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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

The regular Session of the 102nd General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks? Will our guests in the galleries please rise? The invocation today will be given by Chaplain Carla Matrix, Director of Women's Ministries, Civil Servant Ministries, Chatham, Illinois.

CHAPLAIN CARLA MATRISCH:

(Prayer by Chaplain Carla Matrisch)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Please remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance. Senator Johnson, please lead us in the pledge.

SENATOR JOHNSON:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Johnson)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Blueroomstream seeks leave to video the proceedings. Is there any objection? Seeing no objection, leave is granted. Mr. Secretary, Reading and Approval of the Journal.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Journal of Tuesday, April 5th, 2022.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Madam President, I move to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal just read by the Secretary, pending arrival of printed transcripts.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Hunter moves to postpone the reading and approval of the Journal, pending arrival of the printed transcripts. There being no objection, so ordered. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 960, offered by Senator Villa.

It is substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Hastings, Chair of the Committee on Energy and Public Utilities, reports Motions to Concur House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2940, House Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 3005 and House Amendment 2 the Senate Bill 3613 Recommend Do Adopt.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Messages from the House.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Message from the House.

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

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

House Bill 1095.

We have received a like Message -- like Messages on House Bills 1100, 1103, 1321, 1568 and 1571. Passed the House, April 6, 2022. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

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

Mr. President, I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to wit:

Senate Bill 180.

Together with the following amendment which is attached, in

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the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 180.

We have received like Messages on Senate Bill 3416 with House Amendment 1, Senate Bill 3685 with House Amendment 1. Passed the House, as amended, April 5th, 2022. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Mr. Secretary. House Bills 1st Reading.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 1095, offered by President Harmon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1100, offered by President Harmon

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1103, offered by President Harmon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1321, offered by President Harmon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1568, offered by President Harmon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

And House Bill 1571, offered by President Harmon.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Ladies and Gentlemen, please come to the Floor. We are going to be starting with House Bills 2nd Reading. Come to the Floor. On page 10, of the printed Calendar, on the Order of House Bills 2nd Reading, beginning with House Bill 1567. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 1567.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. Going on, we're just going to go in order on the printed Calendar. So, everybody be prepared. We're going to continue on page 10 with House Bill 1587. Senator Harmon. Out of the record. House Bill 4116, Senator Peters. House Bill 4173, Senator Muñoz. House Bill 4285, Senator Harmon. House Bill 4332, on the top of page 11 and that is Senator Villa. Mr. Secretary, she wishes to proceed. Read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4332.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4392, Senator Collins. House Bill 4646, Senator! Collins, we're going to go back to 4392. She wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4392.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4646, Senator Villivalam. House Bill 4667, President Harmon. House Bill 5035, Senator Villivalam. And House Bill 5193, Senator Villa. She indicates she wishes to

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proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5193.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. With leave of the Body, we're going back to page 10 with House Bill 4116, Senator Peters. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4116.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. Would the Members please come to the Chamber? We're going to go to 3rd Readings, this is final action. Senator Tracy, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR TRACY:

Thank you, Madam Chairman. For a point of an announcement, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

State your point.

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SENATOR TRACY:

Yes, tonight is the Township Officials of Illinois evening reception. Our township officials will be in town today. Their reception is from 5 to 7 p.m. tonight at the Illinois State Library, which is, of course, just across the street on Second Street. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Thank you, for the announcement. Senator Villa, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR VILLA:

Point of announcement.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

State your announcement.

SENATOR VILLA:

Thank you, Madam President, and Members of the Senate. Today, I have the pleasure of introducing the Jimenez family to the Capitol to commemorate the passing of la Señora Guadalupe Jimenez. Alongside her husband, Guadalupe Jimenez, co-founded Carnicerias Jimenez, one of Chicago's first and most successful Mexican grocery businesses, which has expanded to many locations throughout the Chicagoland area, including West Chicago. Guadalupe Jimenez left a lasting impact on the community of West Chicago through her advocacy, including donating two semi-trucks filled with water bottles for the individuals of Flint, Michigan, who were in need of clean water. Guadalupe Jimenez was deeply committed to her faith and was a significant pillar for the Archdiocese of Chicago, and she mentored many local entrepreneurs and silently sponsored organizations throughout the city, the country, and the world. Guadalupe Jimenez was a formidable

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businesswoman and a trailblazer whose no-nonsense approach was softened by her charming manner, great love for people, and huge heart. I would like to ask the Chamber for a moment of silence to commemorate the loss of Mrs. Jimenez. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Ladies and Gentlemen, please stand for a moment of silence. (Moment of silence observed) Starting on page 4 of the printed Calendar, we are going to go to House Bill 1592 that is sponsored by Senator Fine. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 1592

(Secretary reads title of the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Fine.

SENATOR FINE:

Thank you, Madam President. This legislation is an initiative of NAMI. It creates additional access for individuals in need of psychiatric care.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Senator Rose, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR ROSE:

Question of the sponsor, if I may.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Sponsor indicates she'll yield.

SENATOR ROSE:

Is this an excellent bill?

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Fine. Senator Rose.

SENATOR ROSE:

You beat me to the punch there. So, all right.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any further discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall House Bill 1592 pass? All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted to wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 48 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 voting Present. House Bill 1592, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. We are going to the top of page 5 with House Bill 4070, Senator Villivalam. We will go on with House Bill 4163, Senator Joyce. Out of the record. House Bill 4219, Senator Crowe. Out of the record. At the bottom of page 5, House Bill 4270, Senator Barickman -- Barickman. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4270.

(Secretary reads title of the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you, Madam President. This legislation is an initiative of the Illinois State Bar Association. It would create a special warranty deed short form, makes no other changes. There's no opposition to the legislation and I'd ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Senator Fine, for what purpose do

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you seek recognition?

SENATOR FINE:

Thank you, I would like the record to reflect that I intended to vote Yes on that fine Bill 1592.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

The record will so reflect. Is there any further discussion on the bill, which is House Bill 4270? Seeing none, the question is, shall House Bill 4270 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4270, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Villanueva, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR VILLANUEVA:

An announcement, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

State your announcement.

SENATOR VILLANUEVA:

So, our lovely Senator Karina Villa talked about an incredible woman in the Latino, and particularly the Mexican-American community, but I wanted to introduce the family, the Jimenez family that is actually here with us today. They're up in the gallery. I actually have been a client of this grocery store since I was a little girl. This -- the Jimenez Carnicerias and grocery stores have been well known throughout Latino and particularly Mexican communities throughout the Chicagoland region. And with us today, we have Mr. Jose Jimenez, we have (Luz) Maribel, Jose the III and Victor Jimenez(-Razo). And I just wanted to acknowledge them and

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give them a warm round of applause for joining us here today and their contributions to the State of Illinois.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Welcome to Springfield.

SENATOR VILLANUEVA:

Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

With leave of the Body, we are still on 3rd Readings. We're going to go back to page 5, starting with House Bill 4219, Senator Crowe. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4219.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Crowe.

SENATOR CROWE:

Thank you, Madam President. House Bill 4219, authorizes the Illinois State Treasurer to convey property to the City of Collinsville, for purposes of tourism and hospitality, for one dollar. If the property is not used for tourism and hospitality, it will automatically revert to State ownership. I know of no opponents and I asked for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none, the question is, shall House Bill 4219 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 voting Present. House Bill

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4219, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Gray TV is seeking leave to record video of the proceedings. Seeing no objection, leave is granted. Near the top of page 6, we're going to go to House Bill 4326, Senator Belt. Out of the record. House Bill 4386, Senator Joyce. Do you wish to proceed? Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4386.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Joyce.

