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PRESIDENT ROCK:

The hour of noon having arrived, the Senate will please come to order. Will the Members be at their desks and will our guests in the gallery please rise. Our prayer this afternoon by Reverend John R. Ossola from the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Springfield, Illinois. Father.

THE REVEREND JOHN R. OSSOLA:

(Prayer given by the Reverend John R. Ossola)

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Thank you, Father. Reading of the Journal, Madam Secretary. Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL:

Thank you, Mr. President. I move that reading and approval of the Journals of Tuesday, April the 3rd in the year 1990, be postponed pending arrival of the printed Journals.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

You've heard the motion as placed by Senator Hall. Is there any discussion? If not, all in favor, indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The motion carries, and it is so ordered. With leave of the Body, we've had a request from WICS TV-20 to take some -- shoot some film. Without objection, leave is granted. Message from the Secretary of State.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

A Message from the Secretary of State.

To the Honorable President of the Senate - Sir: In compliance with provisions of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, I am forwarding herewith the enclosed Senate Bill as vetoed by the Governor, together with his objections:

Senate Bill 1402.

Jim Edgar, Secretary of State.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. With leave of the Body, we'll waive the reading of

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the Governor's Veto Message and ask that it be journalized. The copy will be distributed to all Members. Without objection, leave is granted. Messages from the House.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

A Message from the House by Mr. O'Brien, 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 102.

It is congratulatory.

And I have a like Message with regard to House Joint Resolution 103.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Consent Calendar. Resolutions, Madam Secretary.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Resolution 899 offered by Senator Zito.

Senate Resolution 900 offered by Senator Zito.

Senate Resolution 901 offered by Senator Zito.

Senate Resolution 902 offered by Senator Savickas.

Senate Resolution 903 and 904 offered by Senator Severns.

Senate Resolution 905 offered by Senator DeAngelis.

Senate Resolution 906 offered by Senator Topinka.

And Senate Resolution 907 offered by Senator Raica.

They're all congratulatory.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Resolution 908 and 909 -- pardon me -- 908 offered by Senator Marovitz.

And 909 offered by Senator Savickas.

They're both substantive.

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PRESIDENT ROCK:

Executive. Resolutions.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Joint Resolution 137 offered by Senator Severns.

Senate Joint Resolution 138 offered by Senator Berman.

Senate Joint Resolution 139 offered by Senator Etheredge.

Senate Joint Resolution 140 offered by Senator Jacobs.

Senate Joint Resolution 141 offered by Senator Macdonald.

Senate Joint Resolution 142 offered by Senator Macdonald.

They're all congratulatory.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Joint Resolution 143 offered by Senator Brookins.

It is substantive.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Executive. Introduction of Bills.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1669 offered by Senator Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1670 offered by Senator Kelly.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1671 offered by Senator Kelly.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1672 offered by Senators Demuzio, Schaffer,
Vadalabene and O'Daniel.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1673 offered by Senator Topinka.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1674 offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1675 offered by Senator Rea.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1676 offered by Senator Berman.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1677 offered by Senator Berman.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1678 offered by Senators Daley and J.E. Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1679 offered by Senator Davidson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1681 offered by Senator Davidson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1682 offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1683 offered by Senator Berman.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1684 offered by Senator Daley.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1685 offered by Senators Smith and Holmberg.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1686 offered by Senator Smith.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1687 offered by Senator Thomas Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1688 offered by Senator Berman.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1689 offered by Senator Savickas.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1690 offered by Senator Savickas.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1691 offered by Senator Savickas.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1692 offered by Senator Savickas.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1693 offered by Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1694 offered by Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1695 offered by Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1696 offered by Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1697 offered by Senator Marovitz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1698 offered by Senators Rea, Ralph Dunn and O'Daniel.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1698 <sic> (1699) offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1700 offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1701 offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1702 offered by Senator Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1703 offered by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1704 offered by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1705 offered by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1706 offered by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1707 offered by Senator Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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Senate Bill 1708 offered by Senator Thomas Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1709 offered by Senators Topinka and Rea.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1710 offered by Senator Macdonald.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1711 offered by Senator Macdonald.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1712 offered by Senator Rigney.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Pardon me, Madam Secretary. Ladies and Gentlemen, with leave of the Body, WCIA - Channel 3 has also requested permission to shoot some film. Without objection, leave is granted. Madam Secretary, further introductions.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1713 offered by Senator Rigney.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1714 offered by Senator Rigney.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1715 offered by Senator Rigney.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1716 offered by Senator Rigney.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1717 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1718 offered by Senator Holmberg.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1719 offered by Senator Fawell.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1720 offered by Senator Holmberg.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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Senate Bill 1721 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1722 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1723 offered by Senator Luft.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1724.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

