

84TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

APRIL 8, 1986

PRESIDENT:

The Senate will please come to order. Will the members be at their desks and will our guests in the gallery please rise. The Chair will yield to Senator William Mahar.

SENATOR MAHAR:

Thank you, Mr. President. It is my pleasure to introduce Reverend Paul Schwartz, pastor of St. Matthew Lutheran Church, Lemont, Illinois for today's invocation.

REVEREND SCHWARTZ:

(Prayer given by Reverend Schwartz)

PRESIDENT:

Thank you, Reverend. Reading of the Journal. Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH:

Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate. I move that the reading and the approval of the Journals of Tuesday, April 1st; Wednesday, April 2nd and Thursday, April 3rd, in the year 1986, be postponed pending arrival of the printed Journals.

PRESIDENT:

You've heard the motion as placed by Senator Smith. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The motion carries and it is so ordered. Senator Mahar, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR MAHAR:

Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDENT:

State your point, sir.

SENATOR MAHAR:

I would like to introduce to the members the family of Pastor Schwartz. We have on the Floor his...his son Steve, his daughter Jennifer and his wife Linda. They're down by the Well.

PRESIDENT:

Will...will our guests please rise and be recognized. Welcome to Springfield. Senator Vadalabene, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR VADALABENE:

Yes, thank you, Mr. President. I would like to be recorded as a...hyphenated sponsor on Senate Bill 1700.

PRESIDENT:

Gentleman seeks leave of the Body to be shown as a co-sponsor of Senate Bill 1700. Without objection, leave is granted. Resolutions, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 783, offered by Senator Kustra, it's congratulatory.

Senate Resolution 784, by Senator Lemke, and it is congratulatory.

PRESIDENT:

Consent Calendar.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

Introduction of bills.

ACTING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

Senate Bill 1818, by Senator Kustra.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1819, the same sponsor.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1820, Senator Davidson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1821, by Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1822, Senator Carroll.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1833, by Senators Carroll and Hall.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1824, by the same sponsors.

(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1825, by Senator Hall and Carroll.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1826, by Senator Carroll and Hall.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1827, Senator Lemke and Fawell.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1828, Senator Davidson.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1829, Senator Degnan.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1830, by Senator Kustra and Jones.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1831, Senator Netsch.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1832, Senator Holmberg.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1833, by Senator Holmberg.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1834, Senator Maitland.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1835, Senator Maitland.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1836, Senator Maitland.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1837, Senator Weaver.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1838, by Senator Barkhausen.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1839, by Senators Jones and Chew.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
1840, by Senator Netsch.  
(Secretary reads title of bill)  
...1841...1841, by Senator Sommers, Philip, Weaver,

DeAngelis, Davidson and Schaffer.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1842, by Senators Friedland, Kelly, Schuneman and Mahar.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1843, by Senator Kelly.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

...Senator Carroll, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR CARROLL:

Thank you, Mr...thank you, Mr. President, for purpose of a motion. I would like to move that the posting requirements of Rule 7C be suspended so that Senate Bill 1779 can be heard in the Senate Appropriations I Committee today, April 8th, at the hour of two o'clock or as soon as the Senate adjourns its Regular Session in Room 212.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

All right. You've heard the motion as posed by Senator Carroll to suspend the appropriate rule so that Senate Bill 1779 can be heard in committee today, in Approp. I. Discussion? If not, those in favor indicate by saying Aye. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. The rules are suspended and...posting rules are suspended and the bill will be heard by the Appropriations I today. Introduction of bills.

SECRETARY:

Senate Bill 1844 introduced by Senators Watson, Rupp, Kustra, Weaver, Donahue, Regner and others...Rigney and others.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1845, Senators Marovitz, D'Arco.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1846, by Senator Marovitz and Lechowicz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1847, Senators Friedland, Topinka, Mahar.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1848, Senators Berman, Demuzio...and Jerome Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1849, Senator Berman.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

All right. Those...those bills that were introduced go to Rules Committee. Resolutions.

SECRETARY:

Senate...Senate Resolution 785 offered by Senators Topinka and Zito. It's congratulatory.

786, Senators Marovitz, Carroll and Berman. It's congratulatory.

787, by Senator Jones, congratulatory.

...Senate Joint Resolution 133, by Senator Barkhausen and it's congratulatory.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 788, by Senators Berman and Degnan.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

Executive. Introduction of bills.

SECRETARY:

Senate Bill 1850 introduced by Senators Geo-Karis, Dudycz and Karpel.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

Rules. Can we have some order, please. Senator Rock.

SENATOR ROCK:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I have discussed with...if I can have the attention of the members...if you'll turn to the back page of the

Calendar where the...Senate schedule is indicated, let me outline, if I might, this week's schedule. It is, as I am sure everyone is aware, a little on the light side because the Rules Committee is still deliberating. Allow me to remind the members that Friday is the last day for introduction in terms of moving bills through this Session. Introduction can take place at any time but obviously in terms of the deadline setup adopted by this Body, Friday is the last day. At three...I know Senator Carroll is anxious to convene the Appropriations Committee meeting at two o'clock, so we will end here shortly. At three o'clock in the Office of the President there will be a meeting of the Rules Committee. Tomorrow we will reconvene...there's an Executive Appointments Committee to consider a number of gubernatorial appointments, so the Senate will convene at twelve-thirty...twelve-thirty tomorrow. And the Rules Committee will again meet at three o'clock. For the benefit of the membership, at one o'clock or approximately one o'clock tomorrow we will have a...at the request of the Vietnam Veterans' Association, we will have a Vietnam Veterans' Memorial Service here in the Senate. There is to be one in the Governor's Mansion, there will be one in the House and we...we in the Senate will have one at one o'clock. Then the Rules Committee will meet again tomorrow at three o'clock. On Thursday, the Rules Committee will meet at ten in the Office of the President. The Senate will convene at noon with the hope that those who have constituent business or district business will then be free to leave, 'cause Friday the Senate will convene at...9:00 a. m. and will remain open all day until five o'clock for the purpose of introduction of bills. The Reference Bureau indicates that there are still a couple of hundred bills that they are working on and there are a number that have not yet been introduced. So Friday, we will literally go from nine till five

but there will be no substantive issues before us, there will be no roll call votes, so the members, if indeed there's pressing constituent business, will be free to leave on Thursday afternoon. So three o'clock this afternoon for Rules, three o'clock tomorrow for Rules, ten o'clock on Thursday, and the Session will be at twelve-thirty tomorrow and at twelve o'clock on Thursday with the committee meetings otherwise as posted. And if there isn't any further business or further announcements, I would move you, Mr. President, that the Senate do stand adjourned until tomorrow, the 9th day of April, at the hour of twelve-thirty.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

All right. We have a couple of additional...Senator Topinka, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR TOPINKA:

Yes, before we adjourn, I would like to add Senator Philip and Senator Maitland to Senate Bill 1797 as joint sponsors.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

All right. You've heard the...request. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. So ordered. Introduction of bills.

SECRETARY:

Senate Bill 1851 introduced by Senators Maitland and Poshard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1852, by the same sponsors.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DEMUZIO)

Rules. Further business to come before the Senate? If not, Senator Rock moves that the Senate stand adjourned till Wednesday, April the 9th, at the hour of...of twelve-thirty. The Senate stands adjourned.

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