SENATOR JOYCE:

Thank you, Madam Chair. House Bill 4386 provides a single shot centerfire rifles and centerfire handguns, that are either a single shot or a revolver, are legal firearms for deer hunting season. Furthermore, the bill clarifies that both bottleneck and straight-walled centerfire cartridges are legal ammunition in deer hunting. Lastly, 4386 provides a definition of both single shot and centerfire. House Bill 4386 seeks to permit the use of single shot rifle and straight-walled ammunition for taking of deer during regular deer season. Currently, Illinois -- or Indiana, Iowa, Wisconsin, Michigan and Missouri all allow hunting a deer with rifles of some sort. As previously stated, the purpose would allow the use of straight-walled ammunition. This ammunition is slower and less powerful than bottleneck cartridge, but has a higher accuracy, that would yield more effective hunts with less wounding. Reviewing over a dozen straight-walled cartridges that would qualify, the range is about 100 to 200 yards. We currently have

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several ways to hunt deer that are of that range, 50 caliber muzzle loader rifle, barreled shotgun. This would give a lighter load, with a similar range and increased accuracy that would provide opportunities for youth and those in smaller in stature individuals to get involved in regular deer hunting. I know of no opposition and ask for Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Senator Bryant, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR BRYANT:

Thank you, Madam President. Inquiry of the -- of the Senator.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

He indicates he'll yield.

SENATOR BRYANT:

Thank you. I'm not really clear on which type of firearm this would be. Can you give an example of the caliber that you're talking about?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Joyce.

SENATOR JOYCE:

Say a .357-Magnum -- pistol. That round could let me shoot in - there's very different rifles that would carry that round, but these are straight-walled ammunition only, and they have a low - a smaller load than most bottleneck. So, there's -- there's a lot of different ammunitions. I have four or five in front of me right now, a .44 Mag, a .454 Casull, a .460 Smith and Wesson. These are all pistol rounds that then can be shoot -- shot in various different rifles that are already manufactured.

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Senator Bryant.

SENATOR BRYANT:

So, I -- I -- I just I must have missed something, but you're saying single shot. Right? Did I -- am I misinterpreting this? Because what you just mentioned are not single shot firearms.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Joyce.

SENATOR JOYCE:

The revolvers, I mean, that -- the pistols that shoot those. This is a rifle that shoots those manufactured rounds and you can only have one shot in the rifle that - would carry that, to be legal.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Bryant.

SENATOR BRYANT:

Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Joyce, do you wish to close.

SENATOR JOYCE:

For an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

The question is, shall House Bill 4386 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 52 Ayes, 0 Nays and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4386, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill - I'm sorry, 4434, Senator Villivalam. Out of the record. The bottom of page 6 is House Bill 4452, Senator Johnson. Do you wish to

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proceed? Senator Johnson seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 4452 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is House Bill 4452. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Johnson.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Johnson, to your amendment.

SENATOR JOHNSON:

I would like to adopt the amendment and explain it on 3rd Reading.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

All those in favor -- is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. Senator Johnson is going to proceed on House Bill 4452. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4452.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Johnson.

SENATOR JOHNSON:

Thank you, Madam President. House Bill 4452, as amended,

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makes a minor technical change to the Community Mental Health Act to fix a discrepancy in the referendum process for the creation of a community mental health board. And the amendment just simply states that instead of being effective in June, it will be effective July 1st, 2022, to avoid interfering with referendums that have already been approved for the June 2022 primary. There is no opposition and I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Senator DeWitte, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR DeWITTE:

Thank you, Madam President. To the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

To the bill.

SENATOR DeWITTE:

Thank you, Madam President. For our folks on this side of the aisle, I just want to let everybody know this is purely a technical change to the statute. It came through committee very well explained. I just want to let everybody know I support this and would encourage an Aye vote. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Johnson, do you wish to close?

SENATOR JOHNSON:

Yes, I ask for Aye votes. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

The question is, shall House Bill 4452 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 51 Ayes, 1 Nay and

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0 voting Present. House Bill 4452, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Going on to page 7 of the printed Calendar, we're going to go to House Bill 4593, Senator McConchie. Do you wish to proceed? He indicates he does. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4593.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator McConchie.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill simply removes the affirmative defense to a charge of solicitation of a sex act with a minor, or a person with a severe, or profound intellectual disability. Under these changes by the bill, an accused can no longer claim that they reasonably believed that the person or the -- was an adult, or not disabled, and puts us in a line with the majority of states of having that burden be on the perpetrator. I would ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4593 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4593, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 4682, Senator Wilcox. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4682.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Wilcox.

SENATOR WILCOX:

House Bill 4682 deals with the Veterans' Cash scratch-off lottery ticket run by the State of Illinois. The proceeds are deposited in the Illinois Veterans' Assistance Fund. It currently has six categories, but one of them is rather limiting. So, this bill amends PTSD to behavioral health, will open up some additional uses of the funds and then adds a seventh category, Veterans' Emergency Financial Assistance. This is good for veterans and good for families and request an Aye vote. Will take any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4682 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Ayes, 0 Nays and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4682, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 4688, Senator Rose. He indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

House Bill 4688.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Rose.

SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you, Madam President. This is the annual State Board of Education Omnibus Bill for debt limit extensions via front door referendums. It contains potential referendums in all of our - in both parties districts. I will say that, typically, the primary would have already happened and then by May we would know the results and then you would extend the limitations of those that passed. In this instance, because of the primary moving to June, we don't know which ones are going to pass and which ones aren't. The problem is we are in an increasing interest rate environment, which means that one hundred million dollar project you could lose as much as thirty million dollars to the local property taxpayers over a 30-year bond on just a one percent increase between now and the time we would potentially come back as a Body. So, again, front door referendum, this is the annual omnibus that's done. It contains school construction in Members of both sides of the aisle. Ask for favorable passage. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4688 pass. All those in favor of will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 52 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4688, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Belt, on House Bill 4696. He wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill, please.

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House Bill 4696.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Belt.

SENATOR BELT:

Thank you, Madam President. House Bill 4696 provides that the Department of Natural Resources shall offer to each successful purchaser of a hunting license that was obtained by online purchase and issued pursuant to the Wildlife Code, the opportunity to be redirected to the First-Person Consent organ and tissue donor register website maintained by the Secretary of State. Madam President, I don't know of any opposition to the bill and I ask for a favorable vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4696 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 voting Present. House Bill 4696, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. We are going to the top of page 8 on your printed Calendar, beginning with House Bill 4766, Senator Joyce. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House for 4766.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

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Senator Joyce.

SENATOR JOYCE:

Thank you, Madam Chair. House Bill -- House Bill 4766 amends the State Commemorative Dates Act. Provides that August 1st of each year is designated as Sweet Corn Appreciation Day, to those to be observed throughout the State as a day to celebrate the importance of sweet corn in Illinois agriculture and the recognition of family farms. It's a highly controversial bill, but I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4766 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Ayes, 1 Nay, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4766, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Bennett, on House Bill 4769. He does wish to proceed. Senator Bennett seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 4769 to the Order of 3rd -- 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is House Bill 4769. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 3, offered by Senator Bennett.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Bennett, to your amendment.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Thank you, Madam President. I would ask it to be moved to 3rd and will discuss on 3rd.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Oppose, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4769.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Bennett.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Thank you, Madam President. And just by way of announcement, I think I should do them a favor. Senator Rose meant to vote yes, I'm sure, for House Bill 4766, Sweet Corn Day. Surely, he just got muscle memory and kept hitting the red button but we can address that after this bill. (House Bill) 4769, as amended, would remove temporary licensure for individuals seeking to become a licensed behavioral analyst. This bill would allow the Department to issue a license to certified behavioral analysts seeking licensure as a licensed assistant behavioral analyst and a certified behavioral analyst. I think they want to see how many times they could say that in the analysis. Seeking licensure as a licensed behavioral analyst. Okay. So, let me -- let me try to clarify that. So, there are those with different behavioral issues, including autism, that have benefited from different --

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from different therapies that - in working with the behavioral analyst. The problem we have is that, thus far, we have not -- we've not brought it in to -- to conformity, I think, with a lot of other medical professions in the State. This would allow the Department to -- to license it and to regulate it like we do in so many other fields. This is, as amended, I believe we've taken all the opposition out. This is pushed by a lot of different autism groups, including Autism Speaks and our amendments have moved the social workers, clinical psychologists and the pathologists and audiologists to neutral. I would ask for your Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4769 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Oppose, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Ayes, 1 Nay, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 4769, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 4772, Leader McConchie. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4772.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator McConchie.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill would create the County Design-Build Authorization Division for counties to permit counties to enter into design-build contracts. Under this, a

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single entity, both the design and the builder, would be able to do both the design and construction under a single contract and be able to do this in a less costly manner for construction projects. Ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 4772 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted to wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 voting Present. House Bill 4772, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 4783, Senator Glowiak Hilton. Out of the record. House Bill 4979, Senator Connor. He wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill, please.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4979.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Connor.

