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PRESIDENT PHILIP:

The regular Session of the 90th General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks? Will our guests in the gallery please rise? Our prayer today will be given by Reverend Tim Dally, Christian Church, Rochester, Illinois. Reverend Dally.

THE REVEREND TIM DALLY:

(Prayer by the Reverend Tim Dally)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

...remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance. Senator Sieben.

SENATOR SIEBEN:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Sieben)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Reading of the Journal.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Journals of Tuesday, April 21st; Wednesday, April 22nd; and Thursday, April 23rd, 1998.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. -- 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. Committee Reports.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senator Klemm, Chair of the Committee on Executive, reports House Bills 2503, 2700, 2729 and 3048 Do Pass; House Bill 2370 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Joint Resolution 58 Be Adopted; House Joint Resolution 53 Be Adopted; House Joint Resolution 51 Be

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Adopted, as Amended; and House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 20 Be Adopted.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Communications.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Message from the Secretary of State, dated April 27th, 1998.
To the Honorable President of the Senate:

Sir - In compliance with the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, I am forwarding herewith the enclosed Senate Bill that is being returned by the Governor with specific recommendations for change.

Senate Bill 363.

Respectfully, George H. Ryan, Secretary of State.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Resolutions.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 197 and Senate Resolution 198, both by Senator Demuzio.

They're both death resolutions, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Joint {sic} Resolution 199, by Senator Jones.
It's substantive.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

...page 9 of today's Calendar in the Order of Constitutional Amendments, Concurrence, 2nd Reading, Senate Joint Resolution, Constitutional Amendment, 15, with House Amendment No. 1. ...the amendment.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 15, Constitutional Amendment.
(Secretary reads SJRCA No. 15, as amended by House Amendment No. 1)

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PRESIDENT PHILIP:

3rd Reading. Now, Supplemental Calendar, House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 20. Read the resolution, Madam Clerk.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Joint Resolution Constitutional Amendment 20.

(Secretary begins to read HJRCA No. 20)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Could we have a little peace and quiet? The volume, for some reason, is turned up today. Thank you very much. Continue, Madam Clerk.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

(Secretary continues reading HJRCA No. 20)

1st Reading of the resolution.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

3rd Reading. I'm afraid I might have made a mistake. 2nd Reading.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

House Bills 1st Reading.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2469, offered by Senator Cullerton.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2560, by Senators Cronin and Philip.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2756, by Senator Bowles.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 3292, presented by Senator Fawell.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senator Radogno offers House Bill 3478.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

And Senator Dudycz offers House Bill 3844.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Committee Reports.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senator Weaver, Chair of the Committee on Rules, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Conservation - House Bill 3363; to the Committee on Appropriations - House Bill 2091; to the Committee on Education - House Bills 1543, 2493, 2560, 2614, 2844 and 3749; to the Committee on Environment and Energy - House Bills 2430 and 2668; to the Committee on Executive - Senate Resolution 192 and House Bills 2696, 2823, 3028, 3030, 3202, 3249, 3294, 3406, 3579 and 3626; to the Committee on Financial Institutions - House Bills 3135, 3321; to the Committee on Insurance and Pensions - House Bill 3814; re-referred from the Committee on Judiciary to the Rules Committee - House Bill 3321; to the Committee on Judiciary - House Bills 1368, 1688, 2570, 2899, 3170, 3280, 3395, 3652 and 3753; to the Committee on Licensed Activities - House Bill 2391; to the Committee on Local Government and Elections - House Bills 2553, 2607, 2716, 2869, 2910 and 3139; to the Committee on Public Health and Welfare - House Bills 2758, 3431; to the Committee on Revenue - House Bills 2363, 2671, 2837, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3575 and 3811; to the Committee on State Government Operations - House Bills 2630, 2672 and 3180; and to the Committee on Transportation - House Bills 2295, 2426 {sic} (2466), 3292 and 3612.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Page 5 of today's Calendar, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, is -- is the Order of House Bills 2nd Reading. So I would appreciate your attention to it. We're going to proceed to the Order of 2nd Reading. Madam Secretary. House Bill 25. Madam Secretary. Senator Parker. Go ahead.

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ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House -- House Bill 25.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary adopted Committee Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Have there been any Floor amendments that have been approved or -- for consideration?

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

No further amendments reported, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 1422. Senator Hawkinson. Out of the record. House Bill 1640. Senator Cronin. Senator Cronin? Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 1640.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Education adopted Committee Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

No further amendments reported, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2297. Out of the record. House Bill 2299. Senator Myers. Senator Myers? Senator Myers, House Bill 2299? Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2299.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2369. Senator Hawkinson. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2369.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2377. Senator Burzynski. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2377.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2452. Mr. Peterson. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2452.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2473. Senator Myers. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2473.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2533. Senator Luechtefeld. Senator Luechtefeld? Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2533.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading House Bill 2554. Senator Donahue. Senator Donahue? Senator Donahue? Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2554.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. 2557. Out of the record. House Bill 2580. Senator Peterson. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2580.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Local Government and Elections adopted Committee Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2590. Senator Burzynski. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

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House Bill 2590.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2734. Senator Dudycz. Senator Dudycz. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2734.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2748. Senator Bomke. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 2748.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2887. Senator Karpiel. Senator Karpiel. House Bill 2887? Out of the record. House Bill 3068. Senator Bomke. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 3068.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. Senator -- House Bill 3068. I'm sorry, 3181. Senator Luechtefeld. Read the bill, Madam Secretary.

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ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

House Bill 3181.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3254. Senator Thomas Walsh. Out of the record. Senator Demuzio, for what purpose do you rise, sir?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Thank you, Madam President. I have visiting with us in the Senate today, in the gallery behind me, Our Saviour School in Jacksonville, the eighth-grade class. Like for them to -- to rise and be recognized by the Senate, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

We welcome students and the faculty of (Our) Saviour School to the Senate. House Bills 1st Reading. I'm sorry, Introduction of Bills.

ACTING SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1941, offered by Senator Lauzen.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

There any further business to come before the Senate? If not, Senator Klemm moves that the Senate stands adjourned until noon... Oh. Senator Hawkinson.

SENATOR HAWKINSON:

Purposes of an announcement, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

State your purpose.

SENATOR HAWKINSON:

The Senate Judiciary Committee will meet immediately upon adjournment in Room 400.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Senate Judiciary Committee will meet immediately upon adjournment in Room 400. Senator -- any further announcements? Senator Donahue.

SENATOR DONAHUE:

Thank you very much, Madam President. I would just like to say there will be Appropriations meeting immediately following adjournment in Room 212.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

There will be an Appropriations meeting immediately upon adjournment in Room 212. Are there any -- any further announcements? Hearing none, Senator Klemm moves the Senate stands adjourned until noon, Wednesday, April 29. We stand adjourned till noon, Wednesday, April 29. Thank you.

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