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- Speaker Hoffman: "The House will be in order. Members, please be in your chairs. We will be led in the prayer today by Lee Crawford, the Pastor of Cathedral of Praise Christian Center in Springfield. Members and guests are asked to refrain from starting their laptops, turn off all cell phones, and rise for the invocation and the Pledge of Allegiance. Pastor Crawford."
- Pastor Crawford: "Let us pray. Precious and sovereign God, giver of both light and strength, today we bow our heads, we humble our hearts, and ask your blessings upon this august Assembly, upon the Speaker of this illustrious House, its esteemed Leaders, its honored Members. We cast upon you all of our cares, we yield our worries, submit our weaknesses, and ask you today for strength, for help, for wisdom, and for divine guidance. This we pray, Amen."
- Hoffman: "We will be led in the Pledge of Allegiance today by Representative Moylan."
- Moylan et al: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Good job, Representative Moylan. Roll Call for Attendance. Leader Greenwood is recognized to report any excused absences on the Democratic side of the aisle."
- Greenwood: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Let the record reflect that Representatives Lakesia Collins, Marcus Evans, Barbara Hernandez, Fran Hurley, Thaddeus Jones, and Stava-Murray, and Representative Camille Lilly are excused today."

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- Speaker Hoffman: "The record shall reflect. Leader Welter is...
 Welter's recognized for Republican absences."
- Welter: "Mr. Speaker, let the record reflect that Leader Durkin,
 David Friess, Randy Frese, Representative Weber,
 Representative Sosnowski, Representative Severin,
 Representative Sommer, Representative Stephens, and
 Representative McLaughlin are excused for the day."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. There being 91 Members answering the roll call, a quorum is present. Mr. Clerk, Committee Reports."
- Clerk Bolin: "Representative Rita, Chairperson from the Committee on Executive reports the following committee action taken on March 25, 2022: do pass Short Debate for Senate Bill 3597; do pass as amended Short Debate for Senate Bill 1015; and adopted is House Joint Resolution 72. recommends be Representative Lilly, Chairperson from the Committee on Appropriations-Human Services reports the following committee action taken on March 25, 2022: recommends be adopted is House Resolution 640. Representative Mah, Chairperson from the Committee on Health Care Licenses reports the following committee action taken on March 25, 2022: do pass Short Debate for Senate Bill 670; and do pass as amended Short Debate for Senate Bill 3023. Introduction of Resolutions. Resolution 751, offered by Representative Moeller. House Resolution 753, offered by Representative Demmer. House Resolution 754, offered by Representative Demmer. And House Resolution 758, offered by Representative Greenwood."

Speaker Hoffman: "Majority Leader Harris."

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Harris: "Mr. Speaker, I move that Representatives Guerrero-Cuellar, Buckner, Burke, Carroll, West, Meier, Niemerg, Miller, Morrison, and Wilhour be allowed to participate and cast their votes remotely today."

Speaker Hoffman: "Representative Harris has made a Motion that Representative Guerrero-Cuellar, Representative Buckner, Representative Burke, Representative Carroll, Representative West, Representative Meier, Representative Niemerg, Representative Miller, Representative Morrison, and Representative Wilhour be allowed to vote remotely. All in favor vote 'aye'; all opposed vote 'nay'. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Mr. Clerk, please take the record. On this Motion, there are 67 voting 'yes', 18 voting 'no', 3 voting 'present'. And they shall be allowed to vote remotely. Mr. Clerk."

Clerk Bolin: "Is Representative Buckner present?"

Buckner: "Buckner is present."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Buckner is present. Is Representative Burke present?"

Burke: "Burke's present."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Burke is present. Is Representative Carroll present?"

Carroll: "Representative Carroll is here."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Carroll is present. Representative Guerrero-Cuellar."

Guerrero-Cuellar: "Representative Guerrero-Cuellar is here."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Guerrero-Cuellar is present. Is Representative Meier present?"

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Meier: "Present."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Meier is present. Is Representative Miller present?"

Miller: "Present."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Miller is present. Is Representative Morrison present?"