SENATOR CONNOR:

49 -- House Bill 4979 represents an agreement between all the stakeholders that would allow individuals entering long-term care and applying for Medicaid benefits to irrevocably assign life insurance benefits to a funeral home for the purpose of prepaid burial. It also increases the dollar amount that could be set aside and exempt when determining Medicaid eligibility. So, basically, this addresses a situation in which indigent folks entering nursing homes, in order to comply with Medicaid

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requirements, would have to sell whole life insurance policies, which were for small amounts and were intended to cover burial and funeral expenses. They would have to sell them for pennies on the dollar, resulting in a loss to their family and -- and to them in order to qualify. So, this eliminates this problem. It came into being here in Illinois when the SMART Act was passed in 2012, and there were provisions that should have been made, that weren't. So, we're correcting a problem, and I would ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Senator Plummer, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Thank you, Madam President. To the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

To the bill.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

I just want to thank the sponsor on this. As he alluded to in his comments, this is an issue that's been impacting some of the most vulnerable people in our communities for the last ten years. It's -- it's merely an error by government that has taken a decade to correct. And a lot of families have really suffered because of this error. So, I appreciate Senator Conner taking the lead on this. Appreciate Leader Manley, in the House, taking the lead on this and for all the agencies and organizations that got together. I encourage everyone on our side to -- to vote Yes on this, but more importantly, I just want to thank the Senator for taking a lead on this. It's a problem that's been in our communities for a decade, and I hope it's finally getting resolved. Thank you.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Conner, would you like to close this?

SENATOR CONNOR:

Just, thank you very much for those kind comments, Senator. And I will also -- would like to thank Leader Manley in the House for pursuing this relentlessly for the last two years. So, I'd ask for an Aye vote. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

The question is, shall House Bill 4979 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 53 Ayes, 0 Nays, 0 voting Present. House Bill 4979, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 5015, Senator Turner. Senator Turner seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 5015 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is House Bill 5015. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 2, offered by Senator Turner.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Turner, to your amendment.

SENATOR D. TURNER:

I would ask for its adoption and I'll explain on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

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Floor Amendment No. 3, offered by Senator Doris Turner.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Turner, to your amendment.

SENATOR D. TURNER:

I ask for its adoption. I'll explain on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Mr. Secretary, are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5015.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Turner.

SENATOR D. TURNER:

Madam President. House Bill 5015 creates the Illinois America 250 Commission Act, which establishes the America 250 Commission to organize, promote and carry out inclusive celebrations and observances in Illinois, leading up to, and commemorating the United States of America's 250th Anniversary. And further specifies the Director of the Illinois State Museum will serve as Commission Chair.

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Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House Bill 5015 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 52 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 5015, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 5098, Senator Pappas. Do you wish to proceed? She indicates she does. Mr. Secretary, read the bill, please.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5098.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Pappas.

SENATOR PAPPAS:

Thank you, Madam President. HB 5098 provides that any annexation, disconnection and annexation, or disconnection of territory, must be reported to the Illinois Department of Transportation by the corporate authority of a municipality initiating the action. I know of no opposition and I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Is there any discussion? Seeing none. The question is, shall House -- I'm sorry, Senator Morrison, did you have something you wish to say? Please remember, this is deadline week.

SENATOR MORRISON:

I have a question of the sponsor, please.

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Sponsor indicates she'll yield.

SENATOR MORRISON:

So, Senator, this information needs to be transmitted to the Department of Transportation. Can you tell me why?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Pappas.

SENATOR PAPPAS:

Yes, thank you for that question. The Illinois Department of Transportation uses the information in order to adjust their maps for the purposes of distributing the Motor Fuel Tax to the municipalities in Illinois.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

So, is this a form of remapping?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Pappas.

SENATOR PAPPAS:

It -- it is a form of remapping that is initiated by the municipalities through the annexation or disconnection or disconnection and annexation of territory.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Senator Pappas, before you came to the Senate, there were a series of many hearings and a lot of discussion on remaps. Don't you think that this type of remapping rises to the same import in merit?

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Senator Pappas.

SENATOR PAPPAS:

I don't believe I'm qualified to have an opinion on this subject. I do believe that these types of annexations and disconnections are initiated by the municipalities as a routine course and are approved, presumably, by the voters of the municipalities in question, and therefore are not really subject to hearings within our Bodies.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

In the interest of time, I'm going to discontinue my questions, but this doesn't seem to be soup yet, so I'm going to ask everyone to vote No on this one.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Thank you so much. Mr. -- Senator, on that question, shall House Bill 5098 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Ayes, 0 Nays, and 0 voting Present. House Bill 5098, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Hunter, for what purpose do you seek recognition? Senator Rose, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you -- thank you, Madam President. Aside from Senator Bennett's good humor at my expense on House Bill 4769, I did, in fact, intend to vote Aye. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

The record will so reflect. Senator Hunter, for what reason

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do you seek recognition?

SENATOR HUNTER:

The Senate Dems will caucus in the President's Office for one hour.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Senator McClure, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MCCLURE:

Thank you, Madam President. The Senate Republicans will also caucus for one hour in Leader McConchie's Office.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

Both the Senate Republicans and the Senate Democrats will caucus for one hour. Senate will stand in recess until the call of the Chair.

(SENATE STANDS IN RECESS/SENATE RECONVENES)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The Senate will come to order. All Members of the Committee on Assignments, please report to the President's Anteroom, immediately. All Members, Committee on Assignments. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolutions 961 and 962, offered by Senator Hastings and all Members.

Senate Resolutions 963 through 976, offered by President Harmon and all Members.

They are all celebration of life resolutions, Mr. President.

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Secretary, Resolutions Consent Calendar.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Joint Resolution 54, offered by President Harmon.
It is substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Secretary, Introduction of Senate Bills.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 4206, offered by Senator Bennett.

(Secretary reads the bill)

1st Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Mr. Secretary, Messages from the House.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

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

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to wit:

Senate Bill 3180.

Together with the following amendment which is attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3180.

We have received Like Messages on Senate Bill 4228, with House Amendment 2. Passed the House, as amended, April 6, 2022. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

WCIA requests permission to film today's Session. There being no objection, leave is granted. Senate will come to order. Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

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Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Executive Committee - Senate Joint Resolution 54, Floor Amendment 1 to House Bill 601, Floor Amendments 2 and 3 to House Bill 1091, Floor Amendment 3 to House Bill 3699, Floor Amendment 2 to Senate -- to House Bill 3772, Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 4647, Floor Amendment 2 to House Bill 4736, Floor Amendment 2 to House Bill 5012, Floor Amendment 3 to House Bill 5283, Motion to Concur with House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1405, Motion to Concur with House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1099: Be Approved for Consideration - House Bills 246, 900, 2380, 3418, 3823, 4215 and 4451. Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: Floor Amendment 2 to House Bill 3699, and Floor Amendment 1 to House Bill 3772.

Signed Kimberly A. Lightford Chair.

Senator Lightford, Chair of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Executive Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to House Bill 2380, Floor Amendment 1 to House Bill 4215, Floor Amendment 1 to House Bill 246.

Signed, Senator Kimberly A. Lightford, Chair.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Chicago Sun-Times requests permission to take photos. There being no objection, leave is granted. WBEZ requests permission to photograph. There being no objection, leave is granted. Will all Members please come to the Senate Floor? All Members please come to the Senate Floor. We are going to 3rd Reading, final action. So, if you want to move your bills... Mr. Secretary, Messages from the House.

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

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

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the passage of a bill of the following title, to wit:

Senate Bill 3889.

Together with the following amendments which are attached, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to wit:

House Amendments 5 and 6 to Senate Bill 3889. Passed the House, as amended, April 6, 2022. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Castro, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR CASTRO:

Purpose of a motion, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Please state your motion.

