

# JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

Wednesday, April 22, 1970

The Senate was called to order by the President Pro Tempore at 8:30 a.m. for the purpose of conducting the order of business of Introduction and reference of Resolutions, Memorials, Bills and Joint Resolutions, pursuant to Rule 4.3.

## INTRODUCTION

By Senator Thomas—

**SB 755**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the game and fresh water fish commission; amending section 372.07, Florida Statutes, relating to police powers of commission and its officers; constituting the director, his assistants and wildlife officers as peace officers with powers of arrest; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Natural Resources and Conservation and Judiciary.

By Senator Hollahan—

**SB 756**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; amending sections 12 and 21(3) of chapter 69-106, Laws of Florida, transferring the powers, duties, and functions of the inheritance and estate tax bureau of the department of revenue under chapter 198, Florida Statutes, to the department of banking and finance; deleting that portion which transferred all powers, duties and functions of the comptroller relative to the inheritance and estate tax under chapter 198, Florida Statutes, to the department of revenue; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Organization and Ways and Means.

By Senator Hollahan—

**SB 757**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to governmental reorganization; amending sections 12 and 21(3) of chapter 69-106, Laws of Florida, transferring the powers, duties, and functions of the documentary stamp tax bureau of the department of revenue under chapter 201, Florida Statutes, to the department of banking and finance; deleting that portion which transferred all powers, duties and functions of the comptroller relative to the documentary stamp tax under chapter 201, Florida Statutes, to the department of revenue; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Organization and Ways and Means.

By Senator Pope—

**SB 758**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to abandoned property; amending section 716.02(5), Florida Statutes, eliminating the exemption of United States postal savings deposit; eliminating duplicate language; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Saunders—

**SB 759**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to banks and trust companies; amending section 659.52(2), Florida Statutes; authorizing building and loan associations to offer savings deposits; amending chapter 659, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (4) to section 659.52, Florida Statutes; making unauthorized banking a misdemeanor; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Trask—

**SB 760**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to industrial savings banks; amending section 656.21, Florida Statutes, authorizing the commissioner to furnish the federal reserve

board with a copy of examinations, and requiring industrial savings banks to submit annual report of its income and dividends; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Trask—

**SB 761**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to banks and trust companies; amending section 658.07(1), Florida Statutes; requiring the bank rather than the commissioner to publish in a newspaper a statement of its assets and liabilities, authorizing the commissioner to furnish the federal reserve board with a copy of examinations, and requiring bank and trust companies to submit annual report of its income and dividends; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Trask—

**SB 762**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to corporations, capital stock tax; amending section 608.36, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (5); providing no corporation shall be required to file tax reports or pay taxes or interest and penalties thereon on capital stock taxes which are delinquent more than three (3) years; providing no corporation shall be subject to dissolution or cancellation of its permit for failure to file such reports or pay such taxes on taxes which are delinquent more than three (3) years; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senator Boyd—

**SB 763**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the state university system; authorizing the Florida board of regents to furnish perquisites to the chancellor and the university presidents; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Ways and Means.

By Senator Boyd—

**SB 764**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to public officers and employees; amending subsection (6)(b) of section 112.061, Florida statutes, relating to rates of per diem and subsistence; adding certain state university system personnel; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Boyd, Chiles and Mathews—

**SB 765**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to personnel; authorizing the secretary of administration to delegate authority to the Florida board of regents for administration of the career service classification and pay plan as it relates to state university system personnel; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senators Boyd, Mathews and Chiles—

**SB 766**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the executive branch of government and to the board of regents; amending subsection (13) of section 20.15, Florida statutes, to provide for the board of regents to retain its powers, duties and functions as enumerated in chapters 239 to 243 inclusive, Florida statutes; amending subsections (1) and (12) of section 229.512, Florida statutes, relating to the general powers and duties of the commissioner of education; amending section 240.031, Florida statutes, relating to responsibilities of the board of education; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senator Horne—

**SB 767**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to industrial savings banks; amending section 656.091(1), Florida Statutes; reducing minimum par value for capital stock; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Horne—

**SB 768**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to banks and trust companies; amending section 659.08(1), Florida Statutes; reducing minimum par value of capital stock; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senators Askew, Poston, Chiles, Thomas, Haverfield, Mathews, Barrow, Williams, Pope, de la Parte, Horne, Weissenborn, Beaufort, Fincher, Ott, Friday, Barron, Karl, Gong, Stone, Myers, Scarborough, Gunter, Knopke, Trask, Shevin, Daniel, Broxson, Saunders, Boyd and Hollahan—

