

80th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

JUNE 6, 1978

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

2. The hour of one having arrived, the Senate will
3. now come to Session. The Chaplain for the day will be Dr.
4. Thomas Luke, First Methodist Church, Springfield, Illinois.
5. Will our guests in the galleries please rise.

6. DR. LUKE:

7. (Prayer by Dr. Luke)

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

9. Reading of the Journal. Senator Leonard.

10. SENATOR LEONARD:

11. Mr. President, I move that the reading and approval
12. of the Journals of Monday, May 22nd, Tuesday, May 23rd,
13. Wednesday, May 24th, Thursday, May 25th, Friday, May
14. 26th, Wednesday, May 31st, and Thursday, June 1st in the year
15. 1978 be postponed pending arrival of the printed Journals.

16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

17. You have heard the motion. All those in favor say Aye.
18. Opposed No. The motion carries. Messages from the House.

19. SECRETARY:

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

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

25. House Bills 2843, 2851, 2857, 2911, 2944, 2986,
26. 3049...

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

28. Just a moment, Mr. Secretary. Gentlemen, the Senate is in
29. Session, now, so we would like to have your attention.
30. Will you members please be in your seats. Those that are not
31. entitled to the Floor will please vacate. Go ahead, Mr. Secretary.

32. SECRETARY:

33. ...3049, 3062, 3235, 3270, 3335, 3368, 3370 and 3377.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
2. Senator Philip.
3. SECRETARY:
4. A Message from the House by Mr. O'Brien, Clerk.
5. Mr. President - I am directed to inform the Senate
6. that the House of Representatives has adopted the following
7. Joint Resolution in the adoption of which I am instructed
8. to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:
9. House Joint Resolution 93.
10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
11. Executive Committee. Senator Philip, would you please come
12. to the podium, please. Resolutions.
13. SECRETARY:
14. Senate Resolution 480, offered by Senator Carroll.
15. It's a death resolution.
16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
17. Resolution Consent Calendar. House Bills, 1st reading.
18. SECRETARY:
19. House Bill 883, Senator Rock is the sponsor.
20. House Bill 1088, Senator Kenneth Hall is the sponsor.
21. House Bill 1533, Senator Kenneth Hall is the sponsor.
22. House Bill 1970, Senator Leonard is the sponsor.
23. House Bill 2214, Senator Kenneth Hall is the sponsor.
24. House Bill 2256, Senator Clewis is the sponsor.
25. House Bill 2599, Senator Bruce is the sponsor.
26. House Bill 2687, Senator Roe is the sponsor.
27. House Bill 2834, Senator Clewis is the sponsor.
28. House Bill 2835, Senator Clewis is the sponsor.
29. House Bill 2875, Senator Netsch is the sponsor.
30. House Bill 2946, Senator Berman is the sponsor.
31. House Bill 3386, Senator Berning is the sponsor.
32. House Bill 2770, Senator Sangmeister is the sponsor.
33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

1. Rules Committee. Message from the House.

2. SECRETARY:

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

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

7. Senate Bill 1511 together with the following
8. amendment in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the
9. concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

10. House Amendment No. 1. Senate...

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

12. Just a moment. May we have your attention, Gentlemen
13. and Ladies. Senator Clewis, would...we're...we...may we have
14. a little order here? Senator Hynes.

15. SENATOR HYNES:

16. Mr. President and members of the Senate. The message that
17. has just been read in involves a...an amendment to a Senate
18. Bill which is, in my judgment, noncontroversial and I would ask
19. leave of this Body to consider that amendment now and...and to
20. seek concurrence of the Senate, even though it has not been printed
21. on our Calendar and before asking that leave, I will explain
22. it. The original bill, Senate Bill 1511 appropriated monies
23. thirty-five hundred dollars to be exact, for a portrait of
24. former Governor Ogilvie. The House added an amendment to appropriate
25. an additional four hundred dollars to pay the...the cost of
26. the portrait of Speaker Redmond. Apparently, the original
27. appropriation was short and I would move to...that the Senate
28. concur in that amendment. So, I would first ask leave
29. of the Body to consider this matter prior to it being printed
30. on the Calendar.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

32. Is leave granted? Leave is granted.

33. SENATOR HYNES:

1. And I...I move, Mr. President, that the Senate concur in
2. House Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1511.

3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

4. The...the question is shall the Senate concur in House
5. Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill 1511. Those in favor vote
6. Aye. Those opposed vote Nay. The voting is open. Have all
7. voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record.
8. On that question the Ayes are 49, the Nays are 0,
9. none Voting Present. The Senate does concur in House Amendment
10. No. 1 to Senate Bill 1511 and the bill having received the
11. constitutional majority is declared passed. Resolutions.

12. SECRETARY:

13. Resolution 409, offered by Senator Mitchler. It's
14. congratulatory.

15. Resolution 410, offered by Senator Davidson.
16. It's congratulatory.

17. Resolution 411, offered by Senator Schaffer and Berning,
18. a death resolution.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

20. Resolution Consent Calendar. House Bills, 2nd reading.
21. House Bill 15, Senator Bowers. House Bill 16, Senator Bowers.
22. Is Regner here? House Bills...562, Senator Regner. Senator
23. Regner, House Bill 562. House Bill 1380, Vadalabene - Joyce.
24. House Bill 1470, Senator Lemke. House Bill 2105, Senator Demuzio.
25. House Bill 2118, Senator Leonard. ...2219, Senator D'Arco.
26. House Bill 2339, Senator Berman. Senator Berman, House Bill 2339.
27. 2568, Senator Vadalabene. Read the bill.

