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PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Regular Session of the 90th General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks, and will our guests in the galleries please rise? Our prayer today will be given by Rabbi Michael Datz, Temple B'rith Sholom, Springfield, Illinois. Rabbi Datz.

RABBI MICHAEL DATZ:

(Prayer by Rabbi Michael Datz)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Will you please remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance? Senator Sieben.

SENATOR SIEBEN:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Sieben)

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Reading of the Journal.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Journals of Wednesday, May 6th, and Thursday, May 7th, 1998.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler.

SENATOR BUTLER:

Mr. President, I move that the Journals just read by the Secretary be approved, unless some Senator has additions or corrections to offer.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Butler moves to approve the Journal just read. There being no objection, so ordered. Messages from the House.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Message from the House by Mr. Rossi, Clerk.

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

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Senate Bill 1473, together with House Amendment No. 1.

We have a like Message on Senate Bill 1664, with House Amendment 1.

Both passed the House, as amended, May 7th, 1998.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Senator Dudycz, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR DUDYCH:

Thank you, Mr. President. Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

State your point.

SENATOR DUDYCH:

Standing beside me are some special guests from Chicago. Next to me is the President of the ninth-largest credit union in the State of Illinois, a good friend of mine, Bohdan Watral. His wife, Pat, is next to him. And the little guy right behind me here is Michael, their son, who is an Honorary Page today. I'd like for the Senate to recognize...

PRESIDENT PHILIP:

Will they please rise and be recognized by the Senate? Resolutions.

SECRETARY HARRY:

Senate Resolution 206, offered by Senator Parker.

Senate Joint Resolution 67, by Senator Lauzen.

And Senate Joint Resolution 68, by Senator Cronin.

They're all substantive, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

We're going to proceed to House Bills 2nd Reading on page 6. Senate -- House Bill 644. Mr. Butler? Senator Butler? Out of the record. House Bill 705. Senator Syverson? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

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House Bill 705.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health and Welfare adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Are there any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 884. Senator Radogno? Out of the record. House Bill 2680 -- I'm sorry, 1268. 1268. Senator Shaw? Out of the record. House Bill 1552. Senator Madigan? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 1552.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Insurance and Pensions adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 1612. Senator Parker? Out of the record. House Bill 2091. Senator Rauschenberger? Out of the record. House Bill 2375. Senator O'Malley? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2375.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

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3rd Reading. House Bill 2400. Senator Dudycz. Read the bill,
Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2400.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Judiciary adopted one
amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2424. Senator Judy Myers? Read the
bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2424.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Local Government and
Elections adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill... House Bill 2466. Senator Walsh?
Thomas Walsh. Out of the record. House Bill 2553. Senator
Butler? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2553.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

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3rd Reading. House Bill 2560. Senator Fawell? Senator Fawell? Out of the record. Senate {sic} Bill 2581. Senator Fawell? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2581.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2583. Senator Bomke. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2583.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health and Welfare adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2589. Senator Luechtefeld? Senator Luechtefeld? Out of the record. House Bill 2607. Senator Peterson? Senator -- I'm sorry. Senator Sieben? Read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2607.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2643. Senator Sieben? Out of the record. House Bill 2652. Senator Mahar? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

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House Bill 2652.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. 2668. House Bill 2668. Senator Dillard?
Senator Dillard? Out of the record. 2700. Senator Dillard? Out
of the record. House Bill 2758. Senator Smith? Read the bill, Mr.
Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2758.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2827. Senator Rauschenberger? Out
of the record. House Bill 2844. Senator Parker? Senator Parker.
House Bill 2844? Out of the record. House Bill 2860. Senator
Fitzgerald? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2860.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2869. Senator Kehoe? Senator Kehoe?
Out of the record. House Bill 2909. Senator Garcia. Senator
Garcia? Out of the record. Senate Bill -- I mean, House Bill
2910. Senator Shadid. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 2910.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 2950. Senator Sieben. Senator

