

81st GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

MAY 18, 1979

1. PRESIDENT:

2. The hour of nine having arrived, we will defer the opening
3. in deference to our friends from the Minority side. There
4. is a conference that they are attending and we will await their
5. arrival.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HALL)

7. The hour of noon having arrived, the Senate will now
8. come...will now come in Session. The prayer this morning will be
9. by Reverend Anthony Tzortzis, St. Anthony Hellenic Orthodox
10. Church, Springfield, Illinois. Father Anthony.

11. REVEREND TZORTZIS:

12. (Prayer by Reverend Tzortzis)

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HALL)

14. Reading of the Journal. Senator Johns.

15. SENATOR JOHNS:

16. Good morning Mr...good morning, Mr. President. I move that
17. reading and approval of the Journals of Friday, May the
18. 4th, Tuesday, May the 8th, Wednesday, May the 9th, Thursday,
19. May the 10th, Friday, May the 11th, Monday, May the 14th, Tuesday,
20. May the 15th, Wednesday, May the 16th, Thursday, May 17th in the
21. year 1979 be postponed pending arrival of the printed Journals.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HALL)

23. You've heard the motion. All in favor say Aye. Opposed
24. Nay. So ordered. Committee Reports.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Senator Donnewald, Chairman of Assignment of Bills, assigns
27. the following House Bills to committee: Agriculture, Conservation
28. and Energy, 707, 911, 1851, 2280, 2323, 2324, 2327 and 2422.
29. Appropriations I, 543, 978, 1635. Appropriations II, 910.
30. Elementary and Secondary Education, 1350, 1352, 1888, 1889, 2203.
31. Executive, 1181, 1201, 2645. Insurance and Licensed Activities,
32. 1885, 1975, 2120...2161, 2171, and 2467. Judiciary I, 519, 795,
33. 985, 1425, 1921. Judiciary II, 1560 and 2294. Local Government,
1326, 1677 and 2191. Pensions, Personnel and Veteran's Affairs,

1. 2160 and 2484. Revenue, 569, 843, 976, 1244, 1310, 1941, 2522.
2. Transportation, 1315, 1600 and 2296.
3. Senator D'Arco, Chairman of Insurance and Licensed Activities
4. Committee, reports out the following House Bills, 206, 430, 495,
5. 736, 1198, 1511 and 1974 with the recommendation Do Pass.
6. House Bill 1131 with the recommendation Do Not Pass. House Bill
7. 524 with the...and House Bill 1382 with the recommendation Do Pass
8. as Amended.
9. Senator Egan, Chairman of Revenue Committee, reports out the
10. following House Bills, 229, 460, 498, 1157, 1159 and 1680
11. with the recommendation Do Pass.
12. Senator Washington, Chairman of Public Health, Welfare and
13. Corrections Committee, reports out the following House Bills,
14. 164, 326, 655, 641, 1127, 1146, 1543, 1551, 1718, 1723 and 1973
15. with the recommendation Do Pass. House Bill 440 with the
16. recommendation Do Pass as Amended and House Bill 345 with the
17. recommendation Do Not Pass as Amended.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HALL)
19. Messages from the House.
20. SECRETARY:
21. A Message from the House by Mr. O'Brien, Clerk.
22. Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate
23. the House of Representatives passed bills with the following
24. titles in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the
25. concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:
26. House Bills 185, 189, 191, 192, 222, 243, 292, 319,
27. 385, 420, 444, 456, 416, 429, 547, 563, 573, 608, 625, 665,
28. 676, 727, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 753, 756, 764, 785, 786, 793,
29. 797, 824, 832, 847, 851, 853, 857, 869, 886, 924, 956, 986,
30. 995, 1000, 1005, 1008, 1010, 1026, 1032, 1041, 1042, 1094,
31. 1096, 1135, 1148, 1165, 1196, 1233, 1251, 1516, 1708, 1947,
32. 1977, 2472, 2540, 2632 and 2777.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HALL)

1. House Bills, 1st reading.
2. SECRETARY:
3. House Bill 1022...1023, Senator D'Arco is the Senate sponsor.
4. (Secretary reads title of bill)
5. House Bill 1229, Senator Philip is the Senate sponsor.
6. (Secretary reads title of bill)
7. House Bill 1405, Senator Nash is the Senate sponsor.
8. (Secretary reads title of bill)
9. House Bill 1438, Senator Lemke is the Senate sponsor.
10. (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. House Bill 1597, Senator Netsch is the Senate sponsor.
12. (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. House Bill 1601, Senator Lemke is the Senate sponsor.
14. (Secretary reads title of bill)
15. House Bill 1604, by the same sponsor.
16. (Secretary reads title of bill)
17. House Bill 1640, Senator Rupp is the Senate sponsor.
18. (Secretary reads title of bill)
19. House Bill 1643, Senator Maitland is the Senate sponsor.
20. (Secretary reads title of bill)
21. House Bill 1647, Senator Shapiro is the Senate sponsor.
22. (Secretary reads title of bill)
23. House Bill 1653, Senator Walsh is the Senate sponsor.
24. (Secretary reads title of bill)
25. House Bill 1931...House Bill 1919, Senator Geo-Karis is
26. the Senate sponsor.
27. (Secretary reads title of bill)
28. House Bill 1931, Senator Lemke is the Senate sponsor.
29. (Secretary reads title of bill)
30. House Bill 2073, Senator Wooten is the Senate sponsor.
31. (Secretary reads title of bill)
32. House Bill 2205...House Bill 20...2205, Senator Berman is the
33. Senate sponsor.
- (Secretary reads title of bill)

1. House Bill 2317, Senator Nash is the Senate sponsor.
2. (Secretary reads title of bill)
3. House Bill 2431, Senator Jerome Joyce is the Senate sponsor.
4. (Secretary reads title of bill)
5. House Bill 2445, Senator Jerome...Jeremiah Joyce is the
6. Senate sponsor.
7. (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. House Bill 2737, Senator Lemke is the Senate sponsor.
9. (Secretary reads title of bill)
10. 1st reading of the foregoing bills.
11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
12. Senator Graham, for what purpose do you arise?
13. SENATOR GRAHAM:
14. I rise to make a...make a request. I don't see Senator McLendon
15. on the Floor. You change it to Graham/Philip/Mitchler? Taken
16. care of. Thank you.
17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
18. Senator Berman, for what purpose do you arise?
19. SENATOR BERMAN:
20. Mr. President, while there is a lull, I wanted to introduce
21. a former colleague of many of us, a fellow that says he's
22. from southern Illinois, but he's really got all the smarts of a city
23. boy, former Minority Leader of the Illinois House, Clyde Choate.
24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
25. Stand up, Clydie Baby. Now, that the lull is finished, we're
26. going to the Order of 2nd reading, straight down the Calendar.
27. On page two of the Calendar, Senate Bills, on 2nd reading, Senate
28. Bill 6, Senator D'Arco. Senate Bill 42, Senator Lemke.
29. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
30. SECRETARY:
31. Senate Bill 42.
32. (Secretary reads title of bill)
33. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
2. Are there amendments from the Floor?
3. SECRETARY:
4. No Floor amendments.
5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
6. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 51, Senator Knuppel.
7. Senate Bill 95, Senator Maragos. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
8. SECRETARY:
9. Senate Bill 95.
10. (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I offers one
12. amendment.
13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
14. Senator Carroll.
15. SENATOR CARROLL:
16. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
17. Senate. This...this amendment is the seven percent solution and
18. phase-in of the new body. It is a reduction of forty-two thousand
19. one hundred twenty-six dollars. I would move adoption of Committee
20. Amendment No. 1.
21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
22. Is there discussion? Question is shall Amendment...Committee
23. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 95 be adopted. Those in favor indicate
24. by saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1
25. is adopted. Are there further committee amendments?
26. SECRETARY:
27. No further committee amendments.
28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
29. Are there amendments from the Floor?
30. SECRETARY:
31. No Floor amendments.
32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
33. 3rd reading. Senate Bill 157. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

1. SECRETARY:

2. Senate Bill 157.

3. (Secretary reads title of bill)

4. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations

5. I offers one amendment.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

7. Senator Carroll.

8. SENATOR CARROLL:

9. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.

10. Amendment No. 1 adds to the Judicial Advisory Council Bill a list of

11. some fourteen commissions that were the normal commissions

12. that have operated in State Government before, most of which

13. were at the reduced amounts. I can read through them if anyone

14. has any questions. This will be the omnibus bill for dealing

15. with the lower budgeted regular commissions of the legislative

16. process and I would...it's a total of a million three hundred forty-

17. three thousand. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1 and answer

18. any questions.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

20. Is there discussion? Senator Graham.

21. SENATOR GRAHAM:

22. Senator Carroll, in behalf of Senator Ozinga, who has a

23. great interest in that Commission to Visit and Examine State

24. Institutions, was that cut out or not?

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

26. Senator Carroll.

27. SENATOR CARROLL:

28. In Section No. 10. That is in.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

30. Is there further discussion? The question is shall Amendment

31. No. 1 to Senate Bill 157 be adopted. Those in favor indicate by

32. saying Aye. Those opposed. The Ayes have it. Amendment No. 1

33. is adopted. Are there further committee amendments?

1. SECRETARY:

2. No further committee amendments.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

4. Are there amendments from the Floor?

5. SECRETARY:

6. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Coffey.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

8. Senator Coffey. Senator Coffey. Senator...just a moment. Senator

9. Lemke, for what purpose do you arise?

10. SENATOR LEMKE:

11. I just wanted to announce today that today is the greatest

12. day in the Polish history and that's Saint Stanislov's Day.

13. It's the nine hundredth anniversary of...of Saint Stanislov

14. in Poland. So, we want our recognition, too.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

16. You are recognized. Senator Coffey.

17. SENATOR COFFEY:

18. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. This is a...

19. this is a cut in the Transportation Study Commission on personal

20. services of thirty-four thousand eight hundred dollars, a cut of

21. four thousand four hundred and ninety-four dollars in the Retirement

22. and Social Security System, in Contractual, twenty-five thousand

23. dollars, travel, three thousand dollars, commodities,

24. one thousand dollars in equipment, two thousand, five hundred

25. and it's a total of eighty thousand seven hundred and ninety-

26. four dollars cut. It's...it's back within the seven percent

27. guidelines of what their budget was last year.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

29. Is there discussion? Senator Rock.

30. SENATOR ROCK:

31. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.

32. As one who was the Senate sponsor of the Transportation Study

33. Commission request, I would resist this amendment. I think it's

simply uncalled for and I would urge a No vote.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

2. Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Echoing the comments of President Rock, Mr. President, I
5. see no reason for this amendment and would also urge opposition to it.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

7. Is there further discussion? Senator Coffey may close.

8. SENATOR COFFEY:

9. Yes, Mr. President, I would like to first of all, I would like
10. to ask for a roll call on this. All the other commissions that
11. I am aware of, we had guidelines to hold their increases down
12. to seven percent. This actually gives them...it does give them
13. more money than they had last year and I think this commission
14. should live within the guidelines we have for other
15. commissions in this State and I would ask a favorable roll
16. call for...to make these appropriate cuts in the Transportation
17. Study Commission.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

19. Question...there shall be a roll call. The question is shall
20. Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 157 be adopted. Those in favor
21. vote Aye. Those opposed Nay. The voting is open. Have all those
22. voted who wish? Have all those voted who wish? Take the record.
23. On that question the Ayes are 21, the Nays are 18.

24. Amendment No. 2 having received a majority of those voting ;
25. is adopted. Are there further amendments from the Floor?

26. SECRETARY:

27. Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Coffey.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

29. Amendment No. 3, Senator Coffey.

30. SENATOR COFFEY:

31. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. This
32. amendment, what it actually does, it sets up on the Vehicle
33. Recycling Funding for the sum of a hundred and fifty thousand
dollars to that fund and also a...fifty thousand dollars which shall

1. be used for the purpose of conducting official inventory of
2. abandoned vehicles in the State of Illinois and I'd ask for a
3. favorable roll call.

4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

5. Senator Carroll.

6. SENATOR CARROLL:

7. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
8. I rise in opposition to this increase of funds to a commission
9. that doesn't meet. This is a hundred and fifty thousand dollars
10. to allow a vehicle recycling fund. The...it's my understanding
11. they haven't met in several years. They have not expended any
12. monies in several years and you're asking them to go on private
13. property to find and count abandoned vehicles and derelict
14. motor vehicles. I don't think we want to extend State funds at this
15. time to go onto private property to make this kind of count
16. and check and I would urge opposition to Amendment No. 3.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

18. Is there further...Senator Geo-Karis.

19. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

20. If I...if I read, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
21. Senate, if I read Senate Bill 157 correctly, it relates to the...

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

23. Just a moment. I cannot hear Senator Geo-Karis. Would you
24. turn up the volume, please. Proceed.

25. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

26. Thank you, Mr. President. If I read Senate Bill 157 correctly in the
27. Digest, this relates to the appropriation of twenty-five thousand
28. dollars for Judicial Advisory Council. What is the essence of that
29. amendment, Sir?

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

31. I...I think it's been explained earlier that this is the
32. omnibus bill. Senator Coffey.

33. SENATOR COFFEY:

Well, this is the omnibus bill and I'm not sure what you're

1. addressing in there that's been changed drastically since...
2. since the...what you're looking at in the Digest. Actually what this
3. does...this is for, this is for the Vehicle Recycling program
4. in the State of Illinois, one that has been an ongoing one.
5. There is now presently, trying to restructure that vehicle
6. recycling committee so they're more active and so we do a better
7. job than what we've done in the past. The commission...the
8. Motor Vehicle Laws Commission has been doing a study and trying to
9. update and do a better job with this program and this is just
10. funding for that...

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

12. Senator Geo-Karis.

13. SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

14. Mr. President, if I may refer to Senator Coffey, I'm
15. looking at the Digest and Senator...Senate Bill 157 relates
16. to the Judiciary Advisory Council. That's what I don't understand.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

18. Senator, if you were here just a few moments earlier, it's
19. been explained that this is going to be the omnibus bill.

20. Senator Coffey.

21. SENATOR COFFEY:

22. Yes, just to respond to that, this bill actually doesn't...
23. that's just a vehicle and it's now the omnibus bill.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

25. Is there further discussion? Is there further discussion?
26. Senator Coffey.

27. SENATOR COFFEY:

28. Yes, well, Mr...Mr. President and members of the Senate,
29. you know, I think this is a good bill and the Transportation
30. Study has met and had an ongoing report. We've had a study done in
31. this area and we're aware of...the comments were made earlier,
32. that the Vehicle Recycling...

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

1. Senator Graham, for what purpose do you arise?
2. SENATOR GRAHAM:
3. I'm sure that you can't hear and I surely can't Mr. President.
4. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
5. We both can't hear and it's not our fault. Would the members...
6. SENATOR GRAHAM:
7. If we...if we could just get on the ball...
8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
9. ...please be in their seats.
10. SENATOR GRAHAM:
11. ...we might get out of here before 6:00 o'clock.
12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
13. That's doubtful at the rate we're going. Senator Coffey,
14. proceed.
15. SENATOR COFFEY:
16. Yes, Mr. President, you know, this...this proposal is one that's
17. not just...we grabbed out of mid-air. The Transportation Study
18. Commission which has met many times...
19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)
20. Just a moment. Would the members please be in their seats,
21. cut out all the conferences. It's impossible to hear debate.
22. Proceed.
23. SENATOR COFFEY:
24. The...this particular...particular amendment is one that has
25. had some research and some study and we've met many times in
26. our Transportation Study Committee and looked at the problem with
27. the recycling of automobiles in this State, the one we participated
28. in with local units of government and we realized that
29. there's been some problems and it needs to be...that it needs to be
30. updated and so this is what we're trying to do with this proposal.
31. We want to do a better job. We think they've...that it's been a
32. necessary situation in the past, but we think with...with this
33. funding we'll be able to do a better job and it is...it is a program

1. that has a lot of study. We've given it a lot of time.
2. Our Motor Vehicle Laws Commission has...has put a lot of effort
3. and time into that program and I would ask for your favorable
4. roll call and I would like to have a roll call on this
5. if I could, Mr. President.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

7. There is a request for a roll call. The question is
8. shall Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 157 be adopted. Those
9. in favor vote Aye. Those opposed Nay. The voting is open.
10. Have all those voted who wish? Take the record. On that
11. question the Ayes are 16, the Nays are 31. Amendment No.
12. 3 fails. Are there further amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Regner.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

16. Senator Regner.

17. SENATOR REGNER:

18. Mr. President and members. The amendment itself is...is very
19. simple. However, the concept and theory behind this amendment
20. and further amendments offered today should be...should be of
21. extreme interest to all members. What the amendment does it
22. changes five hundred and fifty-four thousand dollars from the
23. Road Fund to General Revenue appropriations for two commissions,
24. the Transportation Study Commission and the Motor Vehicle
25. Laws Commission. It's felt by many of the members that we should
26. provide the necessary road monies, Road Fund monies that the
27. Secretary of Transportation has asked for. Dr. Mandeville,
28. the Bureau of the Budget a couple of weeks ago, announced that there
29. is going to be about a hundred million dollars of additional
30. General Revenue monies available this year for various usages.
31. The series of amendments we're going to offer are going to be a
32. step towards anti-diversion. As we go on further today, it will be the
33. Department of Law Enforcement where there is eighteen million
two hundred and seventeen thousand dollars of Road Fund monies

1. spent for various administrative services. In Law Enforcement,
2. we won't make any changes in the Road Fund monies expended
3. for State Troopers or for the Merit Compensation Board. We have
4. Administrative Services of approximately four million two hundred
5. thousand dollars of Road Fund monies that are used for Workmen's
6. Compensation payments to Road Fund employees. I'll offer
7. an amendment to put that into General Revenue monies as will I
8. with the Judicial system which we know in the past has always
9. introduced all General Revenue monies and then an amendment
10. offered on the Floor to change part of it to Road Fund monies.
11. I will Table that amendment that I have at that particular time.
12. If we finish this today, we'll have about thirty-nine million
13. dollars of new Road Fund monies and it will still leave about
14. sixty million dollars, according to Dr. Mandeville's figures,
15. for various other purposes. We also have in the Secretary of State's
16. budget, about thirteen million dollars of various administrative
17. services that are provided for out of Road Fund monies. We won't
18. offer an amendment on that today, because we haven't had direct
19. conversation with the Secretary of State. Also, the Department of
20. Transportation over the last five years, we have changed about
21. thirty-five million eight hundred thousand dollars of funding from
22. General Revenue to Road Fund. We hope to offer those amendments
23. next week to provide the necessary money for the road program
24. that was announced by the Department of Transportation and with that,
25. I move the adoption of Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill 157.

26. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

27. Senator Shapiro.

28. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

29. Mr. President, will the...will the sponsor yield for a question.

30. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

31. Indicates he will.

32. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

33. Senator Regner, on these amendments that we are now considering
and that you proposed for the future, what will be the total amount of

1. money involved?

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

3. Senator Regner.

4. SENATOR REGNER:

5. Those that we offer today, thirty-nine million nine hundred
6. and sixty-two thousand dollars.

7. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

8. Senator Shapiro.

9. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

10. And then for next week?

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

12. Senator Regner.

13. SENATOR REGNER:

14. Next week we haven't settled on the entire dollars and
15. cents yet. As I said, the Department of Transportation
16. alone is thirty-five million eight hundred thousand dollars.
17. If we even just take half of that, we'll provide somewhere over
18. sixty million dollars which would be the exact amount that the
19. Secretary of Transportation says is necessary. Forty-three
20. million dollars for the Road Fund and about twenty million dollars
21. for administration of the road...road program, so about sixty-
22. three million dollars is what was announced necessary of
23. new Road Fund monies this year.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

25. Senator Shapiro.

26. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

27. Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen. If I may speak
28. to the amendment and also to the future amendments that will be
29. offered, it's not that I am opposed to anti-diversion methods
30. that may be proposed by the General Assembly and signed into law and
31. I certainly don't want anyone to get the idea that I am opposing
32. in theory, what Senator Regner is attempting to do here today.
33. But I do hold out to the Senate that in Senate Bill 889, there is an
anti-diversion program which will phase-in over four...four fiscal

1. years and in three calendar years approximately a hundred and
2. twenty-six million of diverted funds back to the Road Fund.
3. Until there is some resolution to the transportation package
4. that the Governor has offered and what may be a counter offer or
5. proposal on the other side, I think an amendment of this sort at
6. this particular point in time may be premature. I have worked long
7. and hard in attempting to come up with a feasible program
8. that would be acceptable to all the divergent opinion on the
9. diversion of Road Funds and have been successful this year
10. in getting the administration to accept the program that
11. is in 889 which in effect, will return a hundred and twenty-six
12. million dollars in a three year...actually, about a three year
13. calendar year period. So, what I really want to point out to
14. the Senate that at this particular point in time, I am going to oppose
15. these amendments because actually in one lump sum, so to speak, it
16. will return in diverted funds, sixty-three million dollars. I'm not
17. too sure that the General Revenue Fund at this particular point in
18. time, can afford that particular amount of money. I do note that
19. under the plan that Senator Regner and others are going to propose
20. that a one time had included diverted funds to the Secretary of
21. State in the amount of thirteen million dollars and some other things
22. which I believe are going to be withdrawn but the total package
23. at one time amounted to in excess, of eighty-eight million dollars.
24. I would ask the Senate now to resist approving this amendment
25. and the future amendments that may be offered until such time, and it
26. will probably be towards the middle of next week, certainly by the
27. end of next week, until we see actually where we're going with the
28. entire Transportation program in the State of Illinois,
29. and particularly the membership on this side of the aisle, I would
30. ask to oppose the amendment. Thank you.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

32. Senator Lemke.

33. SENATOR LEMKE:

This amendment diverts money from General Revenue which is going

1. to be used for people projects such as schools and public aid and
2. everything, right? We're taking money away?