28. SECRETARY:

29. House Bill 2568.

30. (Secretary reads title of bill)

31. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

33. Any amendments from the Floor?

1. SECRETARY:
2. No Floor amendments.
3. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
4. 3rd reading. House Bill 2839, Senator Mitchler.
5. House Bill 2998, Senator Vadalabene. Read the bill.
6. SECRETARY:
7. House Bill 2998.
8. (Secretary reads title of bill)
9. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
11. Any amendments from the Floor?
12. SECRETARY:
13. No Floor amendments.
14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
15. 3rd reading. House Bill 2999, Senator Vadalabene.
16. Read the bill, Mr. Secretary.
17. SECRETARY:
18. House Bill 2999.
19. (Secretary reads title of bill)
20. 2nd reading of the bill. No committee amendments.
21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
22. Are there any amendments from the Floor?
23. SECRETARY:
24. No Floor amendments.
25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
26. 3rd reading. For what purpose does Senator Johns arise?
27. SENATOR JOHNS:
28. Mr. President, I'd like to ask leave of Senator McMillan
29. and this Body to join as cosponsor of the House Bill 3349. I saw
30. Senator Mac there just a moment ago.
31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
32. Is leave granted?
33. SENATOR JOHNS:

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1. He nods his head in the affirmative.
2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
3. Leave is granted. Senator...Senator Maragos, for what purpose
4. do you arise?
5. SENATOR MARAGOS:
6. Mr. President and members of the Senate. I request that leave
7. be given that my name be the chief sponsor along with Senator
8. Bloom of Senate Bill 3350. It's Maragos - Bloom. Is...already
9. discussed it with Senator Bloom and he has no objection to it.
10. It was at the request of the House sponsor that it be done this way.
11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
12. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. For what purpose
13. does Senator Collins arise?
14. SENATOR COLLINS:
15. Mr. President, I would like leave to add to House Bill
16. 2684 as joint sponsor, Senator Clewis. So, it would be
17. Collins - Clewis.
18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
19. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. Senator Nimrod,
20. for what purpose do you arise?
21. SENATOR NIMROD:
22. Yes, Mr. President. I seek leave to be shown as the main
23. sponsor replacing Senator McMillan on House Bill 2981.
24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
25. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. House Bill 3372,
26. Senator Washington. Read the bill.
27. SECRETARY:
28. House Bill...3372.
29. (Secretary reads title of bill)
30. 2nd reading of the bill. The Committee on Executive offers
31. one amendment.
32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
33. Senator Washington.

1. SENATOR WASHINGTON:

2. Mr. President, Committee Amendment No. 1 simply
3. corrects a typographical error. There is no substantive changes. I
4. move its adoption.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

6. You've heard the motion. All in favor say Aye.
7. Opposed Nay. The amendment is adopted. Are there any further
8. amendments?

9. SECRETARY:

10. No further committee amendments.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

12. No other amendments from the Floor?

13. SECRETARY:

14. No Floor amendments.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

16. 3rd reading. May I have your attention, please. Channel
17. 20 requests leave to film the proceedings. Is leave granted?

18. Leave is granted. Senator Lemke, for what purpose do you arise?

19. SENATOR LEMKE:

20. To make an announcement, since we've got a little time here.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

22. State your...

23. SENATOR LEMKE:

24. Senate Elections Committee is meeting tomorrow and
25. in that committee, we plan to hear House Bill 2554 which is
26. an election consolidation bill, so I make the...the motion was made
27. that...to waive the Six Day Notice Rule so I'm making this announcement
28. so everybody is aware on both sides of the aisle, we're going to
29. start the hearings tomorrow on the election consolidation bill.
30. Yeah.. According to Senator...President Hynes, it was waived in mass
31. but we're making an announcement on this specific bill,
32. 2554, and it will be heard in Elections tomorrow. And notice will
33. be...try to get out today.

PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

1. Senator, your point is well taken, but the President has
2. already waived the Six Day Notice. For what purpose does Senator
3. Merlo arise? Senator Merlo, did...

4. SENATOR MERLO:

5. If we're on announcements, Mr. President, I would like to
6. direct this announcement to the members of the Pension, Personnel
7. and Veterans Committee. We will not, I repeat, we will not meet
8. this afternoon at 2:30. You want to meet for a social, okay.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

10. For what purpose does Senator Philip arise?

11. SENATOR PHILIP:

12. Purpose of an announcement, Mr. President.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

14. State your announcement...

15. SENATOR PHILIP:

16. Thank you, Mr. President. I just would like to remind the
17. membership, we have the annual House - Senate softball game
18. which is this Thursday at 8:00 at Chamberlain Park. The tickets
19. are on sale at...in the rotunda right now, so we hope that we have
20. a good turn out. The team has practiced three times, believe it or
21. not and I'm going to predict a victory for the Senate for the
22. first time in a long, long time. So, hope to see you Thursday
23. night.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

25. For what purpose does Senator Harber Hall arise?

26. SENATOR HARBER HALL:

27. Well, Mr. President, I want to announce that tonight
28. the fourth annual tennis tournament for legislators will be held
29. at the Springfield Racquet Club starting at 8:00 o'clock and it will
30. go on quite late and there will be a lot of people out there vying
31. for Senator Mitchler's last year's first place trophy. And...and
32. we think we can do it.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

1. Senator Vadalabene.

2. SENATOR VADALABENE:

3. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate...information.

4. Are we about ready to adjourn?

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

6. Not yet, Senator. We'll get to you in just a few minutes.

7. SENATOR VADALABENE:

8. Well, then, I'll get back to you.

9. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

10. All right. Senator Maragos.

11. SENATOR MARAGOS:

12. I would like to ask the proposer of the announcement
13. as to the tennis tournament why he's being partisan as to who
14. the champions were last year. There was also a Democratic member
15. of that team, namely Senator Berman and I ask Harber Hall why he
16. only announces the Republican member of that team who was
17. victorious and not the Democratic member.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

19. I...I see he went over to make that known, Senator.
20. Thanks...call it...attention. Senator Demuzio, do you...are
21. you seeking recognition?

