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PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

The regular Session of the 101st General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desk? Will our guests in the galleries please rise? The invocation today will be given by Pastor Keith Thomas, Mt. Olive Missionary Baptist Church, Champaign, Illinois. Pastor Thomas.

PASTOR KEITH THOMAS:

(Prayer by Pastor Keith Thomas)

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

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

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Cunningham)

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

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

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Journal of Tuesday, March 12th, 2019.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

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

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 215, offered by Senator Hunter and all Members.

It's a death resolution, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Resolution Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 216, offered by Senator Bush.

It is substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Holmes, Chairperson of the Committee on Local Government, reports Senate Bills 1114, 1881, and 2052 Do Pass.

Senator Collins, Chairperson of the Committee on Financial Institutions, reports Senate Bills 1514 and 1614 Do Pass; and Senate Bill 138 Do Pass, as Amended.

And Senator Aquino, Chairperson of the Committee on Government Accountability and Pensions, reports Senate Bills 1264, 1300, 1582, 1996, and 2030 Do Pass; and Senate Bills 1236 and 1765 Do Pass, as Amended.

I also have a Committee Report Correction.

On March 12th, 2019, the Senate Committee on Higher Education omitted Senate Bill 1939 from its report to the Senate. Senate Bill 1939 should have been reported to the Senate with a recommendation of Do Pass.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Mr. Secretary, Messages from the House.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:

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

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

House Joint Resolution 14.
Offered by Senator McGuire and adopted by the House, February 27th, 2019.

We have received a like Message on House Joint Resolutions {sic} 17, offered by Senator Morrison and adopted by the House, February 27th, 2019; House Joint Resolution 18, offered by Senator Hunter and adopted by the House, February 27th, 2019; House Joint Resolution 21, offered by Senator Manar and adopted by the House, February 27th, 2019; House Joint Resolution 25, offered by Senator Plummer and adopted by the House, February 27th, 2019. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House. They are all substantive, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Senator Rose, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you, Madam President. How are you today?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

I'm wonderful. How are you, Senator?

SENATOR ROSE:

Oh, I'm always wonderful, Madam President. I have a point of personal privilege, if I may.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

State your point, Senator.
SENATOR ROSE:

Thank you. Ladies and Gentlemen, in the President's Gallery, we have the Clinton High School and Clinton Junior High Dance Teams. Now, listen to this, everybody. Both the junior high and the high school won this -- their State applicable tournaments in lyrical, pom/dance, and jazz. It's pretty amazing that you've got a program that wins both the junior high and the high school. The junior high coaches are Kelsey Savage, Zoe' Savage, Scout Savage. High school coaches Jenny Gaff, Jaclynn Power (sic) (Powers), and Mr. Koeppel, their Athletic Director, is also here. I apologize if I butchered anybody's names. In any event, we'd like to welcome them to Springfield, if we can, and congratulate them on their victories.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Please rise and be welcomed to the Illinois General Assembly. Welcome. Senator Fowler, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR FOWLER:

Thank you, Madam President. I also have a point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Please state your point, Senator.

SENATOR FOWLER:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I'm honored to have from my district this morning with us -- actually, this afternoon, I apologize. I'd like to recognize the Lees family that joins us here today in the gallery: Southeastern Illinois College professor Matt Lees; his wife, Angela; and their children, Reagan, Hayden, and Madison. They reside in Marion. And I'd just like to say thank you to the Lees family for making the trip here today. And
I'd -- I wish for the Illinois Senate to welcome them to the -- the Capitol. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Welcome to the Illinois Senate. Hope you have a good stay. Senator DeWitte, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR DEWITTE:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Please state your point of privilege, please.

SENATOR DEWITTE:

Thank you, Madam President. I'm pleased to be joined on the Floor today with a student from my district. Jeremy Berggren is a freshman at Huntley High School from Huntley, Illinois. Planning to participate in the Global Academy at their high school. After graduation, Jeremy hopes to look into a career in politics or law - not a bad combination. He is accompanied today with his mother, Jaki Berggren, who's in the gallery behind me. Ms. Berggren is the Executive Director of the McHenry County Convention and Visitors Bureau. And I hope you will all join me in giving both of them a warm Senate welcome.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Welcome to the Illinois General Assembly. Senator Weaver, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR WEAVER:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

State your privilege point, Senator.