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

4. Senator Regner.

5. SENATOR REGNER:

6. Not at all. We're not diverting anything from programs that were
7. proposed this year. As I said earlier in the explanation, the Bureau
8. of the Budget Director, Dr. Mandeville, announced a couple of weeks
9. ago, that there would be approximately a hundred million dollars
10. of extra money. Now, all those programs you're talking about,
11. Senator Lemke, have been funded in excess of what they were last
12. year. All this is doing is earmarking a certain amount
13. of that extra money for the Road Fund to solve the road program
14. problem. It is not taking anything away from current projects.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

16. Senator Lemke.

17. SENATOR LEMKE:

18. Well, I see this as a move to take money away from General
19. Revenue and to build concrete highways and forget about the kids
20. in this State. If that's what this Senate wants to do, then do it.
21. But Motor Vehicle Laws Commission, the Transportation Study
22. Commission are directly connected with highways and truck fees in
23. this State. And when we start funding these things out of General
24. Revenue, if there's not enough money in the Road...to support the
25. Motor Vehicle Laws Commission or Transportation, then I say raise the
26. damn taxes on the trucks to make them pay for the holes they're
27. causing the highways. We talk about overloads and everything else,
28. but let them come up with a program to raise the trucks that rip
29. up our highways and that's who is going to pay for the potholes.
30. It's not the people that drive cars that rip the highways up in
31. this State, it's these damn big semis with the overloads that rip
32. them up and maybe the Department of Law Enforcement ought to start
33. enforcing the laws on overweights more. And start...and stop
harrassing the people that are speeding over fifty-five. This Governor

1. doesn't care about people. In the schools we're short money we
2. ...got to educate. We've got people starving, we've got people that
3. need Public Aid money, we've got senior citizens and yet we've
4. want to take the money, we can't give them an increase. It's
5. ridiculous. We're going to resist the amendment. I'm going to
6. resist any amendment to take money from General Revenue so we can
7. protect the sanctity of of concrete highways in this State.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

9. Is there further discussion? All right. Senator Regner may close.

10. SENATOR REGNER:

11. Well, just in response to one of the comments Senator Shapiro
12. made regarding his anti-diversion bill, which I support, Senator
13. Shapiro, I also support Senator Donnewald's anti-diversion
14. bill which I am a cosponsor. I also support Senate Bill 172 which
15. earmarks the sales tax on gasoline sales for the road program
16. because those are directly related taxes on the driver and on
17. gasoline sales. This is the way to start it. I think each one
18. of those other bills, Senator Shapiro's, Senator Donnewald's
19. and my own, should be talked about, should be passed,
20. should have an effective date, maybe put off for a year and start
21. a phase-in at that time. This assures dollars today for the
22. Road Fund which is depleted and the problems we have with it and
23. we have to solve. This is a half a million dollars of earmarked
24. funds from the Road Fund to General Revenue where it belongs
25. since it is a legislatively created commission. I would urge the
26. adoption of Amendment No. 4.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

28. Question is shall Amendment No. 4 be adopted. Those in favor
29. indicate by saying Aye. Those opposed. There is a request for a
30. roll call. The question is shall Amendment No. 4 be adopted.
31. Those in favor vote Aye. Those opposed Nay. The voting is open.
32. Have all those voted who wish? Take the record. On that question the
33. Ayes are 28, the Nays are 20. On...Amendment No. 4 to Senate Bill 157
is adopted. Are there further Floor amendments?

1. SECRETARY:

2. ...amendments.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

4. 3rd reading. Senator Johns, for what purpose do you arise?

5. SENATOR JOHNS:

6. Mr. President, could I have the attention of this Body, please
7. for a moment? Senator Bruce.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

9. That's pretty hard to do.

10. SENATOR JOHNS:

11. Senator Bruce, Senator Carroll, can I have your attention?

12. I think it's worthwhile. Senator Lemke, would you take your

13. seat there for a moment, please? Howie? All right. Savickas.

14. All right. All you guys sit down now. Bruce, sit down over there.

15. You know the pleasures of being in this General Assembly

16. and especially in the Senate are many, but the friendships that

17. we build here are the most valuable, the most priceless blessings

18. of all and for the last few years, I've had the privilege of

19. sitting next to a prince of a guy, Senator Ken Hall, a real

20. gentleman, a many among men, helpful, considerate, sincere,

21. kind, ever so much a part of this Senate. Assistant Majority

22. Leader Senator Kenneth Hall has a birthday today and I wanted to say

23. a few kind words about him. Where did he go? Where's Hall?

24. Senator Chew was going to join me in this endeavor and I couldn't

25. get him to sit down because he's not here. But here he is?

26. He...where is he? ...Hall. He went in there to get his robe.

27. Senator Ken Hall.

28. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

29. Senate Bill...Senator Hall.

30. SENATOR HALL:

31. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.

32. This kind of reminds me of the minister who was eulogizing the

33. deceased and his wife was sitting on the front row with ten children

and he kept up that tirade so long about what a good provider he

1. was, he does...he's not like other men, he doesn't carouse
2. around, he brings his paycheck home and after he kept that up for
3. quite awhile, the mother grabbed a hold of the young
4. lad sitting behind her and said, sneak up there and see if that's
5. your father in the casket. So, I kind of feel like that today.
6. I didn't John's...was. That's the reason I went to the other room.
7. Thank you.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

9. Senate Bill 161, Senator Rock. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

10. SECRETARY:

11. Senate Bill 161.

12. (Secretary reads title of bill)

13. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I offers
14. one amendment.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONNEWALD)

16. Senator Carroll.

17. SENATOR CARROLL:

18. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
19. Amendment No. 1 is the seven percent solution which...a phase
20. in of the new personnel and some cuts in equipment. It is a net
21. reduction of fifty-two thousand nine hundred. I would move adoption
22. of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 161.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
25. to Senate Bill 161. Is there any discussion? If not, all those
26. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
27. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

28. SECRETARY:

29. No further committee amendments.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Any amendments from the Floor?

32. SECRETARY:

33. No Floor amendments.

SB 263
5-18-79
2nd reading

1. PRESIDENT:
2. 3rd reading. 172, Senator Regner. Senator Regner. 172.
3. 203, Senator Sommer. 263, Senator Maragos. On the Order of Senate
4. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 263. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

5. SECRETARY:
6. Senate Bill 263.
7. (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary I offers
9. one amendment.

10. PRESIDENT:
11. Senator Maragos.

12. SENATOR MARAGOS:
13. Mr. President and members of the Senate. We discussed this
14. amendment before. It's adopted by the committee...makes this
15. bill more palatable and I move for its adoption.

16. PRESIDENT:
17. Senator Maragos moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
18. 1 to Senate Bill 263. Is there any discussion? If not, all
19. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
20. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

21. SECRETARY:
22. No further committee amendments.

23. PRESIDENT:
24. Any amendments from the Floor?

25. SECRETARY:
26. No Floor amendments.

27. PRESIDENT:
28. 3rd reading. 296, Senator Hall. 298, Senator Buzbee.
29. 311, Senator Netsch: 312, Senator Netch. 355, Senator Bloom.
30. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 355.
31. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

32. SECRETARY:
33. Senate Bill 355.
(Secretary reads title of bill)

1. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
2. PRESIDENT:
3. Any amendments from the Floor?
4. SECRETARY:
5. No Floor amendments.
6. PRESIDENT;
7. 3rd reading. 356. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
8. Senate Bill 356. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
9. SECRETARY:
10. Senate Bill 356.
11. (Secretary reads title of bill)
12. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I offers
13. one amendment.
14. PRESIDENT:
15. Senator Carroll.
16. SENATOR CARROLL:
17. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
18. This amendment adds the monies necessary to fund that one-half
19. percent of payroll over and above the payout for the Judicial
20. Retirement System as well as the other systems that are State
21. funded pension systems. The Judge's Retirement, General
22. Assembly Retirement, State Employee's Retirement and State
23. University's Retirement. It's a total of eighteen million dollars
24. to establish for the first time the over and above payout
25. and this would be one-half percent of payroll that we have been
26. discussing for quite some time. I would move adoption of
27. Amendment No. 1.
28. PRESIDENT:
29. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No! 1
30. to Senate Bill 356. Any discussion? Senator Rhoads.
31. SENATOR RHOADS:
32. Question of the sponsor of the amendment, if he will yield.
33. PRESIDENT:
- He indicates he will yield. Senator Rhoads.

1. SENATOR RHOADS:

2. Senator...Senator Shapiro, as originally introduced the
3. bill appropriated seven million six hundred and twenty-four
4. thousand. Your amendment brings that to what level?

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Carroll.

7. SENATOR CARROLL:

8. Well, the addition is...the total is now eighteen million
9. ninety-nine thousand seven hundred, but that is at half percent
10. that is being added to each of these systems. There's a hundred and
11. sixty-seven thousand addition to the Judge's Retirement System,
12. thirty-three thousand to the General Assembly, eight million
13. five hundred thousand to the Teacher's Retirement, five million
14. five hundred sixty-three thousand five hundred added to the State
15. Employee's Retirement.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Rhoads.

18. SENATOR RHOADS:

19. Senator Carroll, could you please confine your remarks
20. to this bill, Senate Bill 356, what's the...what's the dollar
21. figure in 356 only?

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Carroll.

24. SENATOR CARROLL:

25. Eighteen million ninety-nine thousand seven hundred dollars
26. added, because if you had heard before, confining my remarks to this
27. bill only, the amendment added those other retirement systems
28. at .5 percent of payroll. Amendment No. 1 adds Sections 3, 4, 5,
29. 6, and 7 to this bill and those add the other systems.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Further discussion? If not, Senator Carroll moves the adoption of
32. Amendment No. 1...Senator Rhoads.

33. SENATOR RHOADS:

Well, I'm the sponsor of the bill. I wasn't notified about this at

1. all. At all. Let's just take this bill out of the record...

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Take it out of the record, Mr. Secretary.

4. 370, Senator Newhouse. 375, Senator Schaffer. Senator Netsch is back
5. on the Floor. Let's go to 312 with leave of the Body. On the Order of
6. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 312. Read the bill,
7. Mr. Secretary.

8. SECRETARY:

9. Senate Bill 312.

10. (Secretary reads title of bill)

11. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health, Welfare
12. and Corrections offers one amendment.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Netsch.

15. SENATOR NETSCH:

16. Thank you, Mr. President. I would first move to Table
17. the committee amendment. It was an amendment sponsored in the committee
18. by Senator Keats and since then we have cleaned it up a bit and
19. developed a more refined form of it which he will offer in just
20. a moment. So, I move to Table Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate
21. Bill 312.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Netsch moves to Table Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate
24. Bill 312. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying
25. Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is Tabled.
26. Further amendments?

27. SECRETARY:

28. No further committee amendments.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Any amendments from the Floor?

31. SECRETARY:

32. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Keats.

33. PRESIDENT:

Senator Keats.

SB 375
5/18/79
2nd reading

- 1. SENATOR KEATS:
- 2. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
- 3. What Amendment 2 does is say that if you're sealing juvenile records
- 4. you can seal their records for nonviolent crimes, the kind of things
- 5. where kids made an honest mistake and will grow out of it.
- 6. But in terms of violent crimes and the ones we use are murder, rape,
- 7. deviate sexual assault, armed violence, voluntary manslaughter,
- 8. armed robbery or aggravated arson, that type of violent crime,
- 9. the records are not sealed so the the individual does not escape
- 10. responsibility for those. I'd appreciate your support for the
- 11. amendment.
- 12. PRESIDENT:
- 13. Senator Keats has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to Senate
- 14. Bill 312. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
- 15. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment
- 16. is adopted. Any further amendments?
- 17. SECRETARY:
- 18. No further amendments.
- 19. PRESIDENT:
- 20. 3rd reading. Senator Berning. I...there are no further amendments.
- 21. That's what the Secretary indicated. 375, Senator Schaffer.
- 22. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 375.
- 23. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
- 24. SECRETARY:
- 25. Senate Bill 375.
- 26. (Secretary reads title of bill)
- 27. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
- 28. PRESIDENT:
- 29. Any amendments from the Floor?
- 30. SECRETARY:
- 31. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Schaffer.
- 32. PRESIDENT:
- 33. Senator Schaffer.

1. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

2. Mr. President, I'm addressing these comments to Senator Egan and
3. to Senator Merlo, neither one of which are on the Floor, I don't
4. think. But, I'll make them anyway in the hopes they're within
5. earshot and if not, I'll grab them whe I see them. This bill came
6. out of committee with the understanding that an amendment such as
7. this would be put on at...and the actuaries given a chance
8. to look at it and until we get an indication of support from
9. the aforementioned gentlemen and the Pension Laws Commission,
10. the bill will remain on 2nd reading. The amendment, as presented,
11. ...the bill, by the day, deals with retirement of teachers
12. after thirty years of service but before sixty, at age fifty-
13. five but before sixty with...without a penalty for the early
14. retirement. The amendment, as presented, does three things.
15. One, it adds the Chicago School System in as requested by Senator
16. Egan, two it substantially increases the contribution of both the
17. ...the one time contribution of both the employer and the
18. employee and three, a very important factor, it ends...it
19. prohibits by putting a twenty percent cap on pay increases that
20. can be figured into pension benefits in the last year, the practice
21. of endloading an employee which is evidently very common throughout
22. the State and being done by school boards who wish an individual
23. to retire early. Senator Merlo, I'm talking to you. This would
24. prohibit that type of a practice which is just playing havoc with
25. the pension system. I would propose to put this amendment on and
26. would request the bill be held on 2nd reading. I'm of the...
27. under the understanding that the Downstate Teacher's
28. actuaries and the Pension Law actuaries will be meeting on the bill
29. as amended in the hopes that we can reach a consensus. If we cannot
30. reach consensus, we will refer the bill back to committee.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Schaffer has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
33. to Senate Bill 375. Any discussion? Senator Mitchler.

1. SENATOR MITCHLER:

2. I have a question of the sponsor, Mr. President.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. The bill is to remain on 2nd reading. Senator Mitchler.

5. SENATOR MITCHLER:

6. This is on the amendment.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. I understand.

9. SENATOR MITCHLER:

10. In the...in the amendment, it came to my attention, too and
11. I didn't realize this, that teacher's salaries were increased in
12. the last year they worked so that they could retire at a higher
13. salary. Now, I didn't know that this practice was going on by
14. school districts, but in the committee, it was pointed out that
15. in some school districts this is a practice and that encourages
16. the teacher to take an early retirement. But I notice in the
17. amendment it said in determination of the average salary
18. for retirement allowance purposes, the...the annual salary rate
19. shall not exceed the previous years full-time annual salary rate
20. by more than twenty percent. But that's building in a twenty
21. percent increase, is it not, Senator? Shouldn't it just be at the
22. previous salary?

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Schaffer.

25. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

26. That percentage figure came from the Pension Fund
27. itself. I think the type of increases that were mentioned in the
28. committee, were increases that made twenty percent, you know,
29. pale by comparison. This is a practice being done to circumvent
30. the retirement penalty clauses where we've seen some salaries
31. increased by eight, ten thousand dollars just to serve as a
32. catalyst to remove someone from the payroll of a particular
33. school district. I don't know that the twenty percent is carved in

1. granite, Senator Mitchler. The actuaries are going to look at it.
2. This was a request. The percentage figure came from the
3. Pension systems actuary. I plead no expertise, frankly. I
4. personally think the ten percent is a pretty reasonable, but I
5. don't pretend to be an actuary and I don't pretend to have
6. the expertise they do and I don't fully understand how they
7. arrived at that figure. Certainly, that's something that's up
8. for debate and the bill will remain on 2nd reading.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. All right. Senator Schaffer has moved the adoption of Amendment
11. No. 1 to Senate Bill 375. Any further discussion? If not, all
12. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
13. The amendment is adopted. The bill will remain on 2nd reading.
14. Senator Buzbee, 37...let's go back. Okay. Senator Rhoads on
15. Senate Bill 356. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

16. SECRETARY:

17. Senate Bill 356.

18. (Secretary reads title of bill)

19. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I offers
20. one amendment.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Carroll.

23. SENATOR CARROLL:

24. Why thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
25. Senate. We indicated that this amendment was the half percent of
26. payroll to all of the retirement systems and I would move adoption
27. of Committee Amendment No. 1.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
30. 1 to Senate Bill 356. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
31. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment
32. is adopted. Further amendments?

33. SECRETARY:

No further committee amendments.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Any amendments from the Floor?

3. SECRETARY:

4. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Rhoads.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Rhoads.

7. SENATOR RHOADS:

8. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 2 would restore the
9. 2.9 million dollars to the Pension Fund. It was determined on the
10. acutary basis as recommended by the Board of Trustees of the
11. Judges Retirement System. I move for its adoption.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to
14. Senate Bill 356. Any discussion? Senator Carroll.

15. SENATOR CARROLL

16. I rise to oppose this amendment not so much because it's adding
17. additional General Revenue monies into the Retirement System
18. but I think if we are going to be able to accomplish anything
19. we have decided this Body on many motions to go with the
20. half percent of payroll over and above the payout level. That is
21. within Amendment No. 1. Amendment No. 2 adds, I believe, it's
22. two percent of the payout or some figure thereof, several million
23. dollars that one, we just don't have, the Governor will probably veto
24. and two, I think since we've already made the significant step of
25. starting to meet the unfunded liability, consistency requires
26. that fiscal constraints require that we use that half percent of
27. payroll. I would therefore, urge a rejection of Amendment No. 2.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Is there any further discussion? Senator Rhoads.
30. If not, Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
31. to Senate Bill 356. All in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed.
32. In the opinion of the Chair, the noes have it. The amendment
33. fails. Further amendments?

1. SECRETARY:

2. No further amendments.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. 3rd reading. Senator Donnewald, for what purpose do you
5. arise?

6. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

7. Yes, Mr. President. I would like to have the attention of the
8. members at this time. There's being passed to all members a
9. list of bills that we would hope would be on the Agreed Bill List
10. to be considered Tuesday of this coming week and I understand
11. I think the President announced yesterday that if there are five
12. members that indicate in writing that they object to any one or
13. more of those bills, they would do so by notifying...by giving
14. that notice to the Secretary. We will...if you would look over
15. the bills over the weekend and then come back on Monday and indicate
16. whether you are in accord with all or part of them. We could
17. consider all of them Tuesday. Thank you.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. All right. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill
20. 298. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

21. SECRETARY:

22. Senate Bill 298.

23. (Secretary reads title of bill)

24. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Agriculture, Conservation
25. and Energy offers one amendment.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Senator Buzbee.

28. SENATOR BUZBEE:

29. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment exempts persons
30. who purchase seed from producers from being licensed as grain
31. dealers. It was requested by the department and it would solve a
32. problem that we have imposed upon some people who should not have
33. that problem. I would move the adoption.

PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.
2. 1 to Senate Bill 298. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
3. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment
4. is adopted. Further amendments?

5. SECRETARY:

6. No further committee amendments.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Any amendments from the Floor?

9. SECRETARY:

10. Senator Buzbee, this is the same amendment. No Floor
11. amendments.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. 3rd reading. 379. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
14. Senate Bill 379. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Senate Bill 379.

17. (Secretary reads title of bill)

18. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
19. offers three amendments.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Buzbee.

22. SENATOR BUZBEE:

23. Thank you, Mr. President. Number one...Amendment No. 1
24. adds one hundred and fifty thousand dollars to provide
25. for the seven percent increase in grant per FTE student under
26. the Financial Assistance Act to the private universities.
27. It reduces by eighty-five thousand for inter...institutional
28. grants under Higher Education Cooperation Act to allow a 14.3
29. percent increase over FY '79. It adds seventeen thousand to
30. provide salary and price increases of approximately seven
31. percent, giving a net change of eighty-two thousand one hundred
32. dollars and I would move its adoption.

33. PRESIDENT:

Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Committee Amendment No.

1. l to Senate Bill 379. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
2. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
3. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

4. SECRETARY:

5. Committee Amendment No. 2.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Buzbee.

8. SENATOR BUZBEE:

9. This is just a breakout of the Federal funds and I would
10. move its adoption.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2,
13. Mr. Secretary, to Senate Bill 379. Is there any discussion? If
14. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
15. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. Committee Amendment No. 3.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Buzbee.

20. SENATOR BUZBEE:

21. Committee Amendment No. 3, Mr. President, is the amendment
22. offered by Senator Weaver which...it takes out all the retirement
23. funds out of all of the Higher Education and puts them all into
24. one bill and I would move its adoption.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Committee Amendment
27. No. 3 to Senate Bill 379. Any discussion? If not, all in favor
28. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
29. amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

30. SECRETARY:

31. No further committee amendments.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Any amendments from the Floor?

1. SECRETARY:
 2. No Floor amendments.
 3. PRESIDENT:
 4. 3rd reading. 380, Senator Weaver. On the Order of Senate Bills
 5. 2nd reading, Senate Bill 380. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
 6. SECRETARY:
 7. Senate Bill 380.
 8. (Secretary reads title of bill)
 9. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II offers
 10. three amendments.
 11. PRESIDENT:
 12. Senator Buzbee.
 13. SENATOR BUZBEE:
 14. Thank you, Mr. President. To all of you who are interested
 15. in what the Committee on Appropriations No. 2 has been doing
 16. with the Higher Education appropriations, this is the first step...
 17. the first bill that has an amendment on that we put on in all of the
 18. higher education package. And I would like to explain briefly what
 19. these amendments did for each of the systems. The Board of
 20. Higher Education two years ago, came out with the unit cost study
 21. which reflected therein the cost effectiveness of the operations
 22. of various universities across the State. This year, their data
 23. was a little bit more sophisticated and in fact, the Board of
 24. Higher Education started making some rearrangements within the
 25. budget requests of various institutions of higher education
 26. based on their cost effectiveness, how effeciently they operated
 27. their institution. They did make some major changes, the Board
 28. of Higher Education did. They took some money away from some people
 29. who were getting too much money, quite frankly, and they allocated
 30. some dollars to some other institutions who were not getting enough.
 31. We, with the adoption of amendments such as this one to the University
 32. of Illinois' budget, said we agree with what you're doing, BHE,
 33. but we don't think you're doing it quite fast enough. We think that
- you ought to be moving in a more swift manner as far as

1. ...as cost effectiveness of various institutions of Higher
2. Education. Now, since we took that action, I have been convinced
3. by the Board of Higher Education, that perhaps our taking this action
4. this year was a little bit precipitous in that their data base is
5. not as solid yet as they would like for it to be. They think with
6. one more year they will be able to plug in the sophistication
7. that is necessary to know for sure that their data base is
8. absolutely correct and that they will continue to make these
9. kinds of cost effectiveness judgments and cost effectiveness
10. rearrangements. And they have pleaded with me that we not do that
11. this year because two reasons, number one, we would be hitting
12. some particular institutions rather heavily, although we...in our
13. formula, we...we softened the blow as much as possible, but
14. number two, we would probably be rewarding some institutions
15. that maybe should not be rewarded because their data base was not
16. as accurate as it should have been when they...when they submitted
17. to the BHE. So, quite frankly, for those two reasons in particular
18. because of the second one, I agree to back off of my stance and
19. we've had many, many discussions about this, so we're not going to
20. do it this year. But we've also said to the insitutions of higher
21. education, and we've also said to the Board of Higher Education
22. next year will be year number 3. That is ground 0. If you
23. don't do it next year, we will. We will fulfill our constitutional
24. responsibility of appropriating the peoples' dollars to operate
25. government. And so, we're putting you on warning, we're putting
26. you on notice. Next year you will come in with your data accurate
27. and you will come in making those readjustments that need to be
28. made as far as cost effectiveness and various institutions are
29. concerned, In fact...

