

83RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

MAY 9, 1984

PRESIDENT:

The Senate will please come to order. Will the members be at their desks and will our guests in the gallery please rise. Prayer this afternoon by the Reverend Anthony Tzortzis, St. Anthony's Hellenic Orthodox Church, Springfield, Illinois.

REVEREND TZORTZIS:

(Prayer given by Reverend Tzortzis)

PRESIDENT:

Thank you, Father. Reading of the Journal. Senator Johns.

SENATOR JOHNS:

Thank you, Mr. President. I move that reading and approval of the Journals of Wednesday, May the 2nd; Thursday, May the 3rd; Tuesday, May the year...the year 1984, be postponed pending arrival of the printed Journal.

PRESIDENT:

Heard the motion for approval as placed by Senator...motion for postponement as placed by Senator Johns. Any discussion? If not, all in favor indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. Motion carries. It's so ordered. Committee reports.

SECRETARY:

Senator Buzbee, chairman of Appropriations II Committee, reports out the following Senate Bills: 1371 and 1621 with the recommendation Do Pass.

1550, 1590, 1591, 1592, 1593, 1594, 1595, 1597, 1599 and 1600 with the recommendation Do Pass as Amended.

PRESIDENT:

With leave of the Body, NBC has asked permission to film the proceeding. Is leave granted? Leave is granted...Messages from the House.

SECRETARY:

A Message from the House by Mr. O'Brien, Clerk.

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

House Bills 2394, 2521, 2668, 2797, 2807 and 2815.

A Message from the House by Mr. O'Brien, Clerk.

Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolutions, in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

House Joint Resolutions 143, 144 and 145, all congratulatory.

PRESIDENT:

Consent Calendar. Resolutions.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 586 offered by Senator Smith and all members. And it's congratulatory.

PRESIDENT:

Consent Calendar. Senator Becker, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR BECKER:

Thank you, Mr. President. The following Senators have requested to be added to the list of hyphenated sponsors on Senate Bill 1853. I will, Mr. President, give the list to the Secretary after I've called the names. Senator Barkhausen, Senator Berman, Senator Bloom, Senator Bruce, Senator Chew, Senator Collins, Senator D'Arco, Senator Demuzio, Senator Donahue, Senator Egan, Senator Etheredge, Senator Fawell, Senator Friedland, Senator Geo-Karis, Senator Holmberg, Senator Hudson, Senator Jones, Senator Keats, Senator Kelly, Kustra, Lechowicz, Lemke, Luft, Macdonald, Maitland, Marovitz, Newhouse, Rigney, Sangmeister, Schaffer, Sommer, Vadalabene, Watson and Senator Welch. I will, Mr.

President, turn this list over to the Secretary.

PRESIDENT:

All right, you've heard the gentleman's request. Is leave granted? Leave is granted that those named Senators be added as cosponsors. Senator Carroll, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR CARROLL:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I have a motion to discharge Senate Joint Resolution 83 from committee. I would move that we discharge the Executive Committee from further consideration of Senate Joint Resolution 83. That is the resolution which brought Counsel General Zippori here today and caused the breakfast this morning as a reception for the Counsel General commemorating the 36th Anniversary of the State of Israel. I would ask therefore to discharge the Executive Committee from further consideration.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Senator Carroll has moved to discharge the Committee on Executive from further consideration of Senate Joint Resolution 83 for the purpose of its immediate consideration and adoption. Is...heard the motion. All in favor indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The motion carries. It's so ordered. Now before the Body is Senate Joint Resolution 83...Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY:

Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Carroll.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Carroll.

SENATOR CARROLL:

Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. This is a technical amendment to the resolution to clarify some problems that Enrolling and Engrossing identified. Typical of an Israel...resolution, we'd have an

amendment, as the great Senator Palmer used to say, and I would move its adoption.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Joint Resolution 83. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor of the adoption of the amendment indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Senate joint...now before the Body is Senate Joint Resolution 83. Senator Carroll.

SENATOR CARROLL:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, if I may. As we identified, we have with us, who will be addressing us shortly, with leave of the Senate, the Counsel General for the Midwest of the State of Israel. I think it appropriate that we commemorate the 36th Anniversary of the creation of the State by this Senate joint resolution and ask the House to concur therein. And with leave, I'd like to read the resolution.

PRESIDENT:

Leave is granted. Senator Carroll.

SENATOR CARROLL:

(Senator Carroll reads SJR 83)

Mr. President, I move for the adoption of the resolution.

PRESIDENT:

All right. Senator Carroll has moved the adoption of Senate Joint Resolution 83. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor of the resolution indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. Resolution...Senate Joint Resolution 83 is adopted. Senator Vadalabene, for what purpose do you arise, sir?

SENATOR VADALABENE:

Yes, on a point of personal privilege, Mr. President and members of the Senate.

PRESIDENT:

State your point, sir.

SENATOR VADALABENE:

There's a group of senior citizens from the Alton Senior Citizen Center in the gallery to my rear on the right. I would like for them to stand and be recognized by our Senate Body.

PRESIDENT:

Will our guests in the gallery please rise and be recognized. Welcome to Springfield. If I can have your attention, I'll ask the doorkeepers to please keep the door closed for the next few minutes, all the doors closed. We have in our midst a very honored guest, a gentleman that I had the opportunity to meet some months ago who took the time to share with me his unquestioned knowledge of the State of Israel, his commitment to Israel and his affinity for the people of Illinois. Emmanuel Zippori was born in Ohio but spent his youth here in Chicago...or in Illinois, and he graduated from the Hyde Park High School. He served in the Israeli defense forces during the War of Liberation, and after the war he initiated his career in the foreign service of Israel. He has served as Second Secretary in the Hague, First Secretary in Tokyo, Counselor of the Israeli Embassy in Nigeria, and Counselor for Economic Affairs in Rome. He served as the permanent representative of Israel for the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations, and his latest assignment has been the director of Energy Affairs in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Presently, he serves happily as the Counsel General of Israel to the Midwest. He is married and has three children and resides in our State. He is a consummate gentleman. He was warmly received this morning in both the House and the Senate. Please welcome our honored guest the Counsel General of Israel, Emmanuel Zippori.

EMMANUEL ZIPPORI:

(Remarks given by Emmanuel Zippori)

PRESIDENT:

Thank you, Counsel General. We have...on behalf of the fifty-nine members of the Illinois Senate, I would like to present on their behalf a memento of today which is a framed copy of Senate Joint Resolution 83 to hang, I hope, prominently in your office as a sign of our continued interest and concern for the State of Israel. Thank you, very much. (Machine cutoff)...can have the members attention. With ✓ leave of the Body, we'll move to the Order of Senate Bills 2nd Reading. There is a matter of some urgency. If you'll turn to page 7 on the Calendar. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd Reading, with leave of the Body, we'll move to the top of page 7, Senate Bill 1657. Leave is granted. On the Order of Senate Bills 2nd Reading, Senate Bill 1657, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY:

Senate Bill 1657.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

PRESIDENT:

Any...any amendments from the floor?

SECRETARY:

Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Schaffer.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Schaffer.

SENATOR SCHAFFER:

Mr. President and members of the Senate, those of you who are on the Senate Executive Committee will...remember this was the bill that raised the license fees for doctors. There was some language in there that I think we all agreed was not necessary involving the exemption of certain reports from the State's Record Act; that has been removed. And we...made another technical change, I believe, we've solved all the

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2nd Reading

problems we identified in committee and the amendment puts the bill in shape.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Schaffer has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1657. Any discussion? If not, all in favor indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment is adopted. Further amendments?

SECRETARY:

No further amendments.

PRESIDENT:

3rd reading. All right, again, with leave of the Body, we'll move to the...another matter of some urgency in House...on the Order of House Bills 2nd Reading, middle of page 19. House Bill 2689. All right, with leave of the Body, then we'll...on the Order of House Bills 2nd Reading, House Bill 2689. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY:

House Bill 2689.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

PRESIDENT:

Any amendments from the Floor?

SECRETARY:

No Floor amendments.

PRESIDENT:

3rd reading. Senator Lechowicz, for what purpose do you seek recognition? At Senator Dawson's seat, please. Senator Lechowicz.

SENATOR LECHOWICZ:

Thank you, Mr. President, a question on 2689. My memory, in reviewing that bill this morning, there was a provision for 2.1 million dollars for Waukegan in that bill. And I was wondering if the sponsor could answer my question whether that provision is still there, because we just passed out of

the subcommittee yesterday 2.1 million dollars for Senator Geo-Karis, we increased it. Will the sponsor yield to a question?

PRESIDENT:

He indicates he will yield, certainly. Senator Sommer.

SENATOR SOMMER:

Senator Carroll apparently wants to intervene and answer the question.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Carroll.

