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STEVEN M. BOGGESS, Secretary

P R O C E E D I N G S

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: The Senate will please come to order.

Would everyone please rise and join me in the Pledge of Allegiance.

(Whereupon, the assemblage recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.)

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: The invocation today will be given by the Reverend Peter G. Young, from Blessed Sacrament Church in Bolton Landing.

REVEREND YOUNG: We are all proud elected leaders, as were Presidents Van Buren, Fillmore, Arthur, Cleveland, Theodore and Franklin Roosevelt. May we continue in the greatness of their dedicated public service to all of our citizens of New York State. May we follow in the rich tradition of the Senators that first met in Kingston five days after the Declaration of Independence.

You, O God, have promised our Senators and given them outstanding examples to inspire them and those in this chamber for committed service to all of our citizens.

But today we welcome a legend from

the music world. We welcome a legend in this with Senate hospitality for his outstanding contribution to the arts. We ask You, O God, to bless him and bless all of those here present, in Your name, now and forever.

Amen.

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: Please be seated.

Reading of the Journal.

THE SECRETARY: In Senate, Sunday, April 30, the Senate met pursuant to adjournment. The Journal of Saturday, April 29, was read and approved. On motion, Senate adjourned.

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: Without objection, the Journal stands approved as read.

Presentation of petitions.

Messages from the Assembly.

Messages from the Governor.

Reports of standing committees.

Reports of select committees.

Communications and reports from state officers.

Motions and resolutions.

Senator Bruno.

SENATOR BRUNO: Mr. President, colleagues, I believe I have a privileged resolution at the desk. I would ask that it be read in its entirety and move for its immediate adoption.

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: By Senator Bruno, Legislative Resolution Number 4707, paying tribute to the stellar career and noted achievements of legendary jazz musician Dave Brubeck.

"WHEREAS, It is the sense of this Legislative Body to recognize and pay tribute to outstanding individuals whose creative talents contribute to the entertainment and cultural enrichment of their community, the State of New York, and beyond; and

"WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern, and fully in accord with its long-standing traditions, it is the intent of this Legislative Body to pay tribute to the stellar career and noted achievements of legendary jazz musician Dave Brubeck, who, as

part of his yearlong 85th birthday celebration, will be performing at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center's 2006 Jazz Festival; and

"WHEREAS, Born David Warren Brubeck in Concord, California, on December 6, 1920, this octogenarian is a legendary jazz composer, pianist and bandleader whose musical compositions have become etched in the fabric of American society; and

"WHEREAS, Until the age of 11, Dave Brubeck received early training in classical music from his mother, a pianist and teacher; two of his brothers are music teachers, and four of his sons are professional jazz musicians; and

"WHEREAS, By the age of 13, Dave Brubeck was performing professionally with local jazz groups. He received a Bachelor of Arts degree in music from the College of the Pacific in Stockton, California. He studied composition with the classical composer Darius Milhaud at Mills College in Oakland, California; and

"WHEREAS, From 1940 until 1942,

Dave Brubeck played in The Band That Jumps. Then he joined the Army and played with the Wolf Pack Band in Europe (1944-45). After being discharged, he went back to study with Milhaud between 1946 and 1949; and

"WHEREAS, With fellow students, Dave Brubeck founded the experimental Jazz Workshop Ensemble, which started recording in 1949 as the Dave Brubeck Octet; it included Paul Desmond, Cal Tjader and Bill Smith; and

"WHEREAS, In 1949, Dave created the Dave Brubeck Trio with smooth-swinging bassist Gene Wright and hard-swinging drummer Joe Morello; and

"WHEREAS, In 1951, with the addition of the lyrical and witty alto saxophonist Paul Desmond, it became the famous original Dave Brubeck Quartet (1951-67). It was one of the most popular jazz groups of all time, selling millions of records. In 1954, he even made the cover of Time Magazine. The LP "Time Out," recorded and released in 1959, was the first jazz album to sell over 1 million copies; and

"WHEREAS, Despite his popularity,

Dave Brubeck was an experimental musician who introduced unusual time signatures; and