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31. End of reel.
32.
33.

1. ...I have a resolution which I will offer later today which
2. will be cosponsored by the spokesman on the Senate...on the
3. Appropriations Committees and I'm only talking long on this
4. one so we can save a lot of words on the future ones, Mr.
5. President...

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Oh, good.

8. SENATOR BUZBEE:

9. ...and the...the...a resolution will be offered today
10. indicating to the Board of Higher Education and to the
11. senior institutions of Higher Education that you will get
12. your act together, you will get your house in order. That
13. we will not allow you to stand behind "academic freedom"
14. as the reason why the Legislature should be not be allocating
15. dollars within your budget requests. And so we think that
16. with this kind of an agreement that in next year we're going
17. to be seeing the kind of cooperation that...that they have
18. always shown us in the past and so with that, Mr. President,
19. I would now move to Table Amendment No. 1.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Buzbee has moved to Table Amendment No. 1 to Senate
22. Bill 380. Any discussion? Senator Washington.

23. SENATOR WASHINGTON:

24. Pardon me...I realize the Tabling motion is not debatable,
25. if you will indulge me just ten seconds.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Yes.

28. SENATOR WASHINGTON:

29. When these Unit Cost Amendments were put in...on...presented
30. to us in Appropriations II, there was quite a bit of furor about
31. it, we simply weren't prepared for it and we stated as best we
32. could, the opposition to it and there was quite a bit of opposition
33. to these Unit Cost Amendments. The Chairman, Senator Buzbee,

1. assured us that he would take a fresh, hard, clear look at the
2. whole business on 2nd reading. He has done that and I wish to...
3. and I wish to thank him for...for indulging us to this extent.
4. I also want to thank him for making available this cost studies
5. in his office which gave me a better picture of the whole matter.
6. I think I agree with him. There are disparities in Unit Costs
7. throughout these major institutions. Some of them, based on
8. what I have seen, perhaps cannot be justified. I think a years
9. notice might bring this thing into line and I want to thank Senator
10. Buzbee for his very temperate approach to a very serious fiscal
11. problem.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Buzbee has moved to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
14. to Senate Bill 380. Any further discussion? If not, all in
15. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
16. the amendment is Tabled. Further Amendments?

17. SECRETARY:

18. Committee Amendment No. 2.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Buzbee. Senator Buzbee.

21. SENATOR BUZBEE:

22. Amendment No. 2...Amendment No. 2 is technically incorrect
23. and it...it should be Tabled, Mr. President.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Senator Buzbee moves to Table Committee Amendment No. 2
26. to Senate Bill 380. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
27. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it, the amendment is
28. Tabled. Further amendments?

29. SECRETARY:

30. Committee Amendment No. 3.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Buzbee.

33. SENATOR BUZBEE:

34. Mr. President, Amendment No. 3 deletes the retirement. I

1. move its adoption.
2. PRESIDENT:
3. Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Committee Amendment
4. No. 3 to Senate Bill 380. Is there any discussion? If not,
5. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
6. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?
7. SECRETARY:
8. No further committee amendments.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. Any amendments from the Floor?
11. SECRETARY:
12. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Buzbee.
13. PRESIDENT:
14. Senator Buzbee.
15. SENATOR BUZBEE:
16. Thank you, Mr. President. No. 4 is an increase of three
17. hundred, ninety-seven thousand, two hundred dollars. As such,
18. it reflects the BHE allocation of the Governor's revised budget
19. plus a million, one hundred sixty-seven thousand for additional
20. salary adjustments and I would move its adoption.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of...Amendment No. 4
23. to Senate Bill 380. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
24. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
25. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
26. SECRETARY:
27. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Daley.
28. PRESIDENT:
29. 5...5
30. SECRETARY:
31. Or 5, I'm sorry.
32. PRESIDENT:
33. Senator Daley.

1. SENATOR DALEY:

2. Mr. President and fellow Senators. Amendment No. 5 increases
3. the appropriation to the Division of Services to Crippled Children
4. to provide the same level of services to children in Chicago has
5. provided...in the other parts of the State. The appropriation
6. is two million, five hundred and sixty-one thousand, seven hundred
7. dollars.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Daley has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 5 to
10. Senate Bill 380. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
11. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
12. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No further amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. 3rd reading. Yes, Senator Regner, for what purpose do you
17. arise?

18. SENATOR REGNER:

19. I'd like...just like to point out one thing. The University
20. of Illinois budget as it stands right now, is one million, one
21. hundred sixty thousand dollars over the Governor's allocation
22. with the added money, the share of the extra nine million dollars.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. 381, Senator Vadalabene. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd
25. reading, Senate Bill 381. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

26. SECRETARY:

27. Senate Bill 381.

28. (Secretary reads title of bill)

29. 3rd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
30. offers three amendments.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Buzbee.

33. SENATOR BUZBEE:

1. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 is the same
2. amendment that I...it's the same amendment that I offered,
3. rather that I have just discussed with the University of
4. Illinois and I would move to Table.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Buzbee moves to Table Amendment No. 1 to Senate
7. Bill 381. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
8. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it, the amendment is
9. Tabled. Further amendments?

10. SECRETARY:

11. Committee Amendment No. 2.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Buzbee.

14. SENATOR BUZBEE:

15. Mr. President, I would defer to Senator Johns on this for
16. the explanation. It was the amendment he offered in committee
17. concerning prevailing wages for laborers.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Johns.

20. SENATOR JOHNS:

21. This amendment was two hundred thousand dollars to add
22. up the amount of money needed to meet the prevailing wage
23. of one single union, not given that prevailing wage on that
24. campus. And I move for its adoption.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Johns has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
27. to Senate Bill 381. Is there any discussion? Senator Regner.

28. SENATOR REGNER:

29. Yes, I'm going to oppose the amendment as I did in committee
30. and as I have in previous years when it was offered. Provides
31. two hundred thousand dollars of unbudgeted money for a group
32. of employees that do receive all the other benefits of university
33. employee...that the university employees have and I would urge
34. a No vote on Amendment No. 2.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Further discussion? If not, Senator Johns moves the
3. adoption of Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 381. All in favor
4. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The opinion of the Chair
5. ...roll call has been requested. Those in favor of the adoption
6. of Amendment No. 2 will vote Aye. Those opposed will vote Nay.
7. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted
8. who wish? Take the record. On that question the Ayes are 24,
9. the Nays are 20,1 Voting Present. Amendment No. 2 is adopted.
10. Further amendments?

11. SECRETARY:
12. Committee Amendment No. 3.

13. PRESIDENT:
14. Senator Buzbee.

15. SENATOR BUZBEE:
16. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 3 is the retire-
17. ment amendment offered by Senator Weaver and I would move its
18. adoption.

19. PRESIDENT:
20. Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Amendment No. 3 to
21. Senate Bill 381. Clear the board, Mr. Secretary. All those
22. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
23. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

24. SECRETARY:
25. No further committee amendments.

26. PRESIDENT:
27. Any amendments from the Floor?

28. SECRETARY:
29. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Buzbee.

30. PRESIDENT:
31. Senator Buzbee.

32. SENATOR BUZBEE:
33. Thank you, Mr. President. This is an increase of forty-five

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1. thousand, nine hundred dollars. As such it reflects the BHE
2. allocation of the Governor's revised budget recommendation
3. plus four hundred and sixty-one thousand, one hundred for additional
4. salary adjustments and I would move its adoption.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 4 to
7. Senate Bill 381. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor
8. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it, the
9. amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

10. SECRETARY:

11. No further amendments.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. 3rd reading. 382, Senator Shapiro. On the Order of Senate
14. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 382. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Senate Bill 382.

17. (Secretary reads title of bill)

18. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
19. offers three amendments.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Buzbee.

22. SENATOR BUZBEE:

23. Thank you, Mr. President. Number one, I would now move to
24. Table, it's the same one we talked about earlier.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Buzbee moves to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
27. to Senate Bill 382. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
28. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
29. the amendment is Tabled. Further amendments?

30. SECRETARY:

31. Committee Amendment No. 2.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Buzbee.

34. SENATOR BUZBEE:

1. Mr. President, No. 2 deletes the retirement. I would move
2. its adoption.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
5. No. 2 to Senate Bill 382. Is there any discussion? If not,
6. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
7. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

8. SECRETARY:

9. Committee Amendment No. 3.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Buzbee.

12. SENATOR BUZBEE:

13. Mr. President, this is the bill, the amendment rather, that
14. puts the money in for Lewis Law School and I would...I would
15. now move to Table it. The reason is because it's technically
16. incorrect and it will be offered again in a minute.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Buzbee has moved to Table Committee Amendment No. 3
19. to Senate Bill 382. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
20. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
21. the amendment is Tabled. Further amendments?

22. SECRETARY:

23. No further committee amendments.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Any amendments from the Floor?

26. SECRETARY:

27. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Buzbee.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Buzbee.

30. SENATOR BUZBEE:

31. Thank you, Mr. President. This puts a four hundred forty
32. thousand, one hundred dollars, additional salary adjustments
33. also deleted is the one million, seven hundred and eight thousand

1. included for the transfer of the Lewis Law School. That will
2. be offered in another amendment. And I would move the adoption
3. of Amendment No. 4.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 4
6. to Senate Bill 382. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
7. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
8. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

9. SECRETARY:

10. Amendment No. 5 offered by Senator Shapiro.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Shapiro.

13. SENATOR SHAPIRO:

14. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Amend-
15. ment No. 5 adds money to cover the Lewis College of Law at
16. Northern Illinois University on the Board of Regents appropriation
17. in the amount, of five hundred and fifty-four thousand, seven hundred
18. dollars in General Revenue and I would appreciate adoption of the
19. amendment.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Shapiro has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 5 to
22. Senate Bill 382. Is there any discussion? Senator Buzbee.

23. SENATOR BUZBEE:

24. I would just ask for a roll call on this, Mr. President.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Shapiro has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 5
27. to Senate Bill 382. Those in favor of the amendment will vote
28. Aye. Those opposed will vote Nay. The voting is open. Have
29. all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record.
30. On that question the Ayes are 37, the Nays are 6, none Voting
31. Present. ...Amendment No. 5 is adopted. Further amendments?

32. SECRETARY:

33. No further amendments.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. 3rd reading. Senator Bruce on 383. On the Order of Senate
3. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 383. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
4. SECRETARY:
5. Senate Bill 383.
6. (Secretary reads title of bill)
7. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
8. offers two amendments.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. Senator Bruce. Senator Buzbee.
11. SENATOR BUZBEE:
12. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 is the amendment
13. that was put on in the...in the Appropriations II Committee.
14. What this did, in fact, was to cut about eight million, seven
15. hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars due to overestimation
16. of FTE's by the Community College Board and underestimation
17. of equalized assessed valuation. This is a third year in a
18. row that their data has been very much inaccurate. Three years
19. in a row we have pointed that out to them. We have had arguments
20. with the staff of the community college and then every year
21. history has proven our figures to be accurate, theirs to be
22. inaccurate. It's a very easy thing to check because you just
23. simply go back and look at what actually happened as to how
24. much equalized assessed valuation they had and every year our
25. figures have been accurate, theirs have been wrong from the
26. previous year and every year our full time equivalency projections
27. of student enrollment has been correct and theirs has been wrong.
28. The net effect of this is to give them tremendous amounts of
29. additional dollars over the amount they should be receiving
30. in the formula. Now, they had some problems about five years
31. ago in that they had a tremendous number of students more than
32. they had anticipated and so they were underfunded for that
33. year to the tune of about sixteen million dollars. The first

year that they were overfunded was two years ago...

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Pardon me, Senator. Senator Newhouse, for what purpose do
3. you arise?

4. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

5. Mr. President, if I understand what's going on, is this
6. East St. Louis? All right. Kenney Hall, Senator Hall wasn't
7. on the Floor and I want...I thought...I thought he ought to be
8. with that discussion. Thank you, Mr. President.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Buzbee.

11. SENATOR BUZBEE:

12. ...and so when the first year that we saw that they were,
13. in fact, overfunded, we line itemed, they were overfunded about
14. eight million dollars that year and we line itemed that eight
15. million dollars saying this is in partial payment for the...the
16. sixteen million that you were underfunded for a couple of years
17. ago. Then last year they came in again with inaccurate data.
18. This year they've come in again with inaccurate data. So this
19. year they were overfunded to the tune of a little better than
20. eleven million, close to twelve million dollars. So we cut
21. seventy-five percent of that with this committee amendment. Now,
22. we have met at my request, as a matter of fact, we've met with
23. three of the community college presidents of the thirty-nine
24. in the State. This morning Senator Bruce and I went over at
25. 8:00 o'clock and met with the Community College Board itself
26. to explain to them why the action we were taking had been taken,
27. and I believe we got some almost unanimous agreement that our
28. data, in fact, well and I know the presidents all told us yester-
29. day that our data had always been accurate, theirs had been
30. inaccurate. The Community College Board seemed to me this morning
31. to accept the fact that our data was accurate. The problem is
32. they say that you can't do that to us at this late date. So
33. I have agreed first of all to Table this amendment with the...
with the understanding that come...or no, I'm sorry, we have it

1. ready now. We will offer another amendment which will make
2. some much smaller cut than this one does. But we said to the
3. Community College Board, we've said to the Board of Higher
4. Education again, this is the last year. Now if, come May,
5. if that's too late for us to make changes in your budgetary
6. request, then we will start sitting in with you in September
7. when you start into your budgetary requests, into the whole
8. process, we will start sitting in with you at that time. But
9. your data is...you data is going to be correct in the future,
10. you're going to be allocated the amounts of money that you
11. should be allocated. You are going to come up with the
12. formulas when we ask you why...when you ask for new program
13. money and you have no formula for the distribution of that
14. program money, every community college shares in it equally
15. whether they got a new program or not. You are going to come
16. up with that, the formula revision has to come about and...

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Your time has expired, Senator.

19. SENATOR BUZBEE:

20. ...we are going to fulfill our constitutional responsi-
21. bility of appropriating the people's dollars. With that under-
22. standing, I move at this time to Table this amendment with the
23. understanding we will offer a...another amendment in a few
24. minutes that will reflect a much, much smaller decrease.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Any discussion? Senator Regner.

27. SENATOR REGNER:

28. Just a question to Senator Buzbee and Senator Bruce. I
29. don't know the total impact of the Tabling of this and the
30. adding of another amendment. I understand you have the
31. Floor Amendment, just an agreement, that next week this bill
32. will be brought back to 2nd.

33. PRESIDENT:

1. All these moves are being, all these bills are moved with
2. that understanding. Senator Rhoads.

3. SENATOR RHOADS:

4. Question of the sponsor.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Indicates he will yield.

7. SENATOR RHOADS:

8. Senator Buzbee, it's my understanding, you said in a few
9. minutes you will be offering this amendment to make smaller
10. cuts. What...can you give us an idea before we Table this
11. amendment, can you give us an idea what the smaller cuts
12. will be?

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Buzbee.

15. SENATOR BUZBEE:

16. That...that's fine with me, Senator Rhoads. The net effect
17. of the new amendment will be to reduce by 1.2 million as opposed
18. to 8.7 million.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Rhoads.

21. SENATOR RHOADS:

22. Okay. Well, I'm...certainly won't speak in opposition to
23. the Tabling motion, I voted against the amendment in committee.
24. But I just want to point out one more time, as I have repeatedly
25. in the past with respect to the Appropriations II Committee,
26. that we have adopted a pattern of offering so-called attention
27. getting amendments in committee, only to Table them in the
28. Floor and I've started keeping account of such amendments. I
29. think it's a bad practice. I think we ought to adopt amendments
30. in committee that...that we have every intention of living
31. up to on the Floor and not just to gain leverage over another
32. member or just to gain the attention of some department head
33. or agency head. They're going to see through it sooner or
34. later, I think they see through it now. They've seen the pattern

1. repeated over the last four or five weeks, but at this time
2. I support the Tabling motion.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Bruce.

5. SENATOR BRUCE:

6. I...I just wonder if I might have the attention...yeah,
7. it is the Motion to Table. It was a significant reduction
8. which is going to be Tabled and I hope when we get to Amend-
9. ment No. 3, I will explain it along with Senator Buzbee and
10. ...and answer many of the questions that may come up. The
11. motion here is to Table and if there is dispute, we can take
12. a look at...I think our million dollar machine just had a
13. relapse, but we can...we can...answer many of the questions
14. if you'll let Senator Buzbee and I explain Amendment No. 3.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Buzbee, I knew he'd get to you sooner or later.
17. Senator Donnewald. Senator Donnewald.

18. SENATOR DONNEWALD:

19. The sound of one's voice can often break glass. But while
20. we have this break, I'd like to introduce the grade school
21. members of...of Aviston, Illinois. Would they please rise
22. and be recognized.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Will our guests please rise and be recognized. Senator
25. Washington. All right. Senator Buzbee has moved to Table
26. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 383. All in favor signify
27. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amend-
28. ment is Tabled. Further amendments?

29. ACTING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

30. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Carroll and Buzbee.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. No...2.

33. ACTING SECRETARY: (MR. FERNANDES)

1. 2...wait a minute, wait a minute, I'm sorry. Amendment No. 2,
2. it's a committee amendment, I'm sorry.
3. PRESIDENT:
4. Senator Buzbee. Put 2 on the board.
5. SENATOR BUZBEE:
6. This deletes the retirement...this deletes the retirement
7. and I would move its adoption. It's Amendment No. 2, Mr. Secretary.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. It is Amendment No. 2. We're a little discombobulated
10. up here, just relax. You talked too long. Senator Buzbee has
11. moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 383. Is
12. there any discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying
13. Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted.
14. Further amendments?
15. SECRETARY:
16. No further committee amendments.
17. PRESIDENT:
18. Any amendments from the Floor?
19. SECRETARY:
20. Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Carroll and Buzbee.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. Senator Carroll.
23. SENATOR CARROLL:
24. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 3 is what we
25. had started to discuss with Amendment No. 1. This is about
26. a one-fourth approach of what Amendment No. 1 had taken. It's
27. about a million, three hundred thousand dollar net reduction.
28. It takes into account a fourth of the error that the boards
29. of the community colleges have recognized, that they have
30. always made in overestimating on their assessed, equalized
31. assessed value and on their head count of full time equivalence.
32. I believe we discussed it before, would answer any questions.
33. Would move adoption of Amendment No. 3.
34. PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Carroll...

2. SENATOR CARROLL:

3. It also takes care of the problem at Community College of
4. East St. Louis.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
7. to Senate Bill 383. Any discussion? Senator Rhoads.

8. SENATOR RHOADS:

9. Thank you. Question of the sponsor.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Indicates he will yield, Senator Rhoads.

12. SENATOR RHOADS:

13. What is the impact on the city colleges of Chicago
14. with this amendment?

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Carroll.

17. SENATOR CARROLL:

18. We don't have an exact dollar figure on that, Senator
19. Rhoads. It does reduce the FTE EAV adjustment. It is still
20. a reduction in the credit hour grant. There is monies added
21. of a lesser nature. We took out two million dollars in the
22. credit hour...in the Credit Hour Grant category and added a
23. million dollars, a million three in the equalization grants.
24. And made some other adjustments. I can't give you an exact
25. figure. I do not know. They will get some additional funding
26. from the equalization grants, losing some funding from the
27. other grants. I'm sure we'll end out ahead as a result of
28. the equalization grants.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Rhoads.

31. SENATOR RHOADS:

32. Would it be on the order of magnitude of about seven
33. million dollars?

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. No way, no way. The adjustment in toto is a million three
5. in equalization grants throughout the State. And a reduction
6. of two million, nine hundred thousand in the twenty-five percent
7. of the adjustment for EAVFTE. So the figures are just not there
8. to be any where near that.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Rhoads.

11. SENATOR RHOADS:

12. All right. I guess I was thinking of the increase of last
13. ...of this year over last year from ten million to seventeen.
14. Now, seventy-five percent of that will be allotted to the
15. city colleges in Chicago, is that correct?

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator...Senator Carroll.

18. SENATOR CARROLL:

19. I don't know. I don't think so, I don't think it's anywhere
20. near that, Senator Rhoads. It's on the equalization grants
21. that the board has had as its formula.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Further discussion? Senator Bruce.

24. SENATOR BRUCE:

25. Well, Mr. President, ...many of the members have been
26. contacted by your respective community college boards to
27. oppose Amendment No. 1 which has now been Tabled. The
28. question before us in on Amendment No. 3 and I would point
29. out that this amendment as now drawn cuts less than one
30. million dollars out of the thirty-nine community colleges
31. in fifty-nine campuses spread throughout the State of Illinois.
32. Senator Buzbee and I met at 8:00 o'clock this morning with
33. the Illinois Community College Board and discussed the problems

1. we are having with staff estimates of equalized assessed
2. valuation and the fact that we've had declining enrollments.
3. We decided that the best way to proceed at this late date is
4. to take this relatively minor cut, we have a million...one
5. hundred and five million dollars. This cut would be less
6. than one percent. I think it is reasonable in nature.
7. Senator Buzbee and I both are going to continue to discuss
8. the problem we're having on equalized assessed valuation
9. as the bill moves through the House. I think it's reasonable
10. approach that we make the reductions as proposed. There
11. are additions and deductions, but I think on...on balance
12. this will meet with the approval of almost all community
13. college trustees. We are going to continue our discussions
14. on this nine hundred thousand dollar reduction and if additional
15. data is given to prove that their estimates of equalized
16. assessed valuation are more correct than we think they are,
17. this money may be, in fact, be restored. So I don't think there's
18. any reason to get too concerned today. You'll have a chance
19. to talk to your trustees over the week-end and...and the bill
20. goes out of here next week. And I...I frankly think that the
21. best thing to do is adopt Amendment No. 3 and then continue
22. our discussion with all the trustees. As you know there are
23. thirty-nine different boards. It's very difficult to get
24. everybody's assessment of what we're doing, whether that is
25. correct or not, but my own opinion and having met with the
26. Community College Board this morning is we adopt this amend-
27. ment and proceed with the bill and see where we get to when
28. it gets to the House for their hearings. And I'm sure they'll
29. have something to say about this bill also.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
32. to Senate Bill 383. Any further discussion? If not, all in
33. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,

1. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

2. SECRETARY:

3. No further amendments.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. 3rd reading. 384, Senator Bruce. On the Order of Senate
6. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 384. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Senate Bill 384.

