

82ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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1. PRESIDENT:

2. The hour of nine having arrived the Senate will please come
3. to order. Will the members please be at their desks. Will our
4. guests in the gallery please rise. Our prayer this morning by
5. Rabbi Barry A. Marks, Temple Israel, Springfield, Illinois.
6. Rabbi.

7. RABBI BARRY A. MARKS.

8. (Prayer given by Rabbi Marks)

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Thank you, Rabbi. Reading of the Journal. Senator Johns.
11. SENATOR JOHNS:

12. Thank you, Mr. President. I move that reading and approval
13. of the Journals of Thursday, June the 4th; Friday, June the 5th;
14. Tuesday, June the 9th; Wednesday, June the 10th; Thursday, June
15. the 11th; Friday, June the 12th; and Monday, June the 15th, in
16. the year of 1981, be postponed pending arrival of the printed
17. Journal.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. You've heard the motion as placed by Senator Johns. Any
20. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All
21. opposed. The Ayes have it. The motion carries, and is so ordered.
22. Messages from the House.

23. SECRETARY:

24. A Message from the House by Mr. Leone, Clerk.

25. Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate the
26. House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the
27. passage of a bill with the following title, to-wit:

28. Senate Bill 61, together with House Amendment No. 1

29. A like Message on Senate Bill 116, with House Amendments 1 and 2.

30. A like Message on Senate Bill 527, with House Amendment 1.

31. A like Message on Senate Bill 596, with House Amendment 1.

32. A like Message on Senate Bill 783, with House Amendments 1, 2,
33. and 3.

1. A like Message on Senate Bill 929, with House Amendment No. 1.
2. A like Message on Senate Bill 1085, with House Amendment No. 1.
3. And a like Message on Senate Bill 1145, with House Amendment
4. No. 1.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Secretary's Desk Concurrence. Resolutions.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Senate Resolution 238, offered by Senators Collins and Walsh
9. and all Senators, and it's congratulatory.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Consent Calendar. All right, with leave of the Body, we'll
12. turn to page 22 on the Calendar. On the Order of House Bills
13. 2nd reading. On the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House
14. Bill 22. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

15. SECRETARY:

16. House Bill 22.

17. (Secretary reads title of bill)

18. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Any amendments from the Floor?

21. SECRETARY:

22. No Floor amendments.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. 3rd reading. 28, Senator Gitz. Senator Gitz on the Floor?
25. 36, Senator Mahar. On the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House
26. Bill 36. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

27. SECRETARY:

28. House Bill 36.

29. (Secretary reads title of bill)

30. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary II offers
31. two amendments.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Mahar. Committee Amendment No. 1.

1. SENATOR MAHAR:

2. Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. Committee
3. Amendment No. 1 is just a clarification amendment. I would ask
4. for its adoption.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Mahar moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
7. 1 to House Bill 36. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
8. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1
9. is adopted. Further amendments?

10. SECRETARY:

11. Committee Amendment No. 2.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Mahar.

14. SENATOR MAHAR:

15. Yes, thank you, Mr. President. Committee Amendment No. 2,
16. likewise clarifies the position of the sheriff and deputy sheriff
17. within a county. And I'd ask that it be adopted.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Mahar moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
20. 2 to House Bill 36. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
21. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is
22. adopted. Further amendments?

23. SECRETARY:

24. No further committee amendments.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Any amendments from the Floor?

27. SECRETARY:

28. Amendment No. 3 from Senator Mahar.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Mahar.

31. SENATOR MAHAR:

32. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 3 opts out Cook County,
33. and all of the home rule municipalities within the county, a point

HB 28
2nd Reading

1. of contention in this particular bill. I would ask it be adopted.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Mahar moves the adoption of Amendment No. 3 to House
4. Bill 36. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying
5. Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted.
6. Further amendments?

7. SECRETARY:

8. No further amendments.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. 3rd reading. On the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House
11. Bill 28. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

12. SECRETARY:

13. House Bill 28.

14. (Secretary reads title of bill)

15. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary II offers
16. one amendment.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Gitz.

19. SENATOR GITZ:

20. Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. This
21. amendment is added at the request of the Department of Law En-
22. forcement and the Judiciary II Committee. What it states, that...
23. provided a person has been granted relief by the appropriate
24. Federal authority from a like prohibition imposed under applicable
25. Federal law relating to the possession of rifles or shotguns by
26. convicted felons. The problem we have now, is that the Federal
27. law requires something different than the State law, that has
28. created a situation where technically they can be in compliance
29. with an Illinois Statute, but not be in compliance to the Federal
30. law. The department feels that this amendment would help reduce
31. that confusing situation.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. All right, Senator Gitz moves the adoption of Committee Amendment

HB 93
2nd Reading

1. No. 1 to House Bill 28. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
2. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
3. amendment is adopted. Are there further amendments?

4. SECRETARY:
5. No further committee amendments.

6. PRESIDENT:
7. Any amendments from the Floor?

8. SECRETARY:
9. No Floor amendments.

10. PRESIDENT:
11. 3rd reading. 46, Senator Walsh. 69, Senator Joyce. 73,
12. Senator Chew. On the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, top of
13. page 23, is House Bill 73. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

14. SECRETARY:
15. House Bill 73.
16. (Secretary reads title of bill)

17. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
18. PRESIDENT:
19. Any amendments from the Floor?

20. SECRETARY:
21. No Floor amendments.

22. PRESIDENT:
23. 3rd reading. 76, Senator Nega. 93, Senator Geo-Karis.
24. Senator Nash, will you tell Senator Geo-Karis it's House Bill
25. 93. On the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 93.
26. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

27. SECRETARY:
28. House Bill 93.
29. (Secretary reads title of bill)

30. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Revenue offers one
31. amendment.

32. PRESIDENT:
33. Senator Geo-Karis.

1. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

2. Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I'd
3. like to move to withdraw the committee amendment, because we have
4. a better one that was approved by the Chairman of the...

5. PRESIDENT:

6. All right, Senator...

7. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

8. ...can I Table the committee amendment?

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Geo-Karis moves to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
11. to House Bill 93. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
12. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. Committee Amend-
13. ment No. 1 is Tabled. Further amendments?

14. SECRETARY:

15. No further committee amendments.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Any amendments from the Floor?

18. SECRETARY:

19. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Geo-Karis.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Geo-Karis.

22. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

23. Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
24. Amendment No. 2 is the one that was approved, that we promised
25. to put on. And it says...it limits the inheritance to...exemp-
26. tion to ten thousand dollars for...for stepchildren.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. All right, Senator Geo-Karis moves the adoption of Amendment
29. No. 2 to House Bill 93. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
30. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
31. amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

32. SECRETARY:

33. No further amendments.

HB 145
2nd Reading

1. PRESIDENT:
2. 3rd reading. 97, Senator Netsch. On the Order of House
3. Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 97. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
4. SECRETARY:
5. House Bill 97.
6. (Secretary reads title of bill)
7. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. Any amendments from the Floor?
10. SECRETARY:
11. No Floor amendments.
12. PRESIDENT:
13. 3rd reading. 123, Senator Lemke. On the Order of House
14. Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 123. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
15. SECRETARY:
16. House Bill 123.
17. (Secretary reads title of bill)
18. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
19. PRESIDENT:
20. Any amendments from the Floor?
21. SECRETARY:
22. No Floor amendments.
23. PRESIDENT:
24. 3rd reading. 142, Senator Berman, the middle of page 23.
25. 143, Senator Chew. 145, Senator Marovitz. On the Order of
26. House Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 145. Read the bill, Mr.
27. Secretary.
28. SECRETARY:
29. House Bill 145.
30. (Secretary reads title of bill)
31. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary I offers one
32. amendment.
33. PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Marovitz.

2. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

3. Thank you, very much, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen
4. of the Senate. Amendment No. 1...adopted in committee says, that
5. pursuant to a court order, a person can obtain records of a
6. psychologist upon payment or copy of the expenses for those
7. records. And also includes a clinical psychologist in additional...
8. in addition to social worker or family service agency, mental
9. health center, et cetera, which a court may order a spouse for
10. treatment, pursuant to an issuance of an injunction. It was
11. adopted in committee. I would ask for adoption of Committee
12. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 145.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Marovitz moves the adoption of Committee Amendment
15. No. 1 to House Bill 145. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
16. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
17. amendment is adopted. Are there further amendments?

18. SECRETARY:

19. No further committee amendments.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Any amendments from the Floor?

22. SECRETARY:

23. No Floor amendments.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. 3rd reading. 158, Senator Lemke. On...on the Order of House
26. Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 158. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

27. SECRETARY:

28. House Bill 158.

29. (Secretary reads title of bill)

30. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive offers one
31. amendment.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Lemke.

1. SENATOR LEMKE:

2. I move for the adoption of it.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Lemke moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
5. 1 to House Bill 158. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
6. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
7. amendment is adopted. Are there further amendments?

8. SECRETARY:

9. No further committee amendments.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Any amendments from the Floor?

12. SECRETARY:

13. Amendment No. 2 by Senator Friedland.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Friedland.

16. SENATOR FRIEDLAND:

17. Thank...thank you, Mr. President. It's an immediate effective
18. date amendment.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. All right, Senator Friedland moves...pardon me. Senator
21. Friedland moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill
22. 158. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye.
23. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Are
24. there further amendments?

25. SECRETARY:

26. No further amendments.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. 3rd reading. 159, Senator Gitz. On the Order of House Bills
29. 2nd reading, House Bill 159. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

30. SECRETARY:

31. House Bill 159.

32. (Secretary reads title of bill)

33. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive offers one
amendment.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Gitz.

3. SENATOR GITZ:

4. Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. This
5. deletes the provision which required each agency to file its
6. written security plan with the Data Information Systems Commission.
7. And instead provides that each State agency and department shall
8. notify the Data Information Systems Commission in writing that
9. the required security plan has been established.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Gitz moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
12. 1 to House Bill 159. Any discussion? If not, all in favor sig-
13. nify by saying...Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
14. amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

15. SECRETARY:

16. No further committee amendments.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Any amendments from the Floor?

19. SECRETARY:

20. No Floor amendments.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. 3rd reading. 161, Senator Nash. Senator Nash.

23. SENATOR NASH:

24. Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Can
25. I have leave to come back to 161 today? They drafted...have an
26. amendment and the amendment was drafted wrong. And they're re-
27. writing it.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. ...Saturday. 174, Senator Marovitz. On the Order of House
30. Bills 2nd reading, top of page 24, House Bill 174. Read the bill,
31. Mr. Secretary.

32. SECRETARY:

33. House Bill 174.

1. (Secretary reads title of bill)

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

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Any amendments from the Floor?

5. SECRETARY:

6. No Floor amendments.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. 3rd reading. 183, Senator Collins. Senator Collins on the
9. Floor? 192, Senator Johns. On the Order of House Bills 2nd
10. reading, House Bill 192. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

11. SECRETARY:

12. House Bill 192.

13. (Secretary reads title of bill)

14. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Any amendments from the Floor?

17. SECRETARY:

18. No Floor amendments.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. 3rd reading. Senator Grotberg on the Floor? 197, mussels.
21. On the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 197. Read
22. the bill, Mr. Secretary.

23. SECRETARY:

24. House Bill 197.

25. (Secretary reads title of bill)

26. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Agriculture, Conservation,
27. and Energy offers one amendment.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Grotberg.

30. SENATOR GROTBORG:

31. Thank you, Mr. President. This is the bill of the year. If
32. you all remember my minnow bill when it got over to the House, it
33. was a nothing bill, and they've turned it into the State-wide in-
crease on the fishing license of two dollars. And I just thought

1. maybe it might not pass the House. So, this is the minnow bill
2. added to the mussel bill, two little nothing bills, and I move
3. the adoption.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Grotberg moves the adoption of Committee Amendment
6. No. 1 to House Bill 197. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
7. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amend-
8. ment is adopted. Are there further amendments?

9. SECRETARY:

10. No further committee amendments.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Any amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No Floor amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. 3rd reading.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. House Bill 209, Senator Nedza. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary,
19. please.

20. SECRETARY:

21. House Bill 209.

22. (Secretary reads title of bill)

23. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Elections and Reappor-
24. tionment offers seven amendments.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

26. Senator Nedza.

27. SENATOR NEDZA:

28. Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. In the...
29. for expediency, there are seven amendments that were agreed upon
30. in committee by both sides of the...the aisle, so to speak. And
31. it was a bi-partisan effort for all of the amendments to be placed
32. into this bill, and I would move for the adoption of all seven
33. of the amendments. And at the time that the bill comes to the

1. Floor, at that time, the membership will have more than ample
2. time to study the entire bill. And they're rather lengthy, so
3. I would move for the adoption of Amendment No. 1, 2, 3, up to
4. 7, inclusive, with the leave of the Body.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

6. Is there leave? Senator Rhoads.

7. SENATOR RHOADS:

8. There would be no objection if Senator Nedza will promise
9. to recall this from 3rd to 2nd for further amendments.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

11. Senator Nedza.

12. SENATOR NEDZA:

13. I...I have no problem with that, Senator, the only thing that
14. I would ask, is that the amendments be presented to us.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

16. All right, Senator Nedza's agreed that he'll bring it back.
17. Senator Rhoads.

18. SENATOR RHOADS:

19. ...has an amendment, and he will present it to Senator Nedza
20. before...

