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PRESIDENT PHILIP:

The Senate will please come to order. Will the Members be at their desks, and will our guests in the galleries please rise. Our prayer today will be given by the Pastor Robert Freeman, Grace United Methodist Church, Springfield, Illinois. Pastor Freeman.

PASTOR ROBERT FREEMAN:

(Prayer by Pastor Robert Freeman)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

...(microphone cutoff)...of the Journal.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Journals of Tuesday, June 14th; Wednesday, June 15th; and Tuesday, June 21st, 1994.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that the Journals just read by the Secretary be approved, unless some Senator has additions or corrections to offer.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler moves to approve the Journals just read. There being no objection, so ordered. Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that reading and approval of the Journal of Wednesday, June 22nd, in the year 1994, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler moves to postpone the reading and the approval of the Journal, pending the arrival of the printed transcripts. There being no objection, so ordered. Mr. Secretary, are there any corrections to the Journal?

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Joint Resolution 159 was incorrectly reported out of the

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Committee on Executive on June 22nd, 1994, with a Be Adopted recommendation. The recommendation should have been Be Adopted, as Amended, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Messages from the House.

SECRETARY HARRY:

A Message from the House by Mr. Rossi, Clerk.

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

House Joint Resolution 171.

Adopted by the House, June 22nd, 1994.

It's substantive.

A Message from the House by Mr. Rossi, Clerk.

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has refused to concur with the Senate in the adoption of their amendment to a bill of the following title, to wit:

House Bill 1594, with Senate Amendment No. 2.

Non-concurred in by the House on June 22nd, 1994.

A Message from the House by Mr. Rossi, Clerk.

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has refused to recede from their Amendment No. 3 to a bill of the following title, to wit:

Senate Bill 230.

I am further directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives requests a First Committee of Conference, to consist of five Members from each House, to consider the differences of the two Houses in regard to the amendment to the bill. The Speaker has appointed such a committee.

Action taken by the House on June 22nd, 1994.

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We have like Messages on Senate Bill 1191, with House Amendment 1; Senate Bill 1267, with House Amendment 1; Senate Bill 1365, with House Amendments 1 and 2; Senate Bill 1366, with House Amendment 1; Senate Bill 1724, with House Amendments 1 through 8 and 10, 11 and 12; Senate Bill 1726, with House Amendments 1, 2 and 9; and Senate Bill 1766, with House Amendments 1, 2 and 3.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Without objection, the Senate accedes to the request of the House for a conference committee on those bills just read by the Secretary. Leave is granted. Resolutions.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 1648, offered by Senator DeAngelis.

Senate Resolution 1649, by Senator Donahue, as is Senate Resolution 1650.

Senate Resolution 1651, by Senator Watson and all Members.

Senate Resolution 1652, by Senator Jones, as are Senate Resolutions 1653 and 1654.

Senate Resolution 1655, by Senator Fitzgerald and all Members, as is Senate Resolution 1656.

Senator Shadid offers Senate Resolutions 1657 and 1658.

Senate Resolution 1659, by Senator Bowles.

Senate Resolution 1660, by Senator Trotter.

Senate Resolution 1661, by Senator Maitland.

They're all congratulatory resolutions, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DUDYCZ)

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY HARRY:

And Senate Resolution 1662, offered by Senator Watson.

It's substantive.

Senate Resolutions 1663 and 1664, offered by Senator Demuzio. They're both death resolutions, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DUDYCZ)

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Consent Calendar.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

...(microphone cutoff)...Reports.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senator Weaver, Chair of the Committee on Rules, reports that the following Legislative Measures have been assigned to committees: Referred to the Committee on Insurance, Pensions and Licensed Activities - the Conference Committee Report to Senate Bill 533, motion to concur with House Amendments 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 to Senate Bill 1706; referred to the Committee on Judiciary - the motion to concur with House Amendments 1 and 9 to Senate Bill 1299; and Be Approved for Consideration - Conference Committee Report to House Bill 1040.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

If I could have your attention. It's the intent of the Chair to now proceed to the Order of Secretary's Desk, Non-concurrence. On page 10 of today's Calendar is that order. Senator Cronin, on House Bill 2424. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

I move to refuse to recede from the Senate Amendments 1, 2 and 3 to House Bill 2424 and request that a conference committee be appointed.

Signed by Senator Cronin.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Cronin.