Morrison: "Yes, present."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Morrison is present. Is Representative Niemerg present?"

Niemerg: "Present."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative Niemerg is present. Is

Representative West present?"

West: "West is here."

Clerk Bolin: "Representative West is present. Is Representative Wilhour present?"

Speaker Hoffman: "Representative Ford, for what reason do you seek recognition?"

Ford: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Hoffman: "Mr. Speaker and Members of the House, I want to take the opportunity for us to recognize that we have two special birthdays this weekend. One, my daughter will be eighteen years old. And our very own colleague, my seatmate, Representative Fran Hurley, will also be sweet 16. So, let's please give Fran Hurley a very happy birthday for this weekend."

Speaker Hoffman: "I would like to recognize the esteemed Treasurer of the State of Illinois, who is with us on the House Floor, Mr. Michael Frerichs. Representative Swanson."

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Swanson: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. A point of personal privilege.

Thank you, Sir."

Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Swanson: "Thank you. To all the Members of the House, listen up, please. In coordination with the Illinois National Guard, Major General Neely, Speaker Welch, and Leader Durkin, I've put together a field trip to visit Lincoln's ChalleNGe at Rantoul on 1 April. The Illinois Army National Guard will provide two CH-47 aircrafts, each capable of carrying 25 packs. General Neely will be on one craft. General Boyd will be on the second aircraft. Because of the limited seating, this is a first come, first serve opportunity. Please send an legislative aide, to my Amanda swanson@ilhousegop.org with the following information: your full name, home address, emergency contact with their phone number. Additionally, the National Guard will require each passenger to complete a waiver form, which I have here at my desk that I will need you to fill out. I must turn these in this afternoon so the National Guard can create individual travel orders and the flight manifest. The first 50 people to send emails will get a seat on the aircraft. I'm going to reserve 51-54 so if someone drops off, I don't want to have an empty web seat on the aircraft. I reserved seats for our two House photographers. Additionally, the Air or Army Guard will have PAO personnel, public affairs office or personnel, traveling with us to help with additional coverage. For planning purposes, the aircraft will... the aircrafts will depart at 0800 hours from Springfield at the Stellar's air terminal. Possibly our Springfield colleagues can help us out

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with where that is. This is a military operation, so the aircraft will depart at 0800 hours, not at 0800 hours has come and gone. At 0800 hours. They will return back to Springfield at approximately 11:15 hours. So, I would suggest no later than 07:15 hours at the airfield so you can receive your safety briefing and we can load the aircraft. Once at Lincoln's ChalleNGe, we will receive an overview brief of Lincoln's ChalleNGe. And I'm working with Colonel Retired James Smith now, Chief of Staff the Illinois Department of Military Affairs, for the on-ground itinerary. After the overview brief, we'll be broken down into several smaller groups and escorted around Lincoln's ChalleNGe by current cadets in training. After the tour, we will return to Rantoul Airport, departing approximately 10:30 hours. Suggestions for those of you who want to go, dress appropriately. As Representative Mayfield's husband has said, Chinooks tend to leak oil, that means they're flyable. I suggest wearing pants, flat shoes, and a comfortable top. We may be loading the aircraft with the props turning, and I don't want to see anybody's... lose a... clothing. Hearing protection. If you have your own fitted, I would suggest you bring them along. Otherwise, some will be provided. There's not enough room on the aircraft for luggage, but if you want to carry a water bottle or something like that on with you, that's okay. Once all the details are finalized, I will most likely meet with the group next week to discuss any changes. The tough part. I'm sorry I could not get enough aircraft for everyone to participate. I think we are so fortunate to get two aircraft to be able to take on this opportunity so that everyone can

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see what goes on at Lincoln's Challenge. I've got the documents, as I said, here. Rush your emails. I'm already going to... I'm going to be checking with Amanda to see what emails she's received so far. But please, I would like for you to come over and sign one of these forms. Fill it out so I can get them turned in. If you have any questions, I'll be in the chamber the rest of the day. Thank you."

Speaker Hoffman: "Thank you. Representative Nichols."

Nichols: "Hello. Point of personal privilege."

Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Nichols: "I would like to... in honor of Women's History Month, I would like to bring the attention of the passing of a great woman.

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Esther Isabelle Brazier, who passed away on March 19, 2022 at the age of 92; and

WHEREAS, Isabelle Brazier was born in Indianapolis, Indiana on March 24, 1929; she married Bishop Arthur M. Brazier, and he preceded her in death; and

WHEREAS, Isabelle Brazier was deeply committed to the Apostolic Church of God (ACOG) alongside her husband, Bishop Brazier; she played a vital role in many ministries of the church, including the ACOG choirs and the youth orchestra, all while raising her family and supporting her husband; and

WHEREAS, Isabelle Brazier will be remembered for being a devoted wife, a loving mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, a caring friend, and a dedicated leader; and

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WHEREAS, Isabelle Brazier was the wife of Bishop Arthur M. Brazier and the mother of Lola LaFayette, Janice Dortch, Rosalyn Shepherd, and Dr. Byron T. Brazier; therefore, be it RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Esther Isabelle Brazier and extend our sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Isabelle Brazier as an expression of our deepest sympathy. This was a great woman, in the church that I belong to, that served the communities of thousands of, not only adults, but young people. She had a heart for the young people. And she gave so much to our church. She'll be deeply missed. We should take the example of a person that gives of themselves in this chamber 'cause that's what we are all here to do, give of ourselves for the people. As we say at Apostolic, praise the Lord, saints. Praise the Lord. Thank you."

Speaker Hoffman: "We shall observe a moment of silence. Thank you. Representative Marron seeks recognition."

Marron: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Point of personal privilege." Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Marron: "If any of you are like me, sometimes you tend to over...

I tend to overindulge in some of the wonderful food that we have down here in Springfield. So, in an effort to stay maybe a little more physically fit and burn some calories, Representative Ford and myself started running every other day last Session. And so, we decided that we're going to make

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an offer to start the running caucus or the running/walking caucus in case anybody wants to walk. So, the last two weeks of Session, we're going to meet every morning and run a little bit. So, we'd like to invite anybody else that wants to come out with us. And we're going to start Tuesday morning at 6:45, so... I thought that might get some reaction. 6:45. Sometimes we run downtown. Sometimes we run out at the IDOT building. Sometimes Washington Park. So, Tuesday morning at 6:45, at the Lost Bridge Trailhead out at the IDOT building off of Dirksen. We would invite anybody to come out and run, walk at your own pace. And it's a good way to stay physically fit and have some good conversations about what we do here and build some camaraderie. So, please come on out and join us."

Speaker Hoffman: "Thank you. Representative Mayfield."

Mayfield: "Personal privilege."

Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Mavfield: Representative Swanson "Members, gave us an opportunity, and I'm hoping so many of us will take advantage. We will be down here on April 1 for Session. So, this is a pre-Session event. So, for those of you who are not familiar with Lincoln's ChalleNGe, I do have a flier. I noticed that several Members from that side of the aisle bum-rushed him to get on this list. Members from our side need to go here as well. This is a free-tuition program. It is six months. It's for youth ages fifteen and a half to eighteen that are struggling. These are youth who are... we are losing them in They're dropping out of school. system. struggling in school. They have ... some of them have IEPs. Some of them have behavioral problems. The parents are at wits'

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end. They don't know what to do. But this school, what they do is, they refocus these children. They help them to obtain a GED. In some cases, they help them to do credit recovery so that they can walk on the... they can do the graduation with their classmates, which is really great. But just... I want to talk about just some of the classes that they offer for those students who aren't going to go back to school. They offer HVAC. They offer driver's training, OSHA training, finance classes, welding, computer classes, forklift certification, nutrition classes. Again, this is totally free. We are paying for this out of our public safety appropriation dollars. And I think it would be great to have several Democrats join me on this helicopter. I am terrified of flying, but as my husband stated, he's military, he stated that as long as the Chinook is shaking and spinning oil, we will be safe. So, please join me in signing up. This is a great program, and I want Democrats to join us. I want this to be bipartisan. This is a great experience for our youth, and it's something you can take back. I do have a flier if you want to come see this. But it's something that all of your schools should be promoting. It is free. Thank you so much."