That was offered by Senator Weaver.

Senate Bill 1725 offered by Senator Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1726 offered by Senators Woodyard and Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1727 offered by Senator Demuzio.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1728 offered by Senator Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1729 offered by Senator Holmberg.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1730 offered by Senator Mahar.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

Senate Bill 1731 offered by Senator Thomas Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Kelly, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR KELLY:

Thank you, Mr. President. There was an inadvertent error made on Senate Resolution 846. I am listed as a principal sponsor, and Senator Topinka should be listed. So I'd request leave to transfer the sponsorship to Senator Topinka.

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PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. The Gentleman asks leave of the Body to show Senator Topinka as the chief sponsor of Senate Resolution 846, with Senator Kelly as the co-sponsor. Without objection, Madam Secretary, it's so ordered. Senator Geo-Karis, for what purpose do your arise?

SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, there will be a Republican Caucus in Senator Philip's offices immediately after we adjourn this morning Session.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Introduction of Bills.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1732 offered by Senator Welch.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1733 offered by Senator Welch.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1734 offered by Senator Welch.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1535 <sic> (1735) offered by Senators Madigan and Maitland.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1736 offered by Senator Holmberg.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1737 offered by Senators Holmberg and Smith.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1738 offered by Senator Rigney.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1739 offered by Senators Kelly and Smith.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1740 offered by Senator Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

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Senate Bill 1741 offered by Senator Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1742 offered by Senator Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1743 offered by Senator Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1744 offered by Senator Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1744 <sic> (1745) offered by Senator Jones.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1746 offered by Senator Dudycz.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1747 offered by Senator Hudson.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1748 offered by Senators Etheredge and Philip.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1749 offered by Senator Welch.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1750 offered by Senator Thomas Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1751 offered by Senator Smith.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1752 offered by Senators Maitland and Jacobs.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All the afore read bills will be referred, Madam Secretary, to the Rules Committee. Senator Geo-Karis, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

Mr. -- Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate, now that more bodies are here, I'll repeat that the Republicans

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are going to have a caucus in Senator Philip's offices immediately after you adjourn this Session.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

We will -- we will remind them, upon adjournment. Resolutions, Madam Secretary.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Resolution 910 offered by Senator Rea.

Senate Resolution 911 offered by Senator Woodyard.

Senate Resolution 912 offered by Senators Karpziel and Philip.

And Senate Joint Resolution 145 offered by Senator Woodyard.

They're all congratulatory.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Consent Calendar.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Joint Resolution 144 offered by Senators Jacobs and Hudson.

It is substantive.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Executive. Committee Reports.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senator Kelly, Chairman of the Committee on Executive Appointments, Veterans Affairs and Administration, to which was referred the Governor's Messages of March 7, 1990, and April 3, 1990, reported the same back with the recommendation that the Senate advise and consent to the following appointments.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY:

Thank you, Mr. President. I move that the Senate resolve itself into Executive Session for the purpose of acting on the Governor's appointments set forth in his message of March 7th and April 3rd, 1990.

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PRESIDENT ROCK:

You've heard the motion as placed by Senator Kelly that the Senate resolve itself into Executive Session. Any discussion? If not, all in favor of that motion, indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The motion carries. It is so ordered. The Senate is now in Executive Session. Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY:

Thank you, Mr. President. With respect to the Governor's Message of April 3rd, 1990, I will read the salaried appointments to which the Senate Committee on Executive Appointments, Veterans Affairs and Administration recommend that the Senate do advise and consent:

To be the Director of the Illinois Department of Public Aid for a term ending January 21, 1991, Kathleen Breidert-Kustra of Park Ridge.

To be the Director of the Illinois Department of Professional Regulation for a term ending January 21, 1991, Kevin Wright of Springfield.

To be the Secretary of the Illinois Department of Transportation for a term ending January 21, 1991, Michael Lane of Springfield.

To be the Director of the Illinois Department of Corrections for a term ending January 21, 1991, Kenneth McGinnis of Jacksonville.

To be the Assistant Director of the Illinois Department of Insurance for a term ending January 21, 1991, Stephen Carl Schneider of Deerfield.

To be a member of the Illinois Commerce Commission for a term ending January 21, 1991, Jerry Blakemore of Chicago.

To be the Chairman of the Property Tax Appeal Board for a term ending January 16, 1995, Anthony J. Leone, Jr. of Springfield.

To be Chairman of the Illinois State Labor Relations Board for

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a term ending January 24, 1994, William M. Brogan of Oak Lawn.

To be the Assistant Director of the Illinois Department of Public Aid for a term expiring January 21, 1991, Michelle A. Arnold of Springfield.

To be members of the Illinois Industrial Commission for terms expiring January 21, 1991, Robert J. Malooly of Morton Grove; Richard Gilgis of Downers Grove; Stuart M. Pellish of Skokie; and Linzey D. Jones of Chicago.

To be members of the Illinois Industrial Commission for terms expiring January 18, 1993, Barry Ketter of Itasca; Joanne Fratianni of Lake Forest; and Jacqueline A. Kinnaman of Chicago.

Mr. President, having read the salaried appointments, I now seek leave to consider these appointments on one roll call, unless some Senator has objection to these appointments. Mr. President, will you please put the question as required by our rules?

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. Senator Kelly has sought leave of the Body to consider those nominees on one roll call. Without objection, leave is granted. The question is, does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made. Those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed will vote Nay, and 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 Ayes, no Nays, 1 voting Present. A majority of the -- Senators elected concurring by record vote, the Senate does advise and consent to the nominations just made. Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY:

Thank you, Mr. President. With respect to the Governor's message of March 7th, 1990, I will read the unsalaried appointments, to which the Senate Committee on Executive Appointments, Veterans Affairs and Administration recommends that the Senate do advise and consent:

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To be a member of the Gaming Board for a term expiring July 1, 1991, Raymond Niepert of Mulkeytown.

To be members of the Gaming Board for a term ending July 1, 1992, Thomas J. Johnson of Chicago and Robert G. Gibson of Chicago.

To be members of the Gaming Board for a term ending July 1, 1993, William J. Kunkle of Indian Head Park and William Jack Chamblin of Robinson.

To be a member of the Illinois Health Facilities Authority for a term ending June 30, 1996, Louis G. Alexander of Chicago.

To be members of Surface Mining Advisory Council for terms ending August 10, 1992, Robert J. Blaylock of Sessor; Richard O. Smith of DuQuoin; Wendell R. Clark of Victoria; Kenneth T. Stellhorn of Red Bud.

To be a member of the Surface Mining Advisory Council for a term ending August 10, 1991, Rollie D. Moore of Oneida.

To be a member of the Surface Mining Advisory Council for a term ending August 10, 1990, Richard E. Lounsbury of Carlinville.

To be members of the Illinois Council on Agricultural Education for terms expiring March 13, 1992, Peter D. Bloome of Urbana and Barbara H. Valerious of Homewood.

To be a member of the Advisory Board of Necropsy Services to Coroners for a term expiring January 20, 1992, Larry W. Blum of Elgin.

To be a member of the Economic Technical Advisory Committee for a term expiring March 3, 1992, John B. Braden of Champaign.

To be a member of the Southwest Regional Port District Board for a term ending June 30, 1992, Scott R. Randolph of East St. Louis.

To be a member of the Department of Children and Family Services Advisory Council for a term ending January 18, 1993, Patricia Scudder of Arlington Heights.

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To be a member of the Board of Trustees of the East St. Louis State Community College for a term ending June 30, 1991, Roger Connor of East St. Louis.

To be members of the Board of Trustees of the East St. Louis State Community College for a term ending June 30, 1993, Johnnie Penelton of East St. Louis; Don Knuckle of Centreville; and Warrington Hudlin of Washington Park.

To be members of the Board of Trustees of the East St. Louis State Community College for a term ending June 30, 1995, Constance Rockingham of Belleville and John Washburn of Carbondale.

To be a member of the Guardianship and Advocacy Commission for a term ending June 30, 1993, Barbara Leardi of Edwardsville.

Mr. President, having read the unsalaried appointments, I now seek leave to consider these appointments on one roll call, unless some Senator has objections to a specific appointment. Will you please put the question as required by our rules, Mr. President?
PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. Senator Kelly has sought leave to consider those unsalaried nominees on one roll call. Without objection, leave is granted. The question is then, does the Senate advise and consent to the nominations just made. Those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed will vote Nay, and 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 Ayes, no Nays, none voting Present. A majority of the Senators elected concurring by record vote, the Senate does advise and consent to the nominations just made. Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY:

Thank you, Mr. President. With respect to the Governor's Message of April 3rd, 1990, I will read the salaried appointments to which the Senate Committee on Executive Appointments, Veterans Affairs and Administration recommends that the Senate do advise

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and consent.

To be the Assistant Director of the Illinois Department of Public Aid for a term expiring January 21, 1991, Michelle A. Arnold of Springfield.

To be members of the Illinois Industrial Commission for terms expiring January 21, 1991, Robert J. Malooly of Morton Grove; Richard Gilgis of Downers Grove; Stuart M. Pellish of Skokie and Linzey D. Jones of Chicago.

To be members of the Illinois Industrial Commission -- excuse me, Mr. President. Mr. President, I will - after reading into the record the Assistant Director of the Illinois Department of Public Aid - apparently that's the last one - for a term expiring January 21, of 1991, Michelle A. Arnold of Springfield. The other appointments to the Industrial Commission have already been voted on. I move then, having read the salaried appointment, I now seek leave to consider this appointment on one roll call unless some Senator has objections to these -- to this appointment. Mr. President, put the -- I would request that you put the question as required by our rules.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. Question is, does the Senate advise and consent to the nomination just made. Those in favor will vote Aye. Opposed, vote Nay. The voting's open. Have all voted who wish? All voted who wish? Have all voted who wish? Take the record. On that question, there are 55 Ayes, no Nays, none voting Present. Majority of the Senators elected concurring by record vote, the Senate does advise and consent to the nomination just made. Senator Kelly.

SENATOR KELLY:

Mr. President, I now move that we arise from Executive Session.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

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...(machine cutoff)... All right. Senator Kelly has moved that the Senate arise from Executive Session. Discussion? If not, all in favor, indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The Senate does now arise - the Senate is back in Session. Senator DeAngelis, for what purpose do you arise, sir?
SENATOR DeANGELIS:

Thank you, Mr. President. I would like to have leave of the Body to be shown as hyphenated sponsor of Senate Bill 1496, 1497, 1504 and 1565. I have leave of the sponsor to do so.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Will you be kind enough to give those numbers to the Secretary, or shall we get them off your campaign brochure? All right. Senator DeAngelis seeks leave of the Body to be added as a co-sponsor on those four bills. Without objection, I am sure leave is granted. Senator Smith, for what purpose do you arise?
SENATOR SMITH:

Thank you, Mr. President and Ladies and Gentlemen. I'd like to ask if you would -- leave of the Body to remove Senate Bill 1526, which is currently in the Senate Rules Committee.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Do what?

SENATOR SMITH:

I want to have removed from the Rules Committee - Senate Bill 1526.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Okay. We'll -- we'll get to that. Rules Committee's going to meet tomorrow morning. All right, Ladies and Gentlemen, there's been a request by Senators Philip and Jones to go to the Order of House Bills 3rd Reading. If you'll take a look at your Calendar. On Page 5 of the Calendar. With leave of the Body, we will go to that order of business. I understand that there has been an amendment prepared at the Governor's request, which Senators

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Philip and Jones are prepared to offer. So with leave of the Body, we'll go to the Order of House Bills 3rd Reading for the purpose of House Bill 34, Madam Secretary. Senator Jones seeks leave of the Body to return that bill to the Order of 2nd Reading for purposes of an amendment. Is leave granted? Leave is granted. On the Order of House Bills 2nd Reading is House Bill 34, Madam Secretary.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Amendment No. 2 offered by Senators Philip and Jones.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Philip.

SENATOR PHILIP:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. This is the administration's cleanup amendment for Senate <sic> Bill 34, which is the river boat gambling. And the major change is putting a limit of five hundred dollars on what a person could lose while gambling. The others are technical in nature. It provides fees for special event licenses shall be deposited in the State Gaming Fund to cover the board's expenses. A technical reference is made to ensure proper procedure for the Department of State Police to received reimbursement. The other thing it does, it's a reference of the Retail Occupation Tax is corrected to permit judicial review. I'd be happy to answer any questions, and I move the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate <sic> Bill 34.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. Senator Philip has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 34. Discussion? Senator Jacobs.

SENATOR JACOBS:

Thank you, Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Senate. I understand what the Governor wants to do with this, Senator. And I understand he wants to get his appropriations in order and a few of those things, but without any money coming in, I guess I

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really don't understand the hurry. I think this is a premature cleanup. I think there's some questions that still stand -- need to be taken care of, such as the year-round gaming, so we're not paying unemployment while the people are off, which Senator Schuneman alluded to. In the arguments there are -- the arguments still to be taken care of are the "shall" versus "may" in Will County and some of the others. And even though I think it's premature, and I don't think it goes far enough, I have Senate Bill 1511, which I propose to some other stuff with, and hopefully we will not just put this to bed with the passage of this amendment and passage of this bill, because we have other areas that also have to be addressed. And then finally, in -- in keeping with the -- the requests of -- of the chairman and the gaming commission, they have asked to -- to look at whether or not there should be a -- a limit or not. They wanted to get the input from the industry, which we had not had the time and the energy to do before we established a limit. However, I do understand the commitment that we made earlier on, and therefore will not oppose this legislation as it sits. But hopefully we look at it strongly and firmly before we make a final decision.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Further discussion? Senator Topinka.

SENATOR TOPINKA:

Yes. If I may have a question of the sponsor.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Sponsor indicates he will yield, Senator Topinka.

SENATOR TOPINKA:

Yeah. According to our summary here, there -- there is a question as to where the -- the money that would be deposited -- that where it's -- well, the fees for the special event licenses shall be deposited into the State Gaming Fund to cover the board's expenses for issuing licenses. Current language directs the fees

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to the Education Assistance Fund. Now, when this bill was passed, I -- I think part of whatever luster was used to pass it was the fact that this would benefit education in some way. Does this amendment remove that provision or change it in any way?

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Philip.

SENATOR PHILIP:

All we're trying to do is take care of the administrative costs of -- of - how should I say it - policing that new industry.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Topinka.

SENATOR TOPINKA:

If I may ask that question again. The reason being -- is when we did the Lottery the first time, I think the public was under the impression that monies from the Lottery were going to go to education. That did not occur. We then put it back in, and there still is much discourse. So could you be more specific? Does money -- is now money removed from education by this amendment?

SENATOR PHILIP:

You know, special licenses...

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Philip.

SENATOR PHILIP:

...were left out. This includes it. We are already paying for the administrative cost.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Topinka.

SENATOR TOPINKA:

I hate to argue with my leader, whom I respect very much, but I still don't know that that answers my question. I mean, is it a yes or no?

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PRESIDENT ROCK:

Senator Philip.

SENATOR PHILIP:

All this basically does, Senator, is cover administrative costs of this operation. Basically is what it does.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Further discussion? Any further discussion? Senator Philip, you wish to close? All right. Senator Philip has moved the adoption of Amendment No. 2 to House Bill 34. Further discussion? If not, all in favor, indicate by saying Aye. All opposed. The Ayes have it. The amendment's adopted. Further amendments?

SECRETARY HAWKER:

No further amendments.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

3rd Reading. Introduction of Bills.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1753 offered by Senator Luft.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1754 offered by Senator Savickas.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1755 offered by Senator Karpiel.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1756 offered by Senator Brookins.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1757 offered by Senator Brookins.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1758 offered by Senator Brookins.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1759 offered by Senator Brookins.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1760 offered by Senator Dudycz.

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(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1761 offered by Senator J.J. Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1762 offered by Senator Woodyard.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1763 offered by Senator Severns.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill - pardon me - 1764 offered by Senator Kustra.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1765 offered by Senator Kustra.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1766 offered by Senator Kustra.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1767 offered by Senator Schaffer.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1768 offered by Senator J.J. Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1769 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1770 offered by Senator Thomas Dunn.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1771 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill - pardon me - 1772 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1773 offered by Senator Maitland.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Rules Committee. Resolutions.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Resolution 913 offered by Senators Geo-Karis and all

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Members.

It is congratulatory.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Consent Calendar. All right. Ladies and Gentlemen, any further business to come before the Senate? Senator Collins, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR COLLINS:

Thank you, Mr. President. Just for the record, I would like to reflect that Senator Newhouse is away today on business - official business.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

The record will so reflect. Senator Lechowicz.

SENATOR LECHOWICZ:

Thank you, Mr. President. Are we going to go to 1402?

PRESIDENT ROCK:

It's the first I heard of it. There's a Supplemental Calendar. If you wish to get to that Order, we can certainly do it.

SENATOR LECHOWICZ:

Great.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. Madam Secretary, if you will, pass out the Supplemental Calendar. All right. Ladies and Gentlemen, if I can turn your attention to Senate Calendar Supplemental No. 1. With leave of the Body, we'll move to the Order of Motions in Writing to Override Total Vetoes. There's been a request by Senator Lechowicz to go to that Order. Read the motion, Madam Secretary.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

I move that Senate Bill 1406 <sic>, do pass, the veto of the Governor to the contrary notwithstanding.

Filed by Senator Lechowicz.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

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Senator Geo-Karis, for what purpose do you arise?

SENATOR GEO-KARIS:

If I could -- a Republican Caucus immediately.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. That request is in order. Ladies and Gentlemen, There'll be a Republican Caucus immediately in Senator Philip's office. The Senate will stand in Recess until - let's say two o'clock. Reconvene at two o'clock.

(RECESS)

(SENATE RECONVENES)

PRESIDENT ROCK:

The Senate will please come to order, and I'd ask the Members who are in their offices or attending meetings to please come to the Floor so that we can conclude our business for this afternoon. Introduction of Bills, Madam Secretary.

SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1774 offered by Senators Demuzio, Vadalabene and Smith.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1776 <sic> (1775) offered by Senator J.E. Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1776 offered by Senator J.E. Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1777 offered by Senator J.J. Joyce.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

Introduction of Bills.

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SECRETARY HAWKER:

Senate Bill 1778 offered by Senator Raica.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

Senate Bill 1779 offered by Senator O'Daniel.

(Secretary reads title of bill)

1st Reading of the bills.

PRESIDENT ROCK:

All right. All the bills that have been read a first time will be, of course, referred to the Rules Committee, Madam Secretary. ...(machine cutoff)... All right. Any further business to come before the Senate? Further business? Further announcements? If not, Senator Vadalabene moves the Senate stand adjourned until noon tomorrow. Noon tomorrow, Ladies and Gentlemen.

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