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PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

The regular Session of the 101st General Assembly will please come to order. Will the Members please be at their desks? And will our guests in the galleries please rise? The invocation today will be given by Father Jeff Grant, Blessed Sacrament, here in Springfield, Illinois. Father.

FATHER JEFF GRANT:

(Prayer by Father Jeff Grant)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator Bennett, will you please lead us in the Pledge?

SENATOR BENNETT:

(Pledge of Allegiance, led by Senator Bennett)

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Lisa Yuscius, the Blueroomstream, seeks permission to video. No objection, leave is granted. Mr. Secretary, Reading and Approval of the Journal.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:


PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator Hunter.

SENATOR HUNTER:

Mr. 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 KOEHLER)

Senator Hunter moves the approval (sic) of the Journal just read by the Secretary. There being no objection, so ordered. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:
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Senate Joint Resolution 62, offered -- offered by Senator Morrison.
It is substantive.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Mr. Secretary, Committee Reports.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:
Senator Murphy, Chairperson of the Committee on Local Government, reports Senate Bills 2769 and 3162 Do Pass.
Senator Aquino, Chairperson of the Committee on Labor, reports Senate Bill 3307 Do Pass.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Mr. Secretary, Introduction and Reading of Senate Bills for the first time.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:
Senate Bill 3980, offered by Senator Hastings.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
Senate Bill 3981, offered by President Harmon.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
1st Reading of the bills.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Will the Committee on Assignments please meet in the President's Anteroom? The Committee on Assignments. Senator Schimpf, for what purpose do you seek recognition?
SENATOR SCHIMPF:
Thank you, Mr. President. Purposes of an introduction.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Please make your introduction.
SENATOR SCHIMPF:
Yes, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, if I could have your
attention just for a minute, I'd like to introduce you to one of my -- one of my emerging young leaders, competition winners from the 58th Senate District. I have with me today Reid Schilling and his mother, Stacey, who's up in the gallery. But Reid is a fantastic young leader. In the future, he is going to be attending the University of Illinois, this fall, and studying agriculture business management. He's been very active in FFA throughout his high school career. And he wrote his -- he got selected for this -- for this award based on him writing a really great essay on the Minimum Wage Law that we just passed. So I would ask that you all give -- give Reid and his -- his mother, Stacey, who is a grade school friend of mine, a warm Springfield welcome.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Welcome to the Illinois Senate. Senator Collins, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR COLLINS:

Thank you, Mr. President. For a point of introduction as well.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Please make your introduction.

SENATOR COLLINS:

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I would like to recognize some Loyola students that are sitting in the gallery, very promising academicians on the make, along with Phil Hale, who's Director of Communications and Public Relations and Civic Engagement for Loyola. Please welcome them to the Assembly to observe and hopefully they will witness something that will be very educational for them today. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Welcome to the Illinois 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 2 to Senate Bill 224, Senate Bill 2919; refer to Environment and Conservation Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2954; refer to Executive Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 123, Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 841, Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 2060, Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 2182, Committee Amendment 5 to House Bill 2924, Committee Amendment 5 to House Bill 3233, Committee Amendment 1 to House Bill 3522, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 103, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 105, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 227, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 228, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1342, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1380, Committee Amendment 4 to Senate Bill 1385, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1520, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1703, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1812, Committee Amendment -- excuse me, that's Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1812, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 1916, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 1987, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2004, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2005, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2006, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2012, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2013, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2014, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2015, Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2016, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2017, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2254,
Committee Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 2524, Senate Bills 2762 and 3279; refer to Higher Education Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2310; refer to Human Services Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2296, Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2520, and Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2328; refer to Insurance Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2457 and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2462; refer to Judiciary Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3158; refer to Licensed Activities Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3060; refer to Local Government Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 2466, Floor Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 2973; refer to Public Health Committee - Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3390; refer to Revenue Committee - Committee Amendment 2 to Senate Bill 2272 and Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3224. Pursuant to Senate Rule 3-8 (b-1), the following amendments will remain in the Committee on Assignments: Committee Amendment 1 to Senate Bill 3150 and Committee Amendments 1 and 2 to Senate Bill 3098.

Signed, Senator Kimberly Lightford, Chairperson.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator DeWitte, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR DeWITTE:

Thank you, Mr. President. A point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Please state your point.