SENATOR CASTRO:

I move to waive all notice and posting requirements so that House Bill 4647 and Senate Joint Resolution 54 can be heard today in the Senate Executive Committee, -- 4:00 o'clock at the Senate Executive Committee, excuse me.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Castro moves to waive all notice and posting requirements so that House Bill 4647 and Senate Joint Resolution 54 can be heard at 4 p.m. today in the Senate Executive Committee. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and all notice and posting requirements, have been waived. Mr.

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Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 977, offered by Senator Van Pelt and all Members.

It is a celebration of life resolution, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Resolutions Consent Calendar. Announcement -- committee announcement, Health at 3:30 in Room 400, Executive 4 p.m. in Room 212. Now we're going to House Bills 3rd Readings, page 9 on the Calendar. House Bill 5167, Senator Jones. Out of the record. House Bill 5201, Senator Simmons. Senator Simmons. Out of the record. House Bill 55 -- 5205, Senator Villivalam. Out of the record. Will the Senators, please report -- Senators, please report to the Senate Floor so we can move these House bills. House Bill 5246, Senator Loughran Cappel. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5246.

(Secretary reads title of the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Loughran Cappel.

SENATOR LOUGHRAN-CAPPEL:

HB 5246 caps the amount of fees condominium associations may charge to retrieve and copy records for mortgages and their representatives in the event there is a resale of a unit covered by an association. Specifically, a reasonable fee may be charged for the cost of retrieving and copying records, but in no case shall the fee exceed three hundred and seventy-five dollars. Beginning one year after the effective date of this measure, that

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cap shall be adjusted based on changes to the consumer price index. HB 5246 also permits an additional rush fee, of not more than one hundred dollars, to be charged if the records are needed within seventy-two hours. The records must be produced within ten business days of the request, and the current law right now is thirty days. This was a negotiated bill over in the House and passed committee without any issues, and I ask for a Yes vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion, any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5246 pass. All those in favor of vote, Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted to wish? Have all voted to wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 1 voting Present. House Bill 5246, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 5328, Senator Jones. Mr. Secretary, read the bill. Correction. Senator Jones seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill... Senator Jones seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 5328 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading, House Bill 5328. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Jones.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Jones, on your amendment.

SENATOR JONES:

I move for its adoption and I'll explain the amendment on 3rd. Thank you.

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Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?
SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5328.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Jones.

SENATOR JONES:

Okay. House Bill 5328, as amended, clarifies school zone speed limits apply to local, county and State roadways. Additionally, House Bill 5328 provides that park zone street applies to State, or local street. I have heard the calls of my fellow colleagues to remove those fines. The fines will stay where they're at and we just want to get clarification that these laws apply to park zones. I'll be happy to answer any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5328 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 1 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5328, having received the required constitutional

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majority, is declared passed. With leave of the Body, we'll go back to House Bill 5167. Senator Jones seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 5167 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is House Bill 5167. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Jones.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Jones, on your amendment.

SENATOR JONES:

Yes, I move for its adoption. I'll explain the amendment on 3rd, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading, Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5167.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the Bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Jones.

SENATOR JONES:

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Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. House Bill 5167 amends the various acts under the jurisdiction of the Division of Real Estate. This bill makes various changes to ensure consistency stable -- stability language and regulatory standards across the statute. I know of no opposition and I look for a favorable roll call.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5167 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5167, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 5201, Senator Simmons. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5201.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Simmons.

SENATOR SIMMONS:

Thank you very much, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. HB 5201 would establish the Agriculture Equity Commission to ensure equity in the State's top job producing industry by recognizing the current adversities that minority farmers face in the industry and the effect on the food system, health, and economy of vulnerable communities. The Commission would reflect the representation of socially disadvantaged communities, businesses,

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farmers and include those that are policy experts, legislators and others who are experienced in agriculture and related matters. The Commission must meet within sixty days after the effective date of this Act. And after the first meeting, the Commission shall elect the chair from among its members to report back on a quarterly basis. We have several proponents, including the Chicago League of Women Voters, Sierra Club, Illinois Environmental Council, and the Environmental Law and Policy Center. I know of no opponents and would respectfully request an Aye vote. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5201 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there 44 voting Aye, 2 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5201, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Jones, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR JONES:

Yes, Mr. President. I would like to be recorded as a Yes vote on House Bill 5098.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The record will reflect, Senator. Senator Fowler, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR FOWLER:

Sorry. Sorry.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

House Bill 5441. Senator Gillespie, indicates she wishes to

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proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5441.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 5441 clarifies the existing definition of "unable to give knowing consent" by adding that even if the accused did not provide, or administer an intoxicating substance to the victim, that the victim remains unable to give knowing consent when the victim has taken an intoxicating, or controlled substance, causing the victim to become unconscious of the nature of the act. And this condition was known, or reasonably should have been known by the accused, but the accused did not actually provide the intoxicating substance. It seems hard to believe that that's not already our law, but it's not. So, what this law is making clear at the behest of the Illinois Appellate Court and with the support of the Illinois Association of Chiefs of Police that a victim of sexual assault is not responsible for what happened to her, even while - - even if she had taken an intoxicating substance. The impetus of this bill is a constituent of mine who was told by law enforcement that her case wouldn't stand in court because she voluntarily consumed alcohol before someone assaulted her. No survivor, who is brave enough to go to the police, should be dissuaded from pursuing justice like this. We all know someone who is unconscious from drinking is unable to give knowing consent and our laws must

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reflect that. I ask for an Aye vote. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Senator Sally Turner, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR S. TURNER:

I just wanted to tell the Senator that she did a fantastic job and your witness was amazing. And thank you for bringing this bill, that's all.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

No further discussion. Senator Gillespie, to close.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Thank you, Senator. And I appreciate the welcoming that the committee did for my constituent who wanted to come and testify. I thank you all so much for your support on this. And I look forward - in committee and I hope to get the same support on the Floor today. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The question is, shall House Bill 5441 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5441, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 5472, Senator Martwick. Indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5472.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Martwick.

SENATOR MARTWICK:

Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. House Bill 5472 amends the Illinois Pension Code by providing that an annuitant with either the Teachers' Retirement System, or the Chicago Teacher Retirement Fund, may be reemployed for up to 140 days or 700 hours. And this is effective for one year, until June 30th of 2022. There are - I know of no opposition at this time, and I ask for an Aye vote. This is a -- a measure to help deal with our teacher shortage right now. And again, I - it's part of a number of bills that have been passed, very similar to one that was passed just a week ago. Happy to answer any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Any discussion? Being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5472 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5472, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. With leave of the Body, we'll be going back to House Bill 1175, Senator Harris. Senator Harris. Out of the record. Bottom of page 4, House Bill 3893, Senator Joyce. He indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 3893.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Joyce.

SENATOR JOYCE:

House Bill 3893 amends and extends the January 21st, or January 1st, 2023 sunset date for eavesdropping exemption, which permits law enforcement to use the device to record conversation during the investigation of qualified offenses such as drug or sex offenses for four years to January..

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Correction, Senator. Please hold for a second.

SENATOR JOYCE:

Pull it out of the record, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Out of the record. With leave of the Body, we'll be returning to page 2 of the Calendar. Senate Bill 1001, Senator Crowe. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Correction. Senator Crowe seeks leave of the Body to return Senate Bill 1001 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is Senate Bill 1001. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Crowe.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Crowe, on your amendment.

SENATOR CROWE:

Thank you, Mr. President. I ask the amendment be adopted and I'm happy to explain on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

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Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 2, offered by Senator Crowe.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Crowe, on your amendment.

SENATOR CROWE:

Thank you, Mr. President. I'd ask that the amendment be adopted and I'd like to explain on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 10,001, I'm sorry, 1001.

(Secretary reads title of the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Crowe.

SENATOR CROWE:

Thank you. Senate Bill 1001 reverses changes to the licensing fees for first-class wine manufacturers and first-class wine-makers that were included in the previous alcohol omnibus bill.