9. (Secretary reads title of bill)

10. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Any amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No Floor amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. 3rd reading. 389, Senator Carroll. On the Order of Senate
17. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 389. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

18. SECRETARY:

19. Senate Bill 389.

20. (Secretary reads title of bill)

21. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
22. offers two amendments.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Carroll. Or Senator Buzbee, I'm sorry.

25. SENATOR BUZBEE:

26. Amendment No. 1 is the one we've been talking about earlier
27. and I would move to Table it.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Buzbee has moved to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
30. to Senate Bill 389. Any discussion? If not, all in favor signify
31. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment's
32. Tabled. Further amendments?

33. SECRETARY:

Committee Amendment No. 2.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Buzbee.

3. SENATOR BUZBEE:

4. Amendment No. 2 is the retirement deletion. I would move
5. its adoption.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Buzbee moves to adopt Committee Amendment No. 2 to
8. Senate Bill 389. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
9. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
10. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

11. SECRETARY:

12. No further committee amendments.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Any amendments from the Floor?

15. SECRETARY:

16. Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Buzbee.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Buzbee.

19. SENATOR BUZBEE:

20. Thank you, Mr. President. No. 3 reflects the BHE allocation
21. of the Governor's revised budget plus four hundred and nineteen
22. thousand, eight hundred dollars for additional salary adjustments.
23. Also included are technical adjustments to various line items
24. requested by the Board of Governors System including an additional
25. thirty-three thousand, three hundred dollars in the Western Illinois
26. Income Fund to reflect Legislative Audit Commission guidelines.
27. A reduction of one hundred fifty thousand, six hundred dollars
28. from the appropriation for the Board of Governors Cooperative
29. Computer Center Revolving Fund is also included and I would move
30. its adoption.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
33. to Senate Bill 389. Is there any discussion? If not, all in

1. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
2. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
3. SECRETARY:
4. No further amendments.
5. PRESIDENT:
6. 3rd reading. 398, Senator Bloom. On the Order of Senate
7. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 398. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
8. SECRETARY:
9. Senate Bill 398.
10. (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
12. offers one amendment.
13. PRESIDENT:
14. Senator Carroll.
15. SENATOR CARROLL:
16. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
17. Senate. This is the seven percent solution with a slight
18. reduction of a thousand dollars in contractual services. I
19. would move adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 398.
20. PRESIDENT:
21. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
22. to Senate Bill 398. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
23. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
24. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
25. SECRETARY:
26. No further committee amendments.
27. PRESIDENT:
28. Any amendments from the Floor?
29. SECRETARY:
30. No Floor amendments.
31. PRESIDENT:
32. 3rd reading. We are now at the top of page 4, if everybody
33. will kindly turn the page. While we have a lull, I'd like to

1. announce that the annual Gridiron Dinner put on by the Illinois
2. Press, their Legislative Correspondence Association, will be
3. held this coming Tuesday, May 22nd in the evening. Tickets are
4. available in plentiful amount. I would hope that all members
5. would contact the members of the press corps for tickets and
6. so that they can get a head count in order to properly order
7. the dinner. 406, Senator Weaver. On the Order of Senate
8. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 406. Read the bill, Mr.
9. Secretary.

10. SECRETARY:

11. Senate Bill 406.

12. (Secretary reads title of bill)

13. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Any amendments from the Floor?

16. SECRETARY:

17. No Floor Amendments.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. 3rd reading. 425, fiscal note has not yet been complied
20. with. 483, Senator Regner. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd
21. reading, Senate Bill 483. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Senate Bill 483.

24. (Secretary reads title of bill)

25. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
26. offers three amendments.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Carroll.

29. SENATOR CARROLL:

30. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
31. Senate. Amendment No. 1 is a reduction of a million, three
32. hundred ninety-one thousand, six hundred, to provide for
33. the seven percent solution. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
3. to Senate Bill 483. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
4. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
5. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
6. SECRETARY:
7. Committee Amendment No. 2.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. Senator Carroll.
10. SENATOR CARROLL:
11. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
12. Senate. This is a technical language change. I would move
13. adoption of Amendment No. 2.
14. PRESIDENT:
15. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
16. to Senate Bill 483. Is there any discussion? If not, all
17. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
18. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
19. SECRETARY:
20. Committee Amendment No. 3.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. Senator Carroll.
23. SENATOR CARROLL:
24. This amendment adds a hundred and fifty thousand for re-
25. insurance to the Department of...Administrative Services in
26. the Auto Liability Insurance, partially General Revenue and
27. partially Road Fund. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 3.
28. PRESIDENT:
29. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
30. to Senate Bill 483. Is there any discussion? If not, all
31. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
32. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
33. SECRETARY:

1. No further committee amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Any amendments from the Floor?

4. SECRETARY:

5. Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Regner.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Regner.

8. SENATOR REGNER:

9. Mr. President, members, this is a amendment equal to the

10. one we put on the omnibus bill earlier regarding Road Fund

11. monies. I've talked to Senator Shapiro and we're going to

12. be meeting on this the beginning of next week and what I would

13. like to do at this time is to withdraw Amendment No...4

14. PRESIDENT:

15. 4.

16. SENATOR REGNER:

17. 4...at this time and with the potential that the bill be

18. brought back to 2nd reading next week for any further amend-

19. ments.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. That request is in order. Withdraw number 4 and it will

22. be brought back. Any further amendments? Senator Washington.

23. SENATOR WASHINGTON:

24. Pardon the interruption on...personal privilege.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Oh, can...can I just move the bill and then we'll get right

27. to you.

28. SENATOR WASHINGTON:

29. All right.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. All right. Any further amendments?

32. SECRETARY:

33. Committee...Floor Amendment No. 4 offered by Senator Carroll.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Senator Carroll.
3. SENATOR CARROLL:
4. ...
5. PRESIDENT:
6. Hold it...hold it, Senator Carroll. Senator Washington,
7. go ahead.
8. SENATOR WASHINGTON:
9. In the rear back of me there, there are a group of students
10. from Sandburg School in Harvey, Illinois. Would we give them
11. a hand please.
12. PRESIDENT:
13. Yes, will our guests please rise and be recognized. Amend-
14. ment No. 4, Senator Carroll.
15. SENATOR CARROLL:
16. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
17. Senate. As part of our conference committee procedure and
18. adjusting the prior reduction with the Department of Administra-
19. tive Services, we have agreed to add back some amounts of money,
20. a hundred and six thousand, eight hundred dollars to meet the
21. needs of the department. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 4.
22. PRESIDENT:
23. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 4
24. to Senate Bill 483. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
25. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
26. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
27. SECRETARY:
28. No further amendments.
29. PRESIDENT:
30. 3rd reading. 484, Senator Coffey. On the Order of Senate
31. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 484. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
32. SECRETARY:
33. Senate Bill 484.

1. (Secretary reads title of bill)
2. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
3. offers one amendment.
4. PRESIDENT:
5. Senator Buzbee.
6. SENATOR BUZBEE:
7. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment provides for the
8. seven percent plan, a reduction of one hundred and ninety-nine
9. thousand, fifty dollars. I would move its adoption.
10. PRESIDENT:
11. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1,
12. Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 484. Is there any
13. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All
14. opposed. The Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Further
15. amendments?
16. SECRETARY:
17. No further committee amendments.
18. PRESIDENT:
19. Any amendments from the Floor?
20. SECRETARY:
21. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Buzbee.
22. PRESIDENT:
23. Senator Buzbee.
24. SENATOR BUZBEE:
25. Thank you, Mr. President. This is an amendment which
26. specifically addresses two groups of employees in the Department
27. of Agriculture who have been, in several people's opinion, badly
28. underpaid for quite some time. We saw the Governor this year
29. in the Department of Corrections adjust upward the...the step
30. rate that...the...the Personnel Code rating by one step on each
31. of those people. We are attempting to do the same thing in the
32. Department of Agriculture for two specific groups of people.
33. That is the meat and poultry inspectors and the warehouse examiners.

1. Part of the problem they've had there is simply not being able
2. to hire enough competent people at the salaries that they pay
3. for warehouse examiners and that's, we believe maybe have some
4. direct relation perhaps, I'm not making an accusations, but
5. perhaps some...have some relation to the number of grain
6. elevators that have been going...bankrupt. So what this would
7. do is...restores a total of thirty-seven, rather thirty-eight
8. thousand, seven hundred dollars of GRF for pay grade increases
9. for meat and poultry inspection and a total of forty-one
10. thousand dollars to allow an eighty dollar per month pay
11. grade increase for a grain warehouse examiners. And I would
12. now move the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Buzbee has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
15. to Senate Bill 484. Is there any discussion? If not, all
16. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
17. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

18. SECRETARY:

19. Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Coffey.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Coffey.

22. SENATOR COFFEY:

23. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. Amendment
24. No. 3 is an amendment that we're going to...we would like to
25. put on to Senate Bill 484. It is an original amendment that
26. come from Senator Knuppel, I'm handling it today. If there's
27. any problems with it later, we will...we will move back to
28. ...we will move back and...and talk about this...move it back
29. to 2nd reading. But it's in to add the sum of twenty thousand
30. dollars to appropriate the Department of Transportation, Agriculture
31. and Agriculture Premium from...from the Agriculture Premium
32. Fund to make a study on potential development of markets for
33. Illinois products through increasing trade with Latin America.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Coffey has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
3. to Senate Bill 484. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
4. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
5. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

6. SECRETARY:

7. No further amendments.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. 3rd reading. Senator Grotberg, 487. Senator Shapiro, would
10. you like to move 487 on? On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd
11. reading, Senate Bill 487. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Senate Bill 487.

14. (Secretary reads title of bill)

15. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
16. offers two amendments.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Carroll.

19. SENATOR CARROLL:

20. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
21. Senate. Amendment No. 1 is the seven percent solution and some
22. other minor adjustments in cars and move money and some additional
23. increases, five percent for the planning agencies. I would move
24. adoption of Amendment No. 1.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No...
27. Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 487. Is there any
28. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All
29. opposed. The Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Senator
30. Grotberg.

31. SENATOR GROTBORG:

32. The discussion on that would be a question of the sponsor.
33. He already adopted it. But that's the agreed amendment for LGA?

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Senator Carroll.
3. SENATOR CARROLL:
4. That's coming up in Amendment No. 3 where we restore some
5. funds pursuant to the...
6. SENATOR GROTBORG:
7. So in order...for in order for the next one to fit you
8. had to adopt this one?
9. SENATOR CARROLL:
10. Right...right.
11. SENATOR GROTBORG:
12. Okay...let's do a full...
13. SENATOR CARROLL:
14. That's how we're doing it on all the...
15. SENATOR GROTBORG:
16. ...explanation on the next one, all right.
17. SENATOR CARROLL:
18. Fine, be happy to.
19. SENATOR GROTBORG:
20. Thank you.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. Further amendments?
23. SECRETARY:
24. Committee Amendment No. 2.
25. PRESIDENT:
26. Senator Carroll.
27. SENATOR CARROLL:
28. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
29. Senate. In order to save time later on explaining on Amendments
30. No. 2 to the three agencies that the Governor has proposed to
31. reorganize into the Department of Industry and Commerce, we
32. have provided for seventy-five percent of annual funding to
33. the sending agencies, DLGA, GOMAD and the, who's the third,
BED is the third one in there. On Personal Services to give

1. them nine months funding so we can see how the new director
2. comes in, what he wants to do with programs, how the three
3. will mesh in and what monies can be saved, thereby, we can deal
4. with whatever else they need in either the fall or the spring.
5. They have all been made aware of this, they have no problem
6. with it and I would move adoption of Amendment No. 2.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
9. to Senate Bill 487. Is there any discussion? If not, all
10. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
11. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

12. SECRETARY:

13. No further committee amendments.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Any amendments from the Floor?

16. SECRETARY:

17. Floor Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Carroll.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Carroll.

20. SENATOR CARROLL:

21. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
22. Senate. Senator Grotberg, as we had said, with the Department
23. of Administrative Services and the conference committee type
24. of approach, we have sat with the director and have agreed to
25. restore forty-six thousand, five hundred dollars for some
26. clerks and planners in various sections. And I would move
27. adoption of Amendment No. 3.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
30. to Senate Bill 487. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
31. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
32. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

33. SECRETARY:

1. No further amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. 3rd reading. 488, Senator Shapiro. Okay. On the Order of

4. Senate Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 488. Read the bill,

5. Mr. Secretary.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Senate Bill 488.

8. (Secretary reads title of bill)

9. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I

10. offers one amendment.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Carroll.

13. SENATOR CARROLL:

14. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the

15. Senate. This is the seven percent solution to this department.

16. I would move adoption of Amendment No.1.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1

19. to Senate Bill 488. Is there any discussion? If not, all in

20. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,

21. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

22. SECRETARY:

23. No further committee amendments.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Any amendments from the Floor?

26. SECRETARY:

27. No Floor amendments.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. 3rd reading. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd reading,

30. Senate Bill 490. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Senate Bill 490.

33. (Secretary reads title of bill.)

34. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I offers

1. one amendment.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Carroll.

4. SENATOR CARROLL:

5. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.

6. This amendment does a few things, one, it of course, provides
7. for the seven percent solution. Two, we had been advised by
8. the Arts Council that they would, in fact, have had less
9. grant dollars this year than they had last year because Doctor
10. Bob had given them a bottom line in order to meet their pay
11. increase demands, they had to take it from grants. We restored
12. their monies to make their grants at least the same as that which
13. they were last year. It's actually, in fact, just slightly
14. above there. We also took out some inappropriate language
15. and I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
18. to Senate Bill 490. Is there any discussion? If not...Senator
19. Keats...if not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed.
20. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

21. SECRETARY:

22. No further committee amendments.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Any amendments from the Floor?

25. SECRETARY:

26. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Rhoads.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Rhoads.

29. SENATOR RHOADS:

30. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
31. Senate. The amendment just offered by Senator Carroll deleted
32. money from operations and increased the grants by forty-four
33. thousand, one hundred dollars. What this amendment does is

1. take out that forty-four thousand, one hundred dollars, out
2. of the increased grants, that's over the Governor's budget.
3. The General Assembly has been more than generous with the
4. Illinois Arts Council. This is a agency which has grown
5. from a few thousand dollars back several years ago to over
6. three million right now. It's a...it's an incredibly inappropriate
7. agency for State government to begin with, but at a time when we've
8. got a fiscal crunch and other priorities, an increase in forty-four
9. thousand dollars for these grants simply cannot be justified
10. and I urge adoption of Amendment No. 2.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
13. to Senate Bill 490. Is there any discussion? Senator Mitchler.

14. SENATOR MITCHLER:

15. Question of the sponsor.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Indicates he will yield.

18. SENATOR MITCHLER:

19. Senator Rhoads, is...is this the amendment that includes
20. the appropriation so that the Illinois Arts Council can have
21. the poetry on buses program for the CTA placards?

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Rhoads.

24. SENATOR RHOADS:

25. Senator Carroll's amendment may have done that, I don't
26. know. All my amendment does is delete forty-four thousand
27. dollars to return this to the Governor's budget level as
28. requested.

29. SENATOR MITCHLER:

30. Good for you.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Further discussion? Senator Carroll.

33. SENATOR CARROLL:

1. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
2. Senate. I rise to oppose Senator Rhoads' proposed amendment.
3. Very simply, as I did when I explained Amendment No. 1, the
4. Governor, in effect, said to the Arts Council or...Doctor Bob
5. really did, here is the bottom line. Now if you have to meet
6. pay increases then you cannot fund the grants that you funded
7. last year. I personally don't think that's fair or right or
8. good for the State of Illinois. I'm not concerned with where
9. we stand with respect to other states in the nation in funding
10. for art grants, but it sure seems to me that there's no
11. justifiable reason for allowing State government in other areas
12. to spend ten and fourteen and twenty percent and saying to
13. this area of government, however you have to decrease your
14. grants below those that you actually paid out this year. So
15. that you cannot even do as much as you did in FY '79. My
16. Amendment No. 1 not only took back, we took the money out
17. of Personal Services for that which was over the seven percent
18. solution and put it back into the grants line, to make the
19. bottom line approximately the same. We went just slightly
20. over it, we did not go forty-four thousand over what the
21. Governor requested as a bottom line. We are about twenty-six
22. thousand over what the Governor requested as the bottom line
23. and what we did was give them the exact dollar amount of
24. grants they had in FY '79 without allowing them any increase.
25. I don't think we want to decrease them. There are many who
26. want to increase it even further. But I think if we are
27. going to decrease their grants by a half percent or whatever,
28. we should probably decrease all of State government by the
29. same amount. And I think we should oppose this.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Further discussion? Senator Netsch.

32. SENATOR NETSCH:

33. Thank you, Mr. President. I would adopt and incorporate

1. by reference all that Senator Carroll has said and add only
2. without making the speech that we always seem to make at this
3. time of the year, that a State is frequently judged as well
4. by its intellectual and cultural and artistic contributions.
5. Illinois is very strong in that respect and it would be very
6. unfortunate if we were to indicate in this General Assembly
7. that we did not recognize and support that.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Further discussion? Senator Sommer.

10. SENATOR SOMMER:

11. Just a question of Senator Rhoads. Is this a conservative
12. union vote, Senator Rhoads?

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Rhoads.

15. SENATOR SOMMER:

16. Since you are on the board and...

17. SENATOR RHOADS:

18. Well, I think this one could...you'd have to ask Senator
19. Keats, but I think this one could very well wind up on the conser-
20. vative union roll call.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Is there any further discussion? Senator Rhoads may close
23. the debate.

24. SENATOR RHOADS:

25. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
26. Senate. This is not a frivolous amendment, it's offered
27. seriously. Last year when we were in the June 30th crunch
28. and we had a second conference committee report on the Arts
29. Council, at that time, I think, most of the membership recogni-
30. zed that we had been more than generous with the Illinois Arts
31. Council in our...in our funding increase that year over prior
32. years. Now, Senator Carroll, I did not say that this...that
33. you were putting in forty-four thousand over the bottom line.

1. I admit that you're only putting in twenty six thousand over
2. the bottom line. I...I only said and observed that you were
3. taking this out of operations and putting forty-four thousand
4. into grants over the Governor's budget request. Very frankly,
5. it...it simply cannot be justified, and if they have to spend
6. less in grants than they did in FY '79, so what. We were more
7. than generous with them last year. A lot of us feel they got
8. too much last year and I would ask for an Aye vote on this
9. amendment.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. All right, Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amend-
12. ment No. 2 to Senate Bill 490. All in favor signify by saying
13. Aye. All opposed. Roll call...roll call has been requested.
14. Those in favor of the amendment will vote Aye. Those opposed
15. to the amendment will vote Nay. The voting is open. Have
16. all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted
17. who wish? Take the record. On that question the Ayes are
18. 22, the Nays are 28, none Voting Present. The amendment fails.
19. Further amendments?

20. SECRETARY:

21. No further amendments.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. 3rd reading. 508, Senator Nash. On the Order of Senate
24. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 508. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Senate Bill 508.

27. (Secretary reads title of bill)

28. 2nd reading of the bill. Committee on Appropriations I offers
29. one amendment.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Senator Carroll.

32. SENATOR CARROLL:

33. Thank you. At the request of the Treasurer, this reduces

1. their appropriation to the seven percent solution by some
2. fifty-nine thousand plus dollars. I would move adoption of
3. Amendment No. 1.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
6. to Senate Bill 508. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
7. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
8. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

9. SECRETARY:

10. No further committee amendments.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Any amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No Floor amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. 3rd reading. 513, Senator Weaver. On the Order of Senate
17. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 513. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

18. SECRETARY:

19. Senate Bill 513.

20. (Secretary reads title of bill)

21. 2nd reading of the bill. The committee on Appropriations I
22. offers one amendment.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Carroll.

25. SENATOR CARROLL:

26. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
27. This is a reduction amendment of twenty-six thousand, eight
28. hundred and fifty-eight dollars. I would move adoption of Amend-
29. ment No. 1.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
32. to Senate Bill 513. Is there any discussion? If not, all
33. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
34. have it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

1. SECRETARY:
2. No further committee amendments.
3. PRESIDENT:
4. Any amendments from the Floor?
5. SECRETARY:
6. No Floor amendments.
7. PRESIDENT:
8. 3rd reading. 519, Senator Collins. On the Order of Senate
9. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 519. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
10. SECRETARY:
11. Senate Bill 519.
12. (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary II offers
14. one amendment.
15. PRESIDENT:
16. Senator Collins.
17. SENATOR COLLINS:
18. Thank you, Mr. President. At this time I move to Table
19. Committee Amendment No. 1 for the purpose of offering a
20. compromise amendment worked out to respond to some of the
21. objections raised by Senator Bowers, Sangmeister and Egan.
22. PRESIDENT:
23. All right. Senator Collins has moved to Table Committee
24. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 519. All in favor signify
25. by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it, the amend-
26. ment is Tabled. Further amendments?
27. SECRETARY:
28. No further committee amendments.
29. PRESIDENT:
30. Any amendments from the Floor?
31. SECRETARY:
32. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Collins...
33. PRESIDENT:
34. Senator Collins.