SENATOR WEAVER:

Thank you, Madam President. I'm here today with Benjamin
McCoy. I'm his intern it feels like. This kid is super smart. I've taken him to meetings with me today and I feel like I'm his intern instead of him being my intern for the day. But a Peoria student, goes to ICC right now. And the thing that I think is so cool, he did some homeschooling as -- as a younger child, got through three years of high school and told his mother, you know what, I think I'd like to be homeschooled my fourth year so I can start working on dual credit, and saved mom and dad a lot of money by having thirty hours of dual credit before he went to ICC as -- and started there for this current year. Major in marketing, interning at Ameren over this summer. Passionate about history and social sciences and wants to be a lobbyist someday. So if folks could please welcome Benjamin McCoy to Springfield, I'd appreciate that.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Welcome to the Illinois Senate. Senator Morrison, for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Madam President. I move to table Senate Bill 1-6-5-9, as this is a bill that I am sponsoring that I do not intend to call this Session.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR LIGHTFORD)

Thank you, Senator. Senator Morrison moves to table Senate Bill 1659. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. In the opinion of the Chair, the Ayes have it, and Senate Bill 1659 is tabled. The Senate will stand at ease for a few minutes to allow the Committee on Assignments to meet. The members of the Committee on Assignments will come to the President's Anteroom immediately. The Senate will stand at ease. (at ease)
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   Leader -- Leader Lightford, what purpose do you rise?
SENATOR LIGHTFORD:
   Thank you, Madam President. For a personal privilege, please.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   State your point.
SENATOR LIGHTFORD:
   Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, if you will allow me to please introduce my guests today. I have Miss Etoria Thompkins. She's a nineteen-year employee with TASC, the alternative treatment center in Chicago. And then I have a very dear friend of mine, who we were on the campus at Western Illinois University together...
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   Could you hold your voices down, please?
SENATOR LIGHTFORD:
   Thank you, Madam President. A long time ago. We -- we've had a thirty-year friendship. I'm happy to have Millicent Lewis here. Can you please welcome my guests to the Illinois General Assembly?
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   Welcome to the Senate. Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:
   Senator Lightford, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Criminal Law Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1640; refer to Energy and Public Utilities Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1570 and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1781; refer to Executive Committee -
Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 481, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 482, Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 651, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1246, and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1672; refer to Financial Institutions Committee - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1332; refer to Human Services Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1641; refer to Local Government Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1938; refer to Special Committee on Oversight of Medicaid Managed Care - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1575; refer to Public Health Committee - Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1909; refer to Revenue Committee - Committee Amendment 3 to Senate Bill 1595 and Senate Bill 1534; refer to State Government Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1902, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1912, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1914, and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2039; refer to Transportation Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 198 and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 55; Be Approved for Consideration - Floor Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 526 and House Bill 345. Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (d), the following bill will be re-referred from the Judiciary Committee to the Committee on Assignments - Senate Bill 1842. Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendment will remain in the Committee on Assignments - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1599.

Signed, Senator Kimberly Lightford, Chairperson.

Senator Lightford, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Criminal Law Committee - Senate Bill 1842.

Senator Lightford, -- oh, excuse me. Signed, Senator Kimberly Lightford, Chairperson.
Senator Lightford, Chairperson of the Committee on Assignments, reports the following Legislative Measures have been assigned: Refer to Criminal Law -- refer to Criminal Law Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1842.
Signed, Senator Kimberly Lightford, Chairperson.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Bennett, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR BENNETT:
Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point.

SENATOR BENNETT:
Thank you so much, Madam President. If I can have the attention of the Senate, I have a very special guest here today as well. Rachel is -- Rachel Cyphers is with me today. She's a senior at Oakwood High School and she's been active in actually many different organizations, but her true passion has always been Future Farmers of America, or FFA. Throughout the Oakwood Chapter of FFA, she's served as chapter officer since her freshman year. And throughout her position, she's been a major contributor to the Oakwood Junior High School LEAD Club, the annual FFA Career Fair, and a new mental health awareness program. She's also found success in -- in competition throughout FFA. It's a long list, which I won't read all of today.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

Hold your voices down, please. Hold your voices.