SENATOR DeWITTE:

Thank you, Mr. President. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, I am very pleased to welcome two very special visitors with me today. Cliff Carrignan was one of my seatmates on the St. Charles
City Council for eight years. Many of you who come out of local government know that we always have our horses that we have to depend on to get things done. In the eight years we shared on the St. Charles City Council, Cliff was one of those guys. So, very pleased to welcome Cliff and his wife, Michele Carrignan. Michele is a retired teacher from the Addison School District. They are the parents of three lovely women and now have three grandchildren. Please join me in giving Cliff and Michele Carrignan a warm Illinois Senate welcome.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Welcome to the Illinois Senate. We're going to be going to 2nd Readings in just a bit, so if you have a bill that you want to move on 2nd Reading, then please come to the Senate Chamber. If everyone would turn to page 2 in your printed Calendar, we're going to go to Senate Bills 2nd Reading. We're going to start with Senate Bill 2345. Senator Martinez. Senator Martinez. Senate Bill 2474. Senator Bertino-Tarrant. Senator Bertino-Tarrant. Senate Bill 2478. Senator Manar. Senate Bill 2490. Senator Steans. Senate Bill 2527. Senator Van Pelt. Senator Van Pelt. Senate Bill 2973. Senator Holmes. Senator Holmes. Senate Bill 2999. Senator Castro. Senator Castro, on... Senate Bill 3109. Senator Hunter. Senate Bill 3113. Senator Peters. Senate Bill 3151. Senator Weaver. Senator Weaver, on Senate Bill 3151? Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 3151.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

3rd Reading.  Senator Morrison, on Senate Bill 3160.  Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 3160.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 3222.  Senator Bennett.  Senate Bill 3238.  Senator McConchie.  Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 3238.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

3rd Reading.  Senate Bill 3241.  Senator Peters.  Senate Bill 3297.  Senator Fine.  We'll go back to page 2.  Senate Bill 2527.  Senator Van Pelt.  Mr. Secretary, please read the bill.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Bill 2527.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

3rd Reading.  So if everyone would go to page 16, we're going to do Resolutions.  Start with Senate Resolution 896.  Senator
Link. Senate Resolution 913. Senator McConchie. Senate Resolution 974. Senator Lightford. Senate Resolution 982. Senator Morrison. Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:
Senate Resolution 982, offered by Senator Morrison.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Senator Morrison, on your resolution.

SENATOR MORRISON:
Thank you, Mr. President. This resolution urges local emergency response planning officials to partner with schools to disseminate information pertaining to safety threats related to storage and transportation of hazardous substances.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
SECRETARY ANDERSON:
Senate Resolution 896, offered by Senator Link.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
Senator Link, on your resolution.

SENATOR LINK:
Thank you, Mr. President. This just declares March 2020 as
"Illinois Whole Child Month". Urges parents, educators, and community members to support the whole child approach to education for each student. Urges every school in Illinois to celebrate Whole Child Month by adopting at least one of the whole child tenets to promote and encourage throughout the month.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Is there any discussion? The question is, shall Senate Resolution 896 pass. All those in favor will say Aye. Those opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted. We'll go to Senate Resolution 1043. Senator Sims. Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 1043, offered by Senator Sims.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator Sims, on your resolution.

SENATOR SIMS:

Thank -- thank you, Mr. President. Senate Resolution 1043 recognizes a monumental moment in Illinois history. We had one of our schools be the first school in Illinois history to be named Teach -- Teach Kindness Champion in the State of Illinois by the -- by Stand for Children, Wagoner Elementary School. So to recognize this monumental day for -- on behalf of Wagoner Elementary, we wanted to name February 24th, in honor of Wagoner Elementary, and -- "Teach Kindness Day" here in the State of Illinois.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Is there any discussion? The question is, shall Senate Resolution 1043 pass. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted. Senator...
We're going to go back to Senate Joint Resolution No. 51. Senator Fowler. Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Joint Resolution 51, offered by Senator Fowler.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator Fowler, to explain your resolution.