1. SENATOR COLLINS:
2. As I said, Amendment No. 2 is a compromise amendment. What
3. ...what this amendment does, it deletes the provision from
4. the act that covered aggravated rape. It also deletes spousal
5. rape and those cases where judge has ordered reconciliation,
6. It also adds the penalty for all rape back to a class, put the
7. penalty back to a Class X felony for all rape except spousal
8. rape and that still remains a Class II. And I move the adoption
9. of Amendment No. 2.
10. PRESIDENT:
11. Senator Collins has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
12. to Senate Bill 519. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
13. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
14. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
15. SECRETARY:
16. Floor Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Collins.
17. PRESIDENT:
18. Senator Collins.
19. SECRETARY:
20. No further amendments.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. 3rd reading. 530, Senator Maragos. On the Order of Senate
23. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 530. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
24. SECRETARY:
25. Senate Bill 530.
26. (Secretary reads title of bill)
27. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
28. PRESIDENT:
29. Any amendments from the Floor?
30. SECRETARY:
31. No Floor amendments.
32. PRESIDENT:
33. 3rd reading. 534, Senator Schaffer. Not on the Floor. 537,

1. Senator Regner. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd reading,
2. Senate Bill 537. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
3. SECRETARY:
4. Senate Bill 537.
5. (Secretary reads title of bill)
6. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
7. offers one amendment.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. Senator Carroll.
10. SENATOR CARROLL:
11. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
12. Senate. This is the seven percent solution to LIS. I would
13. move adoption of Amendment No. 1.
14. PRESIDENT:
15. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
16. to Senate Bill 537. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
17. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
18. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
19. SECRETARY:
20. No further committee amendments.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. Any amendments from the Floor?
23. SECRETARY:
24. Floor Amendment No. 2 by Senator Regner.
25. PRESIDENT:
26. Senator Regner.
27. SENATOR REGNER:
28. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. The amendment
29. that was just adopted removed, I think it was thirty-five hundred
30. dollars of travel money. As you know, LIS is having a new
31. computer installed sometime next fall and we have to train some
32. of the employees and this restores seventeen hundred and fifty
33. dollars of travel money for the travel necessary for training
34. on the new computer. I move its adoption.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Regner has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
3. to Senate Bill 537. Is there any discussion? If not, all
4. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
5. it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

6. SECRETARY:

7. No further amendments.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. 3rd reading. 542. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd reading,
10. Senate Bill 542. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Senate Bill 542.

13. (Secretary reads title of bill)

14. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
15. offers one amendment.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Carroll.

18. SENATOR CARROLL:

19. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
20. Senate. This is a reduction amendment to adjust to the seven
21. percent solution, contractual, et cetera or adjusted to provide
22. for a modest growth and not the fifty-five percent growth
23. they had requested. I would move adoption of Committee Amend-
24. ment No. 1.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1,
27. Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 542. Is there any
28. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All
29. opposed. The Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Further
30. amendments?

31. SECRETARY:

32. No further committee amendments.

33. PRESIDENT:

34. Any amendments from the Floor?

1. SECRETARY:
2. No Floor amendments.
3. PRESIDENT:
4. 3rd reading. Senator Rhoads on 546. On the Order of Senate
5. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 546. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
6. SECRETARY:
7. Senate Bill 546.
8. (Secretary reads title of bill)
9. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
10. offers one amendment.
11. PRESIDENT:
12. Senator Carroll.
13. SENATOR CARROLL:
14. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
15. This is a seven percent solution to the Board of Elections.
16. It makes some other minor changes. I would move adoption of
17. Committee Amendment No. 1.
18. PRESIDENT:
19. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment...Committee
20. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 546. Is there any discussion?
21. If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. Opposed No. The
22. Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
23. SECRETARY:
24. No further committee amendments.
25. PRESIDENT:
26. Any amendments from the Floor?
27. SECRETARY:
28. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Rhoads.
29. PRESIDENT:
30. Senator Rhoads.
31. SENATOR RHOADS:
32. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
33. Senate. Amendment No. 2 restores the move money so that the

1. Chicago office of the State Board of Elections can pay the rent
2. at their new location. The present location doesn't have any
3. washroom facilities and so forth. This puts that money back
4. in.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
7. to Senate Bill 546. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
8. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
9. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

10. SECRETARY:

11. Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Rhoads.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Rhoads.

14. SENATOR RHOADS:

15. Thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate. Amend-
16. ment No. 3 restores ten thousand dollars for summer jobs to
17. ...these are college students and part-time people who will
18. be used to audit campaign disclosure reports.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
21. to Senate Bill 546. Is there any discussion? If not, all
22. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
23. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

24. SECRETARY:

25. No further amendments.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. 3rd reading. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd reading, bottom
28. of page 4, Senate Bill 549. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

29. SECRETARY:

30. Senate Bill 549.

31. (Secretary reads title of bill)

32. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
33. offers one amendment.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.

5. As in prior years, the amendment specifies that the monies
6. are for the reconstruction and rehab of the Donnelly Building.
7. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
10. to Senate Bill 549. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
11. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
12. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No further committee amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Any amendments from the Floor?

17. SECRETARY:

18. No Floor amendments.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. 3rd reading. 559, Senator Carroll. On the Order of Senate
21. Bills 2nd reading, Senate Bill 559, Senator Graham.

22. SENATOR GRAHAM:

23. ...Mr. President and members of the Senate...I talked with
24. Senator Carroll and several other Senators regarding the content
25. of this bill. There happens to exist a few amendments now that
26. will be proposed to this bill and make it probably more complicated
27. than it is right now. I think it's a very important subject and
28. needs to be dealt with. I think that this may be not an appropriate
29. time to do it and with that thought in mind, I would like to suggest
30. to Senator Carroll if he agrees, and I would be happy to make the
31. motion, that we return this to an interim study committee and try
32. to deal with it this fall. We're trying to deal with five or six
33. subjects in one bill and I'm not sure we can do it.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
5. Senate. As I told Senator Graham, I am not in support of his
6. motion to re-refer it back to committee. I do understand the
7. problem, many members of the Senate have come to me and have
8. raised various different issues. I understand there are about
9. a half a dozen amendments on file with the legislation, however
10. I've talked to the people at the credit unions. They would
11. prefer that I not agree to send it back to an interim study
12. committee. Obviously the will of the Body is the will of the
13. Body. I will oppose Senator Graham's motion and let it fall
14. as it may.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. All right. Senator Graham has moved to re-refer Senate
17. Bill 559 to the Committee on Finance and Credit Regulation.
18. Those in favor will vote Aye, those opposed will vote Nay,
19. the voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted
20. who wish? Take the record. On that question the Ayes are
21. 28, the Nays are 21, none Voting Present. Senate Bill 559
22. is re-referred to the Committee on Finance and Credit Regulation.
23. 561, Senator Berning. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd reading,
24. Senate Bill 561. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

25. SECRETARY:

26. Senate Bill 561.

27. (Secretary reads title of bill)

28. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Any amendments from the Floor?

31. SECRETARY:

32. No Floor amendments.

33. PRESIDENT:

1. 3rd reading. Senator Graham on 575. Senator Graham.
2. SENATOR GRAHAM:
3. If I did not choose to have someone's weekend spoiled, if
4. I chose to call this Monday, would I be allowed to do that?
5. PRESIDENT:
6. You certainly may.
7. SENATOR GRAHAM:
8. It'll take a lot of time so why don't we move on.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. Fine. 576, Senator Sommer. On the Order of Senate Bills
11. 2nd reading, Senate Bill 576. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
12. SECRETARY:
13. Senate Bill 576.
14. (Secretary reads title of bill)
15. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
16. offers three amendments.
17. PRESIDENT:
18. Senator Carroll.
19. SENATOR CARROLL:
20. Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
21. Amendment No. 1 reduces the Bureau of the Budget's personal
22. services by the seven percent solution making a slightly greater
23. reduction to the higher priced personnel. I'd move adoption
24. of Amendment No. 1.
25. PRESIDENT:
26. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
27. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 576. Is there any discussion? If
28. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed.
29. The Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
30. SECRETARY:
31. Committee Amendment No. 2.
32. PRESIDENT:
33. Senator Carroll.

1. SENATOR CARROLL:

2. If I, on explaining Committee Amendment No. 2, let me just
3. say one other thing Committee Amendment No. 1 did and that took
4. out the...the printing for their novel fiction humor book
5. that was also in Committee Amendment No. 1. Committee Amendment
6. No. 2 reduces by four the new positions requested for a new
7. division of consulting services until Dr. Mandeville can identify
8. for us where the money is saved under the task force, will be
9. saved. The idea being not to spend additional funds to save
10. money unless we see where the savings actually are. We have
11. ...of course told Dr. Bob as soon as he has identified those
12. who were able to take them out of those operating budgets then
13. these would obviously be necessary and go back. I would move
14. adoption of Amendment No. 2.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
17. ment No. 2 to Senate Bill 576. Is there any discussion? If
18. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The
19. Ayes have it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
20. ...Committee Amendment No. 3, Senator Carroll.

21. SENATOR CARROLL:

22. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
23. Senate. Just to make sure we identify that hundred and seventy-
24. five thousand. This reduces BOB by that amount until we can
25. identify where, in fact, it will come from. I would move
26. adoption of Committee Amendment No. 3.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
29. ment No. 3 to Senate Bill 576. Is there any discussion? If
30. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
31. have it, the amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

32. SECRETARY:

33. No...no further committee amendments. Amendment No. 4
34. offered by Senator Carroll.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Amendment No. 4, Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
5. Senate. This would give back one of those four people we
6. reduced in Amendment No. 2 so that that person can be on
7. board to help find this money saving money. And I would move
8. adoption of Amendment No. 4.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 4
11. to Senate Bill 576. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
12. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it,
13. the amendment is adopted. Further amendments? No further
14. amendments. 3rd reading.

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1. PRESIDENT:
2. ...On the order of Senate Bills 2nd reading, Senate
3. Bill 577, Senator McMillan. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
4. Everyone will have to be a little bit quiet. The electronic
5. wizard has again failed us. Not yet. Senator Carroll.
6. SENATOR CARROLL:
7. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
8. Senate. Committee Amendment No. 1 is a seven-per-cent
9. solution in various lines. I would ask adoption. It's a
10. reduction of three hundred and seventy-two thousand. We
11. do have some monies in the later amendment to restore some
12. of the figures necessary.
13. PRESIDENT:
14. Senator McMillan.
15. SENATOR CARROLL:
16. ...577, for the board. Thank you.
17. PRESIDENT:
18. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
19. No. 1 to Senate Bill 577. Is there any discussion? If not,
20. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes
21. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?
22. Any amendments from the Floor? Senator Carroll.
23. SENATOR CARROLL:
24. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
25. Senate. There's apparently a question on whether two of these
26. new positions that have been asked for and I would actually
27. be assigned to Fuel Allocation. Their forms to us indicated
28. to us they would not be assigned to Fuel Allocations. They
29. have told us now that they will be and we are restoring those
30. positions because we know the great need over the summer months
31. in dealing with the problems of gas allocations. We are also
32. restoring some other monies for Natural History in State Museum,
33. and I would ask adoption of Amendment No. 2.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
3. to Senate Bill 577. Is there any discussion? Senator McMillan.

4. SENATOR McMILLAN:

5. I do rise in support of these restorations because I think
6. they were very necessary. I would just like to make a comment,
7. even though I'm not going to object to these two amendments, that
8. I do believe because of the employees of the institutes are em-
9. ployees that are exempt from the major classification of employees
10. for salary and other purposes, and because their anniversary
11. dates all, or their salary increase dates, are all in September,
12. rather than varied through the year. In a sense, they get taken,
13. and this is probably the second year in a row they've gotten
14. taken, and I hope that in the future, we can give them a slightly
15. different consideration because they do get treated less well
16. than others when the seven-per-cent solution is applied, but at
17. this time, I'm really not going to question it, and I would
18. approve this amendment.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
21. to Senate Bill 577. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
22. favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have it.
23. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

24. SECRETARY:

25. No further amendments.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. 3rd reading. 578, Senator Davidson. On the order of
28. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 578. Read the bill,
29. Mr. Secretary. Senator Carroll. I beg your pardon, Senator
30. Buzbee.

31. SENATOR BUZBEE:

32. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 provides for
33. an additional one-hundred eighty-five thousand six hundred dollars
in General Revenue Funds. These funds were included in the

1. Governor's budget, but were inadvertently omitted from the
2. FY-80 Appropriation Bill when it was drafted. The funds are
3. necessary to aid in local match requirements for Title III
4. funds. The one-hundred and eighty-five thousand ~~six~~ hundred
5. is distributed according to need, and I would ask its adoption.
6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
8. No. 1 to Senate Bill 578. Is there any discussion? If not,
9. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes
10. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.
11. Senator Buzbee.

12. SENATOR BUZBEE:

13. Amendment No. 2 reduces the operations portion of the
14. bill by one-hundred fifty-one thousand five hundred dollars,
15. and adds that same amount for the Grants and Aid line. It
16. makes no reduction in the bill total. The travel line was
17. reduced to twenty-six thousand, all federal. This still allows
18. for an increase of twenty-eight percent. It reduces the money
19. for eighteen new employees by half, all federal, and allows
20. nine new positions. It reduces the pay increases by thirty
21. thousand, bringing them into compliance with the seven-per-
22. cent guidelines, and I would move the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
25. No. 2 to Senate Bill 578. Is there any discussion? If not, all
26. in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have it.
27. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments. Any amendments
28. from the Floor? 3rd reading. On the order of Senate Bill, 2nd
29. reading, Senate Bill 579. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
30. Senator Carroll.

31. SENATOR CARROLL:

32. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
33. Senate. This reduces the appropriation by one-half to reflect
the elimination of funds for the additional position over the

1. FY-79 supplemental, and appropriates the funds directly to
2. BOB, and from Federal Public Act 94142, rather than General
3. Revenue. I move the adoption of Amendment No. 1.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
6. No. 1 to Senate Bill 579. Any discussion? Senator Davidson.

7. SENATOR DAVIDSON:

8. Yes, Senator Carroll. This is what I spoke to you earlier.
9. There are Office of Education, U.S. Office of Education, and
10. we may have some problems with this being all federal funds
11. and we may have to bring it back to amend it to get some GRF
12. funds in it next week.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. All right. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of
15. Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 579. Is there any
16. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye, all
17. opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Any
18. further amendments? Any amendments from the Floor? 3rd reading.
19. 580, Senator DeAngelis. On the order of Senate Bills, 2nd
20. reading, Senate Bill 580. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
21. Senator Carroll.

22. SENATOR CARROLL:

23. Why, thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of
24. the Senate. Amendment No. 1 is a reduction of one million-four
25. for the seven-per-cent solution in the various accounts. I
26. would ask adoption of Amendment No. 1.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
29. No. 1 to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not,
30. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes
31. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?
32. Senator Carroll.

33. SENATOR CARROLL:

1. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of
2. the Senate. Amendment No. 2 makes a funding change to
3. General Revenue from MFT, and I would move adoption of
4. Amendment No. 2. I might add that we have discussed
5. all of these with the director, and he is in accordance
6. with the thrust of these and the Floor Amendments.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee
9. Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion?
10. If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The
11. Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.
12. Senator Carroll.

13. SENATOR CARROLL:

14. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of
15. the Senate. This would reduce the lottery sections of the
16. seven-per-cent solution, and some of the other adjustments
17. based on their forms. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 3.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Carroll's moved adoption of Committee Amendment
20. No. 3 to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not,
21. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes
22. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments.
23. Senator Carroll.

24. SENATOR CARROLL:

25. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 4 changes a title
26. of incorrect division, and adds ten thousand to the Vehicle Use
27. Tax Refunds under SB 889. I would move adoption of Committee
28. Amendment No. 4.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
31. No. 4 to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not,
32. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have
33. it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments? Senator
Carroll.

1. SENATOR CARROLL:

2. Thank you, Mr. President. Committee Amendment No. 5
3. arises as a result of a recent case, Springfield vs. Alfin,
4. the then-Director of Revenue, and the courts seemed to indicate
5. that they were saying to the Treasurer and Comptroller of the
6. State of Illinois, "You shall pay to the City of Springfield
7. and other municipalities, Sales Tax over-withheld during the time
8. period of some six or seven months." This would've taken it
9. out of any appropriations process. Many felt that it would
10. have been an illegal-type order. The Treasurer and the Compt-
11. roller, Auditor General and others were very uncomfortable
12. because there's no way of making such a direct payment. This
13. appropriates to the Department of Revenue, the monies
14. required under that court case, so that they will go through
15. the appropriation Comptroller and Treasurer process, and I
16. would ask adoption of Amendment No. 5.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 5
19. to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not, all
20. in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have
21. it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments? Any
22. amendments from the Floor? Senator Carroll.

23. SENATOR CARROLL:

24. Thank you, Mr. President...

25. PRESIDENT:

26. ...Number six.

27. SENATOR CARROLL:

28. ...Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate..Amendment No. 6,
29. after discussion with Director Zagel, would add back some money
30. for the regular departments in the tune of two hundred and ten
31. thousand and eight hundred dollars to restore some of the new
32. positions and vacant positions that we had found in this depart-
33. ment. I would ask adoption of Amendment No. 6.

PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment
2. No. 6 to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not,
3. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes
4. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.
5. Senator Carroll.
6. SENATOR CARROLL:

7. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
8. Senate. After discussions with Rick Carlson, who heads up
9. the Lottery Division, we are providing a restoration of one
10. hundred and one thousand of lottery funds for some personal
11. services and some contractual monies. I would ask adoption
12. of Amendment No. 7.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 7
15. to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not, all
16. in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have
17. it. The amendment's adopted. Any further amendments?

18. SECRETARY:

19. Floor Amendment No. 8, offered by Senator Carroll.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Carroll.

22. SENATOR CARROLL:

23. Well, thank you, Mr. President.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. ...Change the board.

26. SENATOR CARROLL:

27. ...Amendment No. 8 makes no dollar change but indicates
28. a separate line item for the payment of Lottery Agents'
29. Commission so that we have a better trail. I would ask
30. adoption of Amendment No. 8.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 8
33. to Senate Bill 580. Is there any discussion? If not, all
in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have

1. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

2. SECRETARY:

3. No further amendments.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. 3rd reading. Yes, Senator Mitchler, for what purpose

6. do you rise?

7. SENATOR MITCHLER:

8. Point of personal privilege, at this time, Mr. President.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Yes.

11. SENATOR MITCHLER:

12. Mr. President, members of the Senate. In the Gallery,

13. immediately behind me, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Metzger of Aurora.

14. Howard is an independent oil producer and distributor, and

15. also one of our outstanding Republican Precinct Committeemen.

16. I'd like to have him rise and be recognized.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Will our guests please rise and be recognized. Senator

19. Mitchler.

20. SENATOR MITCHLER:

21. ...During this lull, if I may have a Personal Privilege

22. again. In the Gallery, immediately behind on the Democratic

23. side, at this time, is a group of eighth grade students from

24. Joliet, Senator Sangmeister and myself represent that

25. area. Pat Caswell is their chaperone today. If they would

26. rise and be recognized by the Senate, please.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Will our guests please rise and be recognized. On the

29. order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 581. Read

30. the bill, Mr. Secretary.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Senate Bill 581.

33. (Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations

1. I offers two amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Carroll.

4. SENATOR CARROLL:

5. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
6. Senate. This would be the seven-per-cent solution as well
7. as some other expansion, etc., type monies that are reduced
8. out, again the basis being until we know what the new department
9. wants to do. It was felt not to let any of these departments
10. expand too rapidly, during the state afflux, until the new
11. Industrial Department is created or not created, as the
12. General Assembly in its wisdom sees fit to do. I would ask
13. the adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
16. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 581. Is there any discussion? If
17. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The
18. Ayes have it. The amendment's adopted. Further amendments.

19. SECRETARY:

20. Committee Amendment No. 2.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Carroll.

23. SENATOR CARROLL:

24. Thank you, Mr. President. As I indicated with the other
25. agencies that will be in this reorganization, this would reduce
26. them to a seventy-five percent funding level in their personal
27. services, etc., accounts to allow them to build their sand
28. castles...

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
31. No. 2 to Senate Bill 581. Is there any discussion? If not,
32. all in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes
33. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

SECRETARY:

1. No further committee amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Any amendments from the Floor?

4. SECRETARY:

5. Floor Amendment No. 3, offered by Senator Carroll.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Carroll.

8. SENATOR CARROLL:

9. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 3 restores tele-

10. communications item in the Division of Tourism, which was in-

11. advertently omitted. I would ask adoption of Amendment No. 3.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3

14. to Senate Bill 581. Is there any discussion? If not, all

15. in favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have

16. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

17. SECRETARY:

18. Floor Amendment No. 4, offered by Senator Moore.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Carroll.

21. SENATOR CARROLL:

22. Thank you. Senator Moore had asked me to handle this

23. in his temporary absence. This would add a position to the

24. ..in the area of Film Services in the amount of fifteen thousand.

25. On behalf of Senator Moore, I would ask adoption of Amendment No. 4.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 4

28. to Senate Bill 581. Is there any discussion? If not, all in

29. favor signify by saying Aye, all opposed. The Ayes have it.

30. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Floor Amendment No. 5, offered by Senator Moore.

33. PRESIDENT:

Senator Carroll.

1. SENATOR CARROLL:

2. Thank you. Again, on behalf of Senator Moore, he has
3. asked for an additional one hundred thousand dollars for the
4. promotion of the Port and advertising for the Port of Chicago.
5. On behalf of Senator Moore, I would ask Amendment No. 5 adoption.
6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 5
8. to Senate Bill 581. Is there any discussion? Senator Rhoads.
9. SENATOR RHOADS:

10. I would like to hear this one a little bit more slowly,
11. Senator Carroll. One hundred thousand dollars for what?
12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Carroll.
14. SENATOR CARROLL:

15. Thank you, Mr. President. Senator Rhoads, this is one
16. hundred thousand appropriated from the Agricultural Premium
17. Fund to the Department of Business and Economic Development
18. for advertisement and promotion of the Port of Chicago. As
19. you know, Senator Moore has been working very diligently on
20. the upgrading and increasing of the activities at that port.
21. It was felt, apparently by he and by the department, that it
22. was important to promote that in order to generate the type
23. of revenue that that port will generate in all types of tax
24. revenue for the people of the State of Illinois, and on
25. behalf of Senator Moore, I would move adoption again of
26. Amendment No. 5.

27. PRESIDENT:
28. Senator Rhoads.

29. SENATOR RHOADS:
30. Why don't you just offer them seventy-five thousand,
31. in keeping with your nine-month funding for everything else,
32. of those feeder agencies?