SENATOR BENNETT:
Thank you, Madam President. But overall, Rachel has gained career, personal and leadership skills through her four years as
an FFA member and has no plans to stop yet. When we see the FFA students come in, it's, of course, Agriculture Week here in the Legislature; it's important to remember the people like Rachel that are continuing to get these skills and use them as their career. She'll be continuing her agriculture experience as -- as we go on. She'll be attending our community college in -- Parkland College next year in the Agriculture Leadership Pathway's program, ultimately working at the University of Illinois. I look forward to seeing the bright future that Rachel has ahead of her in the agriculture industry, which of course remains the largest industry in the State of Illinois. Would you please welcome Rachel to the Illinois Senate?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Welcome to the Senate, Rachel. Before we hear the next speaker, Senators, please hold your voices down. Thank you. Senator Murphy, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR MURPHY:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Ladies and Gentlemen, I hope you would indulge me and -- and really listen to this, 'cause it's really important, 'cause today I ask you to join me in recognizing an incredible woman that was lost too soon. Colonel Jill...

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Excuse me -- excuse me, Senator. Ladies and Gentlemen - Ladies and Gentlemen - please hold your voices down. Please. Thank you very much. Please proceed, Senator Murphy.
SENATOR MURPHY:

Colonel Jill Morgenthaler was a friend and a constituent. She lived in Des Plaines and just recently moved to Mt. Prospect, to Senator Gillespie's district. And she is a woman of firsts. She was one of the first women to enter the U.S. Army ROTC program and train equal with men. She was the first woman battalion commander in the 88th Command Division, the first brigadier commander in the 84th Division. And she rose to the rank of colonel. She served for thirty years. She would often tell a story of how she stared down Saddam Hussein, because when they were in the tribunals, he didn't expect to see a woman and she stared him down until he looked away and she was very proud of that. She was a Bronze Star recipient and the Legion of Merit recipient for lifelong leadership. She was the first woman to lead the Homeland Security under former Governor Blagojevich. She ran for Congress. She was a mother and a hero and an inspiration to women all over. And it's so appropriate in International Women's Month -- Day that we recognize her and all the service that she did for the State of Illinois. So I ask you to join me in a moment of silence in recognition of one of our great heroes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

It's a great loss to the State. Please rise for a moment of silence. (Moment of silence observed) Thank you. Senator Hastings, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Thank -- thank you, Madam President. Point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point.
SENATOR HASTINGS:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Illinois Senate. I want to follow Senator Murphy's statement with honoring our military men and women that are here today. I'm honored to have as my guest today, the Chicago Recruiting Battalion. They interface with our young people across the Chicagoland area and try to have them join the United States Army, which is a profession of multiple professions. If you want to be a doctor, you can be a doctor; if you want to be a lawyer, you can be a lawyer; if you want to be an engineer, you can be an engineer. Our three gentlemen here today is Colonel Cruz, Sergeant Major Fairchild, Colonel Groppel, and then we have Sue and Dawn, who support them through education services. All three of our Armed Service members today have deployed to combat operations, whether that be in Iraq or Afghanistan. They're here today to further opportunities for young people across the State of Illinois and I want to give 'em a warm Springfield welcome. Thank you very much.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Welcome to the Senate. Thank you for your service. Thank you. Senator McConchie, what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

A point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your purpose, sir.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Thank you. I ask the Members of the Assembly to just be quiet for a moment. I want to take a moment to remember and honor the life of Deputy Jacob Keitner (sic) (Keltner) of the McHenry County Sheriff's Office, who was a resident of Crystal Lake and a member
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Before you proceed, Senator, please hold your voices down.