**SB 769**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to judicial officers; creating chapter 105, Florida Statutes, providing for the nomination and election of certain judicial officers; providing for time of qualifying and amount of filing fees; providing form of ballot; providing for filling of vacancies; providing penalties for violations; exempting certain judicial officers from the operation of sections 99.021, 99.061 and 99.092, Florida Statutes; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Shevin—

**SB 770**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to county and municipal jails and prisoners; amending chapter 951, Florida Statutes, by adding a Part II thereto; creating the bureau of jails and detention facilities under the division of adult corrections of the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing definitions; establishing said bureau's organization and powers; defining said bureau's purpose; providing for the adoption of rules and regulations prescribing standards and requirements with reference to local detention facilities by the department of health and rehabilitative services; prescribing the authority to contract between various local authorities with reference to the transfer of prisoners; prescribing the authority to contract between the department of health and rehabilitative services and various local authorities with reference to the transfer of prisoners; providing enforcement powers to the chief of the bureau of jails and detention facilities; providing enforcement powers to the director of the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing for the issuance of injunctive and other relief to insure compliance by local authorities in the operation of local facilities with the standards and requirements as established by the department of health and rehabilitative services; authorizing participation with federal agencies for matching funds; repealing section 951.23, Florida Statutes; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare, and Institutions and Ways and Means.

By Senator Ott—

**SB 771**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to industrial savings banks; amending section 656.24, Florida Statutes, requiring all authorized stock investments to be made pursuant to the banking code; specifying method of entry of investments, amortization of premium and accrual of discount; increasing investment limit on bank premises; establishing eligibility and limitation on investment in industrial development bonds; authorizing investment in savings and loan shares, operating subsidiaries, Florida industrial development corporation, and community help projects; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Ott—

**SB 772**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to banks and trust companies; amending section 659.20, Florida Statutes; requiring all authorized stock investments to be made pursuant to the banking code; specifying method of entry of investments, amortization of premium and accrual of discount; increasing investment limit on bank premises; establishing eligibility and limitation on investment in industrial development bonds; authorizing investment in savings and loan shares, operating subsidiaries, Florida Industrial Development Corporation, and community help projects; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Thomas—

**SJR 773**—A joint resolution proposing an amendment to Section 3 of Article III of the State Constitution to provide for regular and special sessions of the legislature to be convened as provided by law.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments and Revision.

By Senator Thomas—

**SCR 774**—A concurrent resolution commending the city officials and citizens of St. Petersburg for their actions during the Tampa Bay oil spillage on February 13, 1970.

Was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Natural Resources and Conservation.

By Senators Thomas and de la Parte—

**SB 775**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to investment of state funds; amending section 18.10, Florida Statutes, to transfer responsibility for investing such funds from the state board of administration to the state treasurer; providing for investment of such funds and payment of reasonable service charges; providing for offsetting losses resulting from premature sale of securities; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Organization and Ways and Means.

By Senators Saunders and Mathews—

**SB 776**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the retirement system for school teachers; amending section 238.07(10), Florida Statutes, relating to the number of years of creditable service for disability retirement allowance; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Saunders and Mathews—

**SB 777**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to retirement system for school teachers; amending section 238.01 (15), Florida Statutes, to provide that the average final compensation means the average annual earnable compensation of a member for five (5) years during the last fifteen (15) years prior to retirement; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Senators Saunders and Boyd—

**SB 778**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of banking and finance; amending section 20.12(3), Florida Statutes, creating the division of securities; removing provisions relating to the state board of administration; providing for assignment of functions of Florida securities commission to division of securities; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Organization and Commerce and Licensed Businesses.

By Senator Saunders—

**SB 779**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to institutions of higher learning; amending subsection (3) of section 241.461,

Florida Statutes, to authorize the child psychiatric inpatient unit to charge for services rendered to patients; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senators Saunders and Boyd—

**SB 780**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the department of administration; amending section 31 (4) (a) 4., of chapter 69-106, Laws of Florida, relating to definitions; providing that the state board of administration shall not be considered a state agency; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Organization.

By Senator Saunders—

**SB 781**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to institutions of higher learning; making an appropriation to a revolving fund to be used in financing reimbursable research contracts handled through the University of Florida engineering and industrial experiment station; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Ways and Means.

By Senator Saunders—

**SB 782**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to extension service; providing for extension work between the cooperative extension service of the university of Florida's institute of food and agricultural sciences and boards of county commissioners and/or other legally constituted local governing bodies; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Ways and Means.

By Senators Haverfield and Mathews—

**SB 783**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the division of universities of the department of education; providing an appropriation; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Education and Ways and Means.

