

SPECIAL SESSION

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Monday, February 12, 1968

The Senate was called to order by the President at 10:00 a.m. A quorum present—39:

Mr. President	Edwards	Johnson	Slade
Askew	Elrod	Knopke	Stockton
Barron	Fincher	Lane	Stolzenburg
Barrow	Fisher	McClain	Stone
Boyd	Friday	Mathews	Thomas
Chiles	Griffin	O'Grady	Weber
Clayton	Gunter	Poston	Weissenborn
Cross	Henderson	Reuter	Wilson
Deeb	Hollahan	Sayler	Young
de la Parte	Horne	Shevin	

Excused: Senators Bafalis, Bell, Broxson, Gibson, Gong, Hav-erfield, Ott, Plante and Spencer.

Prayer by the Secretary of the Senate:

Almighty God, as supreme architect of this universe, creator of all things, giver of all blessings, we give thee thanks for our earthly stay. We have been privileged to do thee honor and to this we dedicate our sincere efforts.

We thank thee for this beautiful day and the blessings that await us. Our country and our state is a place of equal opportunity for all. Guide us here so that this legislative result will enrich the lives of our people and will serve as a stimulant to that which needs improvement. We need constant companionship with thee, through the Holy Spirit, so that our labors here will not be wasted. May we do that which will add security and strength to thy will be done.

We pray in our Master's name. Amen.

The pledge of allegiance to the flag of the United States of America pursuant to Senate Rule 7.2:

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

The Journal of February 9 was corrected and approved as follows:

Page 80, counting from the bottom of column 2, line 19, strike "116" and insert 114

Page 82, column 1, line 4, following "wholesaler" insert the following: any such stamps, such agent or wholesaler,

The Journal of February 8 was further corrected and approved as follows:

Page 60, counting from the bottom of column 1, line 38, strike "230.23" and insert 230.33

Page 61, counting from the bottom of column 2, line 25, insert the following: [exclusive of instructional improvement units; one hundred per cent of the instruction units exclusive of instructional improvement units must be filled by personnel qualified to participate in the minimum foundation program;]

INTRODUCTION

By Senators Chiles and Sayler—

SB 147-X(68)—A bill to be entitled An act relating to amending all statutes wherein the word "minimum foundation" appears, providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education-Public Schools and Junior Colleges.

By Senators Sayler, Deeb and Wilson—

SJR 148-X(68)—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 8 of Article XII of the State Constitution; providing millage for educational purposes.

Was read the first time in full and referred to the Committees on Finance and Taxation; and Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Sayler, Deeb and Wilson—

SJR 149-X(68)—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 8 of Article XII of the State Constitution; providing millage for educational purposes.

Was read the first time in full and referred to the Committees on Finance and Taxation; and Rules and Calendar.

MOTION RELATING TO COMMITTEE REFERENCE

On motion by Senator Mathews, by two-thirds vote, SB 103-X(68) was removed from the Calendar and re-referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

On motion by Senator Mathews, it was agreed by two-thirds vote that when the Senate recesses it recess to reconvene at 10:00 a.m., February 13, 1968.

VETOED BILL 1967 REGULAR SESSION

The following message from the Honorable Tom Adams, Secretary of State, was read:

The Honorable Verle A. Pope
President of the Senate
The Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida

February 12, 1968

Dear Sir:

This office has been informed of the action of the Senate to override the Governor's veto of Senate Bill No. 317 (1967 Regular Session), its title being:

An act relating to junior colleges; amending section 230.-0117(7), Florida Statutes; limiting the required local share of the junior college minimum foundation program; providing an effective date.

Also, we have been advised that the subject matter of said bill is within the purview of the call of the Governor for this 1968 Special Session of the Florida Legislature. Therefore, in compliance with the provisions of Article III, Section 28, of the State Constitution, I am transmitting to you Senate Bill No. 317 (1967 Regular Session), with the Governor's objections attached thereto.