22. SENATOR DEMUZIO:

23. Yes, Mr. President. While we're on announcements, it's not
24. on the Calendar but tomorrow morning at 8:30 in Room 400,
25. the Committee on Finance and Credit Regulations will meet
26. tomorrow morning at 8:30 and we will consider House Bill 2958.

27. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

28. Senator Mitchler.

29. SENATOR MITCHLER:

30. Mr. President and members of the Senate. As long as there's
31. talking on the sports activity of the members of the Senate, I'd like
32. to point out that yesterday...rather Sunday, Senator Brad Glass and
33. his son, George, were in the mid-American canoe race. Now, that's

1. held on the Fox River from South Elgin down to Aurora, a distance
2. of twenty-two miles. There's five portages. And Senator
3. Glass and his son George, finished in three hours, seventeen
4. minutes and twenty-one seconds, which outdid this Senator and his
5. son, John. We were thirty-five minutes and twenty-one seconds
6. behind him. But I want you to know that Senator Brad Glass and I
7. did the whole route, twenty-two miles with five...five portages.
8. And the river was very low and it was a real tough go. But,
9. Brad, you're the champion.

10. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

11. Were you...were you swimming, Senator? May I have your
12. attention. There's a request to go to House Bills,
13. 3rd reading. Is...on House Bill 3380. Is leave granted?
14. Leave is granted. Mr. Secretary, will you read the bill,
15. please.

16. SECRETARY:

17. House Bill 3380.

18. (Secretary begins reading title of bill)

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

20. Senator Coffey, do you wish to recall this bill?

21. SENATOR COFFEY:

22. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. We'd like to
23. move this bill back to 2nd reading for reasons of amendment.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

25. Is this granted? ...granted. The bill is now on 2nd reading
26. for the purpose of amendment.

27. SECRETARY:

28. Amendment No. 1 offered by Senator Carroll.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

30. Senator Carroll.

31. SENATOR CARROLL:

32. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
33. Senate Amendment No. 1 would delete the thirty-three thousand dollars

1. that was being transferred into central office inasmuch as this
2. had nothing to do whatsoever with snow removal and District 1
3. overtime. In looking over this bill, we found that the department
4. could have transferred up to four million itself without any
5. legislative action. They need this money as quickly as possible
6. ...go over it, but it was supposed to be for snow removal
7. and there has been agreement, as I understand it, from all sides
8. to reduce the appropriation by this thirty-three thousand dollars.
9. I would move, therefore, adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House
10. Bill 3380.

11. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

12. Senator Carroll moves the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to House
13. Bill 3380. All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay. It's adopted.
14. Any...any further amendments?

15. SECRETARY:

16. No further amendments.

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

18. Any amendments from the Floor? Senator Grotberg.

19. SENATOR GROTBORG:

20. I just wanted to know if that was the...if that was the
21. highway money to keep the guys on the job.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

23. Senator Coffey.

24. SENATOR COFFEY:

25. Mr. President and members of the Senate. And Senator, no, that
26. was not. The...this is the appropriations to keep the highway
27. guys on the job. This was a thirty-five thousand dollars that
28. was decided that could be absorbed in the other areas of the...
29. the budget and I think that's in agreement, both with our side,
30. the Governor's Office, and DOT.

31. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

32. Senator Grotberg.

33. SENATOR GROTBORG:

Mr. President, on a point of...of personal privilege, I guess

1. is about the only way, and maybe Senator Coffey will respond.

2. I've been getting a lot of heat and we listen to the radio

3. and everything and somewhere around here is a bill that's

4. got it all tied up and if you're handling...are you handling that

5. bill, Senator?

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

7. Senator Coffey.

8. SENATOR COFFEY:

9. Yes, I am and that...that bill will go back to 3rd reading

10. and hopefully that there's an agreement over in the House to concur

11. with this amendment and that we can get this on the Governor's

12. Desk maybe even today. And this is...

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

14. Senator...

15. SENATOR COFFEY:

16. ...this is the bill you're discussing?

17. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

18. Senator Grotberg.

19. SENATOR COFFEY:

20. This is the bill. It's a very important one.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

22. Any further amendments?

23. SECRETARY:

24. No further amendments.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

26. 3rd reading. Senator Carroll.

27. SENATOR CARROLL:

28. Thank you, Mr. President. Also, I would assume at this point

29. by personal privilege, more in answer to Senator Grotberg and

30. others, this is the fourth legislative day that this bill has been

31. in the possession of the Senate having come in at the closing

32. hour of its first legislative day, so that this has been moved

33. as rapidly as the Senate could have been in Session to move the ..

1. legislation regardless of the content. And I think that those who
2. have criticized the Senate for slow down action, have not read
3. the Calendar and have not followed its progress, it having
4. moved as quickly as is possible and almost as quickly as
5. the Constitution would have allowed under any case.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

7. Senator Berning, are you...pardon me, Senator Berning.
8. Hold your point just a minute. Senator Grotberg...Grotberg.

9. SENATOR GROTBORG:

10. Yes, lest the Senator would infer, I was criticizing the Senate
11. As a Senator, I've been getting the criticism but as a Senator,
12. I didn't know where the hell the bill was and I appreciate
13. your comment, Senator. Thank you.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

15. Senator...Senator Knuppel.

16. SENATOR KNUPPLE:

17. Well, Mr. President and members of the Body. I'd like to concur
18. with what Senator Carroll had to say. I heard some critical comments
19. on television last night from our Director of Transportation,
20. that's John Kramer who doesn't even know where the hell the
21. Peoria...airport is because he went up there and had Senator
22. Bloom out there and didn't even let me know. So, don't be
23. disturbed about it, Senator Carroll. He doesn't know where the
24. hell anything is. He can't find it if he felt for it.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

26. Senator Rock. May...may we have your attention, please.

27. Senator Rock.

28. SENATOR ROCK:

29. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
30. In the nature of intervening business, before we can get back and
31. pass this bill, I have on House Bills 3rd reading, House Bill 236.
32. I would ask leave of this Body that that bill be returned to the
33. Order of 2nd reading for purpose of Tabling an amendment which is no

1. longer necessary.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

3. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. Senator Rock.

