate that Senator Mitchler brought in the vote on the 18 year olds subject before the constitution...as a part of the constitutional ratification because he simply ignores that this Body did not act on the basis of ignoring what the people had chosen to do on that question. We were virtually mandated into that position by an order coming from the Supreme Court. You know that and I don't know why you don't mention it. I don't think you've forgotten it. You just simply didn't mention it because it wasn't constant with your argument. But it makes your argument very specious and fatuous. Now, the fact of the matter is I'd like to see this bill be 18 or 19 across the board. It's sort of silly to me it seems for a young man to go into a place if he can drink beer or wine and

1. engage in arguments with the proprietor as to what the 2. components and constitutents parts of a particular 3. alcoholic beverage is. Some things that are called wine 4. are not in fact wine, and some things that are called other 5. things are something else. And I suggest to you...it's... 6. if a kid sitting in there with his father and he's drinking... 7. he has two beers and the old man says give him a shot, 8. what happens? He has an argument with the bar keep,... 9. he has an argument with proprietor. This bill ought 10. to go all the way across the board. Either if they can 11. drink at 19, beer, wine or whatever is made alcoholic, or 12. nothing - one or the other. But inasmuch as this is what 13. appears to be a reasonable compromise of conflicting dif-14. ferences, I'm going to support the bill. But it ought not 15. be limited to beer and wine, if he's 19 then you say he has 16. ability to carry any kind of alcoholic beverage ...you ought 17. to be able to carry any. It's like saying he should be able 18. to buy cigarette but not cigars or pipes, it's just that simple.

Senator Knuppel.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

#### SENATOR KNUPPEL:

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Mr. President and Members of this Body, I ask you why does anyone want 19 year olds or 20 year olds to drink, in fact why does anyone want to drink? Actually what is liquor, alcoholic beverages? It's distilled grain. It's slop, it's swill, it's what we use to feed our hogs at home. Now, what are the results of this? God gives you a beautiful body, it can in no way be improved by the use of drugs or alcoholic beverages. They only make you look silly, out of place. They dull your senses, and make a stupe out of you. But what's happened? Let's look at what's happened where they've done it in Michigan. And Ladies and Gentlemen these facts are irrefutable. Total accidents are up 140% for the 18 to

- 20 year old drivers while they're only up 14% for other
- drivers. Fatal accidents are up 164% for the 18 to 20
- year old drivers while they're only up 38% for other
- 4. drivers. Injuries...accidents with injuries are up 153%
- 5. for the 18 to 20 year old driver. They're only up 26%
- 6. for other drivers. The facts are irrefutable as to what
- 7. is to happen. Are you to wish these deaths, these injuries,
- 8. these maiming injuries on your own youth? Now, I have a
- boy 11 years old and I very much want him to find it as
- difficult as possible to find alcoholic beverages to drink.
- The arguments that youngsters do drink is not persuasive,
- 12. any more so than that...than are the facts that some teen-
- 13. agers use guns and knives. This is no reason to legalize
- 14. it, I say to you that this is as good an exhibition of the
- 15. moral decay and the...weakened moral fiber of America as
- 16. exists anywhere, the idea...the idea that 59 grown intelli-
- 17. gent men elected by the people would stand here and believe
- 18. that they're doing something that's worthwhile. Oh today,
- 19. Oh God, for another Carry Nation for all of us, not just
- 20. our teenagers. What are we doing? This is the number one
- 21. drug problem in America, it's worse than...and they just
- found that a committee...it's worse than any other drug.
- 23. It's caused more misery, more trouble, more heartbreak,
- 24. more poorness, more losses of gambling and other things that
- 25. people wouldn't do if they were sober. Why wish this on
- 26. your children at an age when they can enjoy life, when
- 27. they can have all the fulfillment of their capacities and
- 28. the enjoyment of those beautiful bodies that God gave them.
- 29. I say to you, stop and think. What you do here and when
- 30. you return here if you pass this bill this year or next
- 31. year you may be thinking as Michigan has where the Senate
- 32. has already passed a repealer on May 23rd of this year.
- 33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

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SENATOR HOWARD MOHR:

Yes Mr. President, I would agree wholeheartedly with 3. 4. Senator Knuppel on this subject, being a man that has the 5. problem of controlling some 60 liquor establishments in my 6. municipality serving as Liquor Commissioner, the thought 7. occurs to me that there is no way that this could really be 8. policed. We're talking about serving beer and wine in 9. restaurants, you put a tremendous burden on a tayern owner 10. or a restaurant owner, the waitresses. There's just no way 11. possible that this could really be policed or enforced. 12. is a bad, bad bill and I again agree 100% with Senator Knuppel 13. ...with regard to the deaths caused by drinking. 14. nessed that in many, many...many occasions in a spot that we 15. have up in Wisconsin, where my young boys have palled around 16. with young men that have been killed by automobile accidents 17. when imbibing and they'll get it soon enough. You know, 18. you have to wait sometimes for these things that we think 19. are good. But we'd be doing a great disservice to the 18 year olds and the owners and proprietors of liquor establish-20. 21. ments. Now, Mr. President, I would like to take a minute 22. to introduce to this Body a man that probably doesn't need 23. introduction to all but possibly a few new members. Up in 24. the President's gallery, a gentleman that retired after some 25. 36 years, the dean of the Illinois State Senate, a grander guy never lived, we're happy to have him back here with 26. us today, Senator Arthur Bidwill. With...with...with 27. Senator Bidwill is a real authority on the drink, well 28. on everything, that's true, but any information that one 29. might want on 18 year old drinking, Senator... Senators, 30. I would suggest you talk to Senator Bidwill's friend up there, 31. Phil Conolly, known to many of the fellow down here also 32.

and another gentleman with him, former Senator Art Gottschalk.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Sours.

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Mr. President, I want to confirm just about everything Senator Knuppel has said with reference to the experience in Michigan. It's been a slaughter pen up there and when there's such a complete reversal in such a very short time it's quite obvious that the highways did become an area of carnage, drunken drivers, young people. I wonder how many of those in the Chamber who are supporting this bill ever had the occasion to defend a drunk, even in the small community of Peoria I had one client who was arrested so he said 32 times for reckless walking. And he was confined in Peoria State Hospital about a dozen times in four or five years. I'm thinking also of the drunk I had one time, he was so drunk we had to get him in AA one A at a time. Now, the problem is at one time within the last ten years in Peoria State Hospital there was a population of about 2400 people committed. There was...there were 700 alcoholics at that time. Now there's...there's a bill on the Calendar right today, or it...it may be in Judiciary Committee which will treat the alcoholic party different from the non-alcoholic party. Now, we're just causing a lot of trouble here and as Senator Knuppel says this is a grave matter. It isn't anything we can laugh at or wink at or pooh-pooh once we... we throw the right to the...to the young person 19 years of age to booze it up, that's exactly what a large number of them will do. And we'd better realize that when this vote comes up for a roll call.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Johns, excuse me, Senator Hynes. Go ahead Senator Johns I don't see Senator Hynes on the Floor.

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Will the sponsor yield to a question? Senator Glass.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

He indicates that he will.

SENATOR JOHNS:

Senator Glass, would you tell me what is the largest disease in the United States noted by public health authorities?

SENATOR GLASS:

Well, I...I can't honestly say I know Senator, but
I'd be glad to have you tell me.

SENATOR JOHNS:

It's alcoholism. Now here we stand as members and representatives of the public. We're supposed to set an example, really for the young people of our nation. Silently and secretly as you attend functions and as you traverse about your territory, the young people once aware that you're a Senator look at you and evaluate you as a human being and as an adult. We need leadership in this country throughout for the young people to look to. They're crying for leadership with adults who must set an example in our everyday behavior and especially in the behavior that we conduct ourselves herein. We must give them something to live by and to look forward to. We cannot give them everything they want simply because they want it. I came here to represent the majority of the voters and I consider them to be adults. We gave the young people the right to vote and they sure didn't accept that responsibility. guess less than 12% of those available to vote turned out. They really accepted responsibilty. I was saddened by that fact. I really was. We will have insurance increases, our police force already beleaguered will be short in numbers to conduct the needed enforcement. Public and private property will be in jeopardy, our parks and

all of our public facilities will suffer. I ask you
 gentlemen as adults can we stand here today and offer
 them this example for them to look to in the future?
 Thank you very much.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Hynes.