SENATOR McCONCHIE:

Deputy Keltner was shot and killed last week as he and other members of the Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force attempted to serve a warrant to a man who was staying at a hotel in Rockford. We are all familiar with the tragic events that unfolded that day and the pain that it has caused not only his loved ones, but our entire community. Following in his father's footsteps, I'm told that Deputy Keitner {sic} always wanted to be a police officer from a very young age. He started in a civilian position in the DuPage County Sheriff's Department and soon joined the McHenry County Sheriff's Department, where he served with dignity for the past thirteen years. According to his wife, Becki, he loved everything about his job and looked forward to going to work every day. In a letter she wrote following his death last week, she called him, quote, "a true patriot who wanted to protect the people of his country". I couldn't agree more - he was a true patriot and servant of us all indeed. He was also a loving husband, a son, brother, and father of two young children. Today, may we join his family and friends in mourning his loss and may we always remember Deputy Keitner {sic} for his courageous service. And as his wife, Becki, encouraged us in her letter, let us not remember him as a statistic, but rather let's remember him as a great man who sacrificed his life to protect others. I would ask that we have a brief moment of silence in his honor.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Please stand for a moment of silence. (Moment of silence
observed) Thank you very much. Senator Oberweis, what purpose do you rise, sir?

SENATOR OBERWEIS:

A point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point, sir.

SENATOR OBERWEIS:

Thank you. Today must be the day for special guests to the Senate Floor. I have today Maria Rook here with me, my legislative aide and district office manager. And also Maria's husband, Joe, is up in the gallery as well. So I'd like to give a warm Springfield welcome to Maria and Joe Rook, who, by the way, are celebrating their anniversary today as well and they came to Springfield to do it.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Congratulations and welcome to the Senate. Supplemental Calendar No. -- No. 1 has been printed and distributed. 2nd Reading. Senator Morrison, on House Bill 3-4-5. 3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 345.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Lady (sic) and Gentlemen, we're moving to Resolutions. Please turn to page 42. Senate Joint Resolution 14. Martinez. Mr. Secretary, read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:
Senate Joint Resolution 14, offered by Senator Martinez.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Martinez.

SENATOR MARTINEZ:

Thank -- thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Joint Resolution 14 creates the Home Birth (Maternity) Care Crisis Study Committee to provide the General Assembly with a consumer-focused, evidence-based solution to the Illinois Home Birth Maternity Care Crisis and sets forth requirements for committee membership. The resolution requires the committee to meet monthly until it is prepared to make a recommendation to the General Assembly, but no later than October 8th of 2019. This resolution also requires that the -- the Office of Secretary, Department of Financial and Professional Regulation provide the Task Force with administrative and other support. This is a -- a follow-up of a -- a bill that I had last -- couple years ago. We're trying to address the issue about home birth and this committee will be doing exactly that and I hope that I can get a favorable vote on this bill {sic}.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any discussion? As this resolution requires the expenditure of State funds, a roll call vote will be required. The question is, shall Senate Joint Resolution 14 pass. All those in favor, say {sic} Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 55 Yea and 0 Nay. The resolution, having -- meeting the requirement, the resolution passes -- is declared adopted. What purpose do you rise, Senator Martinez?
SENATOR MARTINEZ:

Point -- for a point of personal privilege, ma'am.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point.

SENATOR MARTINEZ:

Thank you very much. Ladies and Gentlemen, with me today -- I just want to give thanks to the special women in my life that helped me with this bill. I want to thank Sarah Moore from Little Lambs Birth Service (sic) (Services), Illinois Council of Certified Professional Midwives, the Illinois Friends of Midwives, and with them -- she's up here in -- in the gallery. Her daughters, Abigail and Lydia Moore, and Alexandra Eidenberg from WE Will Women and her son, Jackson, are here visiting us and seeing this great resolution get through. Thank you very much for all your help. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

Please rise to be recognized. Page 2 of the Calendar. These are 2nd Readings. Senate Bill 71. Manar. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 71.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 109.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Has there been any Floor amendments approved for -- for consideration?

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 119. Castro. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 119.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Out of the record. Senate Bill 140. Senate Bill 172. Martinez. Senator Martinez. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 172.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 244. Martinez. Senator Martinez. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 244.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1183.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1221.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1239. Morrison. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1239.
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(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1250. Murphy. Read the bill, Senate -- Mr. Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
   Senate Bill 1250.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
   Senate Bill 1291.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on Public Health adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   3rd Reading. Oh, has there been any Floor amendments approved, Mr. -- for consideration?