SENATOR CRONIN:

Yes. Thank you, Madam President, Ladies and Gentleman of the Senate. I do move to refuse to recede from the House <sic> amendments, as stated in my motion.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Is there any discussion? Any discussion? Seeing none, Senator Cronin moves that the Senate refuse to recede from the

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adoption of Senate Amendments No. 1, 2 and 3 to House Bill 2424 and that a conference committee be appointed. All those in favor, say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it. The motion carries, and the Secretary shall so inform the House. Now, on the Order of Secretary's Desk, Concurrence, on page 8 of today's Calendar, is Senator Karpziel's Senate Bill 1721. Mr. Secretary, read the bill, please.

SECRETARY HARRY:

I move to non-concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendments numbered 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12 to Senate Bill 1721.

Filed by Senator Karpziel.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Karpziel.

SENATOR KARPIEL:

I move to non-concur in Senate Bill 1721 and all the amendments and ask that it be placed in a conference committee.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator -- is there any discussion? Any discussion? Senator Demuzio.

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Well, thank you. I -- there -- a lot of people are really not paying attention as to what, in fact, we are doing. We are now on the Order of -- of Secretary's Desk, Concurrence, on page 10. I probably don't have any objection, Senator Karpziel, to what you are doing -- I don't have any objection to what you are doing, but I was wondering if the sponsors could give us a little indication as to what is in these amendments that we're non-concurring in, so that we can get with the flow here.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Karpziel.

SENATOR KARPIEL:

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Senator Demuzio, while we are trying to find the -- I don't have anything on my desk here. I just walked on the Floor. But I can tell you, it was sort of a Christmas tree of things. One of them has to do with quantity-based garbage collection that's -- you know, statewide mandate. One of them has to do with tires - disposal of tires. One of them was adopt-a-park. One was a nuclear safety language that was already on a different bill and has gone to the Governor. Some of these amendments may be very good. Some of them are very bad. And they don't all track, and we just would like to sort it all out in conference committee, because the underlying bill, Senator Demuzio, is the landfill-siting bill, and we do need that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Is there further discussion? Senator Welch.

SENATOR WELCH:

Yes. I'd like to ask the sponsor a question.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Indicates she'll yield, Senator Welch.

SENATOR WELCH:

Senator Karpziel, the -- the quantity-based garbage proposal has been passed by the Senate a couple of years ago. In addition, we've recently had major tire fires throughout the State of Illinois. Are you going to maintain those provisions in the new conference committee, or what is your intention?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Karpziel.

SENATOR KARPIEL:

Well, my intention, Senator, is to go along with the tire -- the amendment dealing with the tires. And I am -- I, personally, am not in favor of the quantity-based garbage collection, but that'll have to be discussed in conference.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

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Further discussion? Senator Shaw. Senator Shaw? Further discussion? Further discussion? Seeing none, Senator Karpziel has moved to non-concur in House Amendments 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11 and 12 to Senate Bill 1721. All those in favor, say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it. The motion carries, and the Secretary shall so inform the House. Senator Weaver, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR WEAVER:

Thank you, Madam President. There will be a Republican Caucus in the President's Office immediately after adjournment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Demuzio, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

For the purpose of an announcement. I don't know what we're doing, but since Senator Weaver's made his announcement, from 3 to 5 this afternoon in Room 114, there'll be a reception for Joe Spagnolo, who's the new Superintendent of Schools. And everyone is invited to stop by and say hello.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Madigan, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MADIGAN:

Thank you, Madam President. Purpose of an announcement. The Senate Committee on Insurance, Pensions and Licensed Activities Committee will meet at 2 o'clock in Room 400, to review some amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Karpziel, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR KARPIEL:

Thank you, Madam President - for an announcement. I would like to just announce that the Executive Committee will meet today at 2 o'clock in Room 212. It should be fairly short. We just have a few resolutions; one of them is kind of interesting. But I would

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like to have everyone there for the votes on these interesting resolutions. Two o'clock, Room 212.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Hawkinson, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HAWKINSON:

Thank you, Madam President. For purposes of an announcement. There'll be a Judiciary Committee meeting tomorrow morning at 10 a.m. in Room 400. That's tomorrow morning at 10 a.m. in Room 400.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

There is no other business to come before the Senate. The Senate -- Senator O'Malley moves that the Senate stand adjourned until Wednesday, July 29th, at the hour of noon. Oh, June. To June 29th, at the hour of noon. Senate stands adjourned.

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