

STATE OF ILLINOIS  
89TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
REGULAR SESSION  
SENATE TRANSCRIPT

6th Legislative Day

January 24, 1995

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

The regular Session of the 89th General Assembly will come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks, and will our guests in the gallery please rise. Our prayer today will be given by Reverend Jeff Chitwood, South Side Christian Church, Springfield. Reverend Chitwood.

THE REVEREND JEFF CHITWOOD:

(Prayer by the Reverend Jeff Chitwood)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

...will rise for the Pledge of Allegiance. Senator Sieben.

SENATOR SIEBEN:

(Senate recites the Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Sieben)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Reading of the Journal. Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Journals of Wednesday, January 11th; Thursday, January 12th; Friday, January 13th; and Wednesday, January 18th, 1995.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

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.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

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

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that reading and approval of the Journal of Friday, January 20th, in the year 1995, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Senator Butler moves to postpone the reading and approval of

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the Journal, pending arrival of the printed transcripts. There being no objection, it is so ordered. Messages.

SECRETARY HARRY:

A Message from the -- the Minority Leader.

Dear Mr. Secretary - Pursuant to the Rules of the Illinois Senate of the 89th General Assembly, please be advised that I have appointed the following Members to committees herein identified. I have further designated a Member to serve as the Minority Spokesman for each committee. These appointments are effective immediately.

Filed January 20th, 1995, by Senator Jones, Minority Leader.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

Resolutions.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 11, offered by Senator Jones and all Members.

Senate Resolution 12, by Senator Dillard and all Members, as is Senate Resolution 13.

They're all death resolutions, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 14, offered by Senator Demuzio.

And Senate Joint Resolution 6, offered by Senator Hawkinson.

They're both substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Introduction of Bills.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Bill 121, offered by Senator Rauschenberger.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 122, by Senator Klemm.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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Senate Bill 123, by Senator Welch.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 124, by Senators Dillard and Cronin.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 125, offered by Senator Cullerton.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senator Fawell offers Senate Bill 126.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 127, offered by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senator Jacobs offers Senate Bill 128.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 129, by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senator del Valle offers Senate Bill 130.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 131, by Senator del Valle.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 132, by Senator Cullerton.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 133, by Senator Peterson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 134, by Senator Peterson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senator DeAngelis offers Senate Bill 135.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 136, by Senator Maitland.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 137 is offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 138 is by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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And Senate Bill 139, by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Maitland, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MAITLAND:

Thank you, Madam President. For the purpose of an announcement. Senator Donahue has requested a Republican Caucus in President Philip's Office from 2 until 4 p.m.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Hendon, your light's on. Senator Hendon, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR HENDON:

Thank you, Madam President. I rise to announce to my friends that Friday morning my wife had our baby daughter, Skye Raquel, seven pounds, eleven ounces. So be nice to me.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Congratulations. Committee 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 Agriculture and Conservation - Senate Bills 26, 43 and 44; to the Committee on Commerce and Industry - Senate Bills 11, 15, 21, 29, 74, 83, and Senate Joint Resolution 4; to the Committee on Education - Senate Bills 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 25, 35, 36, 50, 51 and 52, (Senate Joint Resolution 2); to the Committee on Environment and Energy - Senate Bills 38, 46, 47, 48, 53, 68, 84, and Senate Resolutions 9 and 10; to the Committee on Executive - Senate Bills 20, 41, 55, 65, 66, 73, 89, 91 and 113, Senate Resolution 6, and Senate Joint Resolutions 1 and 3; to the Committee on Financial Institutions - Senate Bill 117; to the Committee on Higher Education - Senate

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Bills 45 and 93; to the Committee on Insurance, Pensions and Licensed Activities - Senate Bills 27, 32, 33, 58, 59, 60, 61, 94, 95, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 114 and 115; to the Committee on Judiciary - Senate Bills 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14, 28, 31, 37, 49, 56, 69, 79, 81, 88 and 111; to the Committee on Local Government and Elections - Senate Bills 30, 34, 63, 67, 75, 77, 78, 80, 82, 109, 110 and 112; to the Committee on Public Health and Welfare - Senate Bills 8, 9, 10, 57, 86, 96, 116; to the Committee on Revenue - Senate Bills 1, 2, 24, 39, 40, 62, 76, 87, 90, 92, 105, 107 and 108; to the Committee on State Government Operations - Senate Bills 54 and 97; and to the Committee on Transportation - Senate Bills 42, 64, 70, 71, 72, 85, 98 and 118. (Legislative Measure within parentheses submitted in writing, but inadvertently not read into record.)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Introduction of Bills.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 146, offered by Senator Hendon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 140, offered by Senator DeLeo.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 141, offered by Senator Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 142, offered by Senator Severns.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 143, offered by Senator Hendon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 144, offered by Senator Hendon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 145, offered by Senator Klemm.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 146, offered by Senator Hendon.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

And Senate Bill 147, offered by Senator Garcia.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 148, offered by Senator Garcia.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Is there any further business to come before the Senate? I would reiterate a Republican Caucus, 2 to 4, Senator Pate Philip's Office. If there is no other business -- Senator Demuzio.

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Thank you, Madam President. I just have an inquiry as to tomorrow. Do you have any idea how long we might be here tomorrow? I have some Members making some inquiry. We're coming back at 10, and then...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

It is my understanding, Senator Demuzio, that we will be going into Session at 10 a.m. and we will be adjourning around noon. Is there any further business? Any further business? Senate stands adjourned until January 25th, Wednesday, at 10 a.m.

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