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

22. The motion is to adopt Amendments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7
23. to House Bill 209. On those motions, is there discussion? Senator
24. Totten.

25. SENATOR TOTTEN:

26. Thank you, Mr. President. Will the sponsor yield for a
27. question?

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. Indicates he will yield. Senator Totten.

30. SENATOR TOTTEN:

31. There are a number of bills that are incorporated in there.
32. Is one of the amendments an amendment that allows the State Central
33. Committeemen to be elected by...appointed by the precinct

1. committeemen rather than the election by Primary?

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

3. Senator Nedza.

4. SENATOR NEDZA:

5. Not in...not in any of the amendments, Senator.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

7. Senator Totten.

8. SENATOR TOTTEN:

9. Thank you, Mr. President. I wonder if the sponsor could just
10. give a quick two line synopsis of all of the amendments that are
11. in there?

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

13. Yes, I think that might be...Senator Nedza just briefly on
14. each amendment.

15. SENATOR NEDZA:

16. All right, thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1, is
17. Senate Bill 275, which provides for the Primary date the last
18. Tuesday in April. Amendment No. 2, is Senate Bill 34, which...
19. amends the Campaign Disclosure Law by...defining the transfer
20. of funds. Amendment No. 3, is House Bill 221, which changes
21. some of the wording, the word shall to should, and requires the
22. word shall...or should instead of shall, technical amendments.
23. Amendment No. 4, is similar to House Bill 306, which deletes the
24. requirement of campaign disclosure manuals and forms to be pre-
25. sented to all candidates at the time of filing. Amendment No. 5,
26. is similar to Senate Bill 7...Senate Bill 790, which amends
27. the Election Code and Township Act to provide that nominations
28. for candidates for multitownship officers shall be held by the
29. voters of each political party. Amendment No. 5...6, I'm sorry.
30. Amendment No. 6 is the same as House Bill 1750, which amends
31. various acts relating to backdoor referenda. Amendment No. 7,
32. is the same as Senate Bill 831, which is the...increasing the salary
33. range to the Executive Director of the State Board of Elections.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

2. Further discussion? Senator Netsch.

3. SENATOR NETSCH:

4. Thank you, Mr. President. As one of those who had a House
5. Election Bill, which obviously did not see the light of day, al-
6. though I can't find that there was ever a vote on it. I was told,
7. at least, that the substance of that bill would be incorporated
8. in...or part of the substance of that bill, the acceptable part
9. of the substance of that bill, would be incorporated in House Bill
10. 209. I have listened to your summary of the amendments, and it's
11. not there, and I guess I would really like to know where it is?

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

13. Senator Nedza.

14. SENATOR NEDZA:

15. Senator, at the time that we were...the committee met, those
16. bills that the committee could agree upon to incorporate in this,
17. this is what we have. I would advise you to speak to the chairman
18. of the committee as to what happened to that particular content.
19. It's presently...I'm informed, that it's presently in...in House Bill
20. 403. Senator Netsch.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

22. Senator Nedza...

23. SENATOR NEDZA:

24. Senator Netsch, it's presently in House Bill 403, the amend-
25. ment that you're speaking about.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

27. Senator Netsch.

28. SENATOR NETSCH:

29. Well, this is sort of like a shell game, you have to know
30. under which one to look to find the bill that you used to have,
31. and that was put in, in good faith, either by a Senate sponsor
32. or by a House sponsor. I will accept your word that it's some-
33. where. But I certainly would like to see the white of its eyes

1. before we vote all of these bills out of here. And while I'm
2. on the subject, and getting riled up, I would like to say that
3. I think this is the most outrageous kind of practice that I have
4. ever seen in my life, when only bills sponsored by one or two
5. people are permitted out of the Elections Committee so that they
6. can be under safe control. Some of us had fairly routine, not
7. terribly controversial bills in on our own, and they all suffered
8. the same fate. Some of them did not even show up in another bill,
9. but under no circumstances were they to be allowed out of committee
10. under any but safe control. I think it is an outrageous practice,
11. and I would like to express my strong disapproval of it right now.
12. And if that still means I am not going to see the House Bill 1668,
13. sobeit.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

15. Further discussion? Senator Nedza.

16. SENATOR NEDZA:

17. Yes, Senator Netsch, the amendment that you're...or the
18. bill that you're speaking of, is Amendment No. 1 to House Bill
19. 403, and I happen to be the sponsor of that also, and I...if
20. you feel safe with me, Alstate or me, I...I'm happy to be of
21. service.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

23. Further discussion? Senator Philip.

24. SENATOR PHILIP:

25. Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
26. Senate. I'm...I'm glad you've...you've finally figured out what's
27. going on, Senator Netsch. I want you to know the first rationale
28. to do it was, that none of the Democratic bills were getting out
29. of the House Elections Committee, which is absolutely untrue and
30. unfounded. The second rationale we got was, oh, we don't want
31. so many bills to clutter up things around here, we want to put
32. them all in, so we have a less amount of bills on the Calendar.
33. Come to find out that the Chairman of Elections Committee has more

1. bills than any Senator. And so, we're not happy about it, they've
2. killed every bill I've had in that committee, and if they like...
3. some of my bills they killed, and they amend them into their bills.
4. Well, it certainly has been a disaster. We...we call that committee
5. the Gong Show, and you can probably understand why. And I'm glad
6. that somebody on the other side of the aisle has finally woken up
7. to what is going on. You ought to come into that committee some-
8. time.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

10. Further discussion? Senator Rhoads. We are on the...we are on
11. the motion to adopt seven amendments.

12. SENATOR RHOADS:

13. A question of the sponsor. Senator Nedza, just so that we're
14. clear on this, Senator Bloom does have an amendment he wants to
15. offer either to this bill or to 403. You are saying that you will
16. call it back...provided you are given a copy of the amendment
17. beforehand, but that...but your promise to call it back is not
18. contingent upon your approving of Senator Bloom's amendment, is it?

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

20. Senator Nedza.

21. SENATOR NEDZA:

22. Senator Rhoads, I made a statement that I will call back House
23. Bill 209, this is the bill that we're referring to, this is the bill
24. that Senator Bloom wished to attach an amendment to. I will call
25. the bill back, look at the...look at the amendment, call the bill
26. back, and whether I support the amendment or not is questionable,
27. but I will call the bill back.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. Further discussion? The question is on the motion to adopt
30. Amendments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7. On the motion to adopt,
31. all in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendments
32. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, to House Bill 209 are adopted.
33. Further amendments?

1. SECRETARY:

2. No further committee amendments.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

4. Are there amendments from the Floor?

5. SECRETARY:

6. No Floor amendments.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

8. 3rd reading. 219, Senator Maitland. Read the bill, Mr.

9. Secretary, please.

10. SECRETARY:

11. House Bill 219.

12. (Secretary reads title of bill)

13. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

15. Are there amendments from the Floor?

16. SECRETARY:

17. No Floor amendments.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

19. 3rd reading. House Bill 239...for what purpose does Senator

20. Rock arise?

21. SENATOR ROCK:

22. I don't mean to preempt Senator Kent, but she is one who is
23. always in her seat. I would move, at this time, that the Senate
24. stand in recess until the hour of eleven o'clock, the purpose
25. for that is twofold. The Governor has convened a meeting at the
26. Mansion of those persons interested in an attempt at a solution
27. to the unemployment insurance problem. I'm told there is a real
28. problem, yes. And so a number of the members of the Senate, and
29. the House, the House does not convene until noon, by the way, are
30. to repair to the Mansion in an attempt to effect a solution to that
31. problem. Additionally, Senator Bloom, as Chairman of the Joint
32. Committee on Administrative Rules, has a couple of rather weighty
33. decisions, and those persons who are members of that committee, I'm
sure, Senator Bloom, will announce the time and place of that meeting.

1. We will reconvene here at eleven for the purpose of continuing
2. with 2nd reading, and then we'll break for committee at approx-
3. imately one o'clock or one-thirty.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

5. Discussion? The motion is to recess. Senator Bloom,
6. announcement.

7. SENATOR BLOOM:

8. No, I'll wait until after the motion passes, I was going to
9. announce that the...

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

11. Go ahead.

12. SENATOR BLOOM:

13. ...joint committee will meet at ten o'clock in room 122B
14. on the first floor.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

16. All right. Further business to come before the Senate?
17. Senator Rock moves that the Senate stand in recess until the
18. hour of eleven. On the motion to recess, all in favor say Aye.
19. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. The Senate stands in recess
20. until 11:00 p.m...a.m.

21. RECESS

22. AFTER RECESS

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Resolutions.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Senate Resolution 239, offered by Senators Sangmeister and
27. Etheredge, congratulatory.

28. Senate Resolution 240, offered by Senators Lemke, D'Arco,
29. Dawson, Degnan, Vadalabene, Nega, and all Senators, commendatory.

30. Senate Resolution 241, offered by Senator Davidson and
31. all Senators, and it's congratulatory.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Consent Calendar. Allright, if you'll turn to page 24 on the

1. Calendar, continue on the Order of House Bills 2nd reading. On
2. the Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 239. Read the
3. bill, Mr. Secretary.

4. SECRETARY:

5. House Bill 239.

6. (Secretary reads title of bill)

7. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Are there amendments from the Floor?

10. SECRETARY:

11. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Kent.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Kent.

14. SENATOR KENT:

15. Amendment No. 1 adds an additional cause for which the
16. death penalty can be applied. The amendment clarifies the
17. language in...in accordance with the committee wishes.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. All right, Senator Kent moves the adoption of Amendment No.
20. 1 to House Bill 239. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
21. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
22. amendment is adopted. Are there further amendments?

23. SECRETARY:

24. No further amendments.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. 3rd reading. 242, Senator Marovitz. On the Order of House
27. Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 242. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

28. SECRETARY:

29. House Bill 242.

30. (Secretary reads title of bill)

31. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Any amendments from the Floor?

HB 249
2nd Reading

1. SECRETARY:

2. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Marovitz.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Marovitz.

5. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

6. Thank you, very much, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen
7. of the Senate. This would allow the department to be in compet-
8. ition with CDB in counties that now, in their amount of
9. retainage, it is not spelled out, so that they would be able
10. to have lower bids and be in competition so that they would not
11. have to retain a certain percentage, and that could be flexible
12. depending on the market. I would ask for adoption of Amendment
13. No. 1 .

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Marovitz has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
16. to House Bill 242. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
17. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment
18. is adopted. Further amendments?

19. SECRETARY:

20. No further amendments.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. 3rd reading. Senator Thomas, for what purpose do you arise?

23. SENATOR THOMAS:

24. Thank you, Mr. President. I would respectfully request
25. House Bill 65 be taken from the Agreed Bill List for purposes
26. of an amendment next week.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. All right, that request...you are the sponsor, that request
29. is certainly in order. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. So
30. ordered. 245, Senator Degnan. 249, Senator Berman. On the
31. Order of House Bills 2nd reading, House Bill 249. Read the
32. bill, Mr. Secretary.

33. SECRETARY:

1. House Bill 249.

2. (Secretary reads title of bill)

3. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Are there amendments from the Floor?

6. SECRETARY:

7. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Marovitz.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Marovitz.

10. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

11. Thank you, very much, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen
12. of the Senate. Amendment No. 1 was the amendment that was dis-
13. cussed and committed to in Senate Appropriations...Senate Judi-
14. ciary Committee. It would say that the fine for these cases
15. would be not less than the street value of the drugs, and in
16. addition it would allow the defendant to testify as to what the
17. actual value...street value of the drugs was. He was precluded
18. in the original legislation, he would be added, so that he would
19. have the...would be allowed to testify as to the street value of
20. the drugs. I would ask for adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House
21. Bill 249.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Marovitz has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
24. to House Bill 249. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
25. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment
26. is adopted. Are there further amendments?

