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Speaker McPike: "House will come to order. Members will be in their seats. Chaplain for today is Father Ted Berst, from the Assumption Catholic Church in Cole City. Father Berst is a guest of Representative Weller. The guests in the balcony may wish to rise and join us for the invocation.

Father Ted Berst: "I would just like to say when, Jerry Weller asked me to do this, I was very excited. Anything after 65 that you get excited about is really something. Can you agree with that? And secondly to get you in the mood for prayer, and God has a sense of humor believe me, I was listening to the hearings about teenage pilferage and shoplifting and so forth and some of its Legislation, and I walked over to Bours. We had a very delightful lunch, and I walked right straight out of the door, didn't pay the check, got down to the Cathedral, reached in my pocket, and there was the money and the check. At least somebody was listening, thank you. Oh, they didn't know if they should laugh or not, oh that's right. I hope you all have your green cards, because I came down here not to pray for you, although we do, but to pray with you, and as I say I hope you have your green cards here because its a very ecumenical prayer and we are going to even make it a little more ecumenical for our Jewish brothers and sisters, because we dropped the word Father, they will, and if you happen to be an agnostic or atheist just drop the whole first paragraph and join us with the rest, ok. Let us pray. All mighty Father, You are the source of all good. You are the greatest good, in our lives. We thank you for all the gifts you have given us. Teach us to use your gifts well. Open our eyes, that we may see the goodness of your creation in others. Open our ears, that we may hear you speaking to us thru others. Open our hands, that

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we may serve you by helping others. Open our mouths, that we may proclaim your good news to others. Open our hearts that we may receive your love, and love your people in return. Heavenly Father, send your spirit among us, that we may see you in everything we do. Amen. God Bless You. You are a very impressive group. Thank you."

Speaker McPike: "We will be lead in the Pledge of Allegiance by Representative Ropp."

Ropp - 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 McPike: "Roll Call for attendance...Representative Piel."

Piel: "Yes, Mr. Speaker, would the record show that Representative Bernard Pedersen and Representative Jean Hoffman are excused today."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Matijevich...or Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, no excused absenses."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Giorgi, do you have any excused absences?"

Giorgi: "Sir, there are no excused absences."

Speaker McPike: "Take the Roll Mr. Clerk. 114 Members answering Roll; a quorum is present. Representative Preston, for what reason do you rise?"

Preston: "Mr. Speaker, I rise for the purpose of an announcement. I want Members of the Consumer Protection Committee to be made aware, both Members and people who have Bills that have been posted in that Committee for yesterday, that we recessed until the call of the Chair and we're going to meetin room C1, tomorrow from 2 to 4, so Members of the Consumer Protection Committee will be meeting in room C1 tomorrow from 2 to 4 p.m."

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Speaker McPike: "Thank you, Representative Mautino."

Mautino: "Thank you Mr. Speaker, I would like to move to waive the posting requirements for House Bill 1500. It is currently posted for the Insurance Committee, on Tuesday, the regular Committee. It should also be posted for the Subcommittee at 11 a.m. on May 2. I'd like to have authority to do that sir."

Representative: "Representative Mautino, have you cleared this with the Republican side of the aisle?"

Mautino: "I tried to find them. There is no problem with it. It was...it was not, it was inadvertant non-posting. It's posted for the regular Committee. Representative Pedersen agrees that is was also to be posted for the Subcommittee."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Mautino moves to waive the posting requirements on House Bill 1500, are there any objections? Representative McCracken."

McCracken: "Dick, can you tell whom we talk to over here."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Mautino."

Mautino: "I talked to Bernie last, during the regular meeting. It should have been posted for both the Subcommittee and the regular Committee. It was inadvertantly left off. It was our staffs' problem."

Speaker McPike: "All right. Hearing no objections, the Attendance Roll Call is used; the motion carries. Representative Hartke, for what reason do you rise?"

Hartke: "I move to waive the posting requirements for House Bill 2764."

Speaker McPike: "House Bill 2764. Have you cleared this with the Republican side of the aisle?"

Hartke: "No I have not. It was reassigned in Committee after the posting date for 'aye' committee."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Hartke, would you go over and discuss this with Representative McCracken. Representative

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Satterthwaite, for what reason do you rise?"

Satterthwaite: "Mr. Speaker, yesterday the Higher Education Committee recessed to the call of the Chair and this is the announcement that the Chair is calling and the meeting of the Higher Education Committee will be tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 o'clock in room 118. All Bills that were posted yesterday and not called, will be up for call tomorrow."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, did you make an announcement about the Executive Committee meeting tomorrow morning?"

Speaker McPike: "No I did not."

Giorgi: "There's some question as to what time it's supposed to meet."