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Mr. President, Members of the Senate I rise to recognize a very important person who is with us today, the beautiful bride of Senator Philip Rock, Sheila Rock.

And...and the wife of Senator Ben Palmer, Betty Palmer.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Nimrod.

#### SENATOR NIMROD:

Mr. President, fellow Senators we have heard a great deal of discussion relating to the facts of what has happened. I've heard very little about other than we should give the 18 year olds the right to drink on some weak excuse or the 19 year olds on some weak excuse that since they're able to fight they should be able to drink. But I want to tell you that we've been a number of wars and I've been in two myself, and I've seen a lot of drinking going on, and it doesn't mean that when they go to war they can't drink because it's available to them, they drink when they go to war. This doesn't give them the right to drink when they're in war or when they're in camp. I think this problem is a national problem and not one that States , should be fooling around with allowing us to have these borders of crossing over whether or not our children have been running over to Michigan. I didn't see thousands of young people flying up or driving up to Wisconsin because they've allowed it. I don't see them running over to Iowa or to Kentucky. I think it's about time we realized what

the issue is here. The real issue is one where we as 1. 2. parents and as responsible citizens and adults have to 3. say no to children. And it's about time that we stood 4. up and took away some of this permissiveness and we main-5. tained the kind of discipline that has brought us to this 6. day of responsibility. You and I are responsible today 7. because we had good teachers. Now, what happens with ... 8. with alcohol or with drinking when we allow it to go to 9. 19 year olds? Up until now it's the 19 and 20's, pretty 10. soon it's going to be the 15, 16 and 17 once you get by 11. the next ones. And when you start getting down to that 12. age what are we talking about? We saw it here and when 13. we go through...and marriage at 16. We see it here in 14. all the other permissiveness that's down to an area is a 15. person responsible at that age or are they still under 16. the guidance and leadership and learning. Is there any-17. thing that we could not offer a young person that he would 18. not accept. He will want everything. Now, we have heard 19. today that 50% of the drug problem, over 50% is alcohol. 20. We've heard that accidents pertaining on the road that the... 21. over 60% of the deaths between the ages of 19 and 25 22. have been caused in death with young people involved. 23. I attended a symposium two weeks ago. The shortest five 24. minutes I've ever had. The symposium, I attended an alcohol 25. and I found out that leaders from all over this nation 26. substantiate and prove this particular issue. All I can 27. say to us is that we must make a decision today that will effect the young people. If we're spending millions and 28. billions of dollars to eliminate drugs and the biggest 29. drug problem we have today by far is alcoholism, why are 30. we introducing new factors? 31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 32.

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Senator Nimrod, there are six other speakers and your

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SENATOR NIMROD:

I'm closing Mr. President. The big problem today is that we must look to ourselves and be ready to accept the responsibility of the deaths on the highway, the broken homes, the suicides and all the ills that come with alcohol. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Davidson.

#### SENATOR DAVIDSON:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I rise in opposition to this bill. I think you've forgot two items which all of you remember when you were young, when you used to have...when you were 17 or 18 and you looked up to the guy who was 21 as your friend and he'd go in and buy a beer or a bottle and bring it out and give you a drink. Now, the kids who are 15 or 16 year old, the 19 year old doesn't get away, they are still their friend, they are that many years senior, you look up to them. guy can go in or this girl can go in and legally buy beer or wine that the 15, 16 year old or even a 14 year old is going to be sitting out in the car drinking, which now is more difficult for anyone at that age to attain alcohol. I think the best opposition to this bill was given in two of the letters I received in opposition to it early when this bill first came over and their closing line was that we youth don't always know what's good for youth and please vote no on this bill. And I urge all of you . to vote no on this bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Merritt.

### SENATOR MERRITT:

Yes, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. This ought to begin to bring home to us the falling of our ways.