27. SECRETARY:

28. No further amendments.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. 3rd reading. 252, Senator Berman. On the Order of House Bills
31. 2nd reading, House Bill 252. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

32. SECRETARY:

33. House Bill 252.

1. (Secretary reads title of bill)
2. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary I offers
3. one amendment.
4. PRESIDENT:
5. Senator Berman.
6. SENATOR BERMAN:
7. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment was adopted in
8. committee, it spells out the procedure for withdrawing a parcel
9. from the Torrens system. I move the adoption of Committee Amend-
10. ment No. 1.
11. PRESIDENT:
12. All right, Senator Berman has moved the adoption of Committee
13. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 252. Any discussion? If not,
14. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
15. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
16. SECRETARY:
17. No further committee amendments.
18. PRESIDENT:
19. Any amendments from the Floor?
20. SECRETARY:
21. No Floor amendments.
22. PRESIDENT:
23. 3rd reading.
24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
25. House Bill 256, Senator Marovitz. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
26. SECRETARY:
27. House Bill 256.
28. (Secretary reads title of bill)
29. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Transportation offers
30. one amendment.
31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
32. Senator Marovitz.
33. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

1. Thank you, very much, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen
2. of the Senate. Transportation Committee Amendment No. 1 to
3. House Bill 256 grants permission...permissilbe permission to the
4. ICC to allow an applicant for a relocaters license to operate
5. while he is being investigated for his criminal background, so
6. that the business would not be in jeopardy and harmed on not
7. being able to have relocaters. I would ask for adoption of
8. Committee Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 256.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

10. Is there any discussion? Senator Coffey.

11. SENATOR COFFEY:

12. Yes, Senator Marovitz, in committee was there a problem we
13. were going to try to correct at the time when this was...we have
14. a note here on...that there was a problem with the bill, and we
15. were going to try to correct it before it left 2nd reading.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

17. Senator Marovitz.

18. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

19. Might I ask the Secretary if there is a...has been a Floor
20. amendment filed? It's corrected...by the next amendment.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

22. Are there...further discussion? If not, Senator Marovitz moves
23. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 256. Those in favor
24. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
25. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?

26. SECRETARY:

27. No further committee amendments.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

29. Any amendments from the Floor?

30. SECRETARY:

31. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Marovitz.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

33. Senator Marovitz.

1. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

2. Amendment No. 2 offered by myself, was an amendment that
3. was brought to my attention by the Commerce Commission, and the
4. Transportation Committee. It's a...it's a technical amendment,
5. merely, it adds the words or dispatchers, that was left out. And
6. it is a technical amendment, that was an error in the bill.
7. This corrects that error.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

9. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Marovitz moves
10. the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 256. Those in
11. favor will signify by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes
12. have it. Amendment No. 2 is adopted. Any further amendments?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No further amendments.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

16. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 257, Senator Egan. Senate Bill
17. 259, Senator Johns. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

18. SECRETARY:

19. House Bill 259.

20. (Secretary reads title of bill)

21. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

23. Any amendments from the Floor?

24. SECRETARY:

25. No Floor amendments.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

27. 3rd reading. House Bill 260, Senator Jerome Joyce. House
28. Bill 267, Senator D'Arco. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

29. SECRETARY:

30. House Bill 267.

31. (Secretary reads title of bill)

32. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

HB 293
2nd Reading

1. Any amendments from the Floor?
2. SECRETARY:
3. No Floor amendments.
4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
5. 3rd reading. House Bill 270, Senator Berman. House Bill
6. 272, Senator Berman. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
7. SECRETARY:
8. House Bill 272.
9. (Secretary reads title of bill)
10. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
12. Any amendments from the Floor?
13. SECRETARY:
14. No Floor amendments.
15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
16. 3rd reading. House Bill 289, Senator Bruce. House Bill
17. 290, Senator Marovitz. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
18. SECRETARY:
19. House Bill 290.
20. (Secretary reads title of bill)
21. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments. No committee
22. amendments.
23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
24. Any amendments from the Floor?
25. SECRETARY:
26. No Floor amendments.
27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
28. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 293, Senator Maitland. Read the
29. bill, Mr. Secretary.
30. SECRETARY:
31. House Bill 293.
32. (Secretary reads title of bill)
33. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Transportation offers
one amendment.

HB 295
2nd Reading

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
2. Senator Maitland.
3. SENATOR MAITLAND:
4. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 simply puts this
5. bill in the same posture as the Senate Bill that was designed to
6. do the same thing, and that is it takes the increase off of the
7. first time driver's licenses, and it now applies only to the
8. permits. I move for the adoption.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
10. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Maitland moves
11. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 293. Those in
12. favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have
13. it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?
14. SECRETARY:
15. No further committee amendments.
16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
17. Any amendments from the Floor?
18. SECRETARY:
19. No Floor amendments.
20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
21. 3rd reading. House Bill 295, Senator Vadalabene. Read the
22. bill, Mr. Secretary.
23. SECRETARY:
24. House Bill 295.
25. (Secretary reads title of bill)
26. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
28. Any amendments from the Floor?
29. SECRETARY:
30. No Floor amendments.
31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
32. 3rd reading. House Bill 305, Senator Maitland. Read the
33. bill, Mr. Secretary.

RB-205
2nd Reading

1. SECRETARY:

2. House Bill 305.

3. (Secretary reads title of bill)

4. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Insurance, Licensed
5. Activities offers two amendments.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

7. Senator Maitland.

8. SENATOR MAITLAND:

9. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 is technical, only
10. in nature. I move for the adoption.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

12. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Maitland moves the
13. adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 305. Those in favor
14. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
15. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. Committee Amendment No. 2.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

19. Senator Maitland.

20. SENATOR MAITLAND:

21. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 2 clarifies the law
22. to prohibit bank holding companies from being issued an insurance
23. agents or a broker's license. And I would move the adoption.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

25. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Maitland moves
26. the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 305. Those in favor
27. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
28. ment No. 2 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?

29. SECRETARY:

30. No further committee amendments.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

32. Any amendments from the Floor?

33. SECRETARY:

1. No Floor amendments.
2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
3. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 319, Senator Marovitz. Senator
4. Marovitz, 319. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
5. SECRETARY:
6. House Bill 319.
7. (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
10. Any amendments from the Floor?
11. SECRETARY:
12. No Floor amendments.
13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
14. Well, some...no, I had one indicated for a Floor amendment,
15. that's what I'm just checking. No Floor amendments? 3rd reading.
16. Senate Bill 322, Senator Marovitz. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
17. SECRETARY:
18. House...House Bill 322.
19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
20. Senate Bill...or House Bill 322.
21. SECRETARY:
22. House Bill 322.
23. (Secretary reads title of bill)
24. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary II offers
25. one amendment.
26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
27. Senator Marovitz.
28. SENATOR MAROVITZ:
29. ...thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of
30. the Senate. This amendment was requested by the Judiciary II
31. Committee, it exempts sparklers from the...from the term fire-
32. works. I would ask for adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

1. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Marovitz moves the
2. adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 322. Those in favor
3. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
4. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?

5. SECRETARY:

6. No further committee amendments.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Any amendments from the Floor?

9. SECRETARY:

10. No Floor amendments.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

12. 3rd reading. House Bill 335, Senator Lemke. House Bill 337,
13. Senator Vadalabene. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

14. SECRETARY:

15. House Bill 337.

16. (Secretary reads title of bill)

17. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health, Welfare,
18. and Corrections offers one amendment.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

20. Senator Vadalabene.

21. SENATOR VADALABENE:

22. Yes, thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate.
23. Senate Committee Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 337 does the following.
24. It deletes the deaf persons from the title of the Act, and substitutes
25. hearing impaired throughout the Act for deaf. It amends the Human
26. Rights Act by expanding the definition of handicapped, to include
27. but not limited to a determinable physical characteristic which
28. necessitates the persons use of a guide or a hearing dog. And
29. adds a provision to the Human Rights Act, which makes it a civil
30. rights violation for the owner or agent of any housing accommodation
31. to refuse to sell to or rent because a person has a guide or
32. hearing dog. And I move for the adoption of the amendment.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

1. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Vadalabene moves
2. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 337. Those in favor
3. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
4. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?

5. SECRETARY:

6. No further committee amendments.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Any amendments from the Floor?

9. SECRETARY:

10. No Floor amendments.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

12. 3rd reading. House Bill 339, Senator Nega. Read the bill,
13. Mr. Secretary.

14. SECRETARY:

15. House Bill 339.

16. (Secretary reads title of bill)

17. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary II offers
18. one amendment.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

20. Senator Nega.

21. SENATOR NEGA:

22. This is clarifying language, all it does is remove...deletes
23. lines 9 through 16, and inserts the following language. A person
24. who expressly or impliedly threatens to do bodily harm or does
25. bodily harm to an individual or to that individual's family, or
26. uses any other criminally unlawful means to solicit or cause
27. any person to join any organization or association regardless
28. of the nature of such organization or association, is guilty of
29. a Class 3 Felony. I approve the amendment.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

31. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Nega moves
32. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 339. Those in
33. favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it.

1. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?
2. SECRETARY:
3. No further committee amendments.
4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
5. Any amendments from the Floor?
6. SECRETARY:
7. No Floor amendments.
8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
9. 3rd reading. House Bill 346, Senator Bruce. House Bill 348,
10. Senator Maitland. House...read...read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
11. SECRETARY:
12. House Bill 348.
13. (Secretary reads title of bill)
14. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
16. Any amendments from the Floor?
17. SECRETARY:
18. No Floor amendments.
19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
20. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 349, Senator Egan. Senate Bill 368,
21. Senator Coffey. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
22. SECRETARY:
23. House Bill 368.
24. (Secretary reads title of bill)
25. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health, Welfare
26. and Corrections offers one amendment..
27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
28. Senator Coffey.
29. SENATOR COFFEY:
30. Yes, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. Committee
31. Amendment No. 1 amends...and exempts laboratories owned and op-
32. erated by insurance companies from the Illinois Clinical Laboratories
33. Act. These laboratories must be for the sole purpose of performing

1. tests to determine insurance risks. I'd ask for a favorable roll
2. call.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

4. Is there any further discussion? If not, Senator Coffey moves
5. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 368. Those in favor
6. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
7. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee amendments?

8. SECRETARY:

9. No further committee amendments.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

11. Any amendments from the Floor?

12. SECRETARY:

13. No Floor amendments.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

15. 3rd reading. House Bill 372, Senator Keats. Read the bill,
16. Mr. Secretary.

17. SECRETARY:

18. House Bill 372.

19. (Secretary reads title of bill)

20. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

22. Any amendments from the Floor?

23. SECRETARY:

24. No Floor amendments.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

26. 3rd reading. House Bill 373, Senator Philip. Senator Philip.
27. Do you want to...read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

28. SECRETARY:

29. House Bill 373.

30. (Secretary reads title of bill)

31. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Insurance and Licensed
32. Activities offers one amendment.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

1. Senator Philip.

2. SENATOR PHILIP:

3. Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
4. Senate. The amendment simply allows the new State of Illinois
5. Center downtown in Chicago to sell liquor. I move the adoption
6. of Amendment No. 1.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Is there further discussion? Senator Rhoads.

9. SENATOR RHOADS:

10. Roll call.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

12. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Philip moves
13. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 373. Those in favor
14. indicate by saying Aye. A roll call has been requested. Will
15. the Senators please be in their seats. A roll call has been requested,
16. on Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 373. Senator Philip.

17. SENATOR PHILIP:

18. You know, I...obviously...obviously I must have stirred some-
19. body, somebody decided to wake up. And I'm going to make it,
20. you know, pretty simple, I hope. And as you know, we're building
21. a new State Office Building in downtown Chicago. There will be a
22. lot of employees there, and we have some restaurateurs that
23. want to open up a restaurant in the new facility. And quite
24. frankly, they have requested to sell liquor in that facility. You
25. know they intend to put some very nice restaurants there, and to
26. serve some liquor. And all this does is, allow the restaurants
27. in that building to serve liquor. And it...this...I believe was
28. a request from the other side of the aisle, if my memory serves
29. me correctly, and it shouldn't be any big problem. If there are any
30. questions, I'll be happy to answer it.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

32. Senator Kenny Hall.

33. SENATOR HALL:

1. Well, he just answered my question. I wanted to know who
2. was going to sell the liquor.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

4. Senator Philip.

5. SENATOR PHILIP:

6. You know, I haven't got a thing to do with that, I haven't
7. the slightest idea...I would assume it would be the same procedure
8. as any other State park or any other State facility in regards
9. to bidding on who gets the restaurant, they get the restaurants
10. and they're allowed to sell liquor. I haven't the slightest
11. idea. I assure you, I'm not going to be bidding on any of the
12. restaurants in that facility.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

14. Senator Nash.

15. SENATOR NASH:

16. A question of the sponsor.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

18. He indicates he will yield.

19. SENATOR NASH:

20. Senator Philip, who are the restaurateurs going to be in
21. that State of Illinois Building?

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

23. Senator Philip.

24. SENATOR PHILIP:

25. Probably all Greek.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

27. Oh, Senator Rock.

28. SENATOR ROCK:

29. Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
30. Senate. I am happy to announce that my seat...seatmate is back.
31. And we are truly delighted.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

33. Senator Donnewald. That brings the Democratic total back to

1. thirty again. Just a little reminder, fellows. Is there further
2. discussion? Senator Rhoads.