Speaker McPike: "Proceed."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, if a Bill was inadvertantly not posted by a clerk, would that take consent on the other side of the aisle?"

Speaker McPike: "Yes, Representative. Now the Chair would like to advise all Members that if they're going to stand to waive the posting requirements, the Republicans should check with the Democratic Chair and the Democrats should check with the Republican Minority Spokesman. Representative Krska."

Krska: "I'd like to suspend a rule to have House Bill 2697 heard in Registration Regulations next week. I have discussed it already with Minority."

Speaker McPike: "The Gentleman moves to waive the posting requirements for House Bill 2697. This has been cleared with the Republican side of the aisle. Are there any objections? Hearing none, the Attendance Roll Call will be used; the Gentleman's motion carries. Representative Churchill."

Churchill: "Thank you Mr. Speaker, I rise again today just to

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renew my objections of yesterday about the mess that we find ourselves in. Part of the reason that people have to stand up and waive posting requirements is that this place is disorganized. We've gone to subcommittees today. The subcommittees are meeting. They don't know if the Bills are supposed to come out of the subcommittees and go right to the full committees. There are postings that are supposed to go to the full committee but they don't. They go to the subcommittee, and then the Bill comes out and you can't get a Bill called in the full committee because it wasn't posted in the full committee because it was posted for the subcommittee, then people don't know whether they're supposed to come back to the full committees and testify in front of the full committees after they've already brought in people to testify in front of the subcommittees. I mean this place is a mess; this place is an absolute mess. If we're trying to run a business-like operation in this House and a committee structure, whoever was in charge of this business would have been fired."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Hartke."

Hartke: "Yes, I again move House Bill 2764, I move to waive the posting requirements. I've checked with Representative McCracken and Representative Wait, and they've agreed with me."

Speaker McPike: "Motion is to waive the posting requirements on House Bill 2764. Hearing no objections...Representative Hartke what committee is that?"

Hartke: "That's the 'aye' committee."

Speaker McPike: "Gentleman moves to waive the posting requirements for 2764, in Ag. Hearing no objections, Attendance Roll Call will be used, and the motion carries. Representative Currie."

Currie: "Thank you Mr. Speaker, Members of the House. I'd like

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leave to waive the, to suspend the posting requirements for House Bill 136, for both the Real Estate Tax Subcommittee of the House Revenue Committee, for Wednesday May 3, and of the full Revenue Committee at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday May 3, and on House Bill 1182 to suspend for both Sales Tax Subcommittee and the full Revenue Committee meeting on Wednesday May 3."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Currie has this been cleared with the Minority Spokesman?"

Currie: "I believe it has. Cleared by the sponsor and cleared by myself with the Minority Spokeswoman, Representative Frederick."

Speaker McPike: "She is indicating that it has been cleared. Hearing no objections, the Attendance Roll Call will be used, on House Bill 136 and 1182 in the Revenue Committee and the motion carries. Representative Kulas."

Kulas: "Thank you Mr. Speaker, I would ask leave of the Body to waive the posting rules so that House Bill 1593 and 1663 can be heard in the Energy and Environment Committee tomorrow, its 1593 and 1663. Its been cleared with the Minority Spokesman."

Speaker McPike: "The Gentleman moves to waive the posting requirements on House Bill 1593 and 1663. Hearing no objections to that, Attendance Roll Call will be used, the motion carries. Representative McCracken."

McCracken: "I just encourage Republicans to ask to have a Bill suspended so I can look like I'm not on a one way street here. Surely there are important Republican Bills that have been missed. Can't somebody ask to suspend the posting so that we can that we can say we got something in return for this? Well I guess not."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Giorgi."

Giorgi: "Mr. Speaker, I cleared this with Representative

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McCracken, my dear friend on the other side of the aisle. I move to suspend rules and have House Bill 2442 to be heard in Cities and Villages on Tuesday May 2."

Speaker McPike: "The Gentleman moves to waive the posting requirements on House Bill 2442 for Committee on Cities and Villages. Hearing no objections to this motion, Attendance Roll Call is used, the motion carries. Representative Curran."

Curran: "Mr. Chairman, I wish to announce for those Members of the Economic Development Committee, that there will be no meeting tomorrow as scheduled. The next time we will meet is next week. No meeting tomorrow for the Economic Development Committee."

Speaker McPike: "Agreed Resolutions."

Clerk O'Brien: "House Resolutions 346 offered by Representative Daniels. 347, Speaker Madigan. 348, Johnson. 349, McCracken. 350, Hasara. 351, Madigan. 352, Parcels. 353, Barger. 354, Johnson. 355, Johnson. 356, Ropp. 357, Weaver. 358, Krska. 359, Weller. and 360, Parcels."

Speaker McPike: "Representative Matijeovich."