33. PRESIDENT:
Senator Carroll.

1. SENATOR CARROLL:
2. He had asked for one hundred and fifty thousand, Senator
3. Rhoads.
4. PRESIDENT:
5. Senator Rhoads.
6. SENATOR RHOADS:
7. Oh, just vote No.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. Senator Johns.
10. SENATOR JOHNS:
11. Mr. President, I just wanted to voice support for this
12. amendment. As a member of the Economic Development Commission,
13. and one that has been assigned the Chairman of the Port
14. Committee for the Commission, let me tell you, we are behind
15. in the promotion of this Port, and all the other ports through-
16. out the Great Lakes are trying to do their best to overcome
17. the momentum that we're gaining. I urge a favorable support
18. of this amendment. I talked to Senator Moore, and you need
19. this money to expedite the movement of that port.
20. PRESIDENT:
21. Further discussion. Senator Maragos. All right.
22. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 5
23. to Senate Bill 581. No further discussion. All in favor
24. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
25. Amendment No. 5 is adopted. Any further amendments.
26. SECRETARY:
27. Floor Amendment No. 6, offered by Senator Carroll.
28. PRESIDENT:
29. Senator Carroll.
30. SENATOR CARROLL:
31. Why, thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of
32. the Senate. In order to provide for those castles, we are
33. adding back one hundred and fifty-six thousand dollars to the
Department of BED, especially in the area of Minority Business

1. Affairs, Industrial Development, and International Trade.

2. I would ask the adoption of Amendment No. 6.

3. PRESIDENT:

4. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 6
5. to Senate Bill 581. Is there any discussion? If not, all
6. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
7. it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

8. SECRETARY:

9. No further amendments.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. 3rd reading. 583...Senator DeAngelis, for what purpose
12. do you rise?

13. SENATOR DeANGELIS:

14. Mr. President, I discussed this with Mr. Carroll, but
15. there is a possibility that there is another amendment from
16. the Floor forthcoming on this.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. All right. All these bills are moved with the understanding
19. that hopefully the sponsor will return them for future amendment.
20. 583, Senator Martin. On the order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
21. Senate Bill 583. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

22. SECRETARY:

23. Senate Bill 583.

24. (Secretary reads title of bill)

25. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
26. offers five amendments.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Buzbee.

29. SENATOR BUZBEE:

30. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 1 is a merely
31. amendment. It merely reduces the appropriation by one hundred
32. and eleven million dollars. It cuts operations by eleven million
33. seven hundred four thousand dollars from the Department of
Public Aid's FY-80 request, and it cuts grants by one hundred

1. million nineteen thousand dollars. There are various areas
2. that go on down as to detailed explanation. I had asked
3. Senator Carroll to chair the sub-committee that went into
4. the Department of Public Aid's request in detail. Let me
5. give you just a few examples. We've cut...in Personal
6. Services, we've cut the Pay Plan to go into the seven-
7. per-cent solution, we eliminated several new positions,
8. we phased in some new positions, we cut some very long-term
9. vacancies, we phased in some other vacancies, and we made
10. some decreases in the legal fees, the office equipment, the
11. EDP, and Social Services and so forth, and then in the grants,
12. we made some substantial cuts as I said of one hundred million
13. dollars. The reason for this was as we're not trying to
14. get anybody or anything else. We have noticed a phenomenon
15. going on in this department which, during the Walker years,
16. was always under-funded in their new fiscal year request. In
17. the Thompson years, it's always been over-funded in their
18. request. It's kind of a strange anomaly in a way, because
19. the Democrat Walker preferred to take the attitude of "Let's
20. go in with a small request now, and come back for a supplemental
21. in the spring." Now the Republican Thompson seems to say "Let's
22. go in with a large request now and then in the fall and winter
23. we can come back and say gee, we're not going to spend all
24. that money. See how good we are at saving the taxpayer dollars."
25. We suspect there's an ulterior motive perhaps behind that over-
26. request, and we, in making these reductions, were making them
27. on the basis of good hard data, not on the basis of by guess
28. and by golly. The data shows that the monies have not been
29. spent in the past. That the caseload is down. That the necessity
30. for doing this is simply not there, and so we are making
31. these substantial decreases of one hundred and eleven million
32. dollars, and we think that we're right in line with the world
33. of reality, and I would defer any further explanation at this
point to Senator Carroll.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
3. No. 1 to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? Senator
4. Rhoads.
5. SENATOR RHOADS:
6. A question of Senator Buzbee.
7. PRESIDENT:
8. He indicates he will yield. Senator Rhoads.
9. SENATOR RHOADS:
10. Senator, as you know, of about two weeks ago, Chris
11. Cohen met with the Governor concerning the twelve million
12. dollar cut on the..for the positions, some of which were to
13. go to Fraud Control, and threatened very strongly, I guess,
14. some cut-off of federal monies. What is..now that..those positions
15. are not in this particular amendment, are they? Or are they
16. in the next Committee Amendment?
17. PRESIDENT:
18. Senator Buzbee.
19. SENATOR BUZBEE:
20. Well, I was not aware that Chris Cohen had done that.
21. I know Chris Cohen. I wish that he'd met with me. Maybe
22. we could've addressed that directly at that point. We do
23. add the positions back in..that you were talking about.
24. Those positions are added back in one of the future amendments.
25. It's number six, that we add those positions back, Senator.
26. PRESIDENT:
27. Senator Rhoads.
28. SENATOR RHOADS:
29. With respect to the caseload, if the economy worsens
30. in the third quarter, and if the caseload starts to rise again,
31. dramatically, what contingency plans do you have, if any, for
32. restoration of some of this money, or is that too coming up
33. in a future amendment?
PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Buzbee.

2. SENATOR BUZBEE:

3. We started out with a two hundred and ten thousand
4. increase, rather a two hundred and ten thousand caseload
5. assumption. We have increased now to two hundred thirteen
6. thousand eight hundred caseload assumption. That was reflected
7. in this amendment, by the way, and that caseload assumption
8. is the highest that the State of Illinois has ever had, with
9. the exception of the Deep Recession Era of 1973-4, so that's...
10. we think we're well within the realm of reality.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Is there any further discussion? If not, Senator Buzbee
13. has moved the adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1 to Senate
14. Bill 583. All in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed.
15. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

16. SECRETARY:

17. Committee Amendment No. 2.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Buzbee.

20. SENATOR BUZBEE:

21. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment reduces every
22. line in the MMIS by one-half. The funds will be replaced
23. when the MMIS system is completed. We've been working on
24. this one for a number of years, the Department of Public
25. Aid, and I would ask the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Committee Amendment
28. No. 2 to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? If not,
29. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
30. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

31. SECRETARY:

32. Committee Amendment No. 3.

33. PRESIDENT:

Senator Buzbee.

1. SENATOR BUZBEE:

2. I'm going to defer to Senator Carroll on No. 3. I don't
3. understand this one, either.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Carroll.

6. SENATOR CARROLL:

7. Why, thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of
8. the Senate. As Senator Martin recalls, several of the members
9. had indicated problem in a particular addition with the direct...
10. the Deputy not returning calls. It was decided to give him
11. twenty cents to make his phone call. I would ask adoption
12. of Amendment No. 3.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
15. No. 3 to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? If not,
16. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
17. have it. The amendment's adopted. Further amendments.

18. SECRETARY:

19. Committee Amendment No. 4.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Buzbee.

22. SENATOR BUZBEE:

23. No. 4 is the technical adjustment. The amendment adds
24. section 8.1 to the bill to allow for two percent transferability
25. among the medical line items in section 6. Two percent transfer-
26. ability among medical lines has been a part of past Public
27. Aid appropriation bills. In order to allow for transferability
28. among the medical lines only, three social service line items
29. in home care, day care, and other social services had to be
30. deleted from Section 6 and grouped in a separate section in
31. 6.1. I would ask the adoption of Amendment No. 4.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
No. 4 to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? If not, all

1. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
2. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

3. SECRETARY:

4. Committee Amendment No. 5.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Buzbee.

7. SENATOR BUZBEE:

8. This amendment reduces Personal Services by one million
9. dollars and fringe lines by one hundred and forty thousand
10. dollars. Oh, No. 5? I'm sorry. This one is to be Tabled,
11. Mr. Chairman..Mr. President, and I apologize...

12. PRESIDENT:

13. All right. Senator Buzbee's moved to Table Committee
14. Amendment No. 5 to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion?
15. If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The
16. Ayes have it. The amendment is Tabled. Further amendments.

17. SECRETARY:

18. No further committee amendments.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Any amendments from the Floor?

21. SECRETARY:

22. Floor Amendment No. 6, offered by Senator Buzbee.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Buzbee.

25. SENATOR BUZBEE:

26. Thank you. This is the amendment that Senator Rhoads
27. was concerned about a while ago. This restores nine hundred
28. eighty thousand dollars to the Department for eight vacancies
29. in the EDP to be phased in in six months with their concomitant
30. retirement and social security costs. The Child Support
31. Enforcement twenty-eight vacancies in at nine months, their con-
32. comitant retirement and social security costs. Medical-thirty-
33. one new positions at the Department's Requested Level. Ten
vacancies phased in at six months with their concomitant retire-

1. ment and social security costs. Field for the equipment, the
2. insert sorter and the Attorney General representation-two
3. new positions with their concomitant retirement and social
4. security costs, and I would ask the adoption of Committee
5. Amendment...rather Floor Amendment No. 6.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 6
8. to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? If not, all
9. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
10. it. The amendment's adopted. Any further amendments?

11. SECRETARY:

12. Floor Amendment No. 7, offered by Senator Buzbee.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Buzbee.

15. SENATOR BUZBEE:

16. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment breaks out by
17. agency a lump-sum appropriation to the Department from the
18. Local Initiative Fund. These amounts will be contracted by
19. the Department of Public Aid with various local and private
20. agencies. The service contracted for, however, are provided
21. by the agencies enumerated in this amendment. The amount
22. appropriated by the amendment totals twenty-two million
23. dollars. The one million forty thousand dollar difference
24. between this figure and the budget book figure of twenty-three
25. million seventy thousand represents the amount of Public
26. Agency contracts which will be certified- that is while funds
27. will not be contributed to the state, Public Agencies will
28. certify to the state that they have in fact made expenditures.
29. Apparently at the time of budget preparation, neither the
30. Department nor BOB could identify this amount, and I would
31. now ask the adoption of No. 7.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 7

1. to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? If not, all
2. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
3. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.
4. SECRETARY:
5. Floor Amendment No. 8, offered by Senator Martin.
6. PRESIDENT:
7. Senator Martin.
8. SENATOR MARTIN:
9. This reduces the Transportation Grant line item by eighteen
10. million dollars, and puts it at a very good level of nine million.
11. PRESIDENT:
12. Senator Martin's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 8
13. to Senate Bill 583. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
14. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
15. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.
16. SECRETARY:
17. Floor Amendment No. 9, offered by Senator Buzbee.
18. PRESIDENT:
19. Senator Buzbee.
20. SENATOR BUZBEE:
21. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment eliminates
22. the two percent transferability in the Medical Grant lines,
23. and I would ask its...what? Okay, we're going to withdraw this
24. amendment now, with the understanding that we may bring the
25. bill back on Monday for the addition to this amendment.
26. PRESIDENT:
27. All right. Amendment No. 9 has been withdrawn. Are there
28. further amendments?
29. SECRETARY:
30. No further amendments.
31. PRESIDENT:
32. 3rd reading. 584, Senator Rhoads. On the order of Senate
33. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 584. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
SECRETARY:

1. Senate Bill 584.

2. (Secretary reads title of bill)

3. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
4. offers one amendment.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Buzbee.

7. SENATOR BUZBEE:

8. No. 1 is the seven-per-cent amendment, and I would ask
9. its adoption.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
12. No. 1 to Senate Bill 584. Is there any discussion? If not, all
13. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
14. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

15. SECRETARY:

16. No further Committee amendments.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Any amendments from the Floor?

19. SECRETARY:

20. Amendment No. 2...Floor Amendment No. 2, offered by
21. Senator Regner.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Regner.

24. SENATOR REGNER:

25. Yes, Mr. President, members of the Senate. This amendment
26. breaks out the Operations monies into various line items- the
27. same as we have in previous years. There's no dollar change
28. in the total appropriation. I ask its adoption.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Regner's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
31. to Senate Bill 584. Is there any discussion? If not, all
32. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
33. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

SECRETARY:

1. No further amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. 3rd reading. 585, Senator Mitchler. On the order of
4. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 585. Read the bill, Mr.
5. Secretary.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Senate Bill 585.

8. (Secretary reads title of bill)

9. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
10. offers two amendments.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Buzbee.

13. SENATOR BUZBEE:

14. Thank you, Mr. President. No. 1 adds four hundred thousand
15. dollars. This amendment corrects the Drafting year and the
16. Vet Scholarship line item. The bill amount was eight million
17. five hundred thousand but should have been eight million nine
18. hundred thousand, and I would ask its adoption.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
21. No. 1 to Senate Bill 585. Is there any discussion? If not, all
22. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
23. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

24. SECRETARY:

25. Committee Amendment No. 2.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Senator Buzbee.

28. SENATOR BUZBEE:

29. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment reduces the
30. Personal Services, Retirement and Social Security lines in
31. the Department of Veterans Affairs budget by a total of one
32. hundred seventy-four thousand six hundred dollars, to bring
33. pay increases to the seven-per-cent level, and I would ask its
adoption.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment

3. No. 2 to Senate Bill 585. Is there any discussion? If not, all

4. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.

5. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

6. SECRETARY:

7. No further Committee amendments.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Any amendments from the Floor?

10. SECRETARY:

11. No floor amendments.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. 3rd reading. 587, Senator Regner. On the order of Senate

14. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 587. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Senate Bill 587.

17. (Secretary reads title of bill)

18. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I

19. offers five amendments.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Carroll.

22. SENATOR CARROLL:

23. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the

24. Senate. The first amendment to GOMAD is the seven-per-cent

25. solution, and the others on newer expanded programs are waiting

26. reorganization. I would ask adoption of Committee Amendment

27. No. 1.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amend-

30. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If

31. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The

32. Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

33. SECRETARY:

Committee Amendment No. 2.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Committee
5. Amendment No. 2 is a seventy-five percent funding level. I
6. would ask adoption of Committee Amendment No. 2.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
9. ment No. 2 to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If
10. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The
11. Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Committee Amendment No. 3.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Carroll.

16. SENATOR CARROLL:

17. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
18. Senate. This is to break out the Community Action Agencies
19. without a dollar change. It's at the FY-79 grant level, identical
20. amounts. I would ask adoption of Amendment No. 3.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
23. No. 3 to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If not,
24. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
25. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

26. SECRETARY:

27. Committee Amendment No. 4.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll.

30. SENATOR CARROLL:

31. Thank you, Mr. President. Amendment No. 4 breaks out
32. the other grants to other state agencies. I would ask adoption
33. of Amendment No. 4. It's no dollar change.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 4

3. to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If not, all in

4. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.

5. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

6. SECRETARY:

7. Committee Amendment No. 5.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Carroll.

10. SENATOR CARROLL:

11. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the

12. Senate. Committee Amendment No. 5 made further reductions

13. in the Governor's office of Manpower and Human Development

14. for certain specific agencies, some of which are added back

15. in a later amendment. These are Auditing and Monitoring

16. Manpower Services, etc., etc. I would ask adoption of

17. Amendment No. 5.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment

20. No. 5 to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If not,

21. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes

22. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

23. SECRETARY:

24. No further Committee amendments.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Any amendments from the Floor?

27. SECRETARY:

28. Amendment No. 6, a Floor Amendment offered by Senator Carroll.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Carroll.

31. SENATOR CARROLL:

32. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the

33. Senate. This is a add-back amendment for four positions in

1. Auditing and Monitoring, four positions phased in Administrative
2. Services, five in statewide Manpower Division and the deleting
3. vacancies in the balance of the State Division. I would ask
4. adoption of Amendment No. 5...Amendment No. 6.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 6
7. to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If not, all
8. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
9. it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

10. SECRETARY:

11. Amendment No. 7-Floor Amendment, Senator Carroll.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Carroll.

14. SENATOR CARROLL:

15. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
16. Senate. Amendment No. 7 is an increase of General Revenue
17. Funds of one hundred and fifty-one thousand seven hundred
18. for the Consumer Services Appropriation in GOMAD. The purpose
19. of this is we don't know it as of yet what in fact the federal
20. dollars will be for this. We have provided, in the past, some
21. state dollars. We have a letter of commitment from this agency
22. that their total dollar figure will be no greater than it had
23. been suggested to us of three seventy-four. I'm sorry-of
24. five twenty-five eight hundred. If more federal dollars
25. flow, they will lapse the balance of state dollars, but this is
26. as far as we will go in state dollars. I would ask adoption of
27. Amendment No. 7.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 7
30. to Senate Bill 587. Any discussion? Senator Regner.

31. SENATOR REGNER:

32. Just a little add-on to what Senator Carroll said. We're
33. waiting for some communications from the agency and this amendment
may be taken off next week.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. All right. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of
3. Amendment No. 7 to Senate Bill 587. Any further discussion?
4. If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The
5. Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

6. SECRETARY:

7. Floor Amendment No. 8, offered by Senator Rhoads.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Rhoads.

10. SENATOR RHOADS:

11. Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Senate. I've
12. waited all day for this. I don't know how many members of
13. the Senate received this little gem in the mail. It's called
14. "The Work Connection-Publication of the Governor's Office of
15. Manpower and Human Development". It's printed on nice, shiny
16. paper, without a Union Bug, I might add for my friends on
17. that side of the aisle. A rather expensive publication, so in
18. checking into the cost, we found out that some commercial artist
19. got twenty-five hundred dollars for the absolutely breathtaking
20. graphics in this little gem. The overall production cost,
21. mind you, exclusive of mailing, was eighteen thousand seven
22. hundred and seventy-eight dollars for a publication which con-
23. tains numerous errors, which gives us the wrong phone number
24. on page forty-four for the Hotline for the Industrial Services,
25. and I got to thinking if Senator Proxmire lived in Illinois, he
26. might give GOMAD this week's Golden Fleece Award, so in order
27. to reflect our appreciation for the work that GOMAD is doing,
28. this amendment deletes eighteen thousand nine hundred dollars
29. for the cost of this publication. I ask its adoption.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Further discussion. Senator Regner.

32. SENATOR REGNER:

33. This is a good amendment. The Agency urges its adoption.

PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Rhoads has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 8
2. to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? If not, all
3. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
4. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

5. SECRETARY:

6. Floor Amendment No. 9, offered by Senator Weaver.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. Senator Weaver.

9. SENATOR WEAVER:

10. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment reduces Contractual
11. Services in the Office of Consumer Services by eighty-three
12. thousand dollars, and I'd ask its adoption.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Weaver's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 9
15. to Senate Bill 587. Is there any discussion? Senator Carroll.

16. SENATOR CARROLL:

17. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
18. Senate. At this time, I would rise in opposition to this
19. amendment to reduce the Contractual. As Senator Regner had
20. indicated earlier in this particular division, we are waiting
21. for some additional information. I think it'd be wrong to
22. take this money out at this time. As Senator Regner indicated,
23. the bill may be brought back next week if the information is
24. not received, and I would therefore, at this time, either urge
25. Senator Weaver to withdraw it, or urge opposition to the amend-
26. ment that would cut this division.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Further discussion? Senator Johns.

29. SENATOR JOHNS:

30. Well, I think Senator Carroll's voiced my concerns, and I
31. go along with his opposition to this amendment.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Any further discussion? Senator Weaver, do you wish to close?
Senator Weaver's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 9 to Senate

1. Bill 587. All those in favor signify by saying Aye. All
2. those opposed. In the opinion of the Chair, the No's have
3. it. The amendment fails. Further amendments.

4. SECRETARY:

5. No further amendments.

6. PRESIDENT: .

7. 3rd reading. 588, Senator Regner. On the order of Senate
8. Bills, 2nd reading, bottom of page five, Senate Bill 588. Read
9. the bill, Mr. Secretary.

10. SECRETARY:

11. Senate Bill 588.

12. (Secretary reads title of bill)

13. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
14. offers one amendment.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Buzbee.

17. SENATOR BUZBEE:

18. Thank you, Mr. President. This is a total reduction of
19. one million five hundred forty-three thousand one hundred fifty-
20. four. First of all, it eliminates thirteen long-term vacancies.
21. Secondly, it eliminates four new positions-two that were budgeted
22. and seven that were not budgeted. Three, it provides for
23. specific line items for sworn officers salaries and civilian
24. personnel salaries in the State Police and Criminal Investigations.
25. Four, it provides for the separate section for the purchase of
26. vehicles. Five, it deletes reference to apprehension of fugitive
27. line item as a Contractual Services line, making it non-trans-
28. ferable. Six, it provides for the six hundred ninety thousand
29. dollar reduction to offset the FY-79 Supplemental, which we
30. told them that they were going to get. Seven, it makes the Merit
31. Compensation Adjustment as requested by the Department. Eight,
32. it also reduces excessive requests in certain line items. The
33. Division breakdown: Administration- we cut five hundred fifty-
seven thousand seven hundred thirty-nine dollars, EDP eighty-

1. one thousand, State Police- we add twelve thousand, Investigation-
2. we cut fifty thousand, Racetrack Security- thirty-two, Public
3. Aid- two forty-five, Internal Investigations-one seventeen,
4. Support Services- one sixty-seven, and Merit Board- thirty-six
5. hundred. This is an Agency which I think you all recall, the
6. fights that we went through on their supplemental appropriation
7. request. The Governor got involved and asked us to please
8. be supportive of his supplemental request. We think it's through
9. mismanagement and complete disregard for legislative intent
10. that they had to come in with that supplemental request to
11. start with. We told them when they got it it would be the...
12. be taken out...that six hundred and sixty-seven would be taken
13. out of thier FY-80 on top of any other cuts we might make, and
14. we have now made these cuts with this amendment, and I would
15. ask the adoption of Amendment No. 1.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
18. No. 1 to Senate Bill 588. Is there any discussion? If not,
19. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
20. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

21. SECRETARY:

22. No further Committee amendments.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Any amendments from the Floor?

25. SECRETARY:

26. Floor Amendment 2, offered by Senator Buzbee.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. Senator Buzbee.

29. SENATOR BUZBEE:

30. Thank you, Mr. President. This adds back four hundred
31. and twenty-one thousand dollars as follows: one hundred and
32. sixty-seven thousand dollars for equipment for Financial Fraud
33. and Forgery, One hundred and seventy-one thousand for equipment
for Administration, and eighty-three thousand for Personal Items...