3. SENATOR RHOADS:

4. It won't make any difference, Senator Savičkas. Senator Philip,
5. would this be the first time that a State Office Building was auth-
6. orized to sell liquor on the premises? That's...that's the only
7. question I'd like to ask.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

9. Senator Philip.

10. SENATOR PHILIP:

11. You know, very honestly, Senator Rhoads, I'm not sure. I'm
12. trying to think, at Zion State Park, we have a Holiday Inn there,
13. and if I remember, the Holiday Inn does sell liquor on a State
14. facility. ...other than that, I can't think of anything else,
15. very honestly. But, you know, let me just say this, you know,
16. that's going to be a gigantic facility, with a lot of people,
17. and a lot of people want the convenience of staying in that building
18. and eating, and perhaps having a glass of wine or a glass of beer
19. with...with lunch or dinner. And, you know, I...you know, quite
20. frankly, think that is a positive thing for a new facility.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

22. Senator Rhoads.

23. SENATOR RHOADS:

24. Yes, Senator Philip, I don't...I agree with you, it's not
25. a great big burning issue, it's just that some of us would not...
26. would rather not be recorded as voting for a precedent of this
27. kind, where a State Office Building, as a matter of public policy,
28. where liquor is being sold on the premises of a State Office
29. Building. And...and for that reason, that's why I had requested
30. the roll call.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

32. Senator Nash.

33. SENATOR NASH:

1. Yes, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
2. I rise in support of this amendment. You have State of Illinois
3. renting office space right next door to the State Office Building
4. in Chicago, 180 West Randolph, and they sell liquor in that
5. building. By passing this amendment, permitting the sale of
6. liquor in the new State of Illinois Building, it will increase the
7. revenue to the State, that the restaurateurs will be paying in
8. rent because it probably will be percentage leases, and it's
9. a good amendment. I urge your support.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

11. Senator Grotberg.

12. SENATOR GROTBORG:

13. Well, thank you, Mr. President. To clarify the issue, I rise
14. in support of this amendment. But let's...let's decide about
15. how hypocritical we can be, sports fans. We've...we've authorized
16. all of our universities now to do their thing, we've got Starved
17. Rock, we've got Zion State Park, and we have the...the whole
18. McCormick Place complex, we have Soldier's Field, we've got the
19. ball games, and all of the sudden it shouldn't be that the State
20. of Illinois will sign leases, by bid, with restaurateurs, and
21. you'd better believe those bids will have a little percentage
22. of the gross in them, and it all comes back home to roost in
23. the form of helping to pay for that building. If I thought the
24. State of Illinois were going to contract and own the...the...
25. the concession, then we would be wrong, but these leases are
26. written everyday in every way, all over downtown Chicago, and
27. all across the State of Illinois. The...the...the concept of
28. ...of...of breaking through the barrier on...on spirits and
29. beverages has long been crossed in the last five years. There's
30. nothing wrong with this at all. I hope you vote Aye.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

32. Is there further discussion? Senator Vadalabene.

33. SENATOR VADALABENE:

1. I move the previous question. I think we know what it's
2. all about.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

4. Senator Philip may close debate.

5. SENATOR PHILIP:

6. Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
7. Senate. As you know, we're...we are doing it in State parks now,
8. in Zion, is an example of that. We're...I understand we do it
9. at some of the State universities that have a conference or
10. a convention, they allow liquor to be sold through the catering
11. facilities. We do it at Soldier's Field, you know, which is a
12. City of Chicago Park District. And, you know, it's worked well
13. there, I've dranken some of the beer at the football games. So,
14. ...is he surrendering?

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

16. For what purpose does Senator Rhoads arise?

17. SENATOR RHOADS:

18. Withdraw my request for the roll call.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

20. Is there further discussion? If not, the question is, shall
21. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 373 be adopted. Those in favor will
22. vote Aye. Those opposed wote Nay. The...have all...those...
23. will indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed will indicate by
24. saying No. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any
25. further committee amendments?

26. SECRETARY:

27. No further committee amendments.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

29. Any amendments from the Floor?

30. SECRETARY:

31. No Floor amendments.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

33. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 378, Senator Sangmeister...House
Bill 378, Senator Sangmeister. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

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1. SECRETARY:
2. House Bill 378.
3. (Secretary reads title of bill)
4. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Finance and Credit
5. Regulations...no wait a minute. No committee amendments.
6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
7. Any amendments from the Floor?
8. SECRETARY:
9. No Floor amendments.
10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
11. 3rd reading. House Bill 379, Senator Sangmeister. Read
12. the bill, Mr. Secretary.
13. SECRETARY:
14. House Bill 379.
15. (Secretary reads title of bill)
16. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
18. Any amendments from the Floor?
19. SECRETARY:
20. No Floor amendments.
21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
22. 3rd reading. House Bill 380, Senator Sangmeister. Read
23. the bill, Mr. Secretary.
24. SECRETARY:
25. House Bill 380.
26. (Secretary reads title of bill)
27. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
29. Any amendments from the Floor?
30. SECRETARY:
31. No Floor amendments.
32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
33. 3rd reading. House Bill 385, Senator Gitz. Read the bill,
Mr. Secretary.

1. SECRETARY:

2. House Bill 385.

3. (Secretary reads title of bill)

4. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

6. Any...any amendments from the Floor?

7. SECRETARY:

8. Amendment No. 1 by Senator Gitz.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

10. Senator Gitz.

11. SENATOR GITZ:

12. Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. The
13. Amendment No. 1 would delete the home rule preemption clause. This
14. was...felt necessity given some of the home rule units that were
15. affected by it, and to make the bill viable we had to accept
16. this amendment. I move its adoption at this time.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

18. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Gitz moves the
19. adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 385. Those in favor
20. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
21. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further amendments?

22. SECRETARY:

23. Amendment No. 2 by Senator Gitz.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

25. Senator Gitz.

26. SENATOR GITZ:

27. Thank you, Mr. President, and members of the Senate. Amendment
28. No. 2 includes the provisions that were originally put into Senate
29. Bill 511, which related to agricultural districts, and eminent
30. domain. This is virtually the same language in that bill, this
31. is putting it into House Bill 385. It meets with the concurrence
32. of the House sponsor, and also as I understand it, the concurrence
33. of Senator Maitland and Senator McMillan.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

2. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Gitz moves the
3. adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 385. Those in favor
4. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
5. ment No. 2 is adopted. Any further amendments?

6. SECRETARY:

7. No further amendments.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

9. 3rd reading. House Bill 386, Senator Vadalabene. Read the
10. bill, Mr. Secretary.

11. SECRETARY:

12. House Bill 386.

13. (Secretary reads title of bill)

14. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary I offers one
15. amendment.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

17. Senator Vadalabene.

18. SENATOR VADALABENE:

19. Yes, Committee Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 386 is a technical
20. amendment, which correctly stated the exemptions in the Act, and
21. I move for its adoption.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

23. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Vadalabene moves
24. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 386. Those in favor
25. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amend-
26. ment No. 1 is adopted. Any further amendments?

27. SECRETARY:

28. No further committee amendments.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

30. 3rd reading...any Floor amendments?

31. SECRETARY:

32. No Floor amendments.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

34. 3rd reading. House Bill 390, Senator Marovitz. Senator
35. Marovitz. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

1. SECRETARY:
2. House Bill 390.
3. (Secretary reads title of bill)
4. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
6. Any amendments from the Floor?
7. SECRETARY:
8. No Floor amendments.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
10. 3rd reading. House Bill 393, Senator D'Arco. Read the
11. bill, Mr. Secretary.
12. SECRETARY:
13. House Bill 393.
14. (Secretary reads title of bill)
15. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Insurance and
16. Licensed Activities offers one amendment.
17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
18. Senator D'Arco.
19. SENATOR D'ARCO:
20. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 makes some
21. technical changes in Article 5½ of the Insurance Code to
22. help the insurance exchange the Lloyds of London type
23. market for insurance risks that we created in the last
24. General Assembly. It's...designed to help the implementation
25. of the...the exchange to compete with the New York Insurance
26. Exchange and I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1 to
27. House Bill 393.
28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
29. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator D'Arco moves
30. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 393. Those
31. in favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes
32. have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee
33. amendments?

1. SECRETARY:
2. No further committee amendments.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
4. Any amendments from the Floor?
5. SECRETARY:
6. No Floor amendments.
7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
8. 3rd reading. House Bill 394, Senator Hall. Read...
9. House Bill 403, Senator Nedza. Senator Nedza. Read the
10. bill, Mr. Secretary.
11. SECRETARY:
12. House Bill 403.
13. (Secretary reads title of bill)
14. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Elections and
15. Reapportionment offers two amendments.
16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
17. Senator Nedza.
18. SENATOR NEDZA:
19. Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate.
20. Amendment No. 1 is that portion of the...House Bill 1668
21. that Senator Netsch was concerned with that's in the bill
22. and also the...a portion of...Senate Bill 501, Senator
23. Donnewald's bill. I move for its adoption.
24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
25. Is there further discussion? Senator Rhoads.
26. SENATOR RHOADS:
27. Senator, you and I just a minute ago had a discussion
28. regarding Senator Grotberg's bill, which you said was amended
29. on to 209 and our staff advises us that it is not on 209. Can...
30. it...it was...it was originally House Bill 1475, sponsored by
31. Senator Grotberg in the Senate.
32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
33. Senator Nedza.

1. SENATOR NEDZA:

2. Senator, our staff has mentioned that it's in it. Perhaps
3. they can get together and find out where it's at.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

5. Senator Rhoads.

6. SENATOR RHOADS:

7. If...if it is not on there, you would agree to recall
8. 403, wouldn't you or 209?

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

10. Senator Nedza.

11. SENATOR NEDZA:

12. If it is not,...I already agreed to call back 209 so
13. we can put it on.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

15. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Nedza
16. moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 403.
17. Those in favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The
18. Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further com-
19. mittee amendments?

20. SECRETARY:

21. Committee Amendment No. 2.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

23. Senator Nedza.

24. SENATOR NEDZA:

25. Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate. Com-
26. mittee...Amendment No. 2 is similar to House Bill 131, which
27. provides for the write-in votes to be counted...self-avowed
28. write-in candidates. I move its adoption.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

30. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Nedza moves
31. the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 403. Those in
32. favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. Senator Rhoads.

33. SENATOR RHOADS:

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1. I'm sorry, we'd like...another explanation of that please.
2. We didn't quite hear it.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
4. Senator Nedza.
5. SENATOR NEDZA:
6. This amendment is similar to House Bill 131, which amends
7. the Election Code and it provides that the write-in votes shall
8. be counted only for self-avowed write-in candidates.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
10. Senator Rhoads indicates that that explanation is thorough
11. enough. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Nedza
12. moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 403.
13. Those in favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The
14. Ayes have it. Amendment No. 2 is adopted. Any further com-
15. mittee amendments?
16. SECRETARY:
17. No further committee amendments.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
19. Any amendments from the Floor?
20. SECRETARY:
21. No Floor amendments.
22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
23. 3rd reading. House Bill 405, Senator Sangmeister. House
24. Bill 411, Senator Bloom. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
25. SECRETARY:
26. House Bill 411.
27. (Secretary reads title of bill)
28. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
30. Any amendments from the Floor?
31. SECRETARY:
32. Amendment No. 1, by Senator Weaver.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

1. Senator Weaver.

2. SENATOR WEAVER:

3. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill
4. 411 changes one word by deleting on line 15 the word, "discussing"
5. and inserting in lieu thereof, "deciding." I'd move adoption
6. of Amendment No. 1.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator...wait...
9. Senator Bloom.

10. SENATOR BLOOM:

11. Thank you, Mr. President. I rise in opposition. By
12. changing the definition from discussing to deciding public
13. business, I think,...clearly changes the whole thrust of the
14. Open Meetings Act and...I...I would...suggest that...that
15. the Open Meetings Act is...the purpose of which I believe
16. is twofold. The first purpose obviously is...to have
17. the public's business conducted publicly. That...on that
18. basis the amendment would have no objection, but the
19. second purpose of the Open Meetings Act, and this is
20. important and I wish...I wish the Body would pay close
21. attention, which is to have public discussion and to make
22. sure that...everything...that a...the public be fully
23. informed as to how, not necessarily the result...but as
24. to how the public's business is conducted...is met by
25. the present definition and by...by...by adding this word,
26. what you're doing is...you're cutting out half of the
27. effect of the Open Meetings Act. Therefore, I stand in
28. opposition to this amendment.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

30. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Weaver
31. may close debate.

32. SENATOR WEAVER:

33. Well, thank you, Mr. President. Well, I think in having

1. served in many meetings discussing public business often-
2. times it's beneficial to kind of think out loud amongst
3. your colleagues without coming to any decision. I think
4. it's helpful to the public, it's helpful to the members
5. of any body...governing body and I don't feel that changing
6. one word from discussing to deciding is going to be detri-
7. mental to the public benefit. So, I'd move adoption of
8. Amendment No. 1.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

10. You've heard the motion. Senator Weaver moves the
11. adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 411. Those in
12. favor indicate by saying Aye. A roll call has been re-
13. quested. Will the members please be in their seats. A
14. roll call has been requested. All those in favor of
15. adopting Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 411 will vote Aye.
16. Those opposed will vote Nay. The voting is open. Have all
17. ...Senator Bruce, would you...have all voted who wish? Have
18. all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the
19. record. On that question, the Ayes are 24, the Nays are 17,
20. 1 Voting Present. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 411 having
21. received the majority vote is declared...adopted. Any
22. further amendments?