SENATOR FOWLER:

Thank you, Mr. President. Senate Joint Resolution 51 extends the deadline of the Rural Development Task Force to December 31st, 2020.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Is there any discussion? The question is, shall Senate Joint Resolution 51 pass. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted.

We're going to go to Senate Resolution 983. Senator Joyce. Mr. Secretary, please read the resolution.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolution 983, offered by Senator Joyce.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Senator Joyce, on your resolution.

SENATOR JOYCE:

Senate Resolution 983 designates February 2020 as the Career and Technical Education Month by the Association of {sic} (for) Career and Technical Education.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Is there any discussion? The question is, shall Senate Resolution 983 pass. All those in favor will say Aye. Opposed, Nay. The Ayes have it, and the resolution is adopted. Mr. Secretary, Resolutions.
SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Senate Resolutions 1053 and 1054, offered by Senator McGuire and all Members. They are both death resolutions, Mr. President.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Resolutions Consent Calendar. Senator Hastings, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Thank you, Mr. President. A point of personal privilege.

PRESIDING OFFICER:  (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Please state your point.

SENATOR HASTINGS:

Mr. President, Members of the Illinois Senate, I have an awesome opportunity to introduce two young, special people. Marvin interned for my office for three years. Unbelievably bright - that's the only thing I can tell you, that he's -- he's not only unbelievably bright, but he's just a -- a good kindhearted young man that truly wants to make a difference. And quite honestly, throughout the summer, I could have left the office and Marvin could have done a better job. I'm just going to be the first one to admit it, and I'm sure some of you would too. But I'll just say we're very lucky in the State of Illinois to have him. He's getting his Master's Degree in Public Policy from the University of Chicago. He's a product of the University of Illinois system. And I'm also proud to introduce his sister, Melanie, who's here as well. I'm assuming she'll be working for our office here pretty soon, I hope. But Melanie is studying public policy at the University of Illinois, here today. They're part of a group of students that are here advocating for higher education, how do
they make an impact in our State. And it's so awesome that we have young people right now that care so much about the future of our State and the future of our country, and the work they do is truly remarkable. Mr. President, thank you very much for the time. I wish that everyone in this Chamber gives them a warm Springfield welcome. Thank you very much.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
   Yes, welcome to the Illinois Senate. Senator Collins, for what purpose do you seek recognition?
SENATOR COLLINS:
   Thank you, Mr. President. A point of personal privilege.
PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)
   Yes, please state your point.
SENATOR COLLINS:
   Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, as we celebrate Black History Month, I stand in remembrance of Katherine G. Johnson, who died this week at the age of one hundred and one. Like so many brilliant women of color, her contributions have only recently been recognized with the reverence and respect that they deserve. She and her fellow human computers were honored in the film *Hidden Figures*, which documented how she and other women of NASA performed the complex calculations necessary to send human beings out beyond the boundaries of our planet. With little more than a pencil and a slide rule and one of the finest mathematical minds in the country, she helped plot the successful flight of Alan Shepard, the first American in space; she made it possible for John Glenn to become the first American to orbit the Earth; she calculated the precise trajectories that led to Apollo II's successful landing on the moon in 1969 and helped Neil Armstrong make a safe return.
to Earth after his history-making moonwalk. Katherine Johnson was born in a segregated country and lived to be awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom by our first African American President, President Obama. She was born when humanity was earthbound and helped humanity reach the moon. Her life and her works are an example of what can happen when we give people from all backgrounds the opportunity to participate in our grandest endeavors. I invite you all to join me in a moment of silence to honor her works and the works of all women, especially women of color, yet to be recognized for their excellence. Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Will all Members please be at their desk and stand for a moment of silence. (Moment of silence observed) Thank you, Senator. Leader Lightford, for what purpose do you seek recognition?

SENATOR LIGHTFORD:

Thank you, Mr. President. A point of personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Please state your point.

SENATOR LIGHTFORD:

Or I guess it's an announcement as well. Everyone, Ladies and Gentlemen, I would love for you to just give me your attention and focus on this gentleman right here for just a moment. Dillon Santoni, he's a native of Alton. He's been here on our staff since 2016, starting as an intern, then moving to our Senate Policy and Budget staff. He's done a number of huge education initiatives. He's a great guy. We've enjoyed having him so much. I know our Chairman in Education speaks so highly of Dillon, so much so that she'd be sentimental if she had to do this send-off. So I decided
to give JBT a hand and wish Dillon off in our fashion that we always do. He's going over to the State Board of Ed, so we'll still see Dillon. He will be their Legislative Director and we'll be able to see him on the other side of the table now in Senate Education. Please send Dillon off with a big warm Senate thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Best of luck to you, Dillon.

SENATOR LIGHTFORD:

Thank you.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Just a reminder that committees will be meeting this afternoon. State Government at -- meeting at 3 p.m. in Room 409. Insurance meeting at 5 p.m. in Room 212. Revenue meeting at 5 p.m. in Room 400. And tomorrow morning, Environment and Conservation at 11:30 in Room 400. And that's -- I'm sorry, Government and Accountability today at -- Government Accountability and Pensions today at 2 p.m. in Room 400. And let me read for tomorrow, as well, we have Agriculture at 8 o'clock and we have Appropriation II at 9 o'clock in Room 212. Agriculture will meet in Room 409. Leader Lightford, what -- what purpose do you seek recognition.

SENATOR LIGHTFORD:

Thank you, Mr. President. Please forgive me for rising for a second time, but for personal privilege, please.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

And please state your point.

SENATOR LIGHTFORD:

Okay. Ladies and Gentlemen, please allow me to just one more
time have a personal privilege. My guests were over here so quiet I missed them almost. School District 209 Proviso Math and Science Academy, Proviso East and West, is here today. Half of the administration is here with me. The other half is still over in the House. But if you could please welcome Mr. Anderson and Miss O'Shea from Proviso Township as they witness our process here in Springfield, I appreciate it.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KOEHLER)

Welcome -- welcome to the Illinois Senate. There being no further business to come before the Senate, the Senate stands adjourned now until 12:30 p.m. on the 27th day of February 2020. The Senate now stands adjourned.

SECRETARY ANDERSON:

Pursuant to the directive of the Senate President, the regular Session of the Senate is now in perfunctory Session.


Dear Mr. Secretary - Pursuant to Rule 2-10, I am scheduling a perfunctory Session to convene on February 26th, 2020.

Sincerely, Don Harmon, Senate President.

Resolutions.

Senate Resolutions 1055 and 1056, offered by Senator Anderson and all Members.

Senate Resolutions 1057 and 1058, offered by Senator Barickman and all Members.

Senate Resolution 1059, offered by Senators Rezin, McGuire and all Members.

And Senate Resolution 1060, offered by Senator Brady and all Members.
They are all death resolutions and will be referred to the Consent Calendar.

   Senate Resolution 1061, offered by Senator Villanueva.

   It is substantive.

   Committee Reports.

   Senator Castro, Chairperson of the Committee on Government Accountability and Pensions, reports Senate Bills 2748, 2775, 3027, and 3144 Do Pass; Senate Bill 2795 Do Pass, as Amended; and House Bill 2451 Do Pass.

   Senator Landek, Chairperson of the Committee on State Government, reports Senate Bills 2284, 2794, and 2956 Do Pass.

   Senator Castro, Chairperson of the Committee on Revenue, reports Senate Bill 2481 Do Pass, as Amended.

   Senator Harris, Chairperson of the Committee on Insurance, reports Senate Bills 2740, 2771, 3161, and 3247 Do Pass.

   Introduction -- Introduction of Senate Bills.

   Senate Bill 3982, offered by Senator Rose.

   (Secretary reads title of bill)

   Messages from 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 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 37 -- 377 -- House Bill 377.

   We have received like Messages on House Bills 2211, 2816, 4007, and 4276. Passed the House, February 26th, 2020. John W. Hollman, Clerk of the House.

   House Bills 1st Reading.
House Bill 377, offered by President Harmon.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
House Bill 2211, offered by Senator Crowe.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
House Bill 4007, offered by Senator Stadelman.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
And House Bill 4276, offered by Senator Villivalam.
(Secretary reads title of bill)
1st Reading of the bills.

There being no further business to come before this perfunctory Session, the Senate stands adjourned until Thursday, February 27th, 2020, or until the call of the Senate President. The Senate stands adjourned.