1. for Personnel Items, rather, for the Support Services Division,
2. and the net impact is to provide an FY-80 budget of eighty
3. million eight hundred twenty-three thousand six hundred fourteen
4. dollars, or eleven point two percent increase more than FY-79, and I
5. would ask the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
8. to Senate Bill 588. Is there any discussion? If not, all
9. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
10. it. The amendment is adopted. Is there any further amendments?

11. SECRETARY:

12. Floor Amendment No. 3, offered by Senator Regner.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Regner.

15. SENATOR REGNER:

16. Mr. President, members of the Senate. This bill earmarks
17. two hundred thirty-seven thousand six hundred dollars for pay-
18. ment of fourth quarter overtime for the Department of Law Enforcement.
19. Further requests of the Department- there is no overall dollar
20. change. I ask its adoption.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Regner's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
23. to Senate Bill 588. Is there any discussion? Senator Buzbee.

24. SENATOR BUZBEE:

25. Thank you, Mr. President. A question of the sponsor.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. He indicates he will yield. Senator Buzbee.

28. SENATOR BUZBEE:

29. Is this money to pay the State Police-the State Troopers?
30. I don't think Senator Regner's listening. Is this money to
31. pay the State Troopers who are now on the highway at the
32. behest of the Governor for enforcing the fifty-five mile-per-
33. hour Speed Limit?

PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Regner.

2. SENATOR REGNER:

3. No, the amendment was prepared before he made that
4. announcement. Is there some more?

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Buzbee.

7. SENATOR BUZBEE:

8. Well, I was just wondering how we're going to pay those
9. troopers that overtime now. It's very interesting that on
10. Tuesday evening last, I was at a meeting of the Energy Resources
11. Commission when we asked Director Beal of the Institute of
12. Natural Resources what plans the state had for gasoline allocation,
13. and he went through, we spent an hour and a half talking with
14. that very capable gentleman, and he went through explaining
15. to us what the plans were for fuel allocation in his and the
16. Governor's Office, and not one word was ever mentioned about the
17. Governor's Press Release, which came forth the following day,
18. talking about the fifty-five mile-per-hour strict enforcement,
19. and talking about the voluntary reduction to speed limit of...
20. of fifty. My guess is that at no time was Director Beal con-
21. sulted by the Governor-that he put out the press release and
22. that his one in-house expert, Director Beal, didn't know a thing
23. about it on Tuesday night, before this happened on Wednesday.
24. I just wonder how we're going to pay these State Troopers now.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Regner.

27. SENATOR REGNER:

28. It's a good question, and it hasn't been answered.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Regner's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3 to
31. Senate Bill 588. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
32. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
33. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

SECRETARY:

1. Floor Amendment No. 4, offered by Senator Regner.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Regner.

4. SENATOR REGNER:

5. Mr. President, members. This is one of the amendments

6. we talked about earlier, regarding how we should fund various

7. things- through the Road Fund or GR. At this time, we've had

8. several discussions, and at this time, I would ask to withdraw

9. Amendment No. 4, with the understanding that it may be offered

10. next week.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Amendment No. 4 has been withdrawn. Further amendments.

13. SECRETARY:

14. No further amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. 3rd reading. 590, Senator Grotberg. On the top of page

17. six. On the order of Senate Bill, 2nd reading, Senate Bill

18. 590. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

19. SECRETARY:

20. Senate Bill 590.

21. (Secretary reads title of bill)

22. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II

23. offers three amendments.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Senator Buzbee.

26. SENATOR BUZBEE:

27. ...Mr. President, I think I'm going to defer to Senator

28. Grotberg on this. This was his amendment, and...

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Grotberg.

31. SENATOR GROTBORG:

32. Yes, thank you, Mr. President and members of the Senate.

33. Committee Amendment No. 1 is the amendment that I offered on
behalf of the Drug Program for their Residential Services, and

1. that the... to do something about the hardship daily rate that
2. is now being paid by the state for those residents. Ten years
3. ago, the state paid eight dollars and a half a day when it was
4. costing them ten dollars and a half a day to stay there, and
5. today the state is paying the equivalent of thirteen-fifty a
6. day when it is costing twenty-six dollars a day, so...they're
7. just bound to always be at least fifty percent off the cost
8. of actual reimbursement, and I've long been a proponent of
9. the state paying the full cost of such care, and with that in
10. mind, offered Amendment No. 1 for the amount of five hundred
11. thousand dollars to save the few units that we have to take
12. care of the Drug Residential Program people.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Grotberg's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
15. to Senate Bill 590. Senator Carroll.

16. SENATOR CARROLL:

17. Thank you, Mr. President, and Ladies and Gentlemen of
18. the Senate. When this was in Committee, the question was
19. asked of Senator Grotberg, if he would get a letter from Dr.
20. Mandeville, indicating his support of the five hundred thousand
21. of additional General Revenue to the Governor's budget. Senator
22. Regner asked if Senator..if Dr. Bob would not do it -would I?
23. Dr. Bob has indicated that he doesn't have any money available
24. for this program. He thought three percent was enough growth,
25. even though he's provided seven to ten percent for everyone else,
26. so forgive me for being a little bit late, Senator Grotberg,
27. but I will get you a letter from me, since Dr. Bob has said
28. that he doesn't want to fund this worthy program.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Grotberg's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
31. to Senate Bill 590. Any further discussion? If not, all in
32. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
33. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

SECRETARY:

1. Committee Amendment No. 2.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Buzbee.

4. SENATOR BUZBEE:

5. Thank you, Mr. President. This is an Operations reduction
6. of eighty-nine thousand five hundred dollars. It reflects
7. the seven-per-cent solution and the phase-in of a new
8. position...vacancies and no new car will be allowed. I ask
9. its adoption.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
12. No. 2 to Senate Bill 590. Is there any discussion? If not,
13. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
14. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

15. SECRETARY:

16. Committee Amendment No. 3.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Buzbee.

19. SENATOR BUZBEE:

20. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment breaks out the
21. lump-sum request for evaluation, and also breaks out the EDP
22. line. No dollar change. I ask its adoption.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Senator Buzbee's moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
25. ment No. 3 to Senate Bill 590. Is there discussion? If not,
26. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
27. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

28. SECRETARY:

29. No further Committee amendments.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Any amendments from the Floor.

32. SECRETARY:

33. No Floor amendments.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. 3rd reading. 659, Senator Demuzio. 669...On the order
3. of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 669. Read the bill,
4. Mr. Secretary.
5. SECRETARY:
6. Senate Bill 669.
7. (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
9. offers one amendment.
10. PRESIDENT:
11. Senator Carroll.
12. SENATOR CARROLL:
13. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
14. Senate. The results of the sub-committee that was conscientious,
15. hard-working, objective and prudent, had recommended the reduction
16. of eighty thousand dollars to bring them down to the FY-79
17. level of funding, and that committee had had its recommendation
18. adopted by the full committee, so on that behalf, I would ask
19. adoption of Amendment No. 1. I understand that the chairman
20. is vehemently opposed to the adoption of this amendment.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
23. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 669. All in favor signify by saying
24. Aye. All opposed. In the opinion of the Chair, the No's have
25. it. The amendment fails. Further amendments.
26. SECRETARY:
27. No further Committee amendments.
28. PRESIDENT:
29. Any amendments from the Floor?
30. SECRETARY:
31. No Floor amendments.
32. PRESIDENT:
33. 3rd reading. 708, Senator Sommer. On the order of Senate
Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 708. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

1. SECRETARY:
2. Senate Bill 708.
3. (Secretary reads title of bill)
4. 2nd reading of the bill. No Committee amendments.
5. PRESIDENT:
6. Any amendments from the Floor?
7. SECRETARY:
8. Floor Amendment No. 1, offered by Senator Sommer.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. Senator Sommer.
11. SENATOR SOMMER:
12. This amendment simply changes the figure from ten dollars
13. to forty dollars.
14. PRESIDENT:
15. Senator Sommer's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
16. to Senate Bill 708. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
17. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
18. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.
19. SECRETARY:
20. No further amendments.
21. PRESIDENT:
22. 3rd reading. 724, Senator Carroll. Middle of page six.
23. SENATOR CARROLL:
24. Yes, I'm sorry.
25. PRESIDENT:
26. On the order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 724.
27. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
28. SECRETARY:
29. Senate Bill 724.
30. (Secretary reads title of bill)
31. 2nd reading of the bill. No Committee amendments.
32. PRESIDENT:
33. Any amendments from the Floor?
SECRETARY:

1. No Floor amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. 3rd reading. 830, Senator Bloom. On the order of Senate
4. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 830. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

5. SECRETARY:

6. Senate Bill 830.

7. (Secretary reads title of bill)

8. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
9. offers one amendment.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. Senator Carroll.

12. SENATOR CARROLL:

13. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
14. Senate. After discussions with the new Chief Justice of that
15. august body, we offer a reduction amendment of thirty-eight
16. thousand seven hundred dollars. I would ask adoption of
17. Amendment No. 1.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
20. to Senate Bill 830. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
21. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
22. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments.

23. SECRETARY:

24. No further Committee amendments.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Any amendments from the Floor.

27. SECRETARY:

28. No Floor amendments.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. 3rd reading. 831 and 32, Senator...sponsor indicates
31. amendments are on the way. We'll just hold off on those. If
32. they get here today, we'll move them today, okay? 841. On
33. the order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 841. Read
the bill, Mr. Secretary.

1. SECRETARY:

2. Senate Bill 841.

3. (Secretary reads title of bill)

4. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
5. offers two amendments.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Senator Carroll.

8. SENATOR CARROLL:

9. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
10. Senate. As..at the request of the Comptroller of the State
11. of Illinois, we have offered Committee Amendment No. 1 to
12. provide for the seven-per-cent solution. I would ask adoption
13. of Committee Amendment No. 1.

14. PRESIDENT:

15. Senator Carroll's moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
16. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 841. Is there any discussion? If
17. not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
18. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

19. SECRETARY:

20. Committee Amendment No. 2.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Carroll.

23. SENATOR CARROLL:

24. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the
25. Senate. This reduces the appropriation to eliminate the Secretary
26. of the Racing Board, which is included in the Racing Board's
27. FY-80 request. I would ask adoption of Amendment No. 2.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll's moved adoption of Amendment..Committee
30. Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 841. Is there any discussion?
31. If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
32. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

33. SECRETARY:

No further Committee amendments.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. Any amendments from the Floor?

3. SECRETARY:

4. No Floor amendments.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. 3rd reading. On the order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
7. Senate Bill 864. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

8. SECRETARY:

9. Senate Bill 864.

10. (Secretary reads title of bill)

11. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
12. offers two amendments.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Carroll.

15. SENATOR CARROLL:

16. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
17. Senate. I would ask to Table, having voted on the prevailing
18. side, I would ask to Table Amendment No. 1. This was a reduction
19. amendment to provide for turnover and hiring lag within the
20. offices of the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State had
21. reduced his Operating budget, in excess of one million three
22. hundred thousand dollars from last year's budget. I think his
23. fiscal officer did not understand the questioning in committee,
24. which was what did they use for a turnover and hiring lag. I
25. have received both a letter from the Secretary of State and from
26. ✓ their liaison, giving us the exact figures on the turnover and
27. hiring lag that they had in fact used before they had introduced
28. their budget, which was one of the reasons why his Operating bud-
29. get, the only Operating budget in state government, came in
30. under the FY-79 request, and therefore, our amendment would
31. be incorrect, and I would ask to Table Amendment No. 1.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Carroll's moved to Table Committee Amendment No.
1 to Senate Bill 864. All in favor signify by saying Aye. Senator

1. Johns, did you wish to discuss this?

2. SENATOR JOHNS:

3. No.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. All in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The

6. Ayes have it. The amendment is Tabled. Further amendments.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Committee Amendment No. 2.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Johns, for what purpose do you rise?

11. SENATOR JOHNS:

12. Point of Personal Privilege.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Yes, sir.

15. SENATOR JOHNS:

16. I have the Eighth Grade class from Johnson City from St.

17. Paul School, Mr. President, in the gallery behind me, and I'd

18. like for them to stand and be recognized. Mrs. Vivien O'Laughlin,

19. she's with them, and I'd like them to be recognized.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Will our guests please stand and be recognized.

22. SENATOR JOHNS:

23. They're of your faith, Mr. President.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Amendment No. 2, Senator Carroll.

26. SENATOR CARROLL:

27. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the

28. Senate. This is a technical amendment to change the name of

29. the source of funding, and I would ask adoption of Amendment No.

30. 2. It's a federal Library Services Fund.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Carroll's moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2

33. to Senate Bill 864. Is there any discussion? If not, all in

favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.

1. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments.

2. SECRETARY:

3. No further Committee amendments.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Any amendments from the Floor?

6. SECRETARY:

7. No Floor amendments.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. 3rd reading. 870, Senator Newhouse. On the order of

10. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 870. Read the bill,

11. Mr. Secretary.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Senate Bill 870.

14. (Secretary reads title of bill)

15. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health, Welfare

16. and Corrections offers one amendment.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Senator Newhouse.

19. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

20. Thank you, Mr. President. Mr. President, there was brought

21. to our attention by staff and by the County Board that in the

22. last draft of the bill, all the changes that should have been made

23. in Section 12 were removed, and this amendment simply puts that

24. section back into the bill, and I would ask its adoption.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Senator Newhouse has moved the adoption of Committee Amendment

27. No. 1 to Senate Bill 870. Is there any discussion? If not, all

28. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.

29. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments.

30. SECRETARY:

31. No further Committee amendments.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Any amendments from the Floor?

SECRETARY:

1. No Floor amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. 3rd reading. 872, Senator Newhouse. Request for a fiscal
4. note on 872, which has not yet been filed, I understand. 884. On
5. the order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 884. Read
6. the bill, Mr. Secretary.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Senate Bill 884.

9. (Secretary reads title of bill)

10. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
11. offers one amendment.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Buzbee.

14. SENATOR BUZBEE:

15. Thank you, Mr. President. This amendment does two things.
16. It makes the appropriation to the Department of Public Health
17. rather than to the Department of Children and Family Services.
18. The substantive bill has also been ~~amended to~~ incorporate this
19. change. And the second thing is, it makes the bill effective
20. July 1, rather than immediately to allow the expenditure funds
21. through FY-80, and I would ask its adoption.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Buzbee moved the adoption of Committee Amendment
24. No. 1 to Senate Bill 884. Is there any discussion? If not, all
25. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
26. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments.

27. SECRETARY:

28. No further Committee amendments.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Any amendments from the Floor?

31. SECRETARY:

32. No Floor amendments.

33. PRESIDENT:

3rd reading. 888, Senator Keats. Read the bill, Mr...On the

1. order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 888. Read the
2. bill, Mr. Secretary.
3. SECRETARY:
4. Senate Bill 888.
5. (Secretary reads title of bill)
6. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Labor and Commerce offers
7. one amendment.
8. PRESIDENT:
9. Senator Keats.
10. SENATOR KEATS:
11. Mr. President, I would not like the amendment on the bill,
12. so the procedure of the amendment must be presented.
13. PRESIDENT:
14. All right. Senator Maragos.
15. SENATOR MARAGOS:
16. What are we doing with this amendment? Senator Lemke, who
17. is the sponsor of that amendment is not on the Floor at this
18. time. I think as a courtesy, we should have him on board before
19. we do anything with this amendment.
20. PRESIDENT:
21. Do you wish this taken out of the record?
22. SENATOR KEATS:
23. Wait a minute, Mr. President...
24. PRESIDENT:
25. All right. I'm asking a question.
26. SENATOR KEATS:
27. Two things, Mr. President. Number one, it isn't Senator
28. Lemke's amendment. It's a Committee amendment, and number 2,
29. he's well aware I've held the bill once in committee and once
30. on the Floor out of courtesy to people who were opposed to the
31. bill. I feel no need to extend a third halt.
32. PRESIDENT:
33. Senator Maragos.
SENATOR MARAGOS:

1. Well...Mr...Senator Lemke's in the area, because he was
2. just here a few minutes ago, and I don't know what's the
3. great hurry with this bill at this time. I think we should
4. discuss it fully before anything takes place. Can you find him?
5. Can you find Lemke?

6. PRESIDENT:

7. All right. Senator Keats, what's your pleasure?

8. SENATOR KEATS:

9. I move we Table the Committee amendment, and I feel no need to
10. wait.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Keats's moved to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
13. to Senate Bill 888. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
14. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. Roll call has been
15. requested. The motion is to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
16. to Senate Bill 888. Those in favor of the motion to Table will
17. vote Aye. Those opposed will vote Nay. Senator Buzbee, for
18. what purpose do you rise?

19. SENATOR BUZBEE:

20. Mr. President, I realize our rules say there will be no
21. discussion on the Tabling the amendment. However, I'm one
22. of those folks who has received a lot of phone calls saying
23. I want you to do something on this bill, and I want you to do
24. something with the Lemke amendment, and I've already made my
25. commitment on the bill, but I haven't made any commitment on
26. the amendment, and I don't know what the amendment does, and
27. I would like to have an explanation.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. The motion is to Table Committee Amendment No. 1 on Senate
30. Bill 888. Those in favor of the motion to Table will vote Aye.
31. Those opposed will vote Nay. The voting is open. Have all
32. voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On
33. that question, the Ayes are 32, the Nays are 11, one voting Present.
The motion prevails. Committee Amendment No. 1 is Tabled. Further

1. amendments?

2. SECRETARY:

3. No further amendments.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Any amendments from the Floor?

6. SECRETARY:

7. No Floor amendments.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. 3rd reading. Yes, Senator Newhouse, for what purpose

10. do you rise?

11. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

12. Mr. President, I just want to aprise the Body of an error

13. on Senate Bill 870. I asked for...you called the Committee

14. amendment. I explained rather an amendment that we had agreed

15. to put on, and not the Committee amendment. Now, we've adopted

16. the Committee amendment. At some point, I want to bring it

17. back to adopt the amendment that I just described. Now, may I

18. just briefly aprise the Body of what we just did?

19. PRESIDENT:

20. All right. With leave of the Body, we'll go to the order

21. of Senate Bills, 3rd reading, Senate Bill 870, Senator...seeks

22. leave of the Body to return the bill again to 2nd reading for

23. the purpose of an amendment. Is leave granted?

24. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

25. Thank you, Mr. President.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Leave is granted. On the order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,

28. Senate Bill 870. Mr. Secretary. Is the amendmant on the Secretary's

29. desk?

30. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

31. Mr. President, the amendment...that we adopted, I'd just

32. like the Body to know, simply tightens up the controls on the

33. Commission with reference to the spending, so I think that that

...it's a good amendment, and I think you would...it would have

1. normally been adopted. The amendment that I explained pre-
2. viously is Amendment No. 2, which...clears up an error in...

3. PRESIDENT:

4. We don't have it. What I'm suggesting is that there's
5. physically nothing here.

6. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

7. Yes.

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1. PRESIDENT:

2. Mr. Secretary.

3. SECRETARY:

4. ...Floor Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Newhouse.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Newhouse.

7. SENATOR NEWHOUSE:

8. Thank you, Mr. President and Senators. This is...this is
9. the amendment I explained previously. It comes from the county
10. board and it came from staff and it's been cleared. It simply
11. clears up...it...it puts back...it puts back in a section that
12. we deleted by error. That's all it does. I move its adoption.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Newhouse has moved for the adoption of Amendment
15. No. 2 to Senate Bill 870. Is there any disucssion? If not,
16. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
17. have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

18. SECRETARY:

19. No further amendments.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. 3rd reading. 908, Senator Carroll. On the Order of Senate
22. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 908. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Senate Bill 908.

25. (Secretary reads title of bill)

26. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I offers
27. two amendments.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll.

30. SENATOR CARROLL:

31. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
32. Senate. Committee Amendment No. 1 was the seven percent solution.
33. It is corrected slightly in a later amendment because as with

1. other constitutional officers their forms were slightly off.
2. I would move at this time adoption of Committee Amendment No. 1.
3. PRESIDENT:
4. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
5. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 908. Is there any discussion? If not,
6. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
7. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
8. SECRETARY:
9. Committee Amendment No. 2.
10. PRESIDENT:
11. Senator Carroll.
12. SENATOR CARROLL:
13. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
14. Senate. Committee Amendment No. 2 breaks out the research section.
15. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 2.
16. PRESIDENT:
17. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
18. ment No. 2 to Senate Bill 908. Is there any discussion? If not,
19. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
20. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?
21. SECRETARY:
22. No further committee amendments.
23. PRESIDENT:
24. Any amendments from the Floor?
25. SECRETARY:
26. Floor Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Regner.
27. PRESIDENT:
28. Senator Regner.
29. SENATOR REGNER:
30. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. Each year
31. what happens the Bureau of the Budget submits the appropriation
32. for the Judiciary systems, all GR money and then a request is
33. made, the amendment goes on to partially fund it out of the Road

1. Fund. This is their amendment. I feel that since they were
2. initially...had the bill introduced all GR money should stay
3. that way and I now withdraw Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 908.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Amendment No. 3 has been withdrawn. Further amendments?

6. SECRETARY:

7. Amendment No. 3, Floor Amendment, Senator Carroll.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Carroll.

10. SENATOR CARROLL:

11. Thank you, Mr. President. This adds back some twenty-
12. one thousand dollars to correct the overadjustment in the
13. seven percent solution. They had computed in some turnover
14. in hiring lag and I would move adoption of Amendment No. 3.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
17. to Senate Bill 908. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
18. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
19. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

20. SECRETARY:

21. No further amendments.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. 3rd reading. Senator Regner on 911. Middle of page 7.
24. 931, Senator Berman. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading.
25. Senate Bill 937. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

26. SECRETARY:

27. Senate Bill 937.

28. (Secretary reads title of bill)

29. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
30. offers one amendment.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Carroll.