"WHEREAS, In 1959, Dave Brubeck appeared with Leonard Bernstein and the New York Philharmonic orchestra. In the early 1960s, he began to compose extended works, including "Points on Jazz" for the American Ballet and the musical theater piece "The Real Ambassadors," written with the help of his wife, Iola, a lyricist; and

"WHEREAS, In 1967, Dave Brubeck disbanded the Dave Brubeck Quartet to concentrate on composing. In 1968, he formed a new quartet that included the more swinging Gerry Mulligan in place of the retiring Paul Desmond, as well as Alan Dawson and Jack Six; and

"WHEREAS, The played together until 1972. Then, Dave Brubeck began to play with his sons Darius (keyboards), Dan (drums) and Chris (bass guitar and bass trombone). They stayed together until 1974. Again, he retired to write extended works, including the oratorio "The Light in the Wilderness"; and

"WHEREAS, From 1977 to 1979, Dave

Brubeck formed a new quartet with Jack Six, Rand Jones and Bill Smith or Bob Militello. In 1987, he composed and performed music for the papal visit. He has also played for every American president since John F. Kennedy; and

"WHEREAS, From the 1980s on, Dave Brubeck received numerous awards, including a Lifetime Achievement Award in 1996 from the National Academy of Recording Arts and Sciences; and

"WHEREAS, Dave Brubeck has established himself as an ambassador of jazz, writing more than 100 classical works. Throughout his career, he has collaborated with many other notable musicians and composers, including Louis Armstrong, Carmen McRae, and Jimmy Rushing, just to name a few; and

"WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is proud to commend Dave Brubeck, a brilliant jazz musician whose spellbinding talent will long serve as a standard to which others might aspire; now, therefore, be it

"RESOLVED, That this Legislative Body pause in its deliberations to pay tribute

to the stellar career and noted achievements of Dave Brubeck, and to wish him a very happy 85th birthday; and be it further

"RESOLVED, That a copy of this resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to Dave Brubeck."

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: Senator Bruno.

SENATOR BRUNO: Thank you, Mr. President and colleagues.

We've just heard a short chronicle of one of the greatest Americans in our time. Dave Brubeck, at the tender young age of 85, last year traveled the world, and this year so far traveling the world, I think did 80 concerts last year.

For the young people that are here, and visitors, a resolution like this is done to recognize people who distinguish themselves in some special way. And it's passed just like any law that is passed. It becomes part of the history of the Legislature, the Senate and the State.

I can say Mr. Brubeck -- who is accompanied by Russell Gloyd, who is his

manager, agent, collaborator, travels with him, and then some, for the last 30 years, and Marcia White, who was one of us not too long ago, is now president of the Saratoga performing arts. She has engaged Dave Brubeck, I believe who will lead the Jazz Festival in Saratoga this year.

David started his career, I believe, at age 13. And you think about in the fifties and sixties, his name, with his quartet and his trio before, is known literally throughout the world. He made jazz what jazz became. Had the first million-dollar record, I believe in '59, from a jazz musician. I believe it was "Time Out."

So when we recognize people -- and, Dave, I want to say to you that you just haven't excelled musically but as an individual, as a role model for people throughout the world, doing what you do. Reaching the pinnacle of your success and still functioning at that level is a tribute to you, to your parents, and really to the dedication and the commitment that you have to people.

So we really just can't say enough good things about how special it is that in these hallowed halls, this historic chamber, that we are able to recognize and honor you with this special resolution.

May you go on for years and years and years, in the best of everything, doing the things that you do in such a special way to benefit everybody throughout the world.

Thank you, and God bless you.

(Standing ovation.)

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: Senator Paterson.

SENATOR PATERSON: Thank you, Mr. President.

It's such a rousing reception for Dave Brubeck. I didn't get a chance to be recognized, but I just wanted to say that those of us on this side of the aisle, everyone all over New York admires and marvels at the work of Dave Brubeck. He does rightly distinguish himself.

When I was growing up at a tender young age and my parents gave me a Victrola -- and you've got to be pretty old to know what a

Victrola was. And I had a Dave Brubeck Quartet album in 1957, '58, '59. And I remember his first million-dollar seller. And we are very proud of him.

He shares a birthday with one of our colleagues, Senator Efrain Gonzalez, who is only half his age -- he's 42 1/2 years old today -- and has shared a time period with Senator John Marchi, who is 19 days away from his birthday and operates with the same zeal and vigor.