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
   No further amendments reported, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
   3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1319. Villivalam. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.
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ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1319.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1321. Villivalam. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1321.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senate Bill 1339. Tracy. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1339.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill -- 1360.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1460.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, are there any Floor amendments?

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

No further -- amendments reported, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1461. McConchie. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1461.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1495. Mulroe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1495.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1498. Bennett. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1498.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1529.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1530. Harmon. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 1530.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR Hunter)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1548. Rezin. Senator Rezin. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1552. Tracy. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1552.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR Hunter)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1557. Stadelman. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1572. Mulroe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1572.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR Hunter)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1592.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senate Bill 16-0-8. Sims. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1608.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Mr.... Senate Bill 1609. Sims. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1609.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Sims. I'm sorry, Senate Bill 1623. Sims. Sims. 1623. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1623.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1627. Hutchinson. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

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Senate Bill 1627.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Has there been any further amendments approved for consideration?

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1630. Stewart. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1630.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1636. Mulroe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1636.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

of the record. Senate Bill 1684. Jones. Jones. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1699. Stadelman. Mr. -- Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 1699.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
    3rd Reading. Six -- Senate Bill 1711. Glowiak. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 1711.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
    3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1724. Harris. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 1724.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
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Senate Bill 1744.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Has there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1746. Belt. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1746.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1750. Crowe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1750.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1788. Bennett. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 1788.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1791. Fine. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1791.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1792. Aquino. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1792.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1800.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)


Senate Bill 1808.  Peters.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1808.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 1825.  Schimpf.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1825.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 1828.  Bush.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1828.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 1838.  T. Cullerton.  Senator Cullerton.  Out of the -- out of the record.  Senate Bill 1845.  Barickman.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:
Senate Bill 1845.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1864. Link. Out of the record.

Senate Bill 1877. Curran. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1877.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1907. Castro. Senator Castro. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1907.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 1930. Manar. Senator Manar. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 1930.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2038.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2050.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 2067. Rose. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2067.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. No committee or Floor amendments reported.
PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 2068.  Rose.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2068.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)


ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2117.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 2119.  McGuire.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2119.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 2122.  Ellman.  Senator Ellman.  Oh, Mr. Secretary, read the bill.
ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2122.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 2124. Rose. Out of the record. Senate Bill 2126. Murphy. Senator Murphy. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2126.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

2nd Reading of the bill. The Committee on -- excuse me, the Committee on Higher Education adopted Amendment No. 1.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Has there been any Floor amendments approved for consideration?

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

No further amendments reported.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Senate Bill 2150. McConchie. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

ACTING SECRETARY KAISER:

Senate Bill 2150.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. At the top of page 39, Senate Bill 1480. 3rd
Readings. Senate Bill 1480. Senator Morrison. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1480.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill increases the burial benefit to the surviving spouse or estate of a fireman or law enforcement officer who is killed in the line of duty to twenty thousand dollars. It's currently ten thousand. I know of no opposition to this and it is the very least we can do for those fallen heroes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Ladies and Gentlemen, this is final action, 3rd Readings. There any discussion? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1480 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 56 Yea and 1 Nay. The bill, having -- the Senate -- Senate Bill 1480, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senator Harmon, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR HARMON:

A point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point, Senator.

SENATOR HARMON:
On the last bill, I inadvertently voted No. I would like the record to reflect my intention was to vote Aye.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

The record will so reflect your intention, Leader Harmon. Senate Bill 14 -- 1504. Mulroe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1504.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Mulroe.

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill 1504 removes language from the Code of Civil Procedure that stated that if an attorney filed an appearance on behalf of a person whose fees and costs were waived - so this is a person who is indigent - that that attorney must pay all fines -- fines, costs, and charges related to the action. So, currently, an attorney would have to pay fines and costs related to the action of an indigent person whose costs were waived. We're amending the statute to say, if that were the case, the attorney doesn't have to pay costs. I'd ask for your support. I don't believe there's any opposition.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? Senator Mulroe, to close. The question is, shall Senate Bill 1504 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. The opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 Yea, 2 not voting, 2
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No, and 2 Present -- 0 Nay and 57 Present. 57 Yea, 0 Nay, 2 -- 0 Present. Senate Bill 1504, received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1518. Tracy. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1518.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENIATOR HUNTER)

Senator Tracy.