4. SENATOR ROCK:

5. Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
6. House Bill 236, as originally introduced, and as it came
7. to the Senate, was a recommendation, a suggestion from the Office
8. of the State Treasurer of Illinois which would transfer the
9. mechanical handling of the unemployment compensation fund
10. from the Treasurer to the Director of Labor. This is a recommendation
11. of the Auditor General and one that the Treasurer of Illinois
12. wholeheartedly concurs in. You will recall that last year
13. we had some problem or apparent problem with respect to bringing
14. the State of Illinois into compliance with recent amendments to
15. the Unemployment Compensation Insurance Act. House Bill 236
16. was amended in the Senate, Senate Amendment No. 1 to attempt to
17. remedy that and subsequently in a Special Session, we did, in fact,
18. remedy that and bring Illinois into compliance. So, I would
19. move you, therefore, that we reconsider the vote by which Senate
20. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 236 was adopted and then I would
21. move to Table Senate Amendment No. 1.

22. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

23. Senator Rock, having voted on the prevailing side, moves to
24. reconsider the vote by which Senate Amendment No. 1 to House
25. Bill 236 was adopted. All in favor say Aye. Opposed Nay.
26. The motion carries. Senator Rock now moves to Table Senate
27. Amendment No. 1 to House Bill 236. Those in favor vote Aye.
28. Opposed Nay. The Ayes have it. Senate Amendment No. 1 is Tabled.
29. Any further amendments? 3rd reading. We have a request here from
30. WCIA TV request permission to film the proceedings. Is leave
31. granted? Leave is granted. Committee Reports.

32. SECRETARY:

33. Pursuant to amended Temporary Rule V, the Rules Committee met

1. at 11:00 a.m., June the 6th, 1978, and makes the following report:
2. By unanimous vote, the committee ruled that the following
3. bills can be considered during the spring Session of the
4. Senate: House Bill 2447, 2490, 2491, 2554, 2572, 2589,
5. 2648, 2653, 2707, 2718, 2766, 2767, 2842, 2869, 2891,
6. 2893, 2894, 2896, 2958, 3004, 3023, 3108, 3114, 3168,
7. 3228, 3233, 3234, 3296, 3349. By a majority vote, the committee
8. ruled that the following bill can be considered during the spring
9. Session of the Senate: House Bill 3019. The foregoing bills were
10. ordered to be read a first time, printed and referred to the
11. Committee on Assignment of Bills. Signed, Chairman Senator
12. Hynes.

13. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

14. Senator Coffey has requested leave that...to go to House
15. Bill, 3rd reading, House Bill 3380. Is leave granted? Leave is
16. granted. Mr. Secretary, will you read the bill?

17. SECRETARY:

18. House...House Bill 3380.

19. (Secretary reads title of bill)

20. 3rd reading of the bill.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

22. Senator Coffey. Senator Coffey, will you hold it just a
23. second, please. Ladies and Gentlemen, we are now on 3rd
24. reading. We're going to consider House Bill 3380. We would like
25. to have your attention. Will the members please be in their
26. seats, and those who are not entitled to ~~the~~ Floor, please excuse
27. themselves from the Chambers. Senator Coffey.

28. SENATOR COFFEY:

29. Mr. President and members of the Senate. This is a bill that's
30. very important that we move out of here today and...and now that
31. it has an amendment, it's, of course, going to have to go over
32. to the House for concurrence and hopefully, we can get this on
33. the Governor's Desk yet today. This...this is the bill many of you

1. have probably heard about, the supplementary that is needed
2. to maintain our highway district offices from now till the end of
3. June. And without this bill, of course, many of you are aware
4. that there will be many of our employees, if not all of them
5. before the end of the month, would have to be...would have to be
6. laid off. There's three areas that this appropriation, this
7. 8.2 million dollars, and it's thirty-five thousand dollars
8. less than that now with the amendment, but three areas that this
9. money will go to...and the costs were created by the severe
10. winter, is one, and number two, the engineering overtime and also
11. the teamsters and AFSCME agreement. These three areas total
12. that 8.2 million dollars and I ask for a favorable roll call.
13. If anyone has any questions, I'd be glad to answer them.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

15. Any discussion? Senator Carroll.

16. SENATOR CARROLL:

17. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate.
18. Just by way of some brief explanation, this bill came to us,
19. as I mentioned earlier on personal privilege, three legislative
20. days ago. We have been very critical of this department and
21. this bill makes us even more critical. Nothing to do with the
22. employees or their right and privilege to receive the monies
23. that this bill would expend for them. But, we've been asking the
24. department for four months, what's been going on with the highway
25. funds? What's been going on with the road program and we get
26. no answers whatsoever. Every other department that has come in
27. with either a transfer or a supplemental had them in in March or
28. April. The snows were not in May. There was no reason at all,
29. no reason they can justify, for waiting until May to bring in
30. this transfer bill. We know the reason. The reason is they
31. haven't even been able to answer our letters of January or
32. February on what they're going to do with the road program.
33. The reason we were concerned with this bill is you're taking

1. construction money to pay for this overtime. That's fine.
2. The overtime was there, they knew about it months ago which is
3. when the bill should have been put in. But they still won't tell
4. us what programs they are dropping from your districts as well
5. as maybe mine, what programs they are dropping in order to use
6. the money for this purpose. We have yet to get the answer.
7. It is not fair, however, to hold that over the heads of
8. the employees who should work the rest of the month. So, we would
9. support the legislation and ask for a favorable roll call
10. because we have the full budget coming up very shortly
11. and we can deal with it at that time.

12. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

13. Further discussion? Senator Berning.

14. SENATOR BERNING:

15. Thank you, Mr. President. I'm not particularly directing my
16. comments toward the bill itself. But I wanted to point out that
17. the Highway Department, for some reason, whatever it may be,
18. has obviously paid for highway construction work that is not
19. too satisfactory and I'm referring to the brand new section of
20. I-55 just above Lincoln a short ways. It seems incredible
21. that this space of...stretch of highway which is almost brand
22. new, only been in use for a very limited number of months,
23. is now already being torn up in at least one place. And it seems
24. to me, Mr. President and Senate sponsor of this bill, it would be
25. highly appropriate to inquire of the Highway Department whether
26. there was faulty work for which the State ought to be reimbursed
27. from the contractor or what kind of a reason there is for the
28. tearing up of a portion of this brand new highway right now.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

30. Any further discussion? Senator Buzbee.

31. SENATOR BUZBEE:

32. Thank you, Mr. President. I...I rise to express my sense of
33. frustration that my seatmate, Chairman of Appropriations I Committee,
34. has expressed. We constantly are put in this kind of a position

1. by various departments and I, frankly, am getting quite
2. sick and tired of it. We happen to be the only folks
3. in Illinois State government outside of the Governor who the
4. voters, the people that pay the taxes, can get at when they
5. are disgusted, disgruntled, upset, et cetera. The bureaucrats
6. that run the various agencies and that work in the various
7. agencies and in fact, quite frankly, express something less than
8. admiration for those of us who run for public office,
9. they don't have to answer to anybody. Now, in this situation
10. as Senator Carroll has already expressed, we knew in January
11. and February that this kind of a situation was going to exist
12. because of the overtime requirements that these career employees
13. had to put in because of the heavy winter snows. The department
14. knew that back then. And yet they come to us, in here the
15. eleventh hour, and say we're giving you three days. If you don't
16. get this out today, all of our employees are going to go without
17. pay. And so the sixty-five hundred or so employees of the Department
18. of Transportation start exerting pressure on those of us who are
19. subject to pressure, that is those of us who run for public
20. office, and we're given three days to decide whether eight million
21. five hundred seventy-five thousand dollars is being fairly spent.
22. I resent these kind of tactics. This problem has been
23. around for a long time. We could have had this bill way back in
24. February, March or April, but, no we get it on June the 6th.
25. Now, I, quite frankly, am going to be very supportive of any
26. effort that Senator Carroll makes to bring about a question
27. of equity in this particular department when their FY '79
28. budget comes up. You will notice that the loss, the big loser,
29. is 6.2 million dollars in highway construction funds. That's
30. where we're losing the big dollars. I was not even aware of
31. this problem until last night on my television set, I heard it
32. announced that if the Illinois Senate does not act today, there's
33. going to be sixty-five hundred employees who will not be paid on

1. Thursday or Friday of this week. I don't like for bureaucrats
2. to put us, the only ones who have to answer to the people, I don't
3. like for them to put us in this kind of a crack. And if Senator
4. Carroll makes an attempt to make some adjustment to this
5. department's operations, I'm going to be supportive and I hope
6. that Director Kramer and all of his assistant directors
7. out there in that humongously huge department get the message.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

9. Gentlemen and Ladies, we have Senator Lemke, Senator
10. Graham, Senator Vadalabene, and Senator Chew. Any further
11. discussion? Senator Lemke,

12. SENATOR LEMKE:

13. Senate President, Senators. We are now approaching a
14. system where we had four years ago with a previous governor.
15. We passed legislation through the press. We don't consult
16. the Senate or the House, but we consult the press and we say
17. to them, put out the news that we're going to fire sixteen
18. hundred or eighteen hundred employees so they can put the
19. pressure on. We're dealing with quite a large sum of money and
20. quite a change in programs and it's being forced down our
21. necks because of the pressure. I refuse to vote for any bill
22. that's going to be forced down my neck and if public employees
23. are laid off work, then they should look to the Executive
24. Mansion and that's the guy that caused them to lose their job
25. because he put in charge of the department a man that doesn't know
26. what he's doing. That's apparently what's happening. If a man
27. can't tell in January what he's going to do and we've got to do it
28. in three days and go through public relations...we had a previous
29. Governor, you saw...always used public relations.
30. You know, the press would like to dissolve this Body and dissolve
31. the House and they can pass the legislation. 'Cause I have
32. seen them pass silly legislation and one of the silliest bills
33. the press ever passed was the right turn on red and I hope this

1. never turns out to be another press bill that makes things bad
2. for the State of Illinois. So, I'm not voting for this and I
3. encourage Senators not to vote for this until we get an
4. explanation on programs and expenses. And if State employees
5. have to be laid off, then let them blame the Governor of this
6. State and his director for not properly planning. They're
7. the ones that laid them off, not the legislator and it's not
8. our guilt, but it's the guilt of the Executive branch. So, let's
9. not vote for this bill and let's hold it up till we get some
10. explanation and see where our money is going. I'm getting sick...
11. tired of hearing there's no road funds and all of a sudden, we've
12. got to shift around this kind of money into this program
13. and that program. It's ridiculous. If they can't plan
14. highways in this State, then maybe the people of the State
15. ought to get rid of the Executive and put a new one in there.
16. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

17. Senator Graham.

18. SENATOR GRAHAM:

19. Mr. President and members of the Senate. I realize that
20. ...I realize that November is just a few months away. I remember
21. a couple of years ago and four years ago when we were, as the Senate,
22. hung on the horns of a dilemma with a...with a prior Governor
23. and we went down to the wire more than one time with him...
24. on voting last minute funds and I would say to you Gentlemen on
25. the other side of the aisle, if you're critical, I have no
26. sympathy for those that are nonresponsive. I'm glad to hear
27. Senator Lemke admit and he is always free to admit things that he
28. thinks that are wrong, that the former Governor wasn't any prize
29. in this area either. But the fact remains that the now director
30. of the Department of Transportation was working under the former
31. Governor and I didn't hear you guys screaming about it then.
32. Now, let's knock off the campaign oratory and get on with the bill and
33. remember that two years ago, we were telling you people the same

1. thing when we had a different Governor.

2. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

3. Senator Vadalabene.

4. SENATOR VADALABENE:

5. Yes, Mr. President. I understand that Senator Chew follows
6. me in...in the debate on this issue, however, I would like to move
7. the previous question.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

9. Senator Chew.

10. SENATOR CHEW:

11. I'd like for the Senator to hold his motion.
12. Mr. President, we've heard the beautiful political speeches
13. on this bill. We know very well that it's a necessity.
14. We would be castigated if we were to allow these employees to be
15. laid off. We know why there's a shortage, simply because
16. we had a hard winter. I like politics as well as anybody else,
17. but I don't think my constituents sent me down here to be so biased
18. to castigate the Governor or the Department of Transportation or
19. any other department simply for some political game and
20. that's exactly what we're doing. I don't care if it's
21. a Republican bill or a Democratic bill or a Communist bill,
22. it's a necessity and we ought to get on in the way of doing
23. business down here instead of trying to get reelected here on the
24. Senate Floor, or trying to defeat the Governor on the Senate
25. Floor. He has a mission in life. We have a mission in life and if
26. we're not strong enough to stand up on our own laurels back home in
27. our districts, then don't expect somebody else to stand up for you.
28. I'm going to support this bill. I'm going to support any bill that
29. would prohibit laying off our employees because of this hard
30. winter, whether it's political or not, and it's not because I'm the
31. Chairman of Transportation. It's because it is right. And we ought
32. to get on with the bill and now you may make your motion.

33. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

1. Senator Sam, would you hold your motion just a second.

2. Senator Knuppel has requested. Senator Knuppel.

3. SENATOR KNUPPEL:

4. Well, I just want to say two or three things. One...

5. one is that Senator Graham said he never heard any criticism
6. from this side of the aisle. I think I'm the one that charged
7. that Governor Walker would have made a good collision derby
8. driver 'cause he was always in reverse. Now, you've heard some
9. politics over on this side today and I'm not criticizing the
10. Governor. I'm criticizing the Director of the Department of
11. Transportation. I think the Governor better pick him up
12. and whack him one across the backside. He's the one that
13. started the politics. And that's unfortunate. He got up
14. yesterday with no cause. This bill was referred to 2nd
15. reading without reference to a committee and he was out of line
16. and you people should tell him he was out of line. I understand
17. he was a Democrat, but he sure as hell doesn't act like one.
18. Now, he was the guy that was out of line. He embarrassed your
19. Governor. He embarrasses us whenever he says he's a Democrat.
20. He's as ineffectual as the present President. He's an ineffectual
21. as Dan Walker was and Gentlemen, he's the guy that the bite ought
22. to be put on, not the fellows over here that are squealing a little bit.
23. We're going to vote for it, but he's the guy that's out of line and you
24. know it.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

26. Senator Vadalabene.

27. SENATOR VADALABENE:

28. I move the previous question.

29. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

30. The previous question has been moved. The...Senator
31. Coffey, we recognize you to close the debate.

32. SENATOR COFFEY:

33. Yes, Mr. President and members of the Senate. I'll be very
34. brief because I think this is a very important bill and as Senator Chew

1. mentioned, this is a bill that's for salaries for a lot of people
2. around the State of Illinois and be able to maintain and keep
3. our roads throughout the rest of this month. I feel there is an
4. answer or two that should be answered and I'll be brief on that
5. and number one, it was mentioned several times that we should
6. have known what this additional cost was going to be back
7. in January or February. And I would just like to remind my
8. colleagues here in the Senate that our bad weather was in
9. February and March and it's pretty hard to be able to understand
10. or to know what the weather was going to do two months in
11. advance, especially when there's forty-four percent more bad
12. weather than was last year...or more demands on the calls of our
13. Department of Transportation. I appreciate the members of the
14. Senate in their...they were very helpful in trying to move this
15. bill along rather fast. The House didn't do us any particular
16. favors. This was in the House, I believe on May the 9th.
17. They didn't move it over here too fast, but I do appreciate the
18. fact that the members of this Senate...has worked speedily
19. to get this appropriation through and hopefully be able to get it
20. signed by the Governor so that these employees of the State of
21. Illinois can go on with their work for the citizens of this State.
22. Thank you very much.

23. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

24. The question is shall House Bill 3388 pass. Those in favor
25. vote Aye. ...3380. Those in favor vote Aye. Those in...opposed
26. vote Nay. The voting is open. Have all voted who wish?
27. Have all voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record.
28. On that question the Ayes are 51, the Nays are 3, 1 Voting
29. Present. House Bill 3380 having received a constitutional
30. majority is declared passed.

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End of reel.

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2. House...1st reading.
3. SECRETARY: .
4. House Bill 2447.
5. (Secretary reads title of bill)
6. House Bill 2490.
7. (Secretary reads title of bill)
8. House Bill 2491.
9. (Secretary reads title of bill)
10. House Bill 2554.
11. (Secretary reads title of bill)
12. House Bill 2572.
13. (Secretary reads title of bill)
14. House Bill 2589.
15. (Secretary reads title of bill)
16. House Bill 2648.
17. (Secretary reads title of bill)
18. House Bill 2653.
19. (Secretary reads title of bill)
20. House Bill 2707.
21. (Secretary reads title of bill)
22. House Bill 2718.
23. (Secretary reads title of bill)
24. House Bill 2766.
25. (Secretary reads title of bill)
26. House Bill 2767.
27. (Secretary reads title of bill)
28. House Bill 2842.
29. (Secretary reads title of bill)
30. House Bill 2869.
31. (Secretary reads title of bill)
32. House Bill 2891.
33. (Secretary reads title of bill)

1. House Bill 2893.
2. (Secretary reads title of bill)
3. House Bill 1894.
4. (Secretary reads title of bill)
5. House Bill 1896.
6. (Secretary reads title of bill)
7. House Bill 2958.
8. (Secretary reads title of bill)
9. House Bill 3004.
10. (Secretary reads title of bill)
11. House Bill 3019.
12. (Secretary reads title of bill)
13. House Bill 3023.
14. (Secretary reads title of bill)
15. House Bill 3108.
16. (Secretary reads title of bill)
17. House Bill 3114.
18. (Secretary reads title of bill)
19. House Bill 3168.
20. (Secretary reads title of bill)
21. House Bill 3228.
22. (Secretary reads title of bill)
23. House Bill 3233.
24. (Secretary reads title of bill)
25. House Bill 3234.
26. (Secretary reads title of bill)
27. House Bill 3296.
28. (Secretary reads title of bill)
29. House Bill 3349.
30. (Secretary reads title of bill)
31. 1st reading of the foregoing bills.
32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
33. Rules Committee. Senator Hynes. Just a moment, Senator Hynes.

1. Committee Reports. Just a moment...
2. SECRETARY:
3. Senator Donnewald, Chairman of the Assignment of Bills
4. Committee assigns the following...assigns the following bills
5. to committee: Agriculture, Conservation and Energy: House Bills
6. 2490, 2491, 2653, 3349. Appropriations I: House Bill 3233.
7. Appropriations II: House Bill 3234. Elementary and Secondary
8. Education: House Bill 2891. Higher Education: House Bill 2767.
9. Elections and Reapportionment: House Bill 2554. Executive:
10. House Bill 2648 and 2842. Finance and Credit Regulations: House
11. Bill 2958. Judiciary I: House Bill 2449. Judiciary II: House
12. Bill...Bills 2572...or 2766, 3004, 3108 and 3228. Labor and
13. Commerce: House Bill 3023. Local Government: House Bills 2589,
14. 2893, 2894, 2896 and 3114. Public Health, Welfare and Corrections:
15. House Bills 2869 and 3296. Revenue: House Bills 2707, 2718, 3168
16. and 3019.
17. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
18. Senator Vadalabene.
19. SENATOR VADALABENE:
20. Yes, Mr. Chairman...Mr. President and members of the Senate.
21. Could I have some quiet please because I have an important announce-
22. ment to make.
23. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
24. Would you please be quiet...an important announcement by
25. Senator Vadalabene.
26. SENATOR VADALABENE:
27. Yes, the...the Committee on Appointments and Administration
28. is scheduled to meet at 5:00 o'clock, however, since we're just
29. about ready to adjourn Senator Buzbee has consented for us to
30. meet before his committee which meets at 2:30. All we have is
31. Easement Bills and...and confirmations of people who are non-
32. salaried. So I would suggest if you will get down there right
33. away immediately after adjournment we could get out of there in

1. less than fifteen or twenty minutes. So Senator Ozinga would
2. you please alert the members on the Republican side of the aisle
3. on that committee to get down there immediately after the Session
4. and we won't have to be back at five o'clock.

5. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

6. Thank you. Senator Carroll.

7. SENATOR CARROLL:

8. Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the
9. Senate. A motion that House Bill 2979 be transferred from...
10. the Committee on Appropriations II be discharged and that it be
11. reassigned to Appropriations I. It was...inadvertently assigned
12. to Appropriations II. So I would...waive the Six Day Posting
13. Requirement so that it could be heard tomorrow in Appropriations I.

14. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

15. It's...permission has been granted, Senator. Senator
16. Sangmeister.

17. SENATOR SANGMEISTER:

18. Yes, I'd like to be shown as the Senate sponsor of House
19. Bill No. 2669...2669.

20. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

21. Yeah. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. Senator Johns.
22. SENATOR JOHNS:

23. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I'd like to have your
24. attention just a moment.

25. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

26. Would you two Gentlemen in the aisles, Senator Harber Hall...
27. There's a very important announcement for you two. Would you
28. please clear the aisles and listen for this announcement you two.
29. Go ahead, Senator Johns.

30. SENATOR JOHNS:

31. I just received a call from my home that a very dear friend
32. of mine by the name of Paul Lambert, former coach of SIU basket-
33. ball, died in a fire this morning in Atlanta or in Georgia and I'd

1. like for you to join in a moment of silent prayer that will
2. be joined by thousands of young people throughout Southern
3. Illinois. He was a great coach and he was down there helping
4. some high school students and others getting indoctrinated in
5. basketball. Just left SIU and I'd like for you to join in
6. a moment of silent prayer for a very dear friend of mine. Thank
7. you very much.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

9. Would the members please rise and stand in silent prayer for
10. a moment. Senator Hynes.

11. SENATOR HYNES:

12. Mr. President, I would move that the Senate Committee on
13. Executive be discharged from further consideration of House Bill
14. 3191 and that the bill be rereferred to Appropriations I. It is
15. a bill which deals with the expenditure of Federal funds and
16. should be considered by the Appropriations Committee and I've
17. talked to the chairman of...of both committees.

18. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

19. You've heard the motion. All in favor say Aye. Opposed.
20. The Ayes have it. Any further announcements, Mr. President?
21. Senator Hynes.

22. SENATOR HYNES:

23. Mr. President, with respect to the Six Day Posting Require-
24. ment as you know it was waived for committee meetings this week
25. and therefore the bills that are being discharged from Rules
26. Committee can be heard but I would ask and have asked the
27. committee chairmen to announce those bills when they are set
28. so that we can give the best possible notice to the membership
29. and also to send out written notice to the extent that that is
30. possible to do so that we can inform not only the other members
31. but the general public of the pending committee hearings. I
32. would also like to have the record show that Senator Daley is
33. absent today. He became the father of a son. His wife gave

1. birth to a baby boy this morning and he will not be with us
2. today and I'd the record to reflect that fact and finally I
3. would like to announce that there will be a...a dinner in
4. honor of Representative Corneal Davis tonight at the Holiday Inn East
5. and Senator Smith's secretary has tickets available.

6. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

7. Leave has been requested to go back to the Order of House
8. Bills, 1st reading. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. House
9. Bills, 1st reading.

10. SECRETARY:

11. House Bill 2877 will be sponsored by Senator Netsch.

12. House Bill 2898 will be sponsored by Senator D'Arco.

13. House Bill 3279 will be sponsored by Senators Clewis-Lemke-
14. Rupp.

15. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

16. Rules Committee. Senator Maragos.

17. SENATOR MARAGOS:

18. Mr. President, I have left on the Secretary's Desk a bill
19. which I would like to file...have leave to file. It concerns
20. a very urgent issue of the State of Illinois...as concerns the
21. Steel Products Procurement Act and wants to put in effect by Statute
22. what we have done by resolution and although I know we'll not
23. have the opportunity to fully pass it by June 30th I think this is
24. an important enough measure and important enough issue that it
25. should be discussed during the Summer and it's right now the
26. chairman of the Economic Development Commission of our Legislature
27. ...is Senator Moore and myself and others have been conducting
28. hearings throughout the State on this whole issue of trying to
29. get...improve the business climate and I think this is a vital
30. issue of today and it's a timely issue and I would like to have
31. leave of the Senate to file this bill for further consideration.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

33. Senator Hynes.

1. SENATOR HYNES:

2. Mr. President, the deadline for filing bills has passed and
3. we have never had any objection to a member putting a bill in...
4. proposal into the hands of the Secretary but beyond that we cannot
5. accept it because it is in violation of the deadline and it will
6. not be numbered nor will it be sent to the Rules Committee but
7. the proposal can be left in the hands of the Secretary.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

9. Senator Maragos.

10. SENATOR MARAGOS:

11. Parliamentary inquiry. When will these measures be given
12. a number? After adjournment...June 30th?

13. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

14. Senator Hynes.

15. SENATOR HYNES:

16. They will...if you prefile them for the 1979 Legislative
17. Session they will be given a number then but not for this Session
18. or if...if there is a decision made to allow the introduction of
19. bills in the Fall Session which...well may be the case it could
20. be introduced then.

21. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

22. Senator Maragos.

23. SENATOR MARAGOS:

24. The only thing is I think it's a vital subject and a...and
25. I would like to know if we...does not preclude us from consideration
26. of these measures during this interim between June 30th and...and
27. the Fall Session is there, Mr. President?

28. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

29. That's correct.

30. SENATOR MARAGOS:

31. Thank you.

32. PRESIDING OFFICER:(SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

33. Senator Netsch.

1. SENATOR NETSCH:

2. Thank you, Mr. President. An announcement. Judiciary II
3. is on the schedule to meet tomorrow morning but we will not meet
4. tomorrow morning. Up until today, at least, there was only one
5. bill assigned to the committee and we will hold that until the
6. final meeting which is scheduled some day next week. So Judiciary
7. II will not meet tomorrow morning.

8. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

9. Thank you, Senator. Senator Harold Washington moves that the
10. Senate...Senate stand adjourned until twelve noon tomorrow, June...
11. Wednesday, June the 7th. The Senate is adjourned. Hold it just a
12. second. For what purpose does the...Senator...Buzbee arise?

13. SENATOR BUZBEE:

14. Well, Mr. President, to announce that the Senate Appropriations
15. Committee II will be meeting thirty minutes after the end of the
16. Session. Senator Vadalabene wants to use the Room 212 for the
17. Executive Appointments Committee and so at 2:45 Senate Appropriations
18. Committee II will be meeting in Room 212.

19. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

20. Senator Hynes.

21. SENATOR HYNES:

22. I would like the record to reflect that Senator Savickas is
23. absent due to the illness of his wife.

24. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)

25. Senator Maragos.

26. SENATOR MARAGOS:

27. An announcement, Mr. President. The Illinois Economic Fiscal
28. Commission was set to meet at eight o'clock because we thought
29. there would be Appropriations at nine. Since there are no
30. Appropriations committee for those of you who are members of
31. the Economic Fiscal Commission we will meet at 9:00 a.m. in
32. Room 12 instead of 8:00 a.m. We'll still have coffee in however
33. for those who stay up late.

1. PRESIDING OFFICER: (SENATOR KENNETH HALL)
2. Is there any further business to come before the Senate?
3. If not, the Senate will stand adjourned until twelve noon June 7th.
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