And I think that if you could play 80 concerts in one year, Mr. Brubeck, that we could have 80 sessions in one year. But we only had -- we checked -- 71 sessions last year.

So we're all very proud of you; best wishes. We'll see you at the Saratoga Performing Arts Center later. And we want to wish you well, wish you health, and wish all the people who haven't yet gotten to hear your music the opportunity to do so in the coming years.

Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO:

First, I want to thank Senator Bruno for giving me the honor to preside over this extremely important day for everyone here, for the State of New York, but especially for me.

I am a Dave Brubeck lover. I've been a Dave Brubeck Quartet lover as long as I can remember. I'm a jazz fanatic, and he and his music got me to be that way.

Couple of small anecdotes. I'll never forget, as long as I live, two events. One is when I was in college, the Dave Brubeck Quartet performed at the Ithaca College, small little gym. Before him was a comedian by the name of Dick Gregory.

Well, I didn't quite agree with Dick Gregory's politics at the time, so I took a break and fortunately walked down to the locker room. And lo and behold, there's Gene Wright pulling up his trousers, there's Paul Desmond shaving, there's Dave Brubeck talking to Gene Wright. I was never so excited in my entire life. I was just beside myself. And I thank Ithaca College for inviting Dick Gregory for the rest of my life.

Then, last September, Dave Brubeck

came back to Syracuse at age 85, or soon to be 85 years old, played at the Civic Center there. The most marvelous, beautiful music, and his gentle way in presenting that music and explaining it is something also I'll never forget. And I met him for the first time that day.

I'm going to tell you, if someone is in this room that has never heard their music, you've really got to be -- or those who have heard his music, you will be at SPAC at the end of June. That place should be filled.

We are honored to have you here today. And I speak for everybody here: 84 more great years. And keep playing as long as you possibly can, because you've been a great ambassador for the United States of America throughout this world.

Thank you very much.

On the resolution, all those in favor signify by saying aye.

(Response of "Aye.")

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: Opposed.

(No response.)

ACTING PRESIDENT DeFRANCISCO: The resolution unanimously passes.

And thank you, David Brubeck, for your fabulous life of music.

(Standing ovation.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Skelos.

SENATOR SKELOS: Mr. President, this is really a special day, with Dave Brubeck, and there's so many young people here.

Would you please recognize Senator Young. I think she'd like to comment on one other special person we have here today.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Young.

SENATOR YOUNG: I'm very pleased because we are joined by a very special person.

And we all remember in this room a few years ago we passed legislation to require AEDs, automatic external defibrillators, in all of the school districts across the state. And since that time, 23 lives have been saved.

And I'm very pleased to report that

a young man is here. He's 18 years old. He's a senior at Perry Central School in Senator Volker's district, and he lives in Leicester.

But he was at a school district in Franklinville, in my district, a few months ago. He was at a wrestling match, he won his match. And afterward he went to call his girlfriend on his cell phone in the bleachers, and he collapsed. He went into convulsions, and his heart actually stopped.

There were two people from my district, a trainer and an athletic director, Melissa O'Brien and William Weigel, who got the AED and were able to stabilize and revive him, and he went to the hospital. Since that time, he has had open-heart surgery. But the doctors say that he is just fine.

So I just wanted to let everyone know here today that here's someone tangible whose life you helped save. And I just want to thank you for supporting that legislation.

And I wanted to really recognize this young man, because he has taken the initiative to be here today, with the American Heart Association, to let us know how

important these issues actually are.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Thank you.

Senator Skelos.

SENATOR YOUNG: Excuse me, Mr. President.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Young.

SENATOR YOUNG: His name is Ben Rice. And his father is here also, and his name is Steve Rice.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Thank you, Senator Young.

On behalf of Senator Bruno and Senator Paterson and the New York State Senate, we welcome you. Thank you very much.

Senator Skelos.

SENATOR SKELOS: Mr. President, could we have Resolution 4331, by Senator Flanagan, read title only and move for its immediate adoption.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: By Senator Flanagan, Legislative Resolution Number 4331,

honoring Jerrold Lieblich of East Setauket, New York, upon the occasion of capturing one of the top ten prizes in the prestigious Intel Science Talent Search.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Flanagan, on the resolution.