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Sieben? 2950. Out of the record. House Bill 3025. Senator Berman? Senator Berman? Out of the record. House Bill 3028. Senator Cronin? Out of the record. House Bill 3030. Senator Karpel? 3030. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3030.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3139. Senator Dudycz? Senator Dudycz? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3139.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3180. Senator Thomas Walsh? Senator Thomas Walsh? Out of the record. House Bill 3254. Senator Thomas Walsh? Out of the record. Senate {sic} Bill 3286. Senator Donahue? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3286.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health and Welfare adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

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SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3294. Senator Dillard? Out of the record. House Bill 3321. Senator Thomas Walsh? Out of the record. Senate {sic} Bill 3363. Senator Madigan? Senator Madigan? Out of the record. House Bill 3383. Senator Burzynski? Out of the record. House Bill 3415. Senator Thomas Walsh? Out of the record. House Bill 3427. Senator Donahue? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3427.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3431. Senator Donahue? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary. Out of the record. House Bill 3435. Senator Carroll? 3435. Senator Carroll. Senator Smith, did you wish to... Senator Carroll is the lead sponsor on that bill. Would you put your button on? I can't hear you.

SENATOR SMITH:

I'm merely speaking for Senator Carroll. He's not in the Chambers at this time, but I -- as a cosponsor on this bill with him, I'd like to pass it...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Do you wish leave to present the bill?

SENATOR SMITH:

Yes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Hearing no objection...

SENATOR SMITH:

To move it -- to move it on to 3rd, please.

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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any objections? Hearing no objection, you have leave. So this is House Bill 3435. Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3435.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3461. Senator Mahar? Read the bill.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3461.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3464. Senator Thomas Walsh? Out of the record. Senate -- House Bill 3492. Senator Cronin? Out of the record. House Bill 3514. Senator Thomas Walsh? Out of the record. House Bill 3515. Senator Maitland? Senator Maitland? Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3515.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. Senate -- House Bill 3516. Senator Maitland? I'm sorry. Senator Madigan. Senator Madigan there? Out of the record. House Bill 3778. Senator Cronin? Out of the record.

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House Bill 3811. Senator Radogno? 3811. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3811.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. House Bill 3813. Senator Madigan. Senator Madigan? Out of the record. House Bill 3814. Senator Philip? Out of the record. Senator Donahue asks leave to go back to 3431. Is that right? With leave of the Body, Senator Donahue, we return to House Bill 3431, on page 9 of your Calendar. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

SECRETARY HARRY:

House Bill 3431.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health and Welfare adopted one amendment.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Any Floor amendments?

SECRETARY HARRY:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

3rd Reading. Messages from the House {sic}.

SECRETARY HARRY:

A Message for the Governor by Deno Perdiou, Director of Legislative Affairs, May 12th, 1998.

Mr. President - The Governor directs me to lay before the

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Senate the following Message:

To the Honorable Members of the Senate, 90th General Assembly - I have nominated and appointed the following named persons to the offices enumerated below and respectfully ask concurrence in and confirmation of these appointments by your -- of your Honorable Body.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Senator Hawkinson, for what purpose do you rise, sir?

SENATOR HAWKINSON:

Thank you, Madam President. For purposes of an announcement.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

Thank you, Ladies and Gentlemen. Mr. Hawkinson.

SENATOR HAWKINSON:

Thank you, Madam President. Just a reminder to the Members, both sides of the aisle: 7:30 tomorrow morning, in Room 212, will be a bipartisan Juvenile Justice Appropriation Caucus. That's 7:30, in 212.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR GEO-KARIS)

7:30, in 212 - 7:30 a.m. - Juvenile Justice. There any further business to come before the Senate? If not, Senator Karpel moves the Senate stands adjourned until the hour of 10 a.m., Wednesday, May 13. The Senate stands adjourned.

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