Speaker Hoffman: "Representative Davis."

Davis: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. May I have a point?"

Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Davis: "Thank you very much. Representatives, again, this is just a gentle reminder. We talked a couple days ago about the Diabetes Caucus. Just want a gentle reminder for anybody who still would like to sign up for the Diabetes Caucus, I've got the forms here at my desk. So, please come on over and grab

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one. If you take it with you, just make sure your LA gives it to... or your LC gives it to my LC, possibly before you leave today. So, just a reminder. If you're still interested in signing up for the Diabetes Caucus, please come pick up a form at my desk today. Thank you."

Speaker Hoffman: "Representative Caulkins, for what reason do you seek recognition?"

Caulkins: "Point of personal privilege, please."

Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Caulkins: "Thank you, Mr. Speaker. This morning I had the pleasure of attending the Illinois State Police Heritage Foundation's unveiling of the inscription honoring fallen State Trooper Todd Anthony Hanneken. This was a very solemn event. We have a State Police Memorial Park, if you haven't seen it, over by the state police headquarters. It's 615 East Lawrence Avenue, where they inscribe the name of every fallen state police officer who's given his life in the line of duty. Today we honored Todd Hanneken, fallen State Trooper, who was a member of the Cadet Class #100. And also, coincidently, coincides with the day of his passing, one year ago today. Reminds us of the dedication that the men and women who serve us go through, I guess, is... and experience. We don't honor their service often enough. Today was a very solemn reminder of the last measure of service that Todd Hanneken offered our state. And I'd like just to take a moment of silence to honor the memory of fallen State Trooper Todd Hanneken on the first anniversary of his passing in the line of duty."

Speaker Hoffman: "The Body shall observe a moment of silence.

Thank you. We shall move to page 12 of the Calendar, the Order

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- of Second Readings, appears Senate Bill 1233, Representative Kelly. Out of the record. On page 12 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 2535, Representative Conroy. Mr. Clerk, please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 2535, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. Second Reading of this House (sic-Senate) Bill.

 No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. On page 13 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 2565, Representative LaPointe. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 2565, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. Second Reading of this House Bill... Second Reading of this Senate Bill. Amendment #2 was adopted in committee. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Senate Bill 2942, Representative Cassidy. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 2942, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Senate Bill 2945, Representative Hurley. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 2945, a Bill for an Act concerning health. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. Amendment #1 was adopted in committee. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Senate Bill 2990, Representative Bos. Please read the Bill."

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- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 2990, a Bill for an Act concerning local government. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Senate Bill 2993, Representative Conroy. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 2993, a Bill for an Act concerning health. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. On page 13 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 3019, Representative Scherer. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 3019, a Bill for an Act concerning criminal law. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Senate Bill 3073, Representative Mayfield. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 3073, a Bill for an Act concerning safety. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. Amendment #2 was adopted in committee. No Floor Amendments. Notes have been requested on the Bill and have not been filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Representative Mayfield would like to withdraw the notes, Mr. Clerk."
- Clerk Bolin: "Nothing further, Mr. Speaker."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. On page 13 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 3097, Representative Zalewski. Out of the record. Senate Bill 3180, Representative Gabel. Out of the record. Representative DeLuca on Senate Bill 3189. Out of the record. Representative McCombie on Senate Bill 3197. Out of the record. Representative... Leader Gordan-Booth on Senate

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- Bill 3616. Out of the record. Representative Conroy, Senate Bill 3617. Please read the Bill, Mr. Clerk."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 3617, a Bill for an Act concerning mental health. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. Floor Amendment #1 is offered by Representative Conroy."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Representative Conroy on Floor Amendment #1."
- Conroy: "Thank you, Speaker. This Amendment was created to get all the… all the stakeholders in agreement on the Bill. And it allows folks to, only one time, reapply for a license."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Seeing no one seeking recognition, Representative Conroy moves for the adoption of Floor Amendment #1 to Senate Bill 3617. All those in favor say 'aye'; all the opposed 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. The Amendment is adopted. Third Reading. On Senate Bill 3625, Representative Mason. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 3625, a Bill for an Act concerning finance. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Representative Moylan on Senate Bill 3629. Out of the record. Representative Katie Stuart on Senate Bill 3645. Please read the Bill."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 3645, a Bill for an Act concerning State government. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. On page 14 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 3661, Representative Halpin. Please read the Bill."