SENATOR TRACY:

Thank you, Madam Chairman {sic}. The Probate Act would be amended with this bill and it makes a number of changes to the adult guardianship Act. And it was brought to us by the Illinois State Bar Association and by the attorneys that serve on the Probate Act {sic}. And there is no opposition and I would ask for an Aye vote. It's basically a -- a technical cleanup bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENIATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1518 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 Yea, 0 Nay, and 0 Present. Senate Bill 1518, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1524. Lightford. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1558. Stadelman. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1558.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Stadelman. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1573. Mulroe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1573.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Mulroe.

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. This is a trailer bill to a bill we did last year, House Bill 4771. It's basically a cleanup bill that clarifies Department means the Department of Healthcare and Family Services within a subsection of the expedited long-term care eligibility Section of the Public Aid Act or Aid Code. I know of no opposition. I ask for your Yes votes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? The question -- the question is, shall Senate Bill 1573 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 Nay -- Yes -- Yeas, 0 Nays, and -- and 0 Present. Senate Bill 1573, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1579.

Bennett. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1579.
3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Bennett.

SENATOR BENNETT:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1579 tries to make up for a tragedy that occurred in Vermilion County and probably all over the State. Under our current Property Tax Code, if a veteran with a surviving spouse applies for a property tax homestead exemption for veterans with disabilities and is approved, then their spouse would receive that same homestead exemption after their death. What happened in Vermilion County, under the current statute, is that the veteran applied for - but it takes weeks, sometimes months, for the exemption to be granted - while that was still pending, he died. And since it was later approved - it was not approved at the time of his death - the spouse did not enjoy that same exemption. This tries to fix that, because it's not the fault of the veteran. They certainly don't have any -- any ability to move ahead that approval process. This would make sure the time of the application, that's where we care whether or not the -- the spouse is surviving the veteran. We'd ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1579 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 Yea -- Yea, 0 Nay, and 0 Present. The bill -- Senate Bill 1579, having received the required constitutional majority, is
declared passed. Senate Bill 1584. Aquino. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

    Senate Bill 1584.

    (Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

    Senator Aquino.

SENATOR AQUINO:

    Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1584 prohibits the cancellation of a service retirement pension where the pensioner is re-employed as a teacher on a temporary and non-annual basis or on an hourly basis. The pensioner cannot work as a teacher for more than a hundred and twenty days and it cannot accept compensation in excess of thirty thousand dollars. This is something that passed out of committee unanimously. I -- and I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

    Is there any questions? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1584 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 56 Yea, 0 Nay, and 0 Present. Senate Bill 1584, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1657. Murphy. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

    Senate Bill 1657.

    (Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY:

...you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1657 is just some cleanup language to the Mortgage Act. It changes the gender pronouns throughout the Act. Defines month from a twenty-eight- to thirty-one-day period to thirty days and authorizes -- and defines mortgage and guarantor. So I know of no opposition and I ask for an Aye vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? The question -- the question is, shall Senate Bill 1657 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? On that record -- take -- take the record. On that question, there are 57 (sic) (58) Yeas, 0 Nay, and 0 Present. Senate Bill 1657, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1670. Martinez. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1689. Murphy. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1689.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Murphy.

SENATOR MURPHY:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1689 amends the Property Tax Code by increasing the maximum allowance for senior citizens assessment freeze homestead exemption to seventy-five
thousand, only in counties that have a population of over three million. So this had no opposition in committee. I know of no questions, but I'm happy to entertain any if there are.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any question? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1689 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. The opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the -- take the record. On the question, there are 47 Yea, 3 Nay, and 0 Present. Senate Bill 1689, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1696. Steans. Senator Steans. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1698. Martinez. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1698.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Martinez. Out of the record. Senate Bill 1739. Mulroe. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1739.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Mulroe.

