

STATE OF ILLINOIS
88TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION
SENATE TRANSCRIPT

24th Legislative Day

November 4, 1993

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

The First Special Session will come to order. Reading of the Journal, Mr. Secretary. Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that reading and approval of the Journal of Wednesday, November 3rd, in the year 1993, be postponed, pending arrival of the printed Journal.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR WEAVER)

...(microphone cutoff)...heard the motion. Without objection, so ordered. The First Special Session will stand in recess at the call of the Chair.

(SENATE STANDS IN RECESS)

(REGULAR SESSION CONVENES)

(See Regular Session Transcript)

(SENATE RECONVENES)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Special Session will come to order. Reading of the Journal -- or, 2nd Reading. On the last page of your Calendar is House Bill 730. Senator Watson. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 730.

(Secretary read title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

3rd Reading. Resolutions.

SECRETARY HARRY:

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Senate Joint Resolution 4, offered by Senator Weaver.

(Secretary reads SJR No. 4)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Weaver.

SENATOR WEAVER:

Thank you, Madam President. I'd move for the suspension of the rules for the immediate consideration and adoption of Senate Resolution No. -- SJR 4.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Weaver moves to suspend the rules for the purpose of the immediate consideration and adoption of Senate Joint Resolution No. 4. Those in favor will vote Aye -- or, say Aye. Those opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it. The rules are suspended. Now Senator Weaver moves for the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution. Those in favor, say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it. Resolution is adopted. Any further business to come before the Special Session? If not -- Senator Demuzio, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Let me -- point of clarification. Are we -- are we now in the Special Session or the Regular Session?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Special Session, Senator Demuzio.

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Well, we are not adjourning till January the 12th then, are we? Are we -- are we not adopting the wrong resolution?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

That's Monday, November 12th. Monday, November the 8th.

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Wait a second.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

Senator Demuzio.

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SENATOR DEMUZIO:

Well, that is the Special Session that calls for us to come back on November the 4th. Are we now in the Special Session?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

I indicated that when your first question, Senator Demuzio.

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

We are in the Special... Well, it's hard for us to keep track of what's going on around here.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

If you'd...

SENATOR DEMUZIO:

So we are coming back then on -- on Thursday. I'm sorry. When we adjourn -- November -- Monday, November the 8th, at the hour of -- of 10 o'clock. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

If there is no further business to come before the Special Session -- Senator Raica, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR RAICA:

Is that a perfunctory Session, Madam President? Because what Senator Demuzio was stating is that we are physically going to be present here at 10 a.m., and I think that's incorrect.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

No, Senator, they are all perfunctory Sessions until the President of the Senate calls for us to return to the Senate Chambers. Senator Raica.

SENATOR RAICA:

Madam President, so all I'm saying then -- I am -- I am correct, then, in assuming that we are in perfunctory Session at 10 a.m. That does not require us to be here; however, if the President feels a need for us to be here, we will be here. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR DONAHUE)

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That is correct, Senator. If there is no other business to come before the Special Session, the Senate stands adjourned until November 8th, Monday, at 10 a.m. Senate stands -- Special Session stands adjourned.

(REGULAR SESSION RECONVENES)

(See Regular Session Transcript)

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