ı. Now I realize it was the Supreme Court ruling that lowered 2. the voting age to 18. But I think the people also spoke 3. very heavily in that constitutional convention election. 4. It's just another case of piecemealing everything together 5, for 18 year olds. They also now can be guardians, they can 6. be executors, administrators. We had to do each one piece-7. This is just another prime example of getting it 8. one more bit of legislation. I attempted to ge the LRB 9. to draft a bill to plain old say in simple terms that a per-10. son reaches their majority at age 18 for all purposes. 11. that's the way we should...attempt to address ourselves 12. to this problem. Unfortunately we have not done it. 13. Legislative Reference Bureau indicates there are perhaps a 14. thousand or more Sections of the Act involved and you could 15. not do it with one bill. But believe you me, we're going 16. to regret what's being done here today if this bill passes. 17. We made great strides in this State, in my humble opinion 18. in combating the problem of the drunken driver on the high-19. ways with our implied consent laws that's even been 20. strengthened. Now, in one fell swoop with the passage 21. of this bill you're going to undo all the good that has 22. been done in the lowering of our death rate and injuries on 23. the highways. Take the State of Michigan, and I'm not 24. going to bore you with all those figures again, but believe 25. me you when you're talking about the 18 to 21 group in 26. nine months of the operation 4,282 injured, 116 killed, 27. you better begin to think about your loved ones at home 28. once again. As I understand it the State of Michigan did 29. see the folly of their ways, a bill has been passed in one 30. house to repeal that action. I think we in Illinois, if 31. we love our families and don't want to look at that slaughter 32. of them on our highways, we better begin to think in terms 33. of what Michigan finally has acceded to as being the right

l. addressment to this problem and you're going to create all 2. sorts of havoc with good restaurants and tavern owners... 3. operators who own fine stablishments, some have already 4. indicated to me we've got enough problems already with the young, are you going to add further complexity to it. When 6. they walk in droves, some get a pitcher of beer, some a 7. little wine, all of a sudden a highball is delivered because 8. one's a little bit older and then...then you've got trouble, 9. the waitress is in trouble and the fellow looses his license 10. if there's an investigator there. I'm sorry, I certainly 11. oppose this bill vigorously in the interest of our loved

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Wooten.

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Mr. President, it's extremely difficult to steer a straight course when faced with legislation that has the emotional impact of this one. `Actually it really is too bad that we drink at all. But the fact is as far back as history goes men have attempted to alter their consciousness in one way or another. And in the western hemisphere it seems that alcohol is the device most commonly used. think if we could abolish drinking altogether it would be a small loss. But that small loss is not one that many people would easily sustain including I suspect members of this Chamber. We have attempted this before in prohibition and the plain fact is that it did not work. Now, the next 'step is we're faced with a guestion of when is a person an adult. I don't think I qualified in any sense until I was at least 30 and they're probably people in the Chamber who would think I don't quite make it today. There's a serious question as to whether 18 or 21 qualifies a person as an adult. But the plain fact is that's when people vote, and

we're talking about the rights of adult citizens. They ı. are rights that we enjoy and if they are old enough to 2. vote I am afraid we must by logic if nothing else extend 3. them the rights of majority. I'm not comfortable doing it. 4. I think we backed into this in a series of egregious 5. errors beginning all the way back in national policy 6. with the war in Viet Nam which pushed it back to voting 7. to 18 and now we're faced with this. It's a series of 8. 9. mistakes and unhappy choices and I'm afraid we're just kind of stuck with it. Also this is not a mandate to drink, 10. it's permission. And I don't think quite frankly we're going 11. 12. to change greatly the percentage of young people who are drinking right now. In terms of what alcohol can do in 13. accident: rates , it's absolutely true. It certainly 14. contributes to them but then so do automobiles and many 15. 16. other things that are very dangerous weapons. We probably 17. should not let our youngsters deal with but in plain fact we do. I'm unhappy with this. I would just as soon we 18. could dodge the whole issue but as I say we seem to be 19. impaled on several points of logic, questions that perhaps 20. do not go ...go together easily, we must bring together 21. in this vote. And so I'm going to support this compromise 22. of drinking beer and wine at the age of 19 because I really 23. do not see any other way for us to go. 24.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Graham. Senator Graham.