SENATOR FLANAGAN: Thank you, Mr. President.

We just had, obviously, Dave Brubeck and a fine young man who happened to survive, so it's a notable day here in the State Senate, as always.

I want to introduce to the body Jerrold Lieblich, who is from East Setauket, who is one of the top ten finalists in the country, placed fifth in the nation, got a $25,000 scholarship. He's here with his mother today. And we have passed a legislative resolution honoring his achievements.

He did a cognitive psychology study around an audiovisual illusion called the "McGurk effect." And for that he was able to distinguish himself and get a phenomenal scholarship; he will be attending Yale in the

fall.

And when we talk about education -- we had a whole bunch of students in here -- these are the kinds of things that we should all be proud of. When people talk about all the bad things in education, part of our obligation is to make sure that we're talking about the people who, at 17, love Dave Brubeck, love jazz, play the piano, are in the Latin club and have gotten all kinds of math and Latin awards and make us proud to be representatives, certainly in the Three Village School District.

And I just want to congratulate Jerrold and his family.

Thank you, Mr. President.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Thank you, Senator Flanagan.

Jerrold, we certainly welcome you to the Senate.

Senator LaValle, I'm sorry.

SENATOR LaVALLE: Mr. President, I'd like to speak on the resolution.

I've actually had the opportunity to know Jerry's mom, Perri Fitterman, who is

here, and Jerry's grandmother, Marilyn Fitterman. And Marilyn, by the way, was the New York State president of NOW and has done lots of good things, as has Perri. And now we are here in the Senate chamber honoring Jerry.

As Senator Flanagan said, we not only honor him for his intellectual skills and finishing fifth in national competition in the Intel competition, but the thing that always amazes me, if we look at what he has done at this young age, it's page after page after page. But it demonstrates that he is very diversified in athletics, in music, in other outside areas of volunteerism. He is really a renaissance man at a very, very young age.

And, Jerry, just as we honored Dave Brubeck, I expect that someday you're going to return to this Senate chamber and you're going to be recognized for some invention or something that you have accomplished in the area of science. So we honor you here today, and this honor is well deserved.

Congratulations.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The question is on the resolution. All in favor

signify by saying aye.

(Response of "Aye.")

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Opposed, nay.

(No response.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The resolution is adopted.

Senator Skelos.

SENATOR SKELOS: Mr. President, if we could go to the noncontroversial reading of the calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The Secretary will read.

Senator Skelos.

SENATOR SKELOS: Mr. President, before we go to the noncontroversial reading of the calendar, I believe there are some motions and substitutions to be made.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Farley.

SENATOR FARLEY: Thank you, Mr. President.

On behalf of Senator Golden, I move that the following bill be discharged from its respective committee and be recommitted with

instructions to strike the enacting clause. That's Senate Print 7635.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: So ordered.

SENATOR FARLEY: Mr. President, I wish to call up, on behalf of Senator Nozzolio, his bill 1973C, which was recalled from the Assembly and it's now at the desk.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 598, by Senator Nozzolio, Senate Print 1973C, an act to amend the Energy Law.

SENATOR FARLEY: I now move to reconsider the vote by which this bill was passed.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll on reconsideration.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

SENATOR FARLEY: I now offer the following amendments.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The amendments are received.

SENATOR FARLEY: Mr. President, I

offer amendments to the following Third Reading Calendar bills:

On behalf of Senator Nozzolio, on page 22, Calendar 244, Senate Print 6471A;

On behalf of Senator LaValle, on page 36, Calendar 590, Senate Print 2620;

On behalf of yourself, Senator Maziarz, on page 38, Calendar Number 626, Senate Print 7175;

On behalf of Senator Golden, on page 46, Calendar 748, Senate Print 7239;

On behalf of Senator Spano, page 46, Calendar Number 750, Senate Print 7316;

And on behalf of Senator Maziarz, on page 47, Calendar 753, Senate Print 7321.

Mr. President, I move that these bills retain their place on the Third Reading Calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The amendments are received, and the bills will retain their place on the Third Reading Calendar.