33. SENATOR CARROLL:

1. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
2. Senate. This is reducing the financial management systems to
3. a half a year's funding. There's been some problems with the
4. integration of that system into our operations. It was felt
5. that rather than waste money, let's try it over the Summer and
6. see if it works. If it does then we'll appropriate the rest
7. later. If not, let's cut it off then and come up with a
8. better system. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee Amend-
11. ment No. 1 to Senate Bill 937. Is there any discussion? If not,
12. all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes
13. have it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

14. SECRETARY:

15. No further committee amendments.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Any amendments from the Floor?

18. SECRETARY:

19. Floor Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Schaffer.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Schaffer.

22. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

23. Mr. President, this amendment deletes two words on page 2.
24. The practical effect if it would be allow individual members
25. under the four days and two trips...two nights allowance per
26. month, to, in fact, collect expenses when the weeks we were in
27. Session. The situation comes to mind, a week from next Monday,
28. we are not in, but on Tuesday we're in at 10:00 a.m. Those
29. of us who live in the far corners are virtually forced to come
30. down here on Monday and...you know...are not entitled to draw
31. any expenses. I don't think there's much fiscal implication.
32. I've talked to Secretary Wright. His office indicates that it...
33. it causes no great problem for them and I checked the appropriation

1. and I believe we could live very easily within it. I might
2. also add it would end the necessity to call Perfunctory Sessions
3. just to make sure people are here bright and early the next
4. morning.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Schaffer has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
7. to Senate Bill 937. Any discussion? Senator Carroll.

8. SENATOR CARROLL:

9. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
10. Senate. I oppose this payraise amendment. The purpose of this
11. particular account was to provide some monies when we are not
12. in Session for members who have to come down to take care of
13. legislative business in the State's Capitol during those weeks
14. when we are not in Session. It...it, therefore, provides for
15. their travel and their overnight stay on a very limited basis
16. during that period of time. When we are in Session we are
17. already paid travel. We are already paid per diem for each and
18. every day the General Assembly is in Session on legislative
19. business. This is not a merely amendment. It allows some people
20. who like to stay around here and they're more than welcome to
21. do that to be paid for those days during the weeks when we are
22. in Session for not going back to their districts. It allows
23. them to pick up a few bucks and is, in a sense, a payraise. I
24. don't think that was ever the purpose of having this provision
25. in. It was to take care of the Summer hiatus or the Winter
26. hiatus when we are not in Session to allow members to come down.
27. I think this would be a terrible change and I would oppose it at
28. this time.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Further discussion? If not, Senator Schaffer moves the
31. adoption of Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 937. Those...yes,
32. Senator Schaffer.

33. SENATOR SCHAFFER:

1. Well, I'd like to say that it was never intended to have
2. that interpretation. I'm sorry that Senator Carroll has chosen
3. that. It just so happens, Senator Carroll, that some of us who
4. do live on the far fringes are, unfortunately, because of the
5. way this Body is scheduled, which occasionally, we get the
6. impressions, scheduled for the convenience of certain air
7. flights out of the City of Chicago. It is a problem for us
8. and we...this is an attempt to respond to that problem. I
9. would respectfully request those people who wish to help us,
10. to help us, if not, fine.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Schaffer has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2
13. to Senate Bill 937. All those in favor signify by saying Aye.
14. All those opposed. In the opinion of the Chair the Noes have
15. it. The amendment fails. Further amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. No further amendments.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. 3rd reading. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
20. Senate Bill 938. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

21. SECRETARY:

22. Senate Bill 938.

23. (Secretary reads title of bill)

24. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

25. PRESIDENT:

26. Any amendments from the Floor?

27. SECRETARY:

28. No Floor amendments.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. 3rd reading. 939, Senator Gitz. On the Order of Senate
31. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 939. Read the bill, Mr.
32. Secretary.

33. SECRETARY:

1. Senate Bill 939.

2. (Secretary reads title of bill)

3. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Any amendments from the Floor?

6. SECRETARY:

7. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Gitz.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. Senator Gitz.

10. SENATOR GITZ:

11. Thank you, Mr. President. In the Agricultural Committee

12. this amendment was suggested as a condition of the bill being

13. moved out of committee. This bill creates agricultural

14. districting through an advisory process. There were eminent

15. domain provisions in the original bill. Those were objected

16. to by the Electrical Cooperatives and numerous other public

17. agencies that would be affected. This amendment was drafted

18. through their cooperation and meets with their cooperation

19. and the chairman of the committee and I move its adoption.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Gitz has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1

22. to Senate Bill 939. Is there any discussion? If not, all

23. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have

24. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

25. SECRETARY:

26. No further amendments.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. 3rd reading. 940, Senator Maragos. On the Order of

29. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 940. Senator Grotberg,

30. for what purpose do you arise?

31. SENATOR GROTBORG:

32. Well, Mr. President, I rise on a point of personal

33. privilege.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. State your point, Sir.

3. SENATOR GROTBORG:

4. I have just been informed of a most disturbing event and
5. I think it should be brought to the attention of this Body. It
6. has to do with religion and national origin and all of those
7. things that we all hate to talk about, but as a Methodist
8. Norwegian married to a German Lutheran and my first grandchild's
9. name is Benjamin David Weinberg, I've been trying to figure
10. out what happens to our society. Now, I am duly informed that
11. last night, due to circumstances beyond his control, that our
12. distinguished Minority Leader, Senator Shapiro, was brought his
13. first grandson named Michael Angelo Pontichelli. This same
14. man who votes against the Arts Council and all of the things
15. in the finer side of life that we all stand for, he stands
16. alone with a grandchild named Michael Angelo and I think the
17. record should show that this Senate objects to such double
18. value system that would reside in our distinguished Minority
19. Leader, David Shapiro.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Yes, Senator Bloom.

22. SENATOR BLOOM:

23. I rise on a point of personal privilege.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. State your point, Sir.

26. SENATOR BLOOM:

27. Seated in the South gallery, is the Chairman of the
28. Republican Central Committee of Peoria County and I wonder if
29. Mrs. Camille Gibson would rise and be recognized by the Body.

30. PRESIDENT:

31. Will our guest please rise and be recognized. All right.

32. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 940.

33. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

1. SECRETARY:
2. Senate Bill 940.
3. (Secretary reads title of bill)
4. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
5. PRESIDENT:
6. Any amendments from the Floor?
7. SECRETARY:
8. No Floor amendments.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. 3rd reading. 1038. At the top of page 8, we are beginning
11. to see the light at the end of the tunnel. Top of page 8, 1038,
12. Senator Buzbee. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
13. Senate Bill 1038. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
14. SECRETARY:
15. Senate Bill 1038.
16. (Secretary reads title of bill)
17. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Revenue offers one
18. amendment.
19. PRESIDENT:
20. Senator Buzbee.
21. SENATOR BUZBEE:
22. Mr. President, I'm going to defer to Senator Netsch for
23. the explanation of this amendment.
24. PRESIDENT:
25. Senator Netsch. We are...we are waiting with bated breath.
26. SENATOR NETSCH:
27. I've been waiting for that moment for all of my seven
28. years down here. Right. All right. Down to business, Gentlemen.
29. Now, the amendment...the bill has to do with tax preparers. It
30. is one of the Mirage series. The amendment really is...well,
31. it's not just technical, but it makes clear those people who
32. are, indeed, to be required to sign and then be criminally
33. responsible for fraudulent activity in connection with the

1. preparation of tax returns. The amendment incorporates all
2. of the suggestions that were made to us by the Department of
3. Revenue and it also incorporates a provision that was requested
4. of us by some of the people who are here on behalf of H & R
5. Block and some of the other taxpayers or tax preparers. They
6. said that they thought that...only fair that there be a scienter
7. provision in the amendment and I...we fully agree so that that
8. has now been incorporated in the department's amendment. I
9. would, therefore, move the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to
10. Senate Bill 1038.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Netsch has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
13. to Senate Bill 1038. Is there discussion? If not, all in
14. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
15. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. No further committee amendments.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. Any amendments from the Floor?

20. SECRETARY:

21. Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Netsch.

22. PRESIDENT:

23. Senator Netsch. All right. Take it out of the record, Mr.
24. Secretary. 1045, Senator Philip. On the Order of Senate Bills,
25. 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1045. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

26. SECRETARY:

27. ...Senate Bill 1045..

28. (Secretary reads title of bill)

29. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations II
30. offers two amendments...

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator...

33. SECRETARY:

...Appropriations I. I'm sorry.

1. PRESIDENT:

2. ...Senator Carroll.

3. SENATOR CARROLL:

4. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
5. Senate. Amendment No. 1 is a technical correction amendment
6. to connect the body of the bill and the cover. There had been
7. a mistake on two of Senator Philip's bills when they came up
8. from the Reference Bureau. They had the cover page on one bill
9. and the body of the other, so this just puts into the bill
10. what he had intended to be in the bill and I would move adoption
11. of Amendment No. 1.

12. PRESIDENT:

13. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Committee
14. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1045. Is there any discussion?
15. If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The
16. Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

17. SECRETARY:

18. Committee Amendment No. 2.

19. PRESIDENT:

20. Senator Carroll.

21. SENATOR CARROLL:

22. Thank you, Mr. President. I would move to Table Committee
23. Amendment No. 2. It was technically incorrect. We have a
24. Floor amendment to make the correction. I would move to Table,
25. therefore, Committee Amendment No. 2.

26. PRESIDENT:

27. Just put 2 on the board. Senator Carroll moves to Table
28. Committee Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill 1045. Is there any
29. discussion? If not, all in favor signify by saying Aye. All
30. opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is Tabled. Further
31. amendments?

32. SECRETARY:

33. No further committee amendments.

1. PRESIDENT:
2. Any amendments from the Floor?
3. SECRETARY:
4. Floor Amendment No. 3 by Senator Carroll.
5. PRESIDENT:
6. Senator Carroll.
7. SENATOR CARROLL:
8. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
9. Senate. This is the seven percent solution. I would move
10. adoption of Amendment No. 3.
11. PRESIDENT:
12. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 3
13. to Senate Bill 1045. Is there any discussion? If not, all
14. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
15. it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?
16. SECRETARY:
17. No further amendments.
18. PRESIDENT:
19. 3rd reading. 1081, Senator Rupp. 1087, Senator Demuzio.
20. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1087.
21. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
22. SECRETARY:
23. Senate Bill 1087.
24. (Secretary reads title of bill)
25. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
26. PRESIDENT:
27. Any amendments from the Floor?
28. SECRETARY:
29. No Floor amendments.
30. PRESIDENT:
31. 3rd reading. 110...Senator Demuzio.
32. SENATOR DEMUZIO:
33. Yes, thank you, Mr. President. On Senate Bill 1087 it's

1. my understanding that there are a couple of bills that are
2. either coming over from the House or have arrived here in
3. the Senate that deal with this same subject matter and I'd
4. like to move the bill to 3rd, which you've already done with
5. the idea that it will be brought back for a future amendment.
6. Thank you.

7. PRESIDENT:

8. 1105, Senator Keats. Senator Shapiro. How about 1105?
9. Middle of page 8. All right. On the Order of Senate Bills,
10. 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1105. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

11. SECRETARY:

12. Senate Bill 1105.

13. (Secretary reads title of bill)

14. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
15. offers one amendment.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. Senator Carroll.

18. SENATOR CARROLL:

19. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
20. Senate. This is to change the source of funding from the
21. Metropolitan Exposition...Auditorium and Office Building Fund
22. rather than General Revenue. Kenny, I'm getting the same
23. problems you have. I would move adoption of Amendment No. 1.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1
26. to Senate Bill 1105. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
27. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.

28. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

29. SECRETARY:

30. No further amendments...no further committee amendments.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Any amendments from the Floor?

33. SECRETARY:

1. No Floor amendments.
2. PRESIDENT:
3. 3rd reading. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
4. Senate Bill 1111. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
5. SECRETARY:
6. Senate Bill 1111.
7. (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. Any amendments from the Floor?
11. SECRETARY:
12. No Floor amendments.
13. PRESIDENT:
14. 3rd reading. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading,
15. Senate Bill 1112. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
16. SECRETARY:
17. Senate Bill 1112.
18. (Secretary reads title of bill)
19. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
20. PRESIDENT:
21. Any amendments from the Floor?
22. SECRETARY:
23. No Floor amendments.
24. PRESIDENT:
25. 3rd reading. 1119, Senator Buzbee. On the Order of
26. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1119. Read the bill,
27. Mr. Secretary.
28. SECRETARY:
29. Senate Bill 1119.
30. (Secretary reads title of bill)
31. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Agriculture, Conservation
32. and Energy offers one amendment.
33. PRESIDENT:

1. Senator Buzbee.

2. SECRETARY:

3. All it does, Senator Buzbee, it says thereby surface
4. mining methods and on line 33 by deleting lands and...and
5. and land.

6. SENATOR BUZBEE:

7. Yes, this is a...a semitechnical amendment. It...it
8. deletes the word "lands" and just inserts the word "land" and
9. the other thing it does is it clarifies that we're talking
10. about surface mining only. I would move its adoption.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Senator Buzbee moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1
13. to Senate Bill 1119. Is there any discussion? If not, all
14. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
15. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

16. SECRETARY:

17. No further committee amendments.

18. PRESIDENT:

19. 3rd reading. 1180, Senator Bloom. 1254, Senator Demuzio.
20. 1272, Senator Carroll. On the Order...top of page 9 on the
21. Calendar. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate
22. Bill 1272. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

23. SECRETARY:

24. Senate Bill 1272.

25. (Secretary reads title of bill)

26. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments...or the
27. Committee on Appropriations offers one amendment.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Carroll.

30. SENATOR CARROLL:

31. Thank you, Mr. President and Mr. Secretary and Ladies and
32. Gentlemen of the Senate. This amendment is to add those awards
33. that they should have known would have been available for

1. introduction had they realized in the Court of Claims that we
2. had a deadline for introduction of bills. I would move adoption
3. of Amendment No. 1.

4. PRESIDENT:

5. Senator Carroll moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to
6. Senate Bill 1272. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
7. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
8. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

9. SECRETARY:

10. No further committee amendments.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Any amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No Floor amendments.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. 3rd reading. 1298, Senator Rhoads. On the Order of Senate
17. Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1298. Read the bill, Mr.
18. Secretary.

19. SECRETARY:

20. Senate Bill 1298.

21. (Secretary reads title of bill)

22. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

23. PRESIDENT:

24. Any amendments from the Floor?

25. SECRETARY:

26. No Floor amendments.

27. PRESIDENT:

28. 3rd reading. Senator Rhoads.

29. SENATOR RHOADS:

30. Just with an explanation on that bill, I did meet with the
31. Deputy Cook County Assessor yesterday and they have no opposition
32. to the bill now.

33. PRESIDENT:

1. 1306, Senator Lemke. 1338. 1350, Senator Bloom. On the
2. Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1350. Read
3. the bill, Mr. Secretary.
4. SECRETARY:
5. Senate Bill 1350.
6. (Secretary reads title of bill)
7. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Agriculture, Conservation
8. and Energy offers one amendment.
9. PRESIDENT:
10. Senator Bloom.
11. SENATOR BLOOM:
12. Yeah. Thank you. That was the amendment I put on in the
13. committee and at the proper time I'd move to Table it and
14. substitute an amendment that the subcommittee recommended.
15. PRESIDENT:
16. Senator Bloom moves to Table Committee Amendment No. 1
17. to Senate Bill 1350. Is there any discussion? If not, all
18. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
19. it. The amendment is Tabled. Further amendments?
20. SECRETARY:
21. No further committee amendments.
22. PRESIDENT:
23. Any amendments from the Floor?
24. SECRETARY:
25. Floor Amendment No. 2 offered by Senator Bloom.
26. PRESIDENT:
27. Senator Bloom.
28. SENATOR BLOOM:
29. Thank you, Mr. President and fellow Senators. This amend-
30. ment keeps a cap on their bonding authority but raises it as
31. per the recommendation of the subcommittee. It expands their
32. ability to finance environmental facilities to include strip
33. mining and land...reclamation and it puts the agency back into

1. the appropriation process. I would move its adoption.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. Senator Bloom moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to

4. Senate Bill 1350. Is there any discussion? If not, all in

5. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.

6. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

7. SECRETARY:

8. No further amendments.

9. PRESIDENT:

10. 3rd reading. 1359, Senator Nimrod. On the Order of

11. Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1359. Read the bill,

12. Mr. Secretary.

13. SECRETARY:

14. Senate Bill 1359.

15. (Secretary reads title of bill)

16. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

17. PRESIDENT:

18. Any amendments from the Floor?

19. SECRETARY:

20. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Nimrod.

21. PRESIDENT:

22. Senator Nimrod.

23. SENATOR NIMROD:

24. Yes, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.

25. Amendment No. 1 is in agreement with Senator Lemke and Senator

26. Rhoads. What it does is we had...I had three bills and they

27. were allowing me to amend the bills into one and what this

28. amendment does, in fact, is...it further clarifies the objections

29. to petition certificates that are filed for vacancies in

30. nominations and I would move for the adoption.

31. PRESIDENT:

32. Senator Nimrod moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to

33. Senate Bill 1359. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor

1. signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The
2. amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

3. SECRETARY:

4. Floor Amendment No. 2 by Senator Nimrod.

5. PRESIDENT:

6. Senator Nimrod.

7. SENATOR NIMROD:

8. Amendment No. 2, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen
9. of the Senate, is to conform with the requirements for the
10. State Board of Elections that have to do with the new Election
11. Code and brings them in line with that...propositions by
12. referendum and I'd move for the adoption of Amendment No. 2.

13. PRESIDENT:

14. Senator Nimrod moves the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to
15. Senate Bill 1359. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
16. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
17. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

18. SECRETARY:

19. Floor Amendment No. 3 offered by Senator Philip.

20. PRESIDENT:

21. Senator Philip.

22. SENATOR PHILIP:

23. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
24. Senate. Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill 1359...under the Election
25. Code now, it's not clear whether a man indicted and convicted
26. could run for party office. This would prevent him from running
27. for party office.

28. PRESIDENT:

29. Senator Philip moves the adoption of Amendment No. 3 to
30. Senate Bill 1359. Is there any discussion? If not, all in
31. favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it.
32. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

33. SECRETARY:

1. No further amendments.

2. PRESIDENT:

3. 3rd reading. 1391. There's been a request for a fiscal

4. note, which has not yet been filed. 1394, Senator McMillan.

5. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1394.

6. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

7. SECRETARY:

8. Senate Bill 1394.

9. (Secretary reads title of bill)

10. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

11. PRESIDENT:

12. Any amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. Floor Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator McMillan.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Senator McMillan.

17. SENATOR McMILLAN:

18. The purpose of 1394 was to allow sanitary districts that

19. are basically in rural areas to form waste water disposal zones,

20. which would enable them to receive EPA and other grants with

21. regard to the waste water disposal. The bill was not very

22. well drawn because it didn't differentiate between such zones

23. and between such districts and those that are a part of

24. municipalities. So what this amendment does is make it clear

25. that we're talking about the kind of sanitary district that is

26. organized and is...has its boundaries, at least, one and a

27. half miles from the boundaries of...of municipalities. I think

28. this will take care of the objections, which the Municipal

29. League had and then will put the bill in the...the form that I

30. intended it and in a form where we can argue about it on its

31. merits at a later time. I would move adoption.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator McMillan has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1

1. to Senate Bill 1394. Is there any discussion? If not, all
2. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
3. it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

4. SECRETARY:

5. No further amendments.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. 1396, Senator Maragos. On the Order of...I beg your
8. pardon. 3rd reading. Senator Nimrod, for what purpose do
9. you arise?

10. SENATOR NIMROD:

11. Yeah, Mr. President, just a clarification point on 1359
12. Amendment 3 was put on and I want you to know that I did not
13. support this amendment and my agreement was that I would put
14. these two amendments on and the bill is on. I just want that
15. into the record so it's there for clarification. Thank you.

16. PRESIDENT:

17. On the Order of Senate Bills, 2nd reading, Senate Bill 1396.
18. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

19. SECRETARY:

20. Senate Bill 1396.

21. (Secretary reads title of bill)

22. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Appropriations I
23. offers one amendment.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Senator Carroll.

26. SENATOR CARROLL:

27. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
28. Senate. This would change it from an appropriation to the
29. State Board of Elections to an appropriation to the Comptroller
30. for the State Board of Elections. I would move adoption of
31. Amendment No. 1.

32. PRESIDENT:

33. Senator Carroll moves the adoption of...Amendment No. 1

1. to Senate Bill 1396. Is there any discussion? If not, all
2. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
3. it. The amendment is adopted. Any further amendments?

4. SECRETARY:

5. No further committee amendments.

6. PRESIDENT:

7. Any amendments from the Floor?

8. SECRETARY:

9. No Floor amendments.

10. PRESIDENT:

11. 3rd reading. Resolutions. Senator Berning, for what
12. purpose do you arise?

13. SENATOR BERNING:

14. Thank you, Mr. President, I had mentioned to you the
15. willingness of the Senate sponsor, Senator Netsch, to recall
16. Senate...312 from...

17. PRESIDENT:

18. We...we have a number of requests for recall that...I
19. think we'd be better advised to wait till Monday for those.

20. SENATOR BERNING:

21. I...I will defer, but it was my understanding because it
22. had moved today that you wanted to do it...to complete it
23. today.

24. PRESIDENT:

25. Resolutions.

26. SECRETARY:

27. No objections, Mr. President, has been filed...on the
28. Resolutions Consent Calendar.

29. PRESIDENT:

30. Senator Graham's objection had been noted. He was...had
31. failed to be listed as the Senate sponsor of House Joint
32. Resolution 50. That has been corrected. No further objections,
33. Senator Bruce moves the adoption of Senate Resolutions 165, 166,

1. 167, 168, 169, 170, 171. Senate Joint Resolution 49. House
2. Joint Resolution 50 and House Joint Resolution 55. All those
3. in favor signify by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have
4. it. The resolutions are adopted. Any further business to come
5. before the Senate? Senator Philip.

6. SENATOR PHILIP:

7. Thank you, Mr. President. An announcement.

8. PRESIDENT:

9. You are in order.

10. SENATOR PHILIP:

11. Thank you, Mr. President. Remind the baseball players
12. next week we have a practice once again, Tuesday, May 22nd,
13. same time, same place, so everybody remember to bring their
14. gear.

15. PRESIDENT:

16. Any further business or further announcements? If not,
17. Senator Donnewald moves that the Senate stand adjourned until
18. Monday, May 21, at the hour of noon. The Senate stands
19. adjourned.

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