#### SENATOR GRAHAM:

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Well Senator Glass should feel pretty good, his bill has been picked pretty clean. I have heard of the virtues of the 18 year olds and the lack of the virtues. That concern I'm not going to deal with. One person, only Senator Merritt, alluded to it briefly. It hasn't been considered at least openly here today is a man and...or his wife or a family

who has put together their family fortune or have their 1. family investments throughout the years involved in a lounge, 2. cocktail lounge and or restaurant or what have you, that 3. can not sustain a series of closing or a losing of their 4. 5. license. Now, there is no good restaurant or tavern or lounge 6. in Springfield, Decatur, Chicago or anywhere else that is 7. going to properly be able to police a large crowd to the 8. extent that they're going to be able to say that these... this table is drinking only beer and wine and this one 9. 10. over here is drinking Seven Crown and 7-Up. So the 11. ultimate result of this kind of a problem will result in effecting whom. Not the 18 year old that's not paying 12. 13. taxes, it's going to effect that person, that guy on the 14. street, that fellow who has been paying a liquor license 15. municipally and state-wide and real estate taxes and 16. personal property taxes and sales taxes and all the other things all through the years. And we're going to take 17. 18. a chance on putting him out of business. So if we must 19. pursue this course, then for God's sake let's have a 20. separate facility bill where they can know then this... in this one location that they're only drinking beer and 21. 22. wine, and don't have any whiskey around. This is absolute 23. insanity.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Schaffer.

SENATOR SCHAFFER:

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I think I have a distinction in this Body, I don't know if it's a totally unique one. I don't drink. I don't drink at all. Those of you who know me know that that's true. I haven't got any traumatic story to tell. I made my decision a long time ago, long before I was 19 and my daily existence reinforces my conviction that this is a wise and prudent path. I've represented districts

1. that voted two to one for Barry Goldwater, destroyed the 2. gentleman the Democrats ran in the last Presidential . 3. election, and perhaps is one of the most conservative 4. districts in this State. And I'm down here I believe 5. to represent their interest. I put a public opinion 6. poll out to over 2,000 homes of registered voters, which 7. means that these people are predominately over 21. 8. Obviously they're probably over 35, they're probably 9. average aged somewhere around 50. Oddly enough we got 10. a tremendous response back, we got a 33% response back. 11. And 60% of the people who responded indicated that they 12. favored lowering the drinking age either to 18, to 19 13. or to 19 for beer and wine. Quite frankly that indicates 14. to me that this idea is an idea whose time has come. I 15. share Senator Graham's reservations about 19 for just beer and wine. 16. I think it is going to impose some hard-17. ships on the people that run these type of establishments. 18. If my mail is any kind of an indicator they are prepared 19. to accept these hardships. I wish them well on it. 20. going to support this bill because the people in my district 21. want it. I think it's going to create some problems but 22. I think the .. we've lowered the voting age, I think these 23. people have these rights. And I'm going to support this 24. bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Ozinga.

## SENATOR OZINGA:

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Mr. President, being one of the vociferous members of this Body I think it's about time that I would rise to the occasion here and as I stand here I am thinking along the line that about ten or twelve or maybe fourteen years ago I can remember sponsoring a bill that would have raised the limit to 21 for all people and as Senator Bidwill

sits up there he can remember when Denny Collins got up 1. and made a 4th of July speech on that very issue and it 2. took up about twenty-five minutes to calm him down. 3. here we've had all of thse 4th of July speeches here 4. today and all of the reporters have done a...great big job 5. of getting everybody's quote in the newspaper. And I 6. don't think it's changed a vote from the minute they 8. stepped into this Chamber. Therefore, Mr. President, I would move the previous question. 9. 10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 11. There's one more that I...is on the list, Senator Bartulis. He waves off, so Senator Glass may close debate. 12. 13. SENATOR GLASS: Thank you, Mr. President. Briefly closing debate 14. 15. because it has been a long debate and I think a good one, I would make a plea for the bill simply on this ground. 16. You've heard Senator Knuppel call attention to the fact 17. 18. that there are many evils in drink, that we should set 19. examples for our young people and I would agree with them. I think the way to set an example is to do so by acting 20. and not by saying. What we're...what we're doing in this 21. 22. bill is simply saying to the young people we accept you 23. as adults and we're giving you the reponsibility to 24. make this important decision on your own. You don't have to drink, there's nobody forcing you to do it but you 25. ought to be entitled to make this decision yourself. 26. 27. would urge a favorable roll call on HB 200. PRESIDING OFFICER 28. (SENATOR WEAVER): The question is shall HB 200 pass and upon that 29. 30. question the Secretary will call the roll.

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Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,

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- Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth
- 2. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,
- 3. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard
- 4. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,
- 5. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,
- 6. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,
- 7. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,
- 8. Weaver, Welsh, Wooten, Mr. President.
- 9. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 10. Daley, aye. McBroom, no. Clarke, no. Graham, no.
- 11. On that question the ayes are thirty-two, the nays are
- 12. three. HB 200 having received a constitutional majority
- 13. is declared passed. Verification has been requested, the
- 14. Secretary will verify the yeas.
- 15. SECRETARY:
- 16. The following...
- 17. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 18. Will the Senators please be in their seats for
- verification.
- 20. SECRETARY:
- 21. The following voted in the affirmative. Berning,
- Buzbee, Carroll, Chew, Conolly, Daley, Donnewald, Dougherty,
- Glass, Harber Hall, Kenneth Hall, Hynes, Kosinski, Don
- Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nudelman, Palmer, Partee, Requer,
- 25. Rock, Roe, Romano, Saperstein, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro,
- 26. Vadalabene, Walker, Weaver, Welsh, Wooten.
- 27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 28. Senator Conolly on the Floor? Senator Conolly on the
- 29. Floor? Upon verification the ayes are thirty-two, the
- nays are thirteen, one present. The roll has been verified.
- 31. Senator Glass is recognized on a motion.
- 32. SENATOR GLASS:
- 33. Having voted on the prevailing side I move to reconsider

the vote by which HB 200 passed. l. 2. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 3. Senator Glass moves to reconsider the vote by which HB 200 was passed, and Senator Chew moves to Table. All 4 . 5. in favor signify by saying aye. Motion is Tabled. Chair 6. recognizes Senator Glass on a motion on SB 1061. 7. SENATOR GLASS: 8. ...On the President's Desk is a motion to reconsider 9. the vote by which the bill was defeated and I would ask the unanimous consent of the Body to have...that...preserve 10. that motion until tomorrow. 11. 12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 13. Is there leave? Leave is granted. Any announcements? 14. Senator Latherow: 15. SENATOR LATHEROW: 16. Mr. President, I rise on a point of personal privilege for the purpose of introduction. Sitting in the President's 17. 18. Galery is the good wife of Senator Merritt and her sister, 19. Mrs. Sikes. I wonder if they would rise and be recognized 20. by the members of the Senate? 21. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 22. Senator Knuepfer. 23. SENATOR KNUEPFER: 24. Are we on some miscellaneous business, Senator? PRESIDING OFFICER 25. (SENATOR WEAVER); No, we're on announcements, Senator. 26. 27. SENATOR KNUEPFER: 28. Oh, that's what I want to do, announcement. Next

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week there will be ...there will be a change in the order

of the committee meeting on Public Health, Welfare and

Corrections. The first meeting will be held on Tuesday

night at 7:00 o'clock and the last one at our regular date,

Thursday afternoon. Now, we're putting on...an extra meeting on

1. so that we can get all the bills out by the deadline which

is next week. Those bills will be put on as far as possible

on the Tuesday evening meeting so that we don't have every-

thing left for Thursday. So those of you who have bills

before this Committee or who are members of the Committee

put 7:00, Tuesday evening on your schedule for the first

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PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Hynes.

#### SENATOR HYNES:

Mr. President, I have two motions to make with respect to SB 1187. This bill deals with the fiscal year of the Chicago Board of Education. It was assigned to the Revenue Committee, and I believe it appropriately belongs in the Education Committee. I've talked to Senators Fawell and Clarke and they have...they are in agreement, I would move to discharge the Revenue Committee from consideration of this bill and ask that it be assigned to the Education Committee. That's the first motion. And secondly I would move to, since this is a Senate Bill to suspend the rules of the Senate and ask permission to have this bill heard today without the required six day notice.

# PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

Senator Hynes moves to discharge and re-refer SB 1187 from Revenue to Education. Is there leave? Leave is granted. Now he moves to suspend the rules so that the bills may be heard today. Is there leave? Leave is granted. Senator Carroll.

### SENATOR CARROLL:

Thank you Mr. President, I would have a similar motion that HB 982 which has been assigned to the Committee on Public Health be re-referred to the...that the Committee be discharged and that the bill be re-referred to the Committee

- l. on Judiciary. I have discussed this with the Chairman of
- 2. Public Health and he is...has agreed to this motion.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 3.
- 4. Is there leave? Leave is granted. Senator Buzbee.
- 5. SENATOR BUZBEE:
- Thank you Mr. President. Mr. President I would move 6.
- 7. that SB 1071 be discharged from the Executive Committee and
- be moved to the order of 2nd reading. I've checked with 8.
- 9. the...this is agreeable with the Chairman of the Committee
- 10. and with the leadership of both sides.
- 11. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 12. Is there leave? Leave is granted. Senator Dougherty.
- SENATOR DOUGHERTY: 13.
- 14. ... of the Senate, I would ask that the Judiciary Com-

discussed with the Chairman of the Judiciary and he is

- 15. mittee be discharged from further consideration of HB 841,
- and the bill placed on the order of 2nd reading. I have 16.
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- 18. agreeable.
- 19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 20. Is there leave? Leave is granted. So ordered.
- 21. Senator Regner.
- 22. SENATOR REGNER:
- 23. Mr. President...Mr. President, Members of the Senate
- 24. I would like to ask for suspension of the rules on posting
- 25. notices so that HB 907 can be heard in Elections Committee
- tomorrow morning, along with its companion bill 908 which 26.
- was posted last week. 27.
- PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER): 28.
- Is there leave? Leave is granted, so ordered. Senator 29.
- Hall. 30.
- SENATOR HARBER HALL: 31.
- I'd like leave of the Senate to be included as co-32.
- sponsor on SB 517. 33.

- 1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- Is there leave? Leave is granted, he will be so
- shown. Senator Ozinga.
- 4. SENATOR OZINGA:
- Senate Executive Committee is already 25 minutes
- 6. late, therefore, we'll go into Session immediately,
- 7. Room 212.
- 8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 9. Senator Knuepfer.
- 10. SENATOR KNUEPFER:
- 11. As far as...are there any provisions for the 6-day
- 12. rule as of next week? Now some of the bills are still
- 13. coming here, there's obviously not going to be six days
- 14. available. Is there some kind of a general provision we
- 15. can make to exempt next week everything on the 6-day rule?
- 16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 17. The rules that have to be suspended then, would you
- 18. talk to Senator Harris or Senator Partee. Senator Partee.
- 19. SENATOR PARTEE:
- 20. I'd like Senator Harris' attention if I may on the
- 21. question which Senator Knuepfer just asked. Senator
- 22. Knuepfer just asked a question with reference to whether
- 23. we're going to wave the 6-day rule. I would suggest this
- 24. is a matter we take up in Rules Committee tomorrow, because
- 25. it's perfectly obvious that something has to be done. The
- 26. House's Bills should have been here two weeks ago and they're
- 27. still passing House Bills over there as of this time, I'm
- 28. told.
- 29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):
- 30. Are their further announcements? Senator Harris.
- 31. SENATOR HARRIS:
- 32. Well, I would just say I think you make a valid point
- 33. and let us have a Rules Committee meeting at 9:45 tomorrow

morning in my office. Rules Committee at 9:45, we'll get ı. 2.

a follow-up notice to the Members. 9:45 tomorrow morning.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR WEAVER):

The Senate will stand adjourned. 10:00 in the 4.

5. morning, Gentlemen, Ladies.

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