By Senator Weissenborn—

**SB 784**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to housing; providing a minimum housing code; providing regulatory duties of the division of health of the department of health and rehabilitative services; providing procedures for enforcement; providing penalties; amending section 509.241, Florida Statutes, by adding subsection (6) to provide that public lodgings to be licensed by the division of hotels and restaurants shall first be inspected by the division of health of the department of health and rehabilitative services; repealing paragraphs (d),(e),(f), and (g) of subsection (5), and subsections (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), and (11) of section 509.211, Florida Statutes, and subsection (1),(2),(3),(4),(7), (8), and (9) of section 509.221, Florida Statutes, relating to fire escapes, fire extinguishers, locks and sanitary regulations in public lodgings and to inspection of public lodgings by the division of hotels and restaurants; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Health, Welfare, and Institutions and Governmental Organization.

By Senator Gunter—

**SR 785**—A resolution recognizing the interest of Florida Citizens in a proposed unicameral legislature.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senator Daniel—

**SB 786**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to communications equipment and facilities; providing that the division of communications, department of general services, shall have the power to take ownership of existing communications equip-

ment, and facilities, including all rights, title, interest and equity therein, to carry out the purposes of the governmental reorganization act of 1969; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Governmental Organization.

By Senator Daniel—

**SB 787**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to aircraft and motor vehicles; providing that transfers of aircraft and motor vehicles to the department of general services shall include all rights, title, interest and equity therein; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Transportation and Governmental Organization.

By Senator Horne—

**SCR 788**—A concurrent resolution requesting the President and Congress to oppose abolition of the United States Coast Guard Reserve and its national defense program of protection of Florida ports.

Was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

By Senators Mathews, Friday, Karl, de la Parte and Horne—

**SB 789**—A bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 11.031(3), Florida Statutes, by providing that the federal decennial census shall not be effective for any purpose prior to July 1 of the year following the taking of such census; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senators Mathews and Weissenborn—

**SCR 790**—A concurrent resolution determining the need for revision of Florida's criminal justice system and providing for the appointment of a committee of distinguished Floridians to serve as an advisory committee to the legislature to make recommendations of needed revisions of Florida's criminal justice system.

Was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Mathews—

**SCR 791**—A concurrent resolution in Memoriam James Turner Butler.

Was read the first time in full and placed on the Calendar.

By Senators Mathews, Horne and Weissenborn--

**SB 792**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the suspension of officials and the filling of vacancies created thereby; amending chapter 112, Florida Statutes, by adding section 112.49; prohibiting the governor from appointing himself to fill vacancies created; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Senator Gong—

**SB 793**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the relief of Annie Mell Ratliff, making an appropriation to compensate her for personal injuries and loss of her lower limbs sustained by her as a result of improper care and treatment when she was a patient at the Florida Tuberculosis Hospital at Lantana; providing an effective date.

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to SB 793.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Rules and Calendar and Ways and Means.

By Senators de la Parte, Pope, Ott, Mathews, Horne, Beaufort and Scarborough—

**SCR 794**—A concurrent resolution expressing appreciation for the life and contributions of Louis Swed and deep regret over his death.

Was read the first time in full and placed on the Calendar.

By Senators Sayler and Ducker—

**SB 795**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to operation of aircraft while intoxicated; amending section 860.13(1), Florida Statutes, to add additional substances that cause impairment of or deprive normal faculties of pilot; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senators Sayler and Ducker—

**SB 796**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to driving while intoxicated; amending sections 317.201(1) and 860.01(1), Florida Statutes, by adding additional substances that cause impairment of or deprive normal faculties of driver; providing an effective date.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

By Senator Gunter—

**SR 797**—A resolution commending President Hugh F. McKean, of Rollins College, on his concept of external degrees as an educational service to the State of Florida.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

By Senators Boyd and Plante—

**SJR 798**—A joint resolution proposing a revision of Article IX of the state Constitution relating to the executive department of the government.

Was read the first time by title and referred to the Committees on Governmental Organization and Constitutional Amendments and Revision.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.* April 21, 1970  
*President of the Senate*

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed as amended—

By the Committee on Crime & Law Enforcement—

**CS for HB 701**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to affrays, riots, routs and unlawful assemblies; amending chapter 870, Florida Statutes, by the addition of new sections 870.041, 870.042, 870.043, 870.044, 870.045, 870.046, 870.047, 870.048, 870.049; establishing a procedure for declaration that a state of emergency exists, by county sheriffs or authorized municipal official; providing for the establishment of a curfew during the existence of the state of emergency; designating automatic and discretionary emergency powers to said sheriff or municipal official; provides penalty for violation; provides an effective date.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

CS for HB 701, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—

By Representative Holloway and others—

**HM 3995**—A memorial to the Congress of the United States requesting the appropriation of funds for precision radar equipment and the lengthening of the I. L. S. runway at the Tallahassee Municipal Airport.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

HM 3995, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—

By Representative Reeves and others—

**HCR 3928**—A concurrent resolution commending Susan Holloway and recognizing her scholastic achievement, poise, appearance and outstanding ability in being selected as Florida First Lady of Youth for 1970.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

HCR 3928, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and placed on the Calendar.