SENATOR MULROE:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. Senate Bill -- 17 -- sorry. Excuse me. Senate Bill 1739 requires any
written review or findings of the Illinois Health Facilities and Services (Review) Board set forth in the State Board Staff Report, otherwise known as an advisory opinion, concerning a permit application be made available to the public and the applicant at least fourteen days prior -- or before the meeting of the Board at which the review of findings are considered. It also adds electing a Vice Chairperson to the powers and duties of the State Board and adds issuing advisory opinions to the powers and duties of the Board staff. I know of no opposition. I'd ask for Yes votes.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1739 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. The opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 57 Yea, 0 Nay, 0 Present. Senate Bill 1739, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1755. McConchie. Senator McConchie. Out of the record. Senator Sims, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR SIMS:

Point of personal privilege, Madam President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

State your point.

SENATOR SIMS:

Madam President, we have been joined today by some wonderful students from Thornton Fractional North and Thornton Fractional South High School. They are here to testify on one of our -- one of my bills later this afternoon. But they're in the gallery on the -- behind the Republican side of the aisle. I'd like to welcome them to Springfield. Let's give them a warm welcome.
Welcome to Springfield. Please rise for recognition. Thank you. Senate Bill 1784. Aquino. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

Senator -- Aquino.

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1784 is an initiative by the Illinois Secretary of State to streamline the statement of economic interest process in -- in anticipation of the Internet-based filing system's implementation. It simply separates those positions required to file with the Secretary of State and those required to file with county clerks to reduce the number of mistakes filers inadvertently make each year. It -- it passed out of the Executive Committee unanimously and I know of no opponents. I ask for a Yes vote. Thank you.

Is there any questions? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1784 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. The opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 58 Yea, no Nays, and no Present. The bill -- Senate Bill 1784, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1787. Aquino. Mr. Secretary -- oops. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.
Senate Bill 1787.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Aquino.

SENATOR AQUINO:

Thank you, Madam President. Senate Bill 1787 amends the Secure Choice Savings Program Act by changing the Act to add traditional individual retirement accounts that are also known as IRAs as an option under the Program. Senate Bill 1787 will allow the Program Board to set deadlines for payroll deductions and enter into agreements with other state government entities to enable their residents to participate in the Secure Choice Savings Program. This is an initiative of -- of the Treasurer's Office. This also passed out of Financial Institutions unanimously. I know of no opponents and ask for a favorable vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any questions? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1787 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. The opposed, No -- Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 54 Yea, 0 Nay, 0 Present. Senate Bill 1787, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed. Senate Bill 1797. Morrison. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1797.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)
Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Madam President, Members of the Senate. This bill -- amends the Strengthening the Child Welfare Workforce for Children and Families Act. It has DCFS replacing University of Illinois to provide administrative support to this Task Force; changes the date by one year for the Task Force to report; and adds two members. I know of no opposition.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

Is there any question? The -- the question is, shall Senate Bill 1797 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. The opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 55 Yea, 0 Nay, 0 Present. Senate Bill 1797, having received the required constitutional majority, is declared passed.


SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1827.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

3rd Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Morrison.

SENATOR MORRISON:

Thank you, Madam President. This bill streamlines, modernizes, and simplifies the current statement of economic interests while increasing disclosure and transparency. There was no question or opposition in Executive Committee. I'm happy to
answer any questions.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

   Is there any question?  The question is, Senate Bill --
shall Senate Bill 1827 pass.  All -- all those in favor, vote Aye.
The opposed, Nay.  The voting is open.  Have all voted who wish?
Have all voted who wish?  Have all voted who wish?  Take the
record.  On that question, there are 56 Yea, 0 Nay, and no Present.
Senate Bill 1827, having received the required constitutional
majority, is declared passed.  Hold the -- the noise down, please.
Senate Bill 1858.  Aquino.  Mr. Secretary, read the bill.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:

   Senate Bill 1858.

   (Secretary reads title of bill)
3rd Reading of the bill.
PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)

   Senator Aquino.