23. SECRETARY:

24. Amendment No. 2, by Senator Mahar.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

26. Senator Mahar.

27. SENATOR MAHAR:

28. Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate. Amend-
29. ment No. 2 just adds collective bargaining to the list of those
30. activities which are covered by the bill. I would ask that...
31. for a favorable vote.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

33. Is there further discussion? Senator Bloom.

1. SENATOR BLOOM:

2. A question of the sponsor of the amendment. How does
3. the language read? In other words,...is the effect of this
4. amendment that when a public...a public body negotiates a
5. collective bargaining agreement, that it would be an open
6. meeting?

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Senator Mahar.

9. SENATOR MAHAR:

10. Yes, that is correct. In other words, one of the
11. exemptions, there are several exemptions in the bill and
12. collective bargaining between public employees and public
13. representatives is...is exempt. This would include them.
14. I think that in this situation where we have...the public
15. needs to know, the public needs to know how its money is
16. being spent. This is one area in which the public certainly
17. should be entitled as to how their money is being spent.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

19. Senator Bloom.

20. SENATOR BLOOM:

21. Well, although I opposed the last amendment, I'm...I'm
22. somewhat captivated by this, but I'm not so sure that...that
23. would be good public policy either. So, I...would probably
24. oppose the amendment.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

26. Is there further discussion? Senator Bruce.

27. SENATOR BRUCE:

28. Well, I rise in opposition to this amendment. For this
29. reason, we are not saying that no one...does not have the
30. right to know what contracts...we're not talking about contracts
31. that are signed without discussion, we're not talking about
32. contracts that are signed in secret, we're talking about a
33. full and open board discussion of any agreement made between

1. the public employer and the public employees. What Senator
2. Mahar's amendment, however, says is that all the meetings
3. that come subsequent to that contract and all those discussions
4. are open to the public. There isn't a...a group in the State
5. of Illinois that wants to sit down in every collective bargain-
6. ing meeting they have to have that open to the public. Every
7. exemption in this Act is narrowly defined and narrowly drawn
8. for the purpose of conducting the public's business in an
9. expeditious and efficient way. And if you say to school
10. board members and city council members across the State of
11. Illinois that, in fact, every time they have to talk about
12. problems they have with employees, that it has to be a public
13. meeting I think you've gone beyond the...the...the public's
14. right to know and I just think that this amendment is...
15. the purpose of which is not to help the bill, but to
16. scuttle it and I rise in opposition to it.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

18. Is there further discussion? Senator Demuzio.

19. SENATOR DEMUZIO:

20. Well, thank you, Mr. Chairman. I apologize for jumping
21. in on Amendment No. 2, but I was standing here talking when
22. Amendment No. 1 was voted on and I punched the Yes button
23. when I meant to vote No and I would ask that the electronic
24. marvel so record.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

26. The record will...so indicate. If there's no further
27. discussion, Senator Mahar may close debate.

28. SENATOR MAHAR:

29. Thank you, Mr. President. Well, collective bargaining
30. is a very important part of our society today and becoming
31. more important as we see the bills pass through the General
32. Assembly. Collective bargaining is where...the money is being
33. spent...the citizens' money...the taxpayers' money. It just

1. seems to me that since this is an important part of our method
2. of operation at all levels of government, whether it be the
3. village board, the city council, the school board or whatever,
4. and since we want...people to know what's going on, everybody
5. seems to be in favor of that and I know everybody here is in
6. favor of that. At a point where tremendous amounts of money
7. is being spent, negotiations are going on and they...they last
8. for a long period of time, sometimes for several months. It
9. just seems to me the press ought to be available, ought to
10. be able to follow the progress of negotiations and report
11. those to the people and let...let their...decisions be made
12. on that basis. And I would ask that this amendment be adopted
13. to a...to a good bill.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

15. Senator Mahar moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to
16. House Bill 411. Those in favor indicate by saying Aye. A
17. roll call has been requested. Those in favor will indicate
18. by voting Aye. Those opposed will vote Nay. The voting is
19. open. Senator...have all voted who wish? Have all voted who
20. wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that
21. question, the Ayes are 27, the Nays are 21, none Voting Present.
22. Amendment No. 2 having received the majority vote is declared
23. adopted. Any further amendments?

24. SECRETARY:

25. No further amendments.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

27. 3rd reading. Channel 20...requests permission to film..
28. Is...is leave granted? Leave is granted. House Bill 415,
29. Senator Marovitz. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

30. SECRETARY:

31. House Bill 415.

32. (Secretary reads title of bill)

33. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
2. Any amendments from the Floor? We...
3. SECRETARY:
4. No...
5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
6. Senator Marovitz indicates a committee amendment.
7. SECRETARY:
8. Judiciary I offers Amendment No. 1.
9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
10. Senator Marovitz.
11. SENATOR MAROVITZ:
12. Thank you, very much, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentle-
13. men of the Senate. Committee Amendment 1 to...House Bill 415
14. allows retired judges to...perform marriages unless they have
15. been removed by the Judicial Inquiry Board. I would ask for
16. adoption of Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 415.
17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
18. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Marovitz
19. moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 415. Those
20. in favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes
21. have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further committee
22. amendments?
23. SECRETARY:
24. No further committee amendments.
25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
26. Any amendments from the Floor?
27. SECRETARY:
28. No Floor amendments.
29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
30. 3rd reading. House Bill 438, Senator Rock. Read the
31. bill, Mr. Secretary.
32. SECRETARY:
33. House Bill 438.

1. (Secretary reads title of bill)

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

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

4. Any amendments from the Floor?

5. SECRETARY:

6. Amendment No. 1, offered by Senators Dawson and Berman.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Senator Dawson.

9. SENATOR DAWSON:

10. Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,
11. Amendment 1 provides that any new lawful interest rate shall
12. only be applied to a new debt incurred under the revolving
13. credit and retail installment purchases and the second part
14. is, it provides that on payment or credits to revolving
15. credit and retail installment that the payment or credit
16. shall be applied to the balance existing prior to the change
17. ...charge of interest rates until that balance is paid in
18. full. I ask for a favorable roll call.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

20. Is there any discussion? Senator Rock.

21. SENATOR ROCK:

22. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
23. Senate. Amendment No. 1 is that to which I agreed in committee.
24. As you know, this would remove the ceiling on the interest
25. rate and it provides that only debt...new debt that has been
26. incurred after the effective date of this will be affected.
27. I think the change is...a reasonable one and I committed in
28. committee to have this done and I would rise in support of
29. Amendment No. 1.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

31. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator...Senator
32. Demuzio.

33. SENATOR DEMUZIO:

1. Thank you, Mr. President. I, too, rise in support of
2. this amendment. Unfortunately I don't believe I can support
3. the bill unless another amendment goes on and Senator Rock
4. has agreed to...bring the bill back from 3rd reading.
5. because the...other amendment is not...up here from the
6. Reference Bureau as of this moment.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

8. Is there further discussion? If not, Senator Dawson
9. moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 438.
10. Those in favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The
11. Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further amend-
12. ments?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No further amendments.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

16. 3rd reading. House Bill 440, Senator Coffey. Read the
17. bill, Mr. Secretary.

18. SECRETARY:

19. House Bill 440.

20. (Secretary reads title of bill)

21. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

23. Any amendments from the Floor?

24. SECRETARY:

25. No Floor amendments.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

27. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 441, Senator Bruce. Read the
28. bill, Mr. Secretary.

29. SECRETARY:

30. House Bill 441.

31. (Secretary reads title of bill)

32. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

1. Any amendments from the Floor?

2. SECRETARY:

3. Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Bruce.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

5. Senator Bruce.

6. SENATOR BRUCE:

7. Thank you. This is the amendment we discussed in committee
8. which limits the operation of this bill to only military
9. installation and clarifies the definition of student and the
10. tuition charged. I would move its adoption.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

12. Is there any discussion? If not, Senator Bruce moves
13. the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 441. Those
14. in favor indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes
15. have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Any further amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. No further amendments.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

19. 3rd reading. House Bill 448, Senator Marovitz. Read
20. the bill, Mr. Secretary.

21. SECRETARY:

22. House Bill 448.

23. (Secretary reads title of bill)

24. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

26. Any amendments from the Floor?

27. SECRETARY:

28. No Floor amendments.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)

30. 3rd reading. House Bill 471, Senator Maitland. Read the
31. bill, Mr. Secretary.

32. SECRETARY:

33. House Bill 471.

HB 477
2nd Reading

1. (Secretary reads title of bill)
2. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
4. Any amendments from the Floor?
5. SECRETARY:
6. No Floor amendments.
7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
8. 3rd reading. House Bill 472, Senator Bruce. Read the
9. bill, Mr. Secretary.
10. SECRETARY:
11. House Bill 472.
12. (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
15. Any amendments from the Floor?
16. SECRETARY:
17. No Floor amendments.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR SAVICKAS)
19. 3rd reading. Channel 17 seeks...permission to film. Is
20. leave granted? Leave is granted.
21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
22. House Bill 477, Senator Gitz. Read the bill, Mr. Secre-
23. tary, please.
24. SECRETARY:
25. House Bill 477.
26. (Secretary reads title of bill)
27. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health,
28. Welfare and Corrections offers one amendment.
29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
30. Senator Gitz.
31. SENATOR GITZ:
32. Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate. Before
33. we handle Floor Amendment No. 1...Committee Amendment No. 1, I

1. would like to alert the Chair that this bill may be subject
2. to further recall. Now, there's some discussions with the
3. Department of Child and Family Services and the House sponsor
4. on whether certain facets of Executive Order No. 1 may be
5. put into this bill, if there is concurrence with all concerned.
6. So, if that is agreed, this bill will be brought back. If
7. it is not agreed, it will stay in this format. To...Committee
8. Amendment No. 1, this amendment is substantive and technical
9. in nature. It makes the definitions in the bill conform to
10. the Abused and Neglected Child Reporting Act. Now, this
11. amendment was developed between the Senate Staff and the
12. Department of Child and Family Services. There are nine
13. separate provisions in it and if there is any discussion or
14. questions, I'll be happy to respond to them.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

16. The motion is to adopt Committee Amendment No. 1. Dis-
17. cussion of the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay.
18. The Ayes have it. Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted.
19. Further committee amendments?

20. SECRETARY:

21. No further committee amendments.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

23. Are there amendments from the Floor?

24. SECRETARY:

25. No Floor amendments.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

27. 3rd reading. House Bill 497, Senator Berman. Senator
28. Berman. 502, Senator Davidson. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary,
29. please.

30. SECRETARY:

31. House Bill 502.

32. (Secretary reads title of bill)

33. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

HB 514
2nd Reading
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HB 513
2nd Reading

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
2. Are there amendments from the Floor?
3. SECRETARY:
4. No Floor amendments.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
6. 3rd reading. House Bill 513, Senator Bloom. Read the
7. bill, Mr. Secretary, please.
8. SECRETARY:
9. House Bill 513.
10. (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
13. Are there amendments from the Floor?
14. SECRETARY:
15. No Floor amendments.
16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
17. 3rd reading. House Bill 514, Senator Bloom. Read the
18. bill, Mr. Secretary, please.
19. SECRETARY:
20. House Bill 514.
21. (Secretary reads title of bill)
22. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
24. Are there amendments from the Floor?
25. SECRETARY:
26. Amendment No. 1, by Senator Bloom.
27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
28. Senator Bloom on Amendment No. 1.
29. SENATOR BLOOM:
30. Thank you, Mr. President and...fellow Senators. This
31. amendment...the bill itself reverts...from...clear...in
32. custody proceedings...reverts from the Clear and...Present
33. Danger Standard to the Best Interest of the Child Standard.

HB 525
2nd Reading
6-16-81

1. This amendment essentially adds back into it clear and
2. convincing evidence that it is in the best interest of the
3. child for custody to change. The amendment was drawn up
4. in consultation with...Judge Flack of the Cook County
5. Circuit Court who handles domestic relations. Answer
6. any questions. Otherwise, urge its adoption.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

8. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 1. Discussion of
9. the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes
10. have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Further amendments?

11. SECRETARY:

12. No further amendments.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

14. 3rd reading. If I might have the attention of the Senate,
15. Senator Totten has some special guests that he would like to
16. introduce to the Senate. Senator Totten.

17. SENATOR TOTTEN:

18. Thank you, Mr...Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen
19. of the Senate. It's my pleasure to welcome to Springfield
20. and to the Senate Chambers the Arlington High School Badminton
21. Team. It's kind of a special badminton team. This is their
22. championship team, but this is their fifth consecutive State
23. championship this year. And I would like to introduce...have
24. you welcome them and introduce the coach, Mary Lou Hunt.

25. MARY LOU HUNT:

26. (Remarks by Mary Lou Hunt)

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

28. House Bill 520, Senator Dawson. Is Senator Dawson on
29. the Floor? 525, Senator Bloom. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary,
30. please.

31. SECRETARY:

32. House Bill 525.

33. (Secretary reads title of bill)

1. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health,
2. Welfare and Corrections offers three amendments.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

4. Senator Bloom on Committee Amendment No. 1.

5. SENATOR BLOOM:

6. Alright. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,...the first
7. two committee amendments put the bill in the same form as the
8. Senate Bill that we voted out of here. So, I'd move the
9. adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

11. The motion is to adopt Committee Amendment No. 1. Dis-
12. cussion of the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay.
13. The Ayes have it. Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted.
14. Further committee amendments?

15. SECRETARY:

16. Committee Amendment No. 2.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. Senator Bloom.

19. SENATOR BLOOM:

20. I move the adoption of Committee Amendment No. 2.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

22. The motion is to adopt. Discussion? All in favor say Aye.
23. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Alright. Senator Johns on
24. Amendment No. 2.

25. SENATOR JOHNS:

26. I'd just like to...talk about...

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

28. May...may we have some order please? Senator Johns.

29. SENATOR JOHNS:

30. I understand in talking to the Child Care Association that
31. Amendment No. 2 lowers the age of support in this particular
32. field from the age of twenty-one down to eighteen. Is that
33. correct?

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

2. Senator Bloom.

3. SENATOR BLOOM:

4. Actually what the amendment does, it...keeps the require-
5. ment to eighteen and makes it discretionary. It gives the
6. department discretionary authority to serve individuals under
7. twenty-one but over eighteen, if the person's condition
8. warrants it or because of a need to complete an educational
9. program.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

11. Senator Johns.

12. SENATOR JOHNS:

13. Well, I understood from the Child Care Association
14. and I understand that there...there's more or less tied to
15. the Catholic religion and they were concerned about unwed
16. mothers, etc. within this age bracket. Am I right so far?

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. Senator Bloom.

19. SENATOR BLOOM:

20. I think so.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

22. Senator Johns.

23. SENATOR JOHNS:

24. Then they also told me that they had discussed it with
25. Senator Rock and I asked about that specifically and that he
26. had no real ties to this particular amendment. Am I right,
27. President Rock? He has no...specific objection. Well, they
28. just asked me to oppose it on the basis that it was a category
29. from eighteen to twenty-one that might be harmed by the
30. adoption of this amendment. And, therefore, I brought the
31. attention, as I promised them that I would, to this particular
32. amendment for discussion.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

1. Further discussion? The question...the question is on
2. the adoption of Amendment No. 2. On the motion, all in
3. favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendment
4. No. 2 is adopted. Further amendments?

5. SECRETARY:

6. Committee Amendment No. 3.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

8. Senator Bloom.

9. SENATOR BLOOM:

10. Committee Amendment No. 3...this amendment...basically...
11. makes the bill extremely controversial again and I have to
12. give you a short background. When the Senate Bill that Senator
13. Rock and I carried...was pending before this Body, there was
14. another bill that...exempted church-run programs. Now,
15. listen very closely...

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

17. May we have some order please?

18. SENATOR BLOOM:

19. ...the agreements...

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

21. Senator Bloom, just...if we can clear the aisles. Senator
22. Nash is trying to hear. He...if we can just take some of
23. the conferences off the Floor, we have...behind Senator Rock's
24. desk, if we can move that whole conference off the Floor, if
25. we can clear the Floor of some of the conferences, we're happy
26. to have our House members here and discussing your bills, but
27. it would be nice if we could keep a little order in the Senate
28. Chambers. Senator Bloom.

29. SENATOR BLOOM:

30. Thank you, Mr. President. Listen closely. There was an
31. ...a desire on the part of folks to...put an amendment which
32. would basically exempt...local ministry, church-run programs
33. into the child...this particular bill and the Senate Bill.

1. The agreement was reached that the threshold question of a
2. church-State issue is a separate issue from how the Child
3. Care Licensing Act is structured or restructured. Therefore,
4. a Senate Bill and Senator Rock and myself and Senator Nash
5. worked and assisted in getting the Senate Bill 525 out of
6. committee with the understanding that that issue would be
7. separate and discreet and would rise and fall on its own
8. merits. The bill passed out of the Senate, the bill is
9. alive in the House. This amendment in the...late hours of
10. the Public Health Committee...was put on, it was offered by
11. Senator Nimrod. He never consulted with me, he never consulted
12. with...Senator Rock, to the best of my knowledge, he never
13. consulted with the chairman of the committee or properly
14. explained it and I would urge the Body to reject this amendment
15. because there is another vehicle on which this issue can be
16. debated thoroughly.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. Discussion? Senator Nash.

19. SENATOR NASH:

20. Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,...
21. I agree with Senator Bloom. Amendment No. 3 to House Bill 525
22. was taken care of with Senate Bill 524, that we passed out of the
23. Committee on Public Health, that's over in the House. It deals
24. with the exact same subject matter and it was put in...added
25. to House Bill 525 by mistake in committee. And...I...I would
26. move that we...Table this amendment.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

28. Further discussion? Senator Rock.

29. SENATOR ROCK:

30. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
31. Senate. I too rise in opposition to Amendment No. 3. We
32. deliberately handled that in a separate bill so as it would
33. not jeopardize this bill or the Senate Bill. It's a subject

1. matter that...that...is wrought with controversy and it just
2. simply doesn't belong in this bill and I would...second the
3. motion to Table or...or urge opposition to the motion to
4. adopt.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

6. Senator Bloom has moved to Table amend-
7. ment. That is the motion before the Body. On the motion
8. to Table, discussion? Senator Nimrod.

9. SENATOR NIMROD:

10. Yeah. We...generally have...when our lights are on
11. to respond to a speech, we certainly should be given the
12. courtesy to talk on an issue...

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

14. Senator Nimrod, we've had three speakers. You were the
15. first...

16. SENATOR NIMROD:

17. Well, my...my light has been on and I haven't been called
18. on.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

20. I just called on you, Senator.

21. SENATOR NIMROD:

22. Okay. Do I have a chance then to speak on this before
23. the Tabling motion?

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

25. Sure. That's why you're recognized.

26. SENATOR NIMROD:

27. Okay.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. Senator Nimrod, there were only four speakers.

30. SENATOR NIMROD:

31. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
32. Senate. I...I do not take issue with the fact that this amend-
33. ment is on another bill, but I will call your attention to the

1. fact that the bill, which was similar to this which came over
2. from the House, was...was...to come over from the House was
3. defeated. Now, certainly those bills are on 3rd reading and
4. the reason that I didn't...talk...discuss this with Senator
5. Bloom is, Senator Bloom was not in the committee and...Senator
6. Nash, this amendment was not put on by mistake. The...amend-
7. ment was presented in good faith and I think it's important
8. that we understand what the purpose of this amendment is.
9. The bill itself addresses a very lifeline of the idea of
10. having a church...schools, in fact, being inspected by the
11. State. Now, if, in fact, forty-seven people in this Senate
12. agree with that principle and when those two issues get
13. on the Governor's Desk and this bill is brought together,
14. we're doing nothing different right now, that if we're really
15. for this concept There's nothing wrong with putting this
16. concept in the bill, since it did not pass in the House.
17. Now, it's very simple, if that bill is defeated in the House,
18. this issue will never get there. I did discuss this with
19. the director. Certainly, he does not support it, but he
20. said you certainly have your right to go ahead and do it.
21. He said it's going to make it a little more complicated for
22. me and I did...happen to see the sponsor of the bill...from
23. the House and I did discuss it with him. So, it wasn't,
24. Senator Bloom, that...and I did come to you and discuss it
25. with you afterwards, but the problem is that I think that it's
26. important that we stand here on...and acknowledge whether or
27. not we agree with the concept, whether or not the State...
28. the Department of Children and Family Services has the right
29. to license those educational Christian...programs for those
30. under five years of age. Now,...I know that we have some
31. other problems...with some of those...maybe some of the
32. schools such as the Moonies and some of the others that are
33. involved, but that should not deny the right of those churches

1. who do want to, in fact, continue on with a vacation bible
2. school to have to be licensed. This issue is a part of
3. this picture and by separating it into two...two...two...
4. bills, has not solved the problem. Now, I did suggest to
5. the sponsor that this amendment go on. If, in fact, it passes
6. over in the...in the House, then there will be...we...we can
7. discuss, maybe if you want to keep it clean, to...to take it
8. off, but the fact is that it will probably lose over there
9. just as well since the same issue lost before. Now, we in
10. the Senate have given a message of 47 votes, either you agree
11. or you disagree with this concept. And certainly if forty-seven
12. of us agree with the concept, we shouldn't be concerned or
13. afraid of adding this amendment, which, in fact, states very
14. simply in simple words. Let me read what the amendment says.
15. All...all it says is that...it says, "programs which are
16. operated as an integral part of a local church ministry or
17. religious non-profit elementary school provided that the
18. appropriate State health and fire safety standards are main-
19. tained." Now, there's nothing wrong with this amendment and
20. this idea of separating church and State, I want to tell you
21. that I hear that too often and the only reason there's been
22. a separation of church and State is that the problem is that
23. we have said that we want government to stay out of the churches.
24. And that's what the concept here is all about. Not to have the
25. churches stay out of government. There is no provision or
26. objection to that. So, we shouldn't object to the fact to say
27. we want government to stay out of the church, education or
28. church schools. Since forty-seven of us voted for it, there's
29. no reason why we can't combine it into one bill. Or else
30. we're saying then that we really do not support this issue
31. and we don't believe in this concept of the bill that we sent
32. over in the first place.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

1. Further discussion? Senator Simms.

2. SENATOR SIMMS:

3. Well, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,
4. I rise with very mixed emotions on this, but I think this ought
5. to be put in...in perspective. Senate Bill 524, which
6. strictly deals with the church-State issue,...Senator Bloom
7. is correct. He worked very diligently along with President
8. Rock and Chairman Nash to get the bill out and let the bill
9. rise or fall on its own merits on the Senate Floor. It
10. passed over here on a vote of 47 to 2. Contrary to what...
11. Senator Nimrod has said, the House of Representatives...has
12. never voted on this bill. A similar bill was passed out of
13. the House Committee, it was on the 3rd reading in the House,
14. and the clock ran out along with many other bills and it was
15. never considered. I personally...have worked very hard for
16. the concept of the separation of church and State, for the
17. passage of Senate Bill 524, but I do think there is a
18. difference and I...I would personally not want to see the
19. two issues become clouded together. And I,...unfortunately,
20. ...I think that's what's happened. And I think they should
21. be separate. The House of Representatives in the next day
22. or two will have the opportunity to vote...Senate Bill 524
23. up or down. It's my feeling that the House will pass that
24. legislation and it will go to the Governor. But I don't
25. think it's a fair thing to place this on...Senator Bloom's
26. House Bill 525 when the issues are two separate issues. And,
27. basically, it should rise or fall on its own merits.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. Further discussion? Senator Marovitz.

30. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

31. Thank you, very much, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentle-
32. men of the Senate. I just think this sets a really bad precedent.
33. I mean, we've got a lot of work, we've got a big Calendar, if

1. we start putting on bills...amendments...as to things that
2. we've already passed out of here, I mean, we'll be here all...
3. forever. We passed this bill out of here, why do we need
4. another amendment on the exact same subject matter that we
5. spent a half an hour dealing with and passed by an overwhelming
6. majority? That's the legislative process. We passed it,
7. now it's the House's business. If we're going to start
8. sticking things on these bills, especially those that are
9. still alive, I don't see the purpose of this and I think it's
10. wasting all of our time and I...either think it should be
11. withdrawn or we ought to defeat it.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

13. The motion is to Table. Senator Bloom, do you wish to
14. close? The motion is to Table. All in favor of the motion
15. to Table say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Senator,
16. do you wish a roll call? Senator Nimrod. Alright. There's
17. been a request for a roll call. Those in favor vote Aye.
18. Those opposed vote Nay. The voting is open. The motion is
19. to Table. The motion is to Table. The motion is to Table.
20. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the
21. record. On that question, the Ayes are 38, the Nays are 8,
22. 1 Voting Present. The motion to Table prevails. Further
23. committee amendments?