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3827**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 12 providing that the city council shall also appoint a city prosecutor.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Moudry and others—

**HB 3828**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Palm Beach County; amending section 1 of chapter 31118, Laws of Florida, 1955, to increase the term for which franchises may be granted by the board of county commissioners to persons or corporations for collection, removal, and disposal of garbage in districts lying outside the boundaries of any municipality; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Jordan and others—

**HB 3829**—A bill to be entitled An act amending section 1.04, paragraph (2) of the charter of the City of West Palm Beach, being chapter 65-2381, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1965, by adding subsection (d) providing property may be annexed by ordinance of city commission providing all of the owners of property in tract to be annexed petition the city for annexa-

tion; providing a severability clause; repealing all laws in conflict; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS,**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative Reed and others—

**HB 3997**—A bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 65-1264, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1965, the same being the Charter of the City of Boca Raton, Palm Beach County, Florida, by amending Section 7.21(a) second paragraph to remove the interest rate limitation of six percent on general obligation bonds and by amending Section 7.25(d) to remove the interest rate limitation of five percent on revenue certificates and bonds.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative David Clark and others—

**HB 3830**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Palm Beach county, providing that the county solicitor shall receive an equal salary to that of the lowest paid Judge of the Judicial Circuit Court in and for Palm Beach county; providing that the county solicitor shall be authorized to employ assistant county solicitors and investigators; providing that the county solicitor and his assistants shall not engage in the private practice of law during their tenure of office; providing for the authorization of certain expenditures, including compensation of experts utilized in the investigation and preparation of criminal cases and educational projects directly related to criminal law problems; providing for the repeal of Chapter 69-626, Laws of 1969, providing effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Reed and others—

**HB 3831**—A bill to be entitled An act amending Chapter 67-1876, Laws of Florida, 1967, as amended by Chapter 69-1433, Laws of Florida, 1969, which act provided for the definition and regulation of the business of building construction and contracting in Palm Beach county; amending section 2 by adding section 2(7) which defines "inactive certificate" as a certificate indicating that the applicant has passed the written exam and has been found technically competent but does not entitle the holder to engage in any contracting; amending section 5(3) to provide that an applicant requesting an inactive certificate need not provide evidence of public liability insurance; and amending section 5(4) by omitting the provisions stating that this subsection does not apply to the issuance or renewal of inactive certificates; amending section 7(2) by providing that an applicant for restoration of an expired license who applies for restoration subsequent to one hundred eighty (180) days after September 30, but before the next September 30, must submit his application to the board which shall review the applicant's responsibility, credit reputation, education and experience and providing further that within thirty (30) days from the date of application the board shall notify the applicant in writing whether or not he is qualified to have his

certificate restored; further providing that the fee for restoration shall be equal to the original application and that the board may in its discretion require the applicant to submit to an examination, the same as required for an original application; amending section 7 by adding section 7(4) providing for the procedures to be followed in application for a certificate held in an inactive status; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative David Clark and others—

**HB 3832**—A bill to be entitled An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of Palm Beach county to conduct a study of the drainage districts within Palm Beach county; declaring said study of drainage districts to be a county purpose; authorizing the board of county commissioners of Palm Beach county to study the structure, functions, operations, and financial systems of all drainage districts within Palm Beach county to determine the need, if any, for changes in the existing structures, functions and operations of drainage districts within Palm Beach county; providing that the board of county commissioners of Palm Beach county shall submit the results of their study to the members of the Florida Legislature representing Palm Beach county along with their recommendations for remedial legislation; directing the officers and representatives of drainage districts within Palm Beach county to cooperate with the board of county commissioners of Palm Beach county in their study and further directing said officers or representatives to make available to the board of county commissioners their books and records and such other material as may be deemed necessary by the board of county commissioners; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Poorbaugh and others—

**HB 3833**—A bill to be entitled An act to amend Chap. 67-1876, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1967, as amended by Chapter 69-1433, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1969, which created the Palm Beach County Construction Industry Licensing Board amