

5th Special Session  
78th General Assembly  
November 18, 1973

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. The Fifth Special Session of the 78th General  
3. Assembly will now be convened. Reading of the Journal.

4. SECRETARY:

5. Tuesday, November 13, 1973.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

7. Senator Shapiro.

8. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

9. Mr. President, Members of the Senate, I move that  
10. we move the approval of the Journal of Tuesday, November  
11. the 13th 1973 of the Fifth Special Session.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

13. All in favor of the motion of Senator Shapiro will  
14. signify by saying aye. Opposed? The ayes have it and  
15. the motion carries. Senator Shapiro.

16. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

17. ...Mr. President, I now move that we postpone the  
18. reading and approval of Wednesday, November the 14th,  
19. Thursday, November 15th and Friday, November 16th of the  
20. Fifth Special Session until the arrival of the printed  
21. Journal.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

23. You've heard the motion of the Senator from Amboy.  
24. All in favor will signify by saying aye. Opposed? The  
25. ayes have it and the motion carries. Resolutions.

26. SECRETARY:

27. Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 by Senator Weaver.

28. (Secretary reads Resolution).

29. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

30. Senator Weaver moves the adoption of the Adjournment  
31. Resolution. All in favor signify by saying aye. Opposed?  
32. The ayes have it and the Resolution is adopted. I believe  
33. the Chair is correct in indicating that we will proceed

1. to the order of House Bills on Third Reading in the Fifth  
2. Special Session. Is that correct Senator Davidson? You  
3. would like to have consideration Senator...Rock? Senator  
4. Rock?

5. SENATOR ROCK:

6. I do. I talked to Senator Davidson last week, I do  
7. in fact have an amendment for House Bill No. 1. Now if  
8. you want to push it tonight all right or else we can hold  
9. it.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

11. Senator Davidson.

12. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

13. I'll hold it until I speak with Senator Rock and see  
14. what the amendment is. I...didn't know we had an amendment.  
15. Hold it until I see what it is.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

17. All right then we will hold all those bills on Third  
18. Reading and...I now have a motion from the Senator from  
19. Hoopeston that the Fifth Special Session of the 78th General  
20. Assembly, Senator Merritt has asked it be adjourned until  
21. Tuesday, November 27th next at 1:15 p.m. All in favor will  
22. signify by saying aye. Opposed? The ayes have it...just a  
23. minute...that was taken from the record. The motion was  
24. withdrawn. Senator Harris.

25. SENATOR HARRIS:

26. What was the motion? To adjourn the Fifth Special  
27. Session?

28. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

29. Yes.

30. SENATOR HARRIS:

31. Well, I would urge you to reconsider that has the motion  
32. been put? Can we take it out of the record.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

1. The motion has been put and Senator Merritt did  
2. withdraw his motion and it will be taken out of the  
3. record.

4. SENATOR HARRIS:

5. All right...it's just come to my attention that  
6. in the absence of our two DuPage County Senators we've  
7. sent for Representative Redmond. ...Those two bills in  
8. the Fifth Special Session, House Bills 4 and 5 are  
9. urgently requested by Representative Redmond to be acted  
10. on by the Senate tonight if we can. We've sent for  
11. Representative Redmond, he should be here momentarily,  
12. and after a little parlay with Senator Partee and Senator  
13. Mohr, Chairman of the Elections Committee, maybe we can  
14. get to that order of business in that Session and dispose  
15. of it tonight. Now, what is your intention Mr. President  
16. after the Fifth Special Session? To proceed to which  
17. Session?

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

19. To the Third Special Session...and if it's...

20. SENATOR HARRIS:

21. To the Third. Why don't we recess the Fifth and  
22. proceed with the concurrences that we anticipate in those  
23. Senate Bills that the House has amended?

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

25. It has been requested by the...President that we do  
26. stand in recess on the Fifth Special Session and proceed  
27. forthwith to considerations of measures on the Calendar in  
28. the Third Special Session. The Senate will be in recess  
29. on the Fifth Special Session until the call of the Chair.

30. (AFTER THE RECESS)

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. The Fifth Special Session of the General Assembly...  
33. 78th General Assembly which was recessed subject to the call

1. of the Chair is now convened. Senator Don Moore.

2. SENATOR MOORE:

3. ...Yes Mr. President. At this time I would like to  
4. move to suspend the Rules so that I may handle Senate Bills  
5. 3 and 4 of the...I mean House Bills 3 and 4 of the...Fifth  
6. Special Session inasmuch as Senator Fawell is the chief  
7. sponsor, he is not here...4 and 5? All right.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

9. ...Will you restate your motion Senator?

10. SENATOR MOORE:

11. I would ask that the Rules be suspended so that I may  
12. act as the chief sponsor in handling House Bills 4 and 5 of  
13. the Fifth Special Session...

14. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

15. Is leave granted? Leave is granted and Senator Don  
16. Moore will be shown as the sponsor of Senate Bills 4 and 5  
17. of the Fifth Special Session. Senator Moore.

18. SENATOR MOORE:

19. If we could proceed with...House Bill...

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. ...SB 4...

22. SECRETARY:

23. HB 4. (Secretary reads title of the bill).  
24. 3rd reading of the bill.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

26. Senator Don Moore.

27. SENATOR MOORE:

28. Thank you Mr. President, Members of the Senate. What this  
29. bill does Mr. President and members of the Senate, it allows  
30. the county board to hire a chief clerk and an assistant chief  
31. clerk for their county board of election commissioners. These  
32. two offices are not presently in the law...they desire to have  
33. them put in so that the county board could hire a chief clerk

1. and an assistant chief clerk for the...for their board of  
2. election commissioners in their county. I know of no  
3. objection I'd appreciate...

4. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

5. The question before the Senate is shall HB No. 4 pass?  
6. Upon that question the Secretary will call the roll.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,  
9. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,  
10. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth  
11. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer, Knuppel, Kosinski,  
12. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard  
13. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,  
14. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,  
15. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,  
16. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
17. Weaver, Welsh Wooten, Mr. President.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

19. Buzbee, aye. Scholl, aye. Been a request for a call  
20. of the absentees. Wooten, aye. On this motion the yeas  
21. were 36. The nays were none. The bill having received the  
22. constitutional three-fifth's constitutional majority is  
23. therefore declared passed. SB No. 5.

24. SECRETARY:

25. SB 5. (Secretary reads title of the bill).  
26. House...House Bill 5.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

28. House...House Bill, I'm sorry.

29. SECRETARY:

30. 3rd reading of the bill.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

32. Senator Don Moore.

33. SENATOR DON MOORE:

1. Yes, before anybody leaves...Mr. President, I would  
2. very briefly explain this bill. What it does, it states that  
3. in those counties that have established a county board of  
4. election commissioners pursuant to articles 6a they can  
5. levy a 4 mil tax...and I'd appreciate a favorable roll call.  
6. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

7. The question before the Senate is shall HB No. 5 pass  
8. and upon that question the Secretary will call the roll.  
9. SECRETARY:

10. Bartulis, Bell, Berning, Bruce, Buzbee, Carroll,  
11. Chew, Clarke, Conolly, Course, Daley, Davidson, Donnewald,  
12. Dougherty, Fawell, Glass, Graham, Harber Hall, Kenneth  
13. Hall, Hynes, Johns, Keegan, Knuepfer Knuppel, Kosinski,  
14. Latherow, McBroom, McCarthy, Merritt, Mitchler, Howard  
15. Mohr, Don Moore, Netsch, Newhouse, Nimrod, Nudelman,  
16. Ozinga, Palmer, Partee, Regner, Rock, Roe, Romano,  
17. Saperstein, Savickas, Schaffer, Scholl, Shapiro, Smith,  
18. Sommer, Soper, Sours, Swinarski, Vadalabene, Walker,  
19. Weaver, Welsh Wooten, Mr. President.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

21. Weaver, aye. Keegan, aye....I have her. ...This  
22. question the yeas were 36. The nays were 1. The bill having  
23. received the constitutional three-fifth's required majority  
24. is therefore declared passed. Any further business to be  
25. brought before the Fifth Special Session. If that is not  
26. prior to...the motion for adjournment let us all have a  
27. Happy Thanksgiving and God willing we'll be back next Tuesday.  
28. There is motion by Senator Harris that the...Senator Partee.

29. SENATOR PARTEE:

30. I was busy and I neglected to do something I was asked  
31. to do. The Governor of this State told me to wish everybody  
32. a Happy Thanksgiving and I'm sure that includes Senator  
33. Shapiro.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

2. Does Senator Harris now move...Oh, Senator Harris,  
3. I'm sorry.

4. SENATOR HARRIS:

5. Mr. President, might I have unanimous consent of the  
6. Senate to show in the Journals of all of the Sessions that  
7. Senator Soper's absence tonight is occasioned by illness .  
8. He has the flu, he called this afternoon, indicated he would  
9. make the attempt to get here if we just absolutely had to  
10. have him. Could I have leave for the Journal to show Senator  
11. Soper, in all of the Sessions, Journals in all the Sessions is  
12. ...absence...absent because of illness.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

14. Is leave is granted? Leave is granted. Senator Soper  
15. will be so shown.

16. SENATOR HARRIS:

17. I now move that the Fifth Special Session adjourn subject  
18. to the Joint Resolution...

19. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

20. ...1:15.

21. SENATOR HARRIS:

22. That was adopted that we adjourn until Tuesday, November  
23. 27th at 1:15 p.m.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER (SENATOR GRAHAM):

25. All in favor of the motion signify by saying aye. Opposed?  
26. The ayes have it. The motion carries. Senate stands adjourned.

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