Sincerely,
TOM ADAMS
Secretary of State

SB 317 (1967 Regular Session), was taken up and read by title, together with the following objections thereto of the Honorable Claude R. Kirk, Jr., Governor of Florida:

Honorable Tom Adams
Secretary of State
The Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida

August 3, 1967

Dear Sir:

In accordance with Section 28, Article IV of the Florida Constitution, I am herewith, today, filing in your office, the following act which originated in the Senate, Regular Session, 1967, with my objections attached thereto:

SB 317

Respectfully,
CLAUDE R. KIRK, JR.
Governor

The Honorable Verle A. Pope
President of the Senate
The Capitol
Tallahassee, Florida

August 2, 1967

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me as Governor of

Florida under the provisions of Article III, Section 28 of the Constitution of the State, I hereby transmit to you with my objections Senate Bill 317, enacted by the Legislature of 1967 and entitled:

"An act relating to junior colleges; amending section 230.0117(7), Florida Statutes; limiting the required local share of the junior college minimum foundation program; providing an effective date."

This bill basically changes the method of determining the required local share of the cost of the junior college minimum foundation program.

The bill, in effect, limits the increase in the cost of the county's junior college program to five per cent (5%) of the previous year's required effort, consequently shifting the burden of additional finances to the General Revenue Fund of the State.

The bill also provides that the county board's effort in supporting a junior college not exceed fifty per cent (50%) of the total cost of the minimum foundation program for such college. This provision is presently covered by Section 230.48, Florida Statutes.

A change such as this in the method of determining the sharing of the cost between the state and the county for our junior colleges should be tied into a total review of public school financing in this State so that the ramifications of programs such as these on the General Revenue Fund may be more properly evaluated.

For these reasons, I am necessarily withholding my approval on Senate Bill 317, 1967 Session of the Legislature, and do hereby veto the same.

Respectfully,
CLAUDE R. KIRK, JR.
 Governor

The President put the question: "Shall the bill pass the Governor's objections to the contrary notwithstanding?"

SB 317 (1967 Regular Session) passed by the required Constitutional two-thirds vote of all members present and was certified to the House. The vote was: Yeas—38 Nays—None

Mr. President	Elrod	Knopke	Stockton
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Deeb	Horne	Shevin	
de la Parte	Johnson	Slade	

Unanimous consent was granted Senator de la Parte to take up out of order—

SB 131-X(68)—A bill to be entitled An act relating to circuit judges in each judicial circuit of the state embracing two (2) or more counties among which is one (1) county having a population of four hundred fifty thousand (450,000) or more according to the latest official decennial census and not having home rule under the Constitution; repealing chapter

67-962, Laws of Florida, providing for supplementary compensation for each of the circuit judges in said judicial circuit; providing an effective date.

On motions by Senator de la Parte, the rules were waived and SB 131-X(68) was read the second time by title, the third time in full, passed and certified to the House. The vote was:

Yeas—38

Mr. President	Edwards	Johnson	Slade
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de la Parte	Horne	Shevin	

Nays—1

Stockton

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Honorable Edwin G. Fraser
 Secretary of the Florida Senate
 The Capitol
 Tallahassee, Florida

February 9, 1968

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 112.071 (1), (b), Florida Statutes, we attach a certificate listing a commission subject to confirmation by the Senate which has been prepared by our office.

Sincerely,
TOM ADAMS
 Secretary of State

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 112.071 (1), (b), Florida Statutes, we do hereby certify that a commission which is subject to Confirmation by the Senate has been prepared for the following:

NAME	OFFICE	FOR TERM ENDING
Joe M. Freeman, Jr.	Pilot Commissioner for the Port of Boca Grande, Lee County	November 11, 1971

GIVEN under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Florida, at Tallahassee, the Capital this ninth day of February, A. D., 1968.



TOM ADAMS
 Secretary of State

—which was referred to the Special Select Committee on Executive Appointments and Suspensions.

Pursuant to the motion by Senator Mathews, the Senate adjourned at 10:42 a. m. to reconvene at 10:00 a. m. February 13, 1968.