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- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 3661, a Bill for an Act concerning revenue. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Representative Harper on Senate Bill 3832. Representative Harper. Out of the record. Representative Robinson, on page 15 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 3925. Out of the record. Senate Bill 4028, Representative Stoneback. Out of the record. Returning to page 12 of the Calendar, appears Senate Bill 1233, Representative Kelly. Read the Bill, Mr. Clerk."
- Clerk Bolin: "Senate Bill 1233, a Bill for an Act concerning transportation. Second Reading of this Senate Bill. No Committee Amendments. No Floor Amendments. No Motions are filed."
- Speaker Hoffman: "Third Reading. Mr. Clerk, on page 13 of the Calendar appears Senate Bill 2942. We recently moved that to Third Reading. Please move that Bill back to Second Reading. Representative Willis, for what reason do you rise?"

Willis: "Point of personal privilege, please."

Speaker Hoffman: "Please state your point."

Willis: "I have the honor today to talk about a woman that... for Women's History Month... that I am so proud to say that was a friend of mine, was a friend to many people in this room, and to many people throughout this state. So, in honor of Women's History Month this time, I am happy to talk about one of the best-known women in Illinois political history, Judy Baar Topinka. As many people know, Judy was probably the best person in the world to talk about bipartisanship and working across the aisle. Topinka began her career as a reporter and

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was motivated to go into government because of the politics and local issues she covered. After winning in a crowded she primary, was elected to the Illinois House Representatives in 1980, and then continued to serve in the State Senate for over a decade. After serving three terms as Illinois Treasurer, Topinka ran for Governor and became the first woman to receive the Illinois GOP nomination for that office. She was also the first woman to serve as the Illinois Republican Chairperson. After her campaign for Governor, she made a political comeback by getting elected as Comptroller in 2010. And she was the first woman to win two different statewide offices. She passed away suddenly, only a month after winning reelection as Comptroller. She was a dedicated public servant until the... up until the very end of her life. Judy was known for her bigger-than-life personality, and her practicality, and her willingness to work across the aisle. Judy loved polka, and she never passed a garage sale without stopping in to check out the best deals. I have a personal connection to Judy. She was a great friend of my uncle, and they had a morning coffee club that they called the Rusty Button Club. And as my uncle passed away just a few years after Judy, they still remember both of them as they go. She was an institution in Illinois politics and our state. And our state is much better place for having her as part of it. Thank you for helping me honor Judy Baar Topinka."

Speaker Hoffman: "Mr. Clerk, Agreed Resolutions."

Clerk Bolin: "Agreed Resolutions. House Resolution 755, offered by Representative Yang Rohr. House Resolution 756, offered by

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Representative Nichols. And House Resolution 757, offered by Representative Lewis."

Speaker Hoffman: "Leader Greenwood moves for the adoption of Agreed Resolutions. All those in favor say 'aye'; all opposed 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the Agreed Resolutions are adopted. Mr. Clerk. And now, allowing for perfunctory time for the Clerk, Leader Greenwood moves that the House stand adjourned until Monday, March 28, at the hour of 2 p.m. All those in favor say 'aye'; all opposed 'nay'. In the opinion of the Chair, the 'ayes' have it. And the House is adjourned. Have a good weekend."

Clerk Hollman: "House Perfunctory Session will come to order. Committee Reports. Representative Harris, Chairperson from the Committee on Rules reports the following committee action taken on March 25, 2022: recommends be adopted, referred to the floor is Floor Amendment(s) 1 to House Bill 3220; approved for consideration, referred to Second Reading is House Bill 1484. There being no further business, the House Perfunctory Session will stand adjourned."