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As amended, it restores the licensing fees for first-class wine-makers and first-class, I'm sorry, first-class wine-makers to seven hundred and fifty dollars online and nine hundred dollars for their initial, or non-online application. And I'd ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion. There being none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 1001 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 56 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1001, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Page 3 of the Calendar, Senate Bill 3926, Senator Fine. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 3926.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Fine.

SENATOR FINE:

Thank you, Mr. President. This legislation ensures that consumers have the proper information that they need if they're considering purchasing a short term, limited-duration health insurance plan. It's all about consumer protection.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall Senate Bill 3926 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye.

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Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 56 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 3926, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 1175 Senator Harris. Indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 1175.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Harris.

SENATOR HARRIS:

Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. House Bill 1175 is a bill that -- that permits colleges to prescribe the time and manner in which student athletes must disclose their publicity rights or agreements for representation by an agent. It also removes the prohibition of a person conditioning any student athlete's compensation for attending a particular university. So basically, it gives the university flexibility to utilize for name, image, and likeness agreements to their current standards. There's no opposition and I request a favorable vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 1175 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 voting Aye, 3 voting Nay, 0 voting Present.

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House Bill 1175, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 1449, Senator Cunningham. Indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 1449.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Cunningham.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 1449 will extend the sunset date and update provisions of the Elevator Safety and Regulation Act and the Fire Equipment Distributor and Employees Regulation Act of 2011. The updates have all had stakeholder input. Amendments in the Elevator Safety Act are mostly a clarification and updating of existing provisions, particularly the provisions being added to Section 10 (d). They are intended to affirm the original intent of the legislature with regards to the application of the Act. That being that the Office of the State Fire Marshal has regulatory authority over State owned buildings in the City of Chicago as it had - as it has had since the statute's enactment. This clarifies - this clarification closes a potential regulatory gap by codifying the current operations of the agency clearly and removes potential confusion about the regulatory authority of the Office of the State Fire Marshal. It is supported by both the State Fire Marshal and the City of Chicago. This portion of the bill will leave no doubt to the -- as to the State Fire Marshal's regulatory scope in these buildings. Amendments in the other part of the Act provide updates

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and modernizations which will provide a better program for both the industry and the office, such as by transitioning to a three-year licensing cycle. I know of no opposition and I ask for your support.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Senator Barickman, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Question of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Sponsor indicates he will yield.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you, Mr. President. Senator, I understand that one of the provisions that is included in this legislation removes a ground for discipline for those who may demonstrate habitual drunkenness, or habitual addiction to habit forming drugs. What is the reason why those provisions were removed from the -- from the law?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Cunningham.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

Sorry about that, had to check with counsel. I'm told the Department wanted this change so they could deal with these issues on a case-by-case basis.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

But, is -- is the existing law -- does the existing law mandate certain outcomes for those who may have demonstrated,

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again, these -- these types of behaviors? In other words, doesn't the - wouldn't the Department already have discretion under the existing law to take matters into their, you know, to -- to take all the facts before them and use their own discretion on these matters?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Cunningham.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

Yeah, they could. This would just ensure that they address compliance based on the existing codes in the statute.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

So, Senator, I'm -- I'm looking at the - I -- I think the language here in your legislation, and --, and in there, the -- the law provides for a number of reasons, they're enumerated in fact, it looks like there's seventeen of them and those seventeen provisions are grounds for discipline. And it's still unclear by your answer why we would be removing one of the grounds and effectively eliminating some of the discretion that the Department would otherwise have for dealing with habitual drunkenness and habitual addiction.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Cunningham.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

So, one of the things that they were - had problems with the existing statute, is that some of the enforcement could infringe on off-duty conduct where they wanted to be focused on on-duty conduct.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Okay. To the bill, if I may.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

To the bill, Senator.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you. Thank you, Mr. President. Thank you, Senator, for the exchange. I think we're just trying to get some clarity on that, on that reasoning. And I didn't - I know there was some opposition from some Members in committee and I'd encourage a No vote and thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

There being no further discussion. Senator Cunningham, to close.

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

I just want to note that I read the legislative intent. That's why I deliberately read those remarks at the beginning. I think the things you're concerned about, Senator, just point to giving the employer discretion on what they choose to enforce and whether, or not, they want to take personal conduct that has nothing to do with the job into effect, that -- that's what the Department is trying to get at. I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The question is, shall House Bill 1449 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 40 voting Aye, 18 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 1449, having received

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the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. The Senate will stand in recess to the call of the Chair. After committees, we will come back to the Floor for further Floor action. Committee. Senate stands in recess to call the Chair.

(SENATE STANDS IN RECESS/SENATE RECONVENES)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The Senate will come to order. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolutions 978 and 979, offered by Senator Anderson and all Members.

There are all celebration of life resolutions, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Mr. Secretary, Resolutions Consent Calendar. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Morrison, Chair of the Committee on Health, reports Motions to Concur - House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3682, House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3853, and House Amendment 1 and Senate Bill 4006 Recommend Do Adopt.

Senator Castro, Chair of the Committee on Executive, reports Senate Joint Resolution 54 Be Adopted; Motions to Concur - House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1099, House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1405, and House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1486 Recommend Do Adopt. House Bill 4647 Do Pass, as Amended; Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 246, Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 2380, Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 4215, Senate Amendment 1 to House Bill 4608, Senate Amendment 2 to House Bill 5012, and Senate Amendment 3 to House

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Bill 5283 Recommend Do Adopt.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Mr. Secretary, Introduction of Senate Bills.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 4207, offered by Senator Connor.

(Secretary reads the bill)

1st Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, please come to the Senate Floor. We will be doing 2nd Readings, as well as 3rds. Please come to the Floor. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, we will now be going to Supplemental Calendar No. 1, which has been distributed. We will begin doing House Bills 2nd Reading. Please come to the Floor so we can move your bills. House Bill 3823, Senator Connor. Indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 3823.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4215, Senator Villa. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4215.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

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3rd Reading. Correction, have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Villa.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Villa, on your amendment.

SENATOR VILLA:

I'd like to move for its adoption, Mr. President. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4451, Doris Turner. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4451.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. Ladies and Gentlemen, we will now move to House Bills regular 2nd Reading. House Bill 4646, Senator Villivalam. He indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4646.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Villivalam. 3rd Reading. House Bill 5035, Senator Villivalam. He indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5035.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HOLMES)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2380, Senator Castro. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 2380.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Castro.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Castro, on your amendment.

SENATOR CASTRO:

I ask for its adoption and I'll explain on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye.

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Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4647, Senator Castro. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4647.

(Secretary reads the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. We'll now proceed to the regular Calendar. House Bill 4070, Senator Villivalam. Senator Villivalam. Out of the record. House Bill 4326, Senator Belt. He indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4326.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Belt.

SENATOR BELT:

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Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 4326 mandates that of the two percent of county tax revenue generated from the school facility and resources occupation tax, that half of the revenue be distributed to the regional superintendents of school to cover administration and enforcement costs of the tax, and the other half, be deposited into the State (Tax) Compliance and Administration Fund to cover administration and enforcement costs of the tax.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion. There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 4326 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 59 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 4326, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 4783, Senator Glowiak Hilton. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4783.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Glowiak Hilton.

SENATOR GLOWIAK HILTON:

Thank you. House Bill 4783 amends the Disaster Relief Act to provide that disaster for purposes of the Act has the same meaning as provided in the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act. If we don't change this, that means funds from the Disaster Relief Fund may not be available for a cyber incident disaster, which was

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not the intention of the legislation that we passed last year. I ask for Yes votes, please. Any questions?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 4783 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 4783, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Hastings, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR HASTINGS:

I just want to say thank you for your service, Mr. President. It was an inadvertent press of the button. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

House Bill 5012, Senator Castro. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Correction. Senator Castro seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 5012 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading, House Bill 5012. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 2, offered by Senator Castro.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Castro, on your amendment.

SENATOR CASTRO:

I'd like to adopt it, explain on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion. All those in favor will say Aye.

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Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted.
Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary,
read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5012.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Castro.

