

85TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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PRESIDENT:

The Senate will please come to order. Will the members be at their desks and will our guests in the gallery please rise. Our prayer this afternoon by the Reverend William Ellis, People's Church of God, Decatur, Illinois. Reverend. REVEREND WILLIAM ELLIS:

(Prayer given by Reverend Ellis)

PRESIDENT:

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

SENATOR SMITH:

Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Wednesday, April the 1st, 1987; Thursday, April 2nd, 1987. Mr. President, I move that the Journals just read by the Secretary be approved unless some Senator has additions or corrections to offer.

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 Smith.

SENATOR SMITH:

Thank you, Mr. President. I move that the reading and the approval of the Journals of Thursday, April 9th and Friday, April 10th, in the year 1987, 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. It's so ordered. Committee reports.

SECRETARY:

Senator Jones, chairman of the Committee on Insurance, Pensions and Licensed Activities, reports Senate Bills Noed.

265, 465, 1115 and...1172 Do Pass.

And Senate Bills Noed. 454 and 601 Do Pass as Amended.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Friedland, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR FRIEDLAND:

Thank you, Mr. President. Request leave to be added as a cosponsor of two Senate bills. They are 1152 and 1516, and this is with the sponsor's approval. Thank you.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Gentleman seeks leave to be added as a cosponsor on Senate Bills 1152 and 1516. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Vadalabene, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR VADALABENE:

Yes, for the same reason, Mr. President. I have two bills that I want to be...I'm asking...for permission to be a cosponsor. Senate Bills 1458, the sportsmen's bill, and Senate Bill 1421, the bed...bed and breakfast bill.

PRESIDENT:

All right. The gentleman seeks leave to be added as a cosponsor on Senate Bills 1458 and 1421. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Philip, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR PHILIP:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I'd like the record to indicate that Senator Maitland has been detained in his district on legislative business. Hopefully, he'll be here a little later this afternoon.

PRESIDENT:

The record will so reflect. With leave of the Body, we'll add him to the roll call when he shows up. Senator Madigan, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR MADIGAN:

Mr. President, I ask leave of the Body and...and with permission of the sponsor, I would like to be shown as principal sponsor of Senate Bill 1454, and I also have a point of personal privilege.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Gentleman seeks leave to be added as a co-sponsor on Senate Bill 1454. Without objection, leave is granted. State your point, sir.

SENATOR MADIGAN:

In the gallery I would like to introduce to the Senate Mr. and Mrs. Roy Detmers, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jost, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox, all of them from Delavan in Tazewell County, Illinois.

PRESIDENT:

Will our guests from Tazewell County please stand and be recognized. Welcome to Springfield. Resolutions, Madam Secretary.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 171 offered by Senator Rigney.

Senate Resolution 172 offered by Senators Davidson and all Senators.

Senate Resolution 173 offered by Senator Kustra.

Senate Resolution 174 offered by Senator Geo-Karis.

Senate Resolution 175 offered by Senator Madigan.

Senate Resolution 176 offered by Senator Mahar.

Senate Resolution 177 offered by Senator Mahar.

Senate Resolution 178 offered by Senator Ralph Dunn.

And Senate Resolution 179 offered by Senator Ralph Dunn.

And they're all congratulatory.

PRESIDENT:

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 180 offered by Senator Keats.

Senate Resolution 181 offered by Senator Smith.

PRESIDENT:

Executive. Senator Woodyard, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR WOODYARD:

Thank you, Mr. President. With leave of the Body and permission of the sponsor, I would like to be...added as a hyphenated cosponsor of Senate Bill 1227 and Senate Bill 1229.

PRESIDENT:

All right. The gentleman seeks leave of the Body to be added as a cosponsor on Senate Bills 1227 and 1229. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator O'Daniel, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR O'DANIEL:

Mr. President, point of personal privilege.

PRESIDENT:

State your point, sir.

SENATOR O'DANIEL:

I would like to introduce in the...in the President's Gallery the Hamilton County Junior High Beta Club, eighth grade, and their...their teachers.

PRESIDENT:

Will our guests in the gallery please rise and be recognized. Welcome to Springfield. Senator Netsch, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR NETSCH:

Thank you, Mr. President. If I might, I would like to make an announcement. The Illinois Economic and Fiscal Commission is meeting at five o'clock today. This will be the meeting at which we will review and adopt our revenue estimate for the biennium, so that it is an extremely important meeting of the commission. I would also urge any of you, particularly the new members, to attend if you are able to do so, because it is an opportunity to get a great deal of

background information on where we are fiscally and where we are likely to be going. The meeting is in the Capital Development Board Board Room which is on the 3rd Floor of the Stratton Building. That was the only room that was available to us. It is possible to find it. Five o'clock today. Thank you, very much.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Economic and Fiscal at five o'clock today. Senator DeAngelis, for what purpose do you seek recognition? No purpose. Senator Zito, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR ZITO:

Thank you, Mr. President. To ask leave of the Body to be added as a hyphenated chief sponsor of Senate Bill 227. I have talked with the Senate sponsor.

PRESIDENT:

The gentleman seeks leave of the Body to be added as a cosponsor on Senate Bill 227. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Hudson, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR HUDSON:

Thank you, Mr. President. To seek leave of the Body to have my name deleted as the principal sponsor of Senate Bill 1457, if I may. And not only deleted but sponsor of any kind. In other words, struck from that bill. Okay? Is that overkill?

PRESIDENT:

Why don't you Table it? Is it yours? Table it.

SENATOR HUDSON:

...no.

PRESIDENT:

All right. The gentleman seeks leave to be removed as the chief or any sponsor in any capacity from Senate Bill 1457, with leave of the Body. No objection, leave is granted. So ordered, Senator. Senator DeAngelis, for what

purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DeANGELIS:

Thank you, Mr. President. I would like to be shown as a hyphenated sponsor on Senate Bill 8-3-4, 834.

PRESIDENT:

The gentleman seeks leave to be shown as the hyphenated cosponsor on Senate Bill 834. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Demuzio, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Yes. With leave of the Body, I'd like to be removed as a hyphenated cosponsor of Senate Bill 426.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Gentleman seeks leave to be removed as the cosponsor on Senate Bill 4-2-6, 426. Without objection, leave is granted. Channel 20 has requested permission to shoot some tape. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Davidson, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR DAVIDSON:

To ask for the suspension of the rules and the immediate consideration of Senate Resolution 172, congratulatory resolution for the Auburn Fifth...Rotary Club 50th Anniversary so I can present it this evening.

PRESIDENT:

That request appears to be in order. Madam Secretary, you want to put that on the board. Senator Davidson has moved to suspend the appropriate rules for the immediate consideration and adoption of Senate Resolution 172. It is...he represents a congratulatory resolution. All in favor of the motion to suspend indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The rules are suspended. Senator Davidson now moves the adoption of Senate Resolution 172. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The resolution is adopted.

Senator Marovitz, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR MAROVITZ:

Thank you, very much Mr. President. With leave of the sponsor, I'd like to be added as a hyphenated principal sponsor to Senate Bill 808.

PRESIDENT:

The gentleman seeks leave of the Body to be added as the hyphenated cosponsor on Senate Bill 8-0-8, 808. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Welch, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR WELCH:

Thank you, Mr. President. I'd like to change the sponsorship on Senate Bill 1425 from Holmberg-Welch to Welch-Holmberg.

PRESIDENT:

All right. The gentleman seeks leave to change the chief sponsor on Senate Bill 1425 to...from Senator Holmberg to Senator Welch. Without objection, leave is granted. Resolutions.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 182 offered by Senator Kustra.

Senate Resolution 183 offered by Senator Kustra, and they're both congratulatory.

PRESIDENT:

Consent Calendar. Senator Marovitz, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR MAROVITZ:

Thank you, Mr. President. Just to announce that the Judiciary Committee will meet today immediately, immediately, following Session. And we've got about two and a half, three hours of work done. If we can get in, we do have a...a partial Agreed Bill List and we can get out of there. But let's get down and get to work right away. We have two hundred and ten bills.

PRESIDENT:

Judiciary Committee immediately after adjournment, which will be momentarily, in Room 212. Senator O'Daniel, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR O'DANIEL:

...Mr. President, the Agriculture and Conservation Committee will meet immediately after Session in Room 400.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Agriculture meets immediately after Session, again, momentarily, in Room 400. Any further business, further announcements? Senator Davidson, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR DAVIDSON:

Announcement. Mr. President and members of the Senate, I'd like to draw all of your attention to the memorandum that's on your desk in relation to the Governor's Prayer Breakfast. This is the twenty-fifth annual breakfast. It will be Thursday, May the 7th at 7:30 a. m. at Holiday Inn East. The cost is seven dollars and fifty cents apiece. And I might say, the President of the Senate is saying the invocation, he told me he was going to take roll call, so I'll...I'm over here willing to take...reservations. But the most importantly, I do need the members of the Legislature are going to attend 'cause we have spaces reserved at the down-front tables for members of the Legislature. And I need your reservation and money, not just reservation, reservation and money by Friday, May 1st. So, if you'll please...see me. And for those of you who are not aware of it, the speaker this year is kind of a first, the President of Cheyney College of Cheyney, Pennsylvania, the oldest Negro university in America, Dr. McCummings is the speaker. We'll be glad to see all of you over here or get to my secretary to get your orders in. Thank you.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Geo-Karis, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I've been requested to become the lead sponsor of Senate Bill 1453 by my minority leader and I so accept, and would you please enter me as the lead sponsor in Senate Bill 1453.

PRESIDENT:

All right. The lady seeks leave of the Body to be shown as the chief sponsor of Senate Bill 1453. Without objection, leave is granted. Senator Demuzio, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Yes. I'd like the record to reflect that Senator Alexander will not be here at all this week due to a death in the family.

PRESIDENT:

...the record will so reflect. Thank you. Further business, further announcements? Any further business to come before the Senate? Don't forget Judiciary and Agriculture meet immediately in Rooms 212 and 400. The Senate will, upon motion of Senator Vadalabene, stand adjourned until Wednesday, April 22nd at the hour of noon. The Chair will inform the members that the minority leader and I have suggested that we'll start at noon and get on the Calendar tomorrow, 2nd and 3rd reading. So I'd ask all the members to be prompt, be present. Senate stands adjourned until noon tomorrow.

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