SENATOR AQUINO:

   Thank you, Madam President.  Senate Bill 1858 amends the
Retailer Occupation Tax {sic} (Retailers' Occupation Tax Act) to
exempt male and female condoms, incontinence products, diapers,
and baby wipes from the State sales tax, thereby reducing the tax
on these products from 6.25 percent to one percent.  The bill will
-- also provides that the net revenue from the one percent tax
collected from the sale of these products be deposited into State
and Local (Sales) Tax Reform Fund.  Simply, it's just making sure
that these products are identified correctly as medical devices
and then thus taxed at that rate amount at one percent.  I know of
no opposition and I'd ask for a favorable vote.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HUNTER)
Is there any question? The question is -- Senator Righter.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

Thank you, Madam President. Will the sponsor yield, please?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

He -- he states he will.

SENATOR RIGHTER:

Thank you, Madam President. Senator, good afternoon. Could you list specifically the products that would be covered by this bill, please?

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Aquino.

SENATOR AQUINO:

With -- with pleasure. It is child-sized diapers, incontinence supplies that are adult-sized diapers, baby wipes, and both male and female condoms.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

Senator Righter. Any further -- Senator Fine.

SENATOR FINE:

Thank you, Madam Speaker {sic}. It is not on this legislation. I just want the record to reflect that on -- Bill 1827, I thought I'd pressed my Yes button, but I did not register. So if you could register me as a Yes vote. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

The record will so reflect. Are there any further discussion? The question is, shall Senate Bill 1858 pass. All those in favor, vote Aye. Opposed, Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 46 Yeas, 3 Nay, 0 Present. Senate Bill 1858, having received the required constitutional
majority, is declared passed. Senator Jones, what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR JONES:

Thank you, Madam President. I also had a freshman mistake. I hit my green button on Senate Bill 1827 and it did not register.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

The bill {sic} will so reflect it, Senator. On page 6 of the Calendar is the Order of Senate Bills 2nd Reading. Senate Bill 1743. Senator Peters. Mr. Secretary, read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 1743.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

3rd Reading. Mr. Secretary, Introduction of Senate Bills.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2241, offered by Senator DeWitte.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bill.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HUNTER)

The Senate will stand in recess to the call of the Chair. After committees, the Senate will reconvene for committee reports. The Senate stands in recess to the call of the Chair.

(Senate stands in recess/SENATE RECONvenes)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HARMON)

Senate will come to order. Mr. Secretary, Committee -- Mr.
Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 217, offered by Senator Schimpf.

Senate Resolution 218, offered by Senator Brady.

And Senate Joint Resolution 34, offered by Senator Koehler.

They are all substantive.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HARMON)

Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senator Hastings, Chairperson of the Committee on Executive, reports Senate Bills 54 and 1970 Do Pass; Senate Bill 145 and 1407 Do Pass, as Amended; and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 481 Recommend Do Adopt.

Senator Jones, Chairperson of the Committee on Licensed Activities, reports Senate Bills 1135 and 1841 Do Pass; and Senate Bills 1166 and 1839 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Landek, Chairperson of the Committee on State Government, reports Senate Bills 190, 211, 1136, 1911, 2037, 2040, 2099, and 2120 Do Pass; and Senate Bills 1914 and 1932 Do Pass, as Amended.

Senator Harris, Chairperson of the Committee on Insurance, reports Senate Bills 162 and 2085 Do Pass.

And Senator Hutchinson, Chairperson of the Committee on Revenue, reports Senate Bills 1346 and 1515 Do Pass, as Amended; and Senate Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1217 Recommend Do Adopt.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR HARMON)

Mr. Secretary, Messages from the House.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

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

   House Bill 246.

   We have received like Messages on House Bills 252 and 834. Passed the House, March 13th, 2019. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

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

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

   House Joint Resolution 16.


   We have received like Message on House Joint Resolution 24, offered by Senator Peters and adopted by the House, March 13th, 2019. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House. They are substantive, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HARMON)

Mr. Secretary, House Bills 1st Reading.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

House Bill 246, offered by Senator Steans.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 252, offered by Senator Castro.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

House Bill 834, offered by Senator Castro.

(Secretary reads title of bill)
1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR HARMON)

There being no further business to come before the Senate, the Senate stands adjourned until the hour of 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, the 14th day of March 2019. The Senate stands adjourned.