SENATOR CASTRO:

Thank you, Mr. President. This bill is fairly simple for those of you who voted for the midwives bill. This is some technical clean up language that IDFPR asked for. It's all been agreed to and no opposition. I ask for a favorable vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5012 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 59 Voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5012, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. With leave of the Body, we will go to House Bill 4070, Senator Villivalam. Senator Villivalam seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 4070 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading, House Bill 4070.

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Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Villivalam.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Villivalam, on your amendment.

SENATOR VILLIVALAM:

Thank you, Mr. President. I'd like to adopt the amendment and explain it on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4070.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Villivalam.

SENATOR VILLIVALAM:

Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 4070 creates the Illinois Indian American Advisory Council. It provides that 21 - the 21-member council will advise the Governor and the General Assembly on policy issues impacting the Indian American community

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and will issue semiannual reports on June 30th and December 31st of each year. I know of no opposition and would ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 4070 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 59 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 4070, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 5283. Senator Murphy seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 5283 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading, House Bill 5283. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Murphy.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Murphy, on your amendment.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Mr. President, thank you. I wish to adopt and I'll explain the all -- entirety on 3rd.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 3, offered by Senator Murphy.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

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Senator Murphy, on your amendment.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 5283..

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator, need to adopt Amendment 3.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Oh, I thought we already.. Yeah, I'd like to adopt.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 5283.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Thank you, Mr. President. So, House Bill 5283, originally, just made some changes to the Public Library District Act by stating that when electing officers for the board of a public library district, instead of electing a treasurer, the board could adopt an appointed qualified person. So, in addition, the amendment, then said that if there is a vacancy on the Public

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Library District Board, that the vacancy would be filled within 90 days, and if it were not able to be filled within 90 days, the Secretary of State (State Librarian) would fill that vacancy within a 30-day period of time. And if no vacancy could be filled, it would be done at the next election. So, I don't know of any opposition and I'm happy to entertain any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall House Bill 5283 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 59 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 5283, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. House Bill 246. Senator Gillespie seeks leave of the Body to return House Bill 246 to the Order of 2nd Reading. Leave is granted. On the Order of 2nd Reading is House Bill 246. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Gillespie.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie, on your amendment.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

I'd like to adopt the amendment and speak to it on 3rd, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? All those in favor will say Aye, Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted. Are there any further Floor amendments approved for consideration?

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. On the Order of 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 246.

(Secretary reads the bill)

3rd reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 246 is the culmination of a couple of years' worth of work between the nursing home industry and the Department of Health and Family Services and the General Assembly. It does several things to reform the way that rates are paid in nursing homes and to drive greater accountability into the system. It moves from the RUG-IV payment base to the PDPM payment base. It includes a staffing incentive which now requires that nursing homes meet the STRIVE -- federal STRIVE target for staffing, and they must meet a certain level in order to get the incentive. It provides quality incentives driven by the federal Five-Star Program as modified in future years. It -- it adds CNA add-ons to help reward seniority and account for promotions of CNA's who are the primary staffers of nursing homes. It expands the wage adjuster in Cook County statewide, increases the base rate to -- by \$7 per diem. It includes a Medicaid access adjustment for those who -- facilities with seventy percent of their occupied bed days being Medicaid and it requires full

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ownership transparency for the first time. I'd like to give a big thank you to staff who worked tirelessly on this bill, including Andrew Hoffman, Aaron Holmes and Miles Sodowski. Thank you, gentlemen, and we wouldn't be here without you. And with that, I'm open for any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Senator Morrison, for what purpose you seek recognition?

SENATOR MORRISON:

To the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

To the bill, Senator.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Besides thanks to the staff who worked alongside the sponsor, Senator Gillespie deserves all of our thanks. She has brought her expertise and her commitment and spent two years in helping to reform this system with all the stakeholders at the table. I'm very proud to be a co-sponsor of this and ask for an Aye vote from all of us.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Holmes, for what purpose you seek recognition.

SENATOR HOLMES:

Questions of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Sponsor indicates she will yield.

SENATOR HOLMES:

Thank you so much. Senator Gillespie, I have a few questions on legislative intent. Is the intent of this legislation to implement both a new Medicaid reimbursement system and a new bed

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assessment at the same time?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

Thank you, Senator Holmes. Yes, it is the intention of the General Assembly to have both the reimbursement system, as well as the bed assessment, take effect on July 1, 2022. If the federal centers for Medicaid and Medicaid Services fails to approve the State plan amendment, or if the Illinois Department of Healthcare and Family Services fails to file the necessary administrative rules by June 1, 2022, then implementation of the reimbursement system will be delayed to October 1 of 2022.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Holmes.

SENATOR HOLMES:

If the new reimbursement system is delayed and the bed tax is implemented July 1st, then what is the Department doing to ensure the facilities have enough revenue to pay the tax?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

The Department has stated it will continue to pay reimbursements based on the current reimbursement system, plus the staffing and quality add-ons. The increased seven dollars in the base rate and the Medicaid access adjustment included in the new reimbursement system.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Holmes.

SENATOR HOLMES:

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How did the negotiations end on \$92.25 as the base rate?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

The current system uses a formula to take into account costs of providing care, among other things, which sets a base rate for reimbursing providers. That formula currently pays out at \$85.25. Starting with the current number, it was agreed to add seven dollars to the base rate, thus \$92.25. As the cost of providing care changes over time, there are provisions in this legislation that require the Department to report on these cost changes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Holmes.

SENATOR HOLMES:

And finally, Senator Gillespie. What is the intent behind the schedule for the quality add-on?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

The quality add-on is viewed as an adjustment to the base rate and is intended to drive improved quality.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Holmes.

SENATOR HOLMES:

To the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

To the bill, Senator.

SENATOR HOLMES:

I just want to thank everybody who spent countless hours

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working on this. Senator Gillespie, you have been involved in this for literally months on end. And I want to thank you for your hard work that you've done on behalf of the people of Illinois. Thank you. I urge and Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Tracy, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR TRACY:

Thank you, Mr. President. I have questions of the sponsor, and I'd ask if she'd yield, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Sponsor indicates she will yield.

SENATOR TRACY:

I, too, want to thank the sponsor, Senator Gillespie. I know you have spent numerous hours and your staff, Senator Morrison and on our side, likewise, we have some incredible staff and Senator Syverson. We were under the understanding that there might be up to nine to eleven nursing homes that will actually be, what we would call, losers in this and that there was a sheet of those, but we've not yet been able to obtain it. I just thought it might be informative for us to have where those nursing homes fall and be able to contact them and that sort of thing. So, do you have a list of those that do not do well under this new formula of funding?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

We have had lists that have been worked on from time to time. Those lists have varied as we've modified the bill to its current form. The addition of the provision that for the first six months,

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all nursing homes will be treated as if they were at eighty-five percent of STRIVE and paid to that level, has significantly reduced any negative impact to nursing homes. With staff, we'll do a double check and make sure there aren't any still left on that list, but I believe these changes have addressed most of that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Tracy.

SENATOR TRACY:

Thank you, that is reassuring. We just would like to, if there is any that are losing under this bill, it would still be very helpful for us to have that, but again, I applaud your efforts I know this is an extremely complicated area and a very valuable part of what we do in Illinois government in assisting our nursing homes and their funding and the federal match to it. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Gillespie, to close.

SENATOR GILLESPIE:

I'd like to thank Senator Tracy and Leader Holmes and Leader Morrison for their kind words and support in this. Thank you to all of my colleagues who have worked on this, including those in the House, namely Representative Moeller, who has worked hard on this with me, as well. I do think this is going to do a lot to help improve the quality of care for our residents in nursing homes. And I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The question is, shall House Bill to 246 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 58 are voting Aye, 0 voting

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Nay, 0 voting Present. House Bill 246, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1099, Senator Collins. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment. No. 1 to Senate Bill 1099.

Signed by Senator Collins.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Collins.

SENATOR COLLINS:

Thank you, Mr. Chairman. I'm sorry. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I would like to concur with my motion to Senate Bill 1099.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Senator Barickman. Senator Barickman, for what purpose you seek recognition.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

To the motion.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

To the motion, Senator.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you, Mr. President. We have -- we've heard this -- this legislation previously, we again heard it in committee today. There is concern on this side of the aisle about the excessive interest rates that are being applied to these loans. In addition, I think there's concerns about the transparency that exists to the groups that are providing these loans. The result of this is possibly creating incentives for people to bring lawsuits. It

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incentivizes people not to resolve and settle lawsuits, and it lacks some of the transparency that ought to -- ought to exist in litigation. And so, as a result, this legislation has received significant opposition from many of the stakeholders to it. It includes business groups and others and for all those reasons, I'd encourage a No vote. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

No further discussion? Senator Collins, to close.

SENATOR COLLINS:

I close asking for and Aye vote. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1099. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 39 voting Aye, 17 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Bill 1099, having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1099 and the bill is declared passed. Senate Bill 1405, Leader McConchie. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1486, Senator McClure. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1486.

Signed by Senator McClure.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator McClure.

SENATOR MCCLURE:

Thank you, Mr. President. This is our second time voting on

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this. In the House, we took care of some of the issues that opponents had for it, but really this is to protect DCFS frontline workers. We all know my constituent, Deidre Silas, was brutally murdered. She was not allowed to carry anything to defend herself at all, the same was true for Pamela Knight, one was stabbed to death, one was beaten to death. Deidre was stabbed and Pamela was beaten. This would allow for training, as well as the ability for DCFS workers frontline workers to carry mace, or excuse me, to carry pepper spray with them if they so choose. And I would be happy to answer any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1486. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1486, and the bill is declared passed. Senate Bill 2940, Senator Koehler. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I moved to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 2940.

Signed by Senator Koehler.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Koehler.

SENATOR KOEHLER:

Thank you, Mr. President. I move to concur with this House

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amendment. What it does is, it just increases the electric vehicle rebates to make it on par with the automobile rebates in out years. Otherwise, it's the same bill. It incentivizes people to be able to get rebates for electric motorcycles.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2940. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, Senate does concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2940, and the bill is declared passed. SJR requests permission to photograph. There being no objection, leave is granted. Senate Bill 3005, Senator Stadelman. Mr. Secretary read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 3005.

Signed by Senator Stadelman.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Stadelman.

SENATOR STADELMAN:

Thank you, Mr. President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 3005 made several changes to a task force which was created in legislation we passed last fall that incentivize electric vehicle production in the State. The House has decided to make a couple more changes. They added two more members to the task force, members of a labor organization and a component parts manufacturing

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company and changed the date of when the first report is due. Ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? Senator Tracy, for what purpose do you seek... The question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 3005. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 3005, and the bill is declared passed. Senator Tracy, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR TRACY:

Thank you, Mr. President. On -- Senate Bill 2940, I did punch my button. I just didn't punch it hard enough. So, I'd like to be recorded as a Yes, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The record will reflect, Senator. With leave of the Body, we'll be going back to Senate Bill 1405, Leader McConchie. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1405.

Signed by Senator McConchie.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Leader McConchie.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Thank you, Mr. President. This bill amends the patient's --

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or the Medical Patient Rights Act, to have visitation requirements in the case of a disaster proclamation or in the case of an outbreak of a communicable disease. The amendment simply adds two things, one of which would require in long-term care facilities, for whenever someone is denied being able to visit a loved one, that that reason for the denial be provided in writing. And IDPH wanted some information put in there so that when people go into these long-term care facilities, they're able to receive a full explanation of what visitation rights they have under federal law. I know of no opposition.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1405. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 58 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1405, and the bill is declared passed. Senate Bill 3613, Senator Ellman. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 3613.

Signed by Senator Ellman.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Ellman.

SENATOR ELLMAN:

Mr. President, House Floor Amendment 2, basically, adds three

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more people to the Hydrogen Task Force: one member representing a nonprofit energy research organization, one member representing a trade association representing investor-owned utilities, and one representing renewable generators, transmission, and energy storage. I know of no opposition and I request an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3613. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 58 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3613, and the bill is declared passed. Senate Bill 3682, Senator Joyce. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 3682.

Signed by Senator Joyce.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Joyce.

SENATOR JOYCE:

Thank you, Mr. President. House Bill 3682 amends and creates the Reducing Cervical Cancer and Saving Lives Act, which requires written reports to be provided to patients after cervical cancer screenings and requires DPH to create a pilot program for the administration of HPV vaccines to individuals enrolled in the breast and cervical cancer program. I know of no opposition and ask for an Aye vote.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3682. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 58 voting Aye, 0 Voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 3682, and the bill is declared passed. Senate Bill 3853, Senator Morrison. Indicates she wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 3853.

Signed by Senator Morrison.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Mr. President. I would ask that the Body agree and concur with this House amendment, please. It deals with Extended Family Support Pilot Program, and basically, just allows Family First Prevention funds to be used to support it.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3853. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Having received the required

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constitutional majority, Senate does concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3853, and the bill is declared passed. Senate Bill 4006, Senator Bush. Mr. Secretary, read the motion.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

I move to concur with the House in the adoption of their Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 4006.

Signed by Senator Bush.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Bush.

SENATOR BUSH:

Thank you very much, Mr. President. So, Senate Floor Amendment, excuse me, it deletes all and becomes the bill while keeping the intention the underlying bill. The amendment makes technical changes from HFS and simplifies the intention of the bill. I know of no opposition and I would just ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, the question is, shall the Senate concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 4006. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 voting Ayes, 0 voting Nays, 0 voting Present. Having received the required constitutional majority, the Senate does concur in House Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 4006, and the bill is declared passed. Page 12 of the Calendar, Senate Joint Resolution 47, Senator Morrison. Mr. Secretary, read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Joint Resolution 47, offered by Senator Morrison.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

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Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Mr. President. This resolution creates a task force on Children Advocacy Centers and Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children Funding to ensure that both CAC's and CASA facilities receive adequate funding to respond to the number and severity of child abuse and neglect cases in their respective jurisdictions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, as this resolution requires the expenditure of State funds, a roll call vote will be required. The question is, shall Senate Joint Resolution 47 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Joint Resolution 47, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared adopted. Senate Joint Resolution 22, Senator Plummer. Mr. Secretary, read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Joint Resolution 22, offered by Senator Plummer.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Plummer.

SENATOR PLUMMER:

Mr. President, I'd just like to.. we -- we passed this in 2019, 55 to nothing, it rights a historical wrong by the State. I'd encourage everyone to vote Yes. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Is there any discussion? There being none, Senate Joint

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Resolution 22 rescinds the 23rd General Assembly's ratification of the Corwin Amendment to the Constitution of the United States. The Corwin Amendment was not ratified by the necessary states based on the rules of the Senate and Mason's Manual on Legislative Procedure. The Chair has ruled that a 3/5 vote is required for passage. The question is, shall Senate Joint Resolution 22 pass. All those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 voting Aye, 0 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Joint Resolution 22, having received the required constitutional majority, is adopted and declared adopted. Going back to Supplemental Calendar No. 1, Senate Joint Resolution 54, President Harmon. Indicates he wishes to proceed. Mr. Secretary, read the Senate Joint Resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Joint Resolution 54, offered by President Harmon.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

President Harmon.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Over the years, the General Assembly, going back as far as 1861, has adopted resolutions urging Congress to call a Convention under Article V of the United States Constitution. These have, by and large, been based on specific concerns of the day, but there has been a recent recharacterization by some activists that these calls for a Constitutional Convention could be a call for an open Constitutional Convention, essentially the potential for a runaway Constitutional Convention. So, this resolution would simply

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rescind all of those resolutions adopted over the years, so that we are sure Illinois is on record as calling for a Convention when and if we decide to call for a Convention. Happy to try to answer your questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Any discussion? Senator Barickman, for what purpose do you seek recognition.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Question of the sponsor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Sponsor indicates he will yield.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Thank you, Mr. President. Mr. President, you certainly recall that in 2018, Illinois passed, or ratified, an amendment to the United States Constitution regarding the Equal Rights Amendment. And during that debate, one of the arguments of proponents of the ratification was that even though some states had, at that time, rescinded their previous ratifications on the Equal Rights Amendment, the argument during the day, back in 2018, was that those rescissions were irrelevant. That they couldn't be done. And so, let me ask to start, which way is it? Can states rescind an action, like you suggest they can today, or can they not, like it was suggested in 2018 in the Equal Rights Amendment debate?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