24. ACTING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

25. No further committee amendments.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

27. Are there amendments from the Floor?

28. ACTING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

29. Amendment No. 4, offered by Senator D'Arco.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

31. Senator D'Arco on Amendment No. 4.

32. SENATOR D'ARCO:

33. Thank you,...Mr. President. What Amendment No. 4 does is

1. to reinstate the language that was deleted by Amendment No. 2,
2. which was...Senator Bloom's amendment, which took away the
3. jurisdiction from the Department of Children and Family Services
4. concerning responsibility of youth from the ages of eighteen
5. to twenty-one. This would put that language back in the
6. Statute so the department would be responsible for youth
7. up and through the age of twenty-one. That's the way the
8. law is now and the amendment would simply reinstate what the
9. present law is. The department should be responsible for
10. these youth. There's no reason to change the age requirement
11. for responsibility purposes. What's going to happen to the
12. youth is that they're going to be put out on the street, any
13. foster care, any counseling, any residential care that these
14. youth would be in need of would not be forthcoming because
15. the department would renege on their responsibility. There-
16. fore, I would move adoption of Amendment No. 4, Senator Bloom,
17. to House Bill 525.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

19. The motion is to adopt. Discussion of the motion?
20. Senator Bloom.

21. SENATOR BLOOM:

22. There's...there's the budgetary aspect...I think you
23. misstate what Amendment No. 2 did. Amendment No. 2 gives
24. the department discretionary authority to serve individuals
25. between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one subject to
26. certain standards and conditions. It also provides that
27. the custody of a ward placed by the court shall be until the
28. minor reaches eighteen. The provision...what you're doing
29. by reinstating the language is, basically, adding to the
30. cost of serving the kids, because there are kids that will
31. qualify already under programs. I can only assume you got
32. this from the Delinquency Prevention Commission, but I would...
33. I would...urge...I would urge rejection of this amendment.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

2. The motion is to adopt. Senator Berning.

3. SENATOR BERNING:

4. A question of the sponsor of the amendment. Senator...

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

6. Indicates he will yield. Senator Berning.

7. SENATOR BERNING:

8. ...Senator, the...intent of this amendment, as I gather
9. it, is to provide for an extended period of care for young
10. people, however, I remind you that eighteen is the age of
11. majority and all of our Statutory provisions for prerogatives
12. and rights as an adult accrue at eighteen, except to drink
13. liquor. Does it not seem that we are setting a...or reversing
14. a precedent here, Senator, by extending from eighteen to
15. twenty-one the responsibilities of this department then to
16. take care of these people?

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. Senator D'Arco.

19. SENATOR D'ARCO:

20. I don't know, I'm looking at the map right now, Karl,
21. but as soon as I'm done I'll try to answer your...no...no,
22. the precedent has already been set and because...under the
23. law now the department has the responsibility for kids that
24. were adjudicated...delinquent and sent to the department under
25. the Juvenile Court Act and up to the age of twenty-one.
26. That's the law now, so I'm not setting a new precedent. The
27. precedent has already been set. The department already has
28. responsibility for kids up to the age of twenty-one. All I'm...
29. and Senator Bloom's amendment would take the responsibility
30. away from the department and he...no, I know, Pres,...I know...
31. the...but...so we just want to leave the law the way it is,
32. Karl. I'm like you, I'm for the status quo.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

1. Senator Berning.

2. SENATOR BERNING:

3. Well, I'm...I'm interested in what you say about...the
4. juvenile court...prevailing to age twenty-one or the Statute...
5. said to cover. And I don't understand why that should be.
6. At eighteen an individual is no longer a juvenile. It seems
7. to me we are perpetuating a fallacy here. We have established
8. by constitutional action and...of the U.S. Supreme...the U.S.
9. Constitution that eighteen is the age of majority and we
10. have amended all of our Statutes to...reflect that. Now,
11. it would appear to me here that we ought to be instead of
12. extending from eighteen to twenty-one this kind of coverage,
13. we ought to amend the Statute to say that at...after eighteen
14. that individual...those individuals are no longer juveniles,
15. they're adults.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

17. Senator D'Arco.

18. SENATOR D'ARCO:

19. Thank you, Mr. President. Am I closing, Mr. President?

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

21. No,...further discussion? Senator D'Arco may...Senator
22. Bloom, did you wish to...Senator Bloom.

23. SENATOR BLOOM:

24. Well, I might add...I'm sorry to rise a second time.
25. Basically, the amendment that was offered that he seeks to
26. strip off made the jurisdiction of DCFS for kids who have
27. reached eighteen but are not yet twenty-one, discretionary.
28. By putting this language back in, you are adding another
29. 1.5 million of expense to the General Revenue Fund that is
30. not necessary. When money is freed up then it can be used
31. elsewhere within the department to provide the services to
32. kids and if you read the language that he's putting in, it
33. says we're committed to the department pursuant to the Juvenile

1. Act approved, etc. prior to the age of eighteen and who
2. continue under the jurisdiction of the court. I submit
3. that it is far better to let it...let the jurisdiction be
4. discretionary and that the standard that if the person
5. over eighteen but under twenty-one...if the person's
6. condition warrants it or because of a need to complete an
7. educational program, we'll continue to provide adequate
8. service to minors in the State of Illinois. I'd urge
9. rejection of the amendment. Thank you.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

11. Further discussion? Further discussion? Senator D'Arco
12. may close.

13. SENATOR D'ARCO:

14. Thank you, Mr. President. I think Senator Bloom tipped
15. his hat when he said that it really is a cost saving device
16. by the department to eliminate some of their responsibility
17. for kids from the ages of eighteen to twenty-one. And what
18. the amendment does is reinstate language that provides that
19. under the Juvenile Court Act the department has the mandate
20. to provide services for these children who were committed
21. prior to the age of eighteen, but who are out on the streets
22. after serving whatever time they have to serve in a State
23. facility and are not twenty-one. So, the department has the
24. responsibility today and all the amendment would say is,
25. they would have to have that responsibility for the next
26. ensuing fiscal year as well. And I would move adoption of
27. Amendment No. 1...4 to House Bill 525.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 4. There's been
30. a request for a roll call. Those in favor will vote Aye.
31. Those opposed will vote Nay. The voting is open. Have all
32. voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record.
33. On that question, the Ayes are 34, the Nays are 18, none

1. Voting Present. Amendment No. 4 to House Bill 525 is adopted.
2. Further amendments?
3. SECRETARY:
4. No further amendments.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
6. 3rd reading. House Bill 534, Senator Geo-Karis. Read
7. the bill, Mr. Secretary, please.
8. SECRETARY:
9. House Bill 534.
10. (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary I offers
12. one amendment.
13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
14. Senator Geo-Karis to explain Committee Amendment No. 1.
15. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:
16. Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate,
17. the...Committee Amendment No. 1 is clarifying language. It
18. makes it a little clearer than it sounded and I move the
19. adoption of the amendment.
20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
21. The motion is to adopt Committee Amendment No. 1. Dis-
22. cussion of the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay.
23. The Ayes have it. Committee Amendment No. 1 is adopted.
24. Further committee amendments?
25. SECRETARY:
26. No further committee amendments.
27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
28. Are there amendments from the Floor?
29. SECRETARY:
30. Amendment No. 2, by Senator Berman.
31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
32. Senator Berman on Amendment No. 2.
33. SENATOR BERMAN:

1. This amendment was...Mr. President, this amendment was
2. discussed in committee. It qualifies the...circumstances under
3. which attorney's fees could be imposed upon a...a respondent
4. who is...in arrears in child support payment. So, I move
5. the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

7. The motion is to adopt. Discussion? All in favor say
8. Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 2 is
9. adopted. Further Floor amendments?

10. SECRETARY:

11. No further amendments.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

13. 3rd reading. House Bill 541, Senator Lenke. Is Senator
14. Lemke on the Floor? 542. 546. 547, Senator Marovitz. 547.
15. Chicago Teachers Article. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary, please.

16. SECRETARY:

17. House Bill 547.

18. (Secretary reads title of bill)

19. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

21. Are there amendments from the Floor?

22. SECRETARY:

23. Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Marovitz.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

25. Senator Marovitz on Amendment No. 1.

26. SENATOR MAROVITZ:

27. Thank you, very much, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentle-
28. ment of the Senate. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 547...
29. broadens some investment authority for the Teacher Retirement
30. System. I'd ask for...adoption of Amendment No. 1.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

32. The motion is to adopt. Discussion? All in favor say
33. Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1 is

1. adopted. Alright. Further amendments?

2. SECRETARY:

3. No further amendments.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

5. 3rd reading. 559, Senator Berman. Read the bill, Mr.
6. Secretary, please.

7. SECRETARY:

8. House Bill 559.

9. (Secretary reads title of bill)

10. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Elementary and
11. Secondary Education offers one amendment.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

13. Senator Berman.

14. SENATOR BERMAN:

15. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1, adopted in
16. committee, authorizes the School Problems Commission to accept
17. monetary gifts or grants from...Federal Government or other
18. ...charitable foundations. Move the adoption of Committee
19. Amendment No. 1.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

21. The motion is to adopt Committee Amendment No. 1. Dis-
22. cussion of the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay.
23. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1 is adopted. Further com-
24. mittee amendments?

25. SECRETARY:

26. No further committee amendments.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

28. Are there amendments from the Floor?

29. SECRETARY:

30. No Floor amendments.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

32. 3rd reading. 5...566, Senator Berman. 567, Senator D'Arco.
33. 67, insured health policies children, immediate family.

HB 580
2nd Reading

1. 580, Senator Maitland. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary, please.
2. SECRETARY:
3. House Bill 580.
4. (Secretary reads title of bill)
5. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health,
6. Welfare and Corrections offers one amendment.
7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
8. Senator Maitland to explain Committee Amendment No. 1.
9. SENATOR MAITLAND:
10. Thank you, Mr. President. It's just strictly a technical
11. amendment.
12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
13. The motion is to adopt. Discussion of the motion? All
14. in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendment
15. No. 1 is adopted. Further committee amendments?
16. SECRETARY:
17. No further committee amendments.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
19. Are there amendments from the Floor?
20. SECRETARY:
21. No Floor amendments.
22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
23. 3rd reading. House Bill 581, Senator Vadalabene. Read
24. the bill, Mr. Secretary, please.
25. SECRETARY:
26. House Bill 581.
27. (Secretary reads title of bill)
28. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)
30. Are there amendments from the Floor?
31. SECRETARY:
32. No Floor amendments.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

1. 3rd reading. House Bill 590, Senator Bloom. Read the
2. bill, Mr. Secretary, please.

3. SECRETARY:

4. House Bill 590.

5. (Secretary reads title of bill)

6. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
7. offers five amendments.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

9. Senator Carroll on Amendment No. 1.

10. SENATOR CARROLL:

11. Thank you, Mr. President. With leave of the Body,
12. we would like to Table Amendment No. 1. We have some...
13. Floor amendments later to correct.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

15. The motion is to Table Amendment No. 1. Discussion of
16. the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes
17. have it. Amendment No. 1 is Tabled. Amendment No. 2,
18. Senator Carroll.

19. SENATOR CARROLL:

20. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of
21. the Senate. Amendment No. 2 is to transfer...to allow for a
22. transfer of appropriations for the Illinois Law Enforcement
23. Commission and the same for the Commissioner of Banks and
24. Trusts. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 2.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

26. The motion is to adopt. Discussion of the motion? All
27. in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendment
28. No. 2 is adopted. Amendment No. 3, Senator Carroll.

29. SENATOR CARROLL:

30. Amendment No. 3 is a transfer for the School Problems
31. Commission. And we would move adoption of Amendment No. 3.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

33. Amendment No. 3. Discussion? The motion is to adopt.

1. All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amend-
2. ment No. 3 is adopted. Amendment No. 4, Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Amendment No. 4 is the DOT B-Bonds that...we had had in
5. a Senate Bill earlier and that the waiver was allowed for...
6. the end of June. This is to allocate those funds that have
7. been provided to Illinois in Amendment No. 4.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

9. The motion is to adopt. Discussion? Senator Bloom.

10. SENATOR BLOOM:

11. Okay. This gets into...articles of faith and matters of
12. theology and...I believe this is the amendment...that...
13. transfers some money to buy some busses. Is that not correct,
14. Senator Carroll?

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

16. Senator Carroll.

17. SENATOR CARROLL:

18. That is not correct, but in theory you're in the right
19. ballpark. It's not necessarily transfers of some money,
20. etc.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

22. Senator Bloom.

23. SENATOR BLOOM:

24. I'm...I'm sure there are other members that...will discuss
25. theology and orthodoxy.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

27. Further discussion? Further discussion? Senator Totten.

28. SENATOR TOTTEN:

29. Thank you, Mr. President. Will the sponsor yield for a
30. question?

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

32. Indicates he will yield. Senator Totten.

33. SENATOR TOTTEN:

1. Senator Carroll, would you...be specific as to precisely
2. what this amendment does?

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

4. Senator Carroll.

5. SENATOR CARROLL:

6. Yes, Senator Totten, as a result of your efforts last
7. month you were able to get and we were notified by telegram
8. of your access to excellence...by getting the Federal Govern-
9. ment to extend the then May 30 or 31 deadline on capturing
10. thirty-eight million of Federal dollars. The proposal the
11. administration, and this comes from the Governor's Office,
12. is in order to capture that thirty-eight million dollars
13. and in lieu of using, as had been originally proposed, five
14. million dollars of General Revenue funds we will eliminate
15. a five million dollar General Revenue Fund request and use
16. nine million of Series B Transportation Bonds and capture
17. thirty-eight million dollars of Federal...funded. Part of
18. which, a small part albeit, is for Danville's operating costs,
19. part of it is for...adjustment audits for downstate carriers,
20. and the vast majority of it is for...capital usage of the
21. Regional Transportation Authority, including railroad stations,...
22. and two million nine for railroad stations, two million four for
23. busses.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

25. Further discussion? Senator Totten.

26. SENATOR TOTTEN:

27. How many busses?

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. Senator Carroll.