Matijeovich: "Yes, Mr. Speaker, both sides of the aisle have examined the Resolutions and they are agreed to. I move the adoption of the Agreed Resolutions."

Speaker McPike: "Gentleman moves the adoption of the Agreed Resolutions. All in favor say 'aye', opposed 'no'. The 'ayes' have it. The Agreed Resolutions are adopted. Allowing perfunctory time for the Introduction of Bills and Committee Reports, Representative Giorgi now stands and the House stands adjourned until tomorrow the hour of 4 p.m. All in favor say 'aye', opposed 'no', the 'ayes' have it. The House stands adjourned."

Clerk O'Brien: "Introduction and First Reading of Bills. House Bill 2817 introduced by Representative Breslin, a Bill for

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an Act to amend the Illinois Dental Practice Act. First Reading of the Bill. Committee reports. Representative Shaw, Chairman of the Committee on Aeronautics, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 599; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 316; 'do pass as amended Short Debate' House Bill 88. Representative DeJaegher, Chairman of the Committee on Aging, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 215; 'do pass Short Debate Calendar' House Bill 1282; Representative Leverenz, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations I, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 26, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 1217 and 1218; 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bills 1800, 2284 and 2809. Representative Preston, Chairman for the Committee on Children, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 1743 and House Bill 22; 'do pass as amended' House Bill 23; 'do pass Short Debate Calendar' House Bill 2676, 2589 and 1757; 'do pass as amended Short Debate' House Bill 2590; 'do pass Consent Calendar' House Bill 1726 and 1665; 'do pass as amended Consent Calendar' House Bill 2064. Representative Hicks, Chairman of the Select Committee on Coal and Oil Resources, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass Short Debate' House Bills 2170, 2066, 1146 and 1595; 'be adopted' House Resolution 293. Representative Brunsvold, Chairman from the Select Committee on Constitutional

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Officers, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bills 1497, 1315, 1317, 749, 1097, 881 and 2513; 'do pass as amended' House Bill 225; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 1417, 1314 and 1427; 'do pass as amended Short Debate' House Bill 1316 and 1896; 'do pass Consent Calendar' House Bill 2100; 'do pass as amended Consent Calendar' House Bill 966; 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bills 1820, 2258 and 2259. Representative Van Duyne, Chairman of the Committee on Counties and Townships, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 26, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 963; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 2304 and 2599; 'do pass as amended Short Debate' House Bill 2338; 'do pass Consent Calendar' House Bill 379; 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bills 1253, 1985, 2619, 625, 2557 and 2438. Representative Kulas, Chairman of the Committee on Energy, Environment, and Natural Resources, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 11...18, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bill 632 and 1379. Representative Terzich, Chairman of the Committee on Executive, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 2144, 2550, 2584; 'do pass as amended' House Bill 2160 and 2674; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 2596; 'do pass Consent Calendar' House Bills 2275, 2280, 2323 and 2324; 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bills 2083 and 2739. Representative Hicks, Chairman of the Select Committee on Horse Racing, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with following

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recommendations: 'do pass as amended' House Bill 34; 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bills 410, 556, 939, 1605 and 1905. Representative Turner, Chairman of the Select Committee on Housing, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bills 2548 and 1850; 'do pass as amended' House Bills 2491, 788, 1394 and 2282; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 2386; 'do pass as amended Consent Calendar' House Bill 2329; 'Interim Study Calendar' House Bills 2331, 1462, 1528, 1531, 1534, 2679, 2489, 2442 and House Resolution 244. Representative Krska, Chairman of the Committee on Registration Regulation to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 24, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 2339; 'do pass as amended' House Bill 1476; 'do pass Consent Calendar' House Bill 1425 and 1237; 'do pass as amended Consent Calendar' House Bill 63; 'be adopted' House Joint Resolution 24. Representative Saltsman, Chairman of the, Select Committee on Roads and Bridges, to which the following Bills were referred, action taken April 26, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bills 1627 and 1200; 'do pass as amended' House Bill 738; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 2006 and 2005; 'do pass as amended Short Debate' House Bill 1782; 'do pass Consent Calendar' House Bill 1402; 'be adopted' House Resolution 271. Representative Wyvetter Younger, Chairman of the Committee on Urban Redevelopment, to which the following Bills were referred, action April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bills 1651 and 1557; 'do pass as amended' House Bill 2534 and 1561. Representative McNamara, Chairman of the Committee on Veterans Affairs, to which the

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following Bills were referred, action taken April 27, 1989 reported the same back with the following recommendations: 'do pass' House Bill 1578; 'do pass Short Debate' House Bill 1108; 'be adopted' House Joint Resolution 31. Being no further business the House now stands adjourned."

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