President Harmon.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Mr. President. Senator, first of all, I don't recall that argument being made at the time. Second, unlike the Senator Plummer resolution, I believe we just passed, that

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rescinded our ratification of the Corwin Amendment from 1861, which was affirming of slavery. And I'm glad that we took that action to rescind our ratification and the state's ratification of that. This is not rescinding ratification of an amendment. This is rescinding a call, a message to Congress, calling for a Convention, so that it is not improperly misconstrued.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

One of the concerns that we discussed in committee is that if the Senate is to take action tonight, that they may in fact be rescinding previous actions that are inconsistent with the intent of the Body here. And you, very graciously, provided a list of some of the actions that you're attempting to rescind here. We discussed, in committee, that one of the actions relates to campaign finance reform and an urging by the Body to Congress to enact campaign finance reform. Your action here would attempt, evidently, to rescind that. But it -- it goes further, right? And, I guess I might ask, why are you, today, attempting to rescind limitations that Illinois urged Congress to place on income taxes? It seems as though there may be many people throughout Illinois who think it would be wise for the federal government to limit the income taxes that it imposes on individuals. Why are you attempting to rescind that action here today?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

President Harmon.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Mr. President. Senator, you might be referring to a 1943 resolution calling for a Constitutional Convention. I'm

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not entirely sure. I'm willing to bet that a resolution issued in 1943 calling for a Convention has likely fallen on deaf ears. I would also point out, and during our exchange in committee, the operative language of the resolution we were debating, and I will presume without knowing for certain that the operating language of most of these resolutions, calls for a Constitutional Convention, it is couched in the whereas clauses, and the preamble is being intended to be limited to one thing or another, but that highlights exactly the issue today. We do not want what we may have thought at the time to be a call for a specific constitutional amendment to be misconstrued as an invitation to a runaway convention where all sorts of things: a woman's right to choose could be outlawed in the Constitution, workers' rights could be dismantled in the Constitution at a runaway convention. We are simply taking a prophylactic measure to ensure that one of these calls for a Convention, whether it was from 1861, or 1967, isn't mischaracterized today as a current call for a general Convention.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

So, to -- to understand your intent here, your resolution today, which rescinds all these previous actions regarding redistricting reform, limits, as we discussed, limits on income taxes, imposing term limits on the President, suppressing monopolies, resolution on slavery. You're contesting, Mr. President, that in fact, the resolutions previously passed did not provide enough specifics for you to stand by those previous calls?

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President Harmon.

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SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Senator. I imagine, I personally would stand by some of the calls, but not all of them. As we discussed in committee, you and others have voted against some of these calls, but you seem very intent on protecting them now. What I am saying is that the -- the preamble to these resolutions, however well-intended, led to general calls for Convention, which could be misconstrued. I would be happy to call for a Convention to do something noble and worthwhile. We do not just want these lingering calls to be out there for mischief by folks who do us no good.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

So, your characterization of these prior actions, that they weren't specific, might beg the question of whether the action you took in 2017, actually meant anything, if the resolved paragraphs had no specifics. I think your point here is that there was no message actually being sent to Congress. So, why take that action in the first place? But let me even go a step further, Mr. President, because I think the Body needs to fully understand what they're doing here today. Your joint resolution, Senate Joint Resolution 54, attempts to repeal all these previous actions. As I said, items discussing term limits, redistricting reform, slavery, and the only -- and the only -- the only response that you have yet given is that these resolutions were not specific in their resolved Sections, but in fact, they were, Mr. President. You're the one who's raised these issues. But in 1913, the State of Illinois resolved to propose an amendment to the Constitution

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of the United States whereby polygamy would be prohibited by Congress. And so, again, what I'm asking is, why are you rescinding those previous actions, whether it be regarding polygamy, slavery, monopolies, term limits, your list is -- is quite significant of the actions that you're rescinding. And what I'm asking is, what message are you actually sending by taking this action?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

President Harmon.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Mr. President. Senator which -- which call relates to slavery? Are we confusing it with Senator Plummer's rescission on the Constitutional Amendment?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Well, then again, here's my question, Mr. President. My question is, why are you rescinding all of these previous actions? I -- I provided you a very specific one regarding polygamy. In a statement made by the people of Illinois that said polygamy should be prohibited by Congress. Why are you rescinding that here today?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

President Harmon.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you, Mr. President. And thank you, Senator, for your great effort to protect a resolution from 1913. Obviously, it did not have the desired effect at the time of calling for a Constitutional Convention. I would be worried, and I am worried that these outstanding calls for a Convention, dusty as they are,

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could be misused today to call for a Constitutional Convention that could result in the elimination of fundamental rights for Illinois citizens. And I don't think we should have any part of that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senator Barickman.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

To the resolution.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

To the resolution.

SENATOR BARICKMAN:

Ladies and Gentlemen. Here we are, it's Wednesday night, it's 8 p.m. You know, when resolutions are put forth before this Body, oftentimes they're done to commemorate the -- the -- the significant accomplishments of people in this State. They're done to commemorate actions and to speak on behalf of the people that we represent. The unfortunate problem is that sometimes these resolutions are simply used for political fodder. Now we're at the tail end of the - an abbreviated legislative Session for which the State has real issues facing it. And my sense is that if our constituents knew that it 8 p.m. tonight, simply having a political debate over a political issue that has the potential of sending a message around the State that we're changing the historical views of what the people of this State have stood for, that it has a very dangerous consequence that can come from it. Of all the things that we do in this Body, one of the things that we do of utmost importance, is to speak for the thirteen million Illinoisans for whom we collectively represent. This resolution, it's unnecessary. It's driven by the desires of some to advance a

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political agenda. And it undoes some very important work that our predecessors have done here in this Body, and likely across the hall in the Illinois House of Representatives. I think it's unnecessary and I'd urge a No vote on it. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

President Harmon, to close.

SENATOR HARMON:

Thank you. Thank you, Mr. -- Mr. President. Thank you, Senator, for a robust debate. I am delighted that you are so interested in -- in this issue. I would point out that the only resolution we have passed this century, frankly, in the last fifty years, is one that the prior speaker voted against, as did most of his colleagues. I would think you would be more enthused about rescinding it. But that being said, I ask that we all take the prudent step of making sure we send messages to Congress only when we intend to do so, and we don't let the messages sent by a prior General Assembly be misinterpreted and misconstrued to the detriment of the people we represent. I ask for your Aye votes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Senate Joint Resolution 54 rescinds the multiple calls for an Article V Constitutional Convention based on the rules of the Senate and man -- Mason's Manual on Legislative Procedure. The Chair has ruled that a 3/5 vote is required for passage. The question is, shall the Senate Joint Resolution 54 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, 41 voting Aye, 15 voting Nay, 0 voting Present. Senate Joint Resolution 54, received the required constitutional majority, is adopted. Senator Simmons,

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for what purpose you seek recognition?

SENATOR SIMMONS:

Mr. President, I would like the record to reflect that I intended to vote Aye on SJR 22.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

The record will reflect, Senator. House Bill 4285. Correction. House Bill 1587, President Harmon. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 1587.

(Secretary reads title of the bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4285, President Harmon. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4285.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

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SECRETARY ANDERSON:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

3rd Reading. House Bill 4667, President Harmon. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4667.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR MUÑOZ)

Have there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration? 3rd Reading. Senator Koehler, in the Chair.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

On page 10, House Bill 4173, Senator Muñoz. Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 4173.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

3rd Reading. We're getting ready to adjourn for the evening, but I just want to make some announcements. Executive -- Assignments will meet at 8:30 in the morning, and Executive Committee will meet at 9:00 in the morning, and then -- and then we'll gavel in at 11. So, again, Assignments at 8:30, Executive Committee at 9:00. And there being no further business to come before the Senate, the Senate stands adjourned until 11 a.m. on

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the 7th day of April, 2022. The Senate stands adjourned.