30. SENATOR CARROLL:

31. I think it's more than two. I honestly don't know the
32. number. I do know the amounts, but like everything else in
33. the budget, they never give us exact detail out of the Governor's

1. Office of how many items they're buying, just how much its...
2. they're allowed to use in Federal funds. It's my understanding,
3. by the way, that...the choice is Illinois'. If we don't want
4. the Federal funds, they'll go to other states.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

6. Further...Senator Totten.

7. SENATOR TOTTEN:

8. Well, our staff tells me it's forty new busses for the
9. CTA. Now, you just figure that out. Forty busses means
10. forty more bus drivers at fifty thousand dollars a bus
11. driver and you figure out where we're going to go when
12. the whole system is going to fall down, what do we need
13. to spend the money for? Secondly, part of the money is going
14. to be used for renovation of railroad stations. Now, this is
15. a very questionable expenditure of bond monies in the first
16. place. Remember we had a Governor a few years ago who tried
17. to accelerate...accelerated bond program for...and part of it
18. was renovation of rail stations. It was questioned then
19. and I think very wisely by this Legislature and bond council
20. whether this was a legitimate expenditure of bond funds. We're
21. attempting to do it again. I think when so many matters are
22. still unresolved in regards to the RTA, to be blackmailed, in
23. this case, by a deadline in order to buy new equipment for a
24. system which is apparently going to be...operated entirely...
25. within a smaller geographical region than the present legis-
26. lation provides, that we ought to have...that small region
27. purchase the busses themselves rather than ask the State tax-
28. payers through the payback of these bonds to have to bail out...
29. a bankrupt system. I would suggest...that if we want to achieve
30. ...excellence that we do it by turning down Amendment No. 4 and
31. I'm sure the Federal Government will find other areas in Illinois
32. to use this money...for rather than...to...give it to another
33. state. In fact, I would actively pursue that. I would suggest
34. a No vote.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

2. Further discussion? Senator Weaver, Senator Keats.

3. SENATOR KEATS:

4. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
5. Senate. I just want to show for everyone to hear, part of
6. this money in the particular pork barrel part goes to my
7. district. One of the things they're intending to build
8. is a gazebo next to one of my train stations that no one
9. wants so that we can put bicycles under it. We already
10. have enclosed...bicycle racks now, it's a beautiful little
11. station surrounded by trees, whatever and they want to
12. build gazebos and bicycle racks and stuff. I don't mean
13. to be cynical, but nobody in the neighborhood is in
14. favor of it, but it's a good way to burn up Federal dollars,
15. so if you just want to burn it up, I'll take the gazebo, but
16. we aren't asking for it.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. Senator DeAngelis.

19. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

20. Question of the sponsor.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

22. Indicates he will yield. Senator DeAngelis.

23. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

24. Senator Carroll...

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

26. May we have some order, please. Senator DeAngelis.

27. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

28. Senator Carroll, how much stay of execution have we
29. been granted on this...particular capital appropriation?

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

31. Senator Carroll.

32. SENATOR CARROLL:

33. It's my understanding that we were able to get a stay

1. of execution till June 30.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

3. Further discussion? Further discussion? The question
4. is on the adoption of Amendment No. 4. Those in favor will
5. vote...Senator Carroll, do you wish to close?

6. SENATOR CARROLL:

7. Just merely to correct a statement of Senator Totten. This
8. is for approximately a hundred and sixty busses, both RTA and
9. CTA and for 2. almost three million dollars for twelve stations.
10. I doubt that all of it would go, even though the per capita
11. is very high in Senator...Keats' district, I don't think
12. it would be just for a gazebo, I don't think you could even
13. spend three million on that. But there are twelve stations,
14. forty-seven locations, in the railroad...lines that would
15. be reconstructed or shelters or lighting in the tune of three
16. million dollars. And I would ask for adoption of Amendment
17. No. 4.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

19. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 4 to House Bill
20. 590. Those in favor will vote Aye. Those opposed will
21. vote Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish?
22. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take
23. the record. On that question the Ayes are 23, the Nays
24. are 31, none Voting Present. Amendment No. 4 is lost.
25. Committee Amendment No. 5, Senator Carroll.

26. SENATOR CARROLL:

27. Thank you...Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen
28. of the Senate. Amendment No. 5...is the Inheritance Tax
29. Collection Distributive Fund for payments to counties...whoop,
30. back one...wait a minute, okay. This is the one for Institute
31. of Natural Resources for coal research. One million dollars
32. from the Public Utility Fund, for coal research, INR. Let
33. me just explain that the Public Utility Fund, that portion

1. unspent does not go as a transfer to general revenue as do
2. other such funds, but in fact, must be by law, returned
3. to the utilities, not as a rate reduction, but just as a
4. gift back to utilities. So this is from the..what's available
5. in the Public Utility Fund for something very necessary, for
6. Illinois coal research to the Institute of Natural Resources.
7. And I would ask for adoption of Amendment No. 5.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

9. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 5. Discussion
10. of the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes
11. have it, Amendment No. 5 is adopted. Further amendments?

12. SECRETARY:

13. No further committee amendments.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

15. Are there amendments from the Floor?

16. SECRETARY:

17. Amendment No. 6 by Senator Carroll.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

19. Senator Carroll.

20. SENATOR CARROLL:

21. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
22. Senate. This is a request of the State Treasurer to make the
23. payment of the Inheritance Tax Distributive Fund to payments
24. the counties of one million dollars. I would move adoption
25. of Amendment No. 6.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

27. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 6. Discussion of
28. the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. Senator
29. Weaver, on this one? Senator Weaver on Amendment No. 6.

30. SENATOR WEAVER:

31. We...we just hadn't seen the amendment... This...Mr.
32. President, question of the sponsor. Senator Carroll, can
33. you explain this just a little bit in this...general revenue

1. money.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

3. Senator Carroll.

4. SENATOR CARROLL:

5. Unfortunately for the people, but fortunately for the
6. State and county, more people passed away than originally
7. projected. The monies went into the Inheritance Tax Collection
8. Distributive Fund and are distributed according to that
9. fund. This is in effect, a supplemental distribution of what's
10. by law distributed to the counties under that fund.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

12. Senator Weaver.

13. SENATOR WEAVER:

14. I was just going to say though, if it doesn't go into
15. this fund, it goes into general revenue, is that right?

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

17. Senator Carroll.

18. SENATOR CARROLL:

19. Not to the best of my knowledge, Senator Weaver, this
20. is a required distribution under the Collections Statute
21. of inheritance tax and is distributed to the counties as
22. a portion of the collection. It is...that's why it's in
23. a distributive fund.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

25. Senator Weaver.

26. SENATOR WEAVER:

27. Well, if they don't have the appropriation, they can't
28. distribute it.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

30. Senator Carroll.

31. SENATOR CARROLL:

32. Like same with all of State government, you know the
33. Houses' action in killing all the appropriations, there are

1. no departments. Yes, that's true in any case, only the General
2. Assembly can appropriate.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

4. Further discussion? Further discussion? The motion is
5. to adopt Amendment No. 6. All in favor will say Aye. Opposed
6. Nay. The Ayes have it, Amendment No. 6 is adopted. Further
7. amendments?

8. SECRETARY:

9. Amendment No. 7 by Senator DeAngelis.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

11. Senator DeAngelis on Amendment No. 7.

12. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

13. Mr. Secretary, is that the seventy thousand or the twenty-
14. two thousand dollars?

15. SECRETARY:

16. It's the one...the larger of the two. It's...no given
17. amount. It's the larger of the two amendments that you have.

18. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

19. Well, my staff tells me it's the twenty-two thousand
20. and you're saying now...which one is it Gary?

21. SECRETARY:

22. I got the seventy here.

23. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

24. Twenty-two? Okay.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

26. Senator DeAngelis.

27. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

28. This amendment transfers twenty-two thousand dollars in
29. the FY 1981 appropriation to the Scholarship Commission from
30. EDP to attorney's fees which were used to argue the case regarding
31. ...aliens' eligibility for scholarships.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

33. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 7. All in favor say

1. Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 7 is adopted.

2. Further amendments?

3. SECRETARY:

4. Amendment No. 8 by Senator DeAngelis.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

6. Senator DeAngelis.

7. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

8. Thank you, Mr. President. When the Federal Government
9. made their distribution on the State Student Incentive Grant
10. Fund, they had some monies left over and they granted Illinois
11. an additional seventy thousand dollars, which is going to be
12. used to take care of some of the shortfall and the current
13. Scholarship Commission budget. I move for its adoption.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

15. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 8. Discussion of
16. the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes
17. have it, Amendment No. 8 is adopted. Further amendments?

18. SECRETARY:

19. Amendment No. 9 by Senator Schaffer.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

21. Senator Schaffer, Amendment No. 9.

22. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

23. Senator Bloom is still accepting amendments, if anyone
24. is...working slow. This is a soliciting amendment, as I
25. understand it now. This is a..an addition in the Communications
26. Revolving Fund of...four million, nine sixty-seven. This is
27. ...those of you who are familiar with the revolving fund, it's
28. ...in effect, a double appropriation. These...amounts have
29. been appropriated by the various departments. They pay
30. administrative services for their portion of the phone bill.
31. We all know that the phone bill has been going up. This is
32. not just for one department, it's for the whole of State
33. government.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

2. The motion is to adopt Amendment No. 9. Discussion
3. of the motion? All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes
4. have it, Amendment No. 9 is adopted. Further amendments?

5. SECRETARY:

6. No further amendments.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

8. 3rd reading. Senator Rock. We're going to hold the
9. motion to motion to adjourn, I hope, for Senator Donnewald, who's
10. going to be back on...so...all right, Senator Rock.

11. SENATOR ROCK:

12. Right. I just wanted to indicate that there is a schedule
13. change from that which is printed on the Calendar. We will
14. commence Session at 9:00 a. m. tomorrow morning and the
15. Appropriations II Committee will not meet until 3:00 p. m.
16. so we can have a full day at each other's throat. On Thursday
17. we will meet again at 9:00 a. m. in Appropriations II. I'm
18. told by the Chairman, who has conferred with the Minority
19. Spokesman, we'll hear the education funding bills commencing
20. at 2:00 p. m. And then Friday morning, Appropriations II
21. will again convene at 9:00 a. m. for the purpose of the social
22. services budget and we will go into Session at noon and
23. hopefully spend a couple of hours and then go home. This
24. will be, I am sad and happy to say, our last weekend at
25. home. So when you come back on Monday be prepared to stay
26. through until the thirtieth day of June...bring at least
27. an extra shirt, right.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

29. Announcements. Senator Vadalabene.

30. SENATOR VADALABENE:

31. Yes, I have a presentation in the form of an announcement
32. to President Phil Rock and all the members of the Illinois
33. Senate for their gracious contributions on the Poppy Day

1. sales. I'm going to give this Veterans of Foreign Wars
2. presentation to Phil Rock on behalf of all the Senators.
3. Thank you.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

5. Thank you. Senator Philip.

6. SENATOR PHILIP:

7. Thank...thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen
8. of the Senate. The purpose of an announcement, two announce-
9. ments, really, first is we're going to have softball practice
10. out there this afternoon at 5:00 o'clock. It may be a little
11. wet, but at least we're going to hit the ball around a little
12. bit. And secondly, that the game is still on tomorrow...
13. weather permitting. Also, I'd like to ask the members of the
14. Republican Transportation Committee to meet right after this
15. Session in Senator Shapiro's Office for about ten minutes, I
16. hope. Thank you.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

18. Senator Carroll.

19. SENATOR CARROLL:

20. Appropriations I will meet immediately following adjournment
21. in Room 212. We intend to try and move all the bills out of
22. committee today if it is at all possible. We would urge attendants
23. to be prompt.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

25. Any further business to come before the Senate? All
26. right. All right. Senator Davidson has a congratulatory
27. resolution which he wanted to handle today. Is there leave
28. for Senator Rupp to handle that? Leave is granted. Is there
29. order...leave to go to the Order of Resolutions? Resolutions.
30. Senator Rupp moves for the immediate consideration and adoption
31. of Resolution No...242, on the motion to suspend the rules, all
32. in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. On the motion
33. to adopt. All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it

1. and the resolution is adopted. Any further business to come
2. before the Senate? Senator Donnewald.

3. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

4. Well, yes, Mr. President and members of the Body. I...
5. I'm certainly glad to be back and I want to thank the members
6. for their...cards and letters and flowers and planters and
7. telephone calls, I...I appreciated it. And I know, I'd noticed
8. in...in the news media that everything is settled. Kremap...
9. is taken care of, RTA is taken care of and various other
10. items of great importance. So it looks like you've been doing
11. a good job and I'll be...I'm with you from...now to the rest
12. of the Session. Thank you, so very much. Now with that...I
13. would move you, Mr. President, that the Senate stand adjourned
14. until nine o'clock...Wednesday morning, June the 17th.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR BRUCE)

16. The motion is to adjourn. Discussion of the motion?
17. All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. The
18. Senate stands adjourned until 9:00 a. m. tomorrow.

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