SENATOR CARROLL:

Yes, thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Senator Lechowicz and...and all members, it's my understanding because of the urgencies purportedly within this bill that we move it along, that it is the agreement requested from the other side that we move the bill today, then hear it in committee, that the bill will be read a second time today, moved to 3rd, heard in committee today and brought back tomorrow for any amendments resultant from the committee hearing today. But in order to save the legislative day, we agreed to allow it to be moved today.

PRESIDENT:

All right. 3rd reading. All right. With leave of the Body, we'll move to page 19 on the Calendar on the Order of House Bills 1st Reading. House Bills 1st reading, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY:

House Bill 1069, Senator Holmberg is the Senate sponsor.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1123, Senator Vadalabene.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1587, Senators Bruce and Zito.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1594, Senator Lemke.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 1734, Senator Barkhausen.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2328, Senator Maitland.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2359, Senator Euzbee.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2360, Senators Kustra and Barkhausen.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2452, Senator Demuzio.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2460, Senator Bupp.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2507, Senator Vadalatene.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House...House Bill 2578.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2584, Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2617, Senator Vadalatene.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2665, Senator Mahar.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 2666, Senator Bloom.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st reading of the bills.

House Bill 2575, Senator Berman.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st reading of the bill.

PRESIDENT:

If I can have your attention. Because of the heavy schedule on Appropriations I, we will attempt, at least, to close our business on time and let the committee go to committee at two o'clock. Is there any...are there any announcements? We

have one matter remaining. We will have and present to the Body a death resolution as the close of business, which time, upon the adoption of that resolution we will adjourn until noon on Thursday. Senator Carroll.

SENATOR CARROLL:

Thank you, Mr. President. An announcement, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. Appropriations I will meet one-half hour after adjournment in Room 212. But I would ask that the Democratic members be in my office immediately after adjournment so that we can give them the schedule of the way the bills will be called. The Republican members will be obtaining the same information from the Republican spokesman. The Democratic members could be in Room 627 immediately after adjournment and then the committee will meet at one-half hour after adjournment.

PRESIDENT:

Further announcements? Senator Davidson.

SENATOR DAVIDSON:

Yes, Senator Rock, members of the Senate, for those of you who haven't made contact with me, I need your reservation, number of tickets you want and your money by tomorrow if we're going to have a seat for you down in the tables in the front part of the chambers for the Governor's Prayer Breakfast on May the 17th at the Prairie Convention Center at 7:30 a. m. I would appreciate very much you respond. Next week, if you come, you go wherever we can find you a seat. Thank you.

PRESIDENT:

Senator Marovitz.

SENATOR MAROVITZ:

Thank you, very much, Mr. President and members of the Senate. The final meeting of the Committee on the Reorganization of State Government will take place tomorrow morning, 10:00 a. m., Room 400. This will be our final meeting prior

to the issuance of a recommendation regarding Governor's Executive Order No. 2. Anybody wishing to address the issue, Department of Labor, Bureau of Employment Security, please be in Room 400 at ten o'clock tomorrow morning.

PRESIDENT:

All right. If I can have your attention, the final order of business is consideration of a death resolution. I'd ask the members to please be...be in their seats. I ask the staff to take the conferences off the Floor. Will the members be in their seats. Senator Philip, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR PHILIP:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I'd like the record to show that Senator Macdonald is home with a strep throat.

PRESIDENT:

All right. The record will so show as it will show that Senator Dawson is absent due to illness. All right. Will the members be in their seats. Will the doorkeepers please keep the doors closed. Resolutions, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 587 offered by Senators Jones, Chew, Collins, Hall, Newhouse and Smith.

PRESIDENT:

Mr. Secretary, read the resolution.

SECRETARY:

Senate Resolution 587.

(Secretary reads SB 587)

PRESIDENT:

Senator Jones.

SENATOR JONES:

Yeah, thank you, Mr. President, the resolution speaks for itself. I ask leave that all members of the Senate be included on the resolution and I move for its immediate adop-

tion.

PRESIDENT:

All right. You've heard the gentleman's request. Is leave granted? Senator Jones has moved to suspend the rules for the immediate consideration and adoption of Senate Resolution 587. All in favor of the motion to suspend indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The rules are suspended. Senator Jones now moves the adoption of Senate Resolution 587. Those in favor of the adoption of the resolution please rise. The resolution is adopted. The Senate stands adjourned until noon tomorrow.