Senator Fuschillo.

SENATOR FUSCHILLO: Thank you, Mr. President.

On behalf of Senator Larkin, on page number 32, I offer the following amendments to Calendar Number 517, Senate Print 6880, and ask that said bill retain its place on Third Reading Calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The amendments are received, and the bill will retain its place on Third Reading Calendar.

The Secretary will read the substitutions.

THE SECRETARY: On page 32, Senator Larkin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Racing, Gaming and Wagering, Assembly Bill Number 7886A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill Number 2634A, Third Reading Calendar 512.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Substitution ordered.

The Secretary will read the noncontroversial calendar.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 417, by Senator Young, Senate Print 6499, an act to amend the Town Law and the Public Officers Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read

the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 471, by Senator Balboni, Senate Print 6760, an act to amend the Retirement and Social Security Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Duane.

To explain your vote, Senator Duane?

SENATOR DUANE: Thank you,

Mr. President. Yes, Mr. President.

I'll be voting for this bill, which provides credit to members of the public retirement systems of this state for military service while serving regarding certain hostilities in Afghanistan.

And I'm sure that many of these brave soldiers, when they return, will be suffering from posttraumatic stress disorder as a result of what they've gone through in Afghanistan. And I'm sure that the Veterans Administration -- although there have been a lot of cuts to it recently, unfortunately -- will be providing the proper mental health treatment for posttraumatic stress disorder.

Unfortunately, there are countless New Yorkers who also suffer from posttraumatic stress who can't afford the proper mental health treatment. Now, if the state passed Timothy's Law, all New Yorkers could get the mental health and chemical addiction treatment they desperately need. It's now May, and we have yet to see Timothy's Law come to the State Senate. I don't know why that is.

We need to pass Timothy's Law. We

need to tell New Yorkers that their mental health is important. This is a matter of life and death.

I'll be voting yes, Mr. President.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Senator Duane will be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 482, by Senator Larkin, Senate Print 6613, an act to authorize approval.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

512, substituted earlier today by Member of the Assembly of the Assembly DelMonte, Assembly Print Number 7886A, an act to amend the Racing, Pari-Mutuel Wagering and Breeding Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 658, by Senator Padavan, Senate Print 1044, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

SENATOR PATERSON: Lay it aside.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is laid aside.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 674, by Senator LaValle, Senate Print 5165, an act to authorize.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read

the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 58. Nays, 1. Senator Bonacic recorded in the negative.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 682, by Senator Morahan, Senate Print 7064, an act to authorize.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Those recorded in the negative on Calendar Number 682 are Senators Bonacic, Larkin and Rath.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 696, by Senator Farley, Senate Print 2857, an act to amend the Banking Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 697, by Senator Farley, Senate Print 2859, an act to amend the Banking Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 726, by Senator Bonacic, Senate Print 6952A --

SENATOR SKELOS: Lay it aside for the day, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 736, by Senator Meier, Senate Print 7041, an act to amend Chapter 534 of the Laws of 2000 amending the Social Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect 60 days.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

738, by Senator Meier, Senate Print 7044, an act to amend Chapter 906 of the Laws of 1984 amending the Social Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the 30th day.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 751, by Senator Spano, Senate Print 7317, an act to amend the Labor Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This act shall take effect on the 30th day.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The

bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 752, by Senator Spano, Senate Print --

SENATOR SKELOS: Lay it aside for the day, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is laid aside for the day.

Senator Skelos, that completes the noncontroversial reading of the calendar.

SENATOR SKELOS: Can we go to the controversial reading, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The Secretary will ring the bell for the reading of the controversial calendar.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 658, by Senator Padavan, Senate Print 1044, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

SENATOR SKELOS: Lay it aside for the day, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: The bill is laid aside for the day.

SENATOR SKELOS: Mr. President, is there any further business at the desk?

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ:

Senator Skelos, that completes the reading of the controversial calendar.

There is no further business at the desk.

SENATOR SKELOS: There being no further business to come before the Senate, I move we stand adjourned until Tuesday, May 2nd, at 3:00 p.m.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAZIARZ: On motion, the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, May the 2nd, at 3:00 p.m.

(Whereupon, at 3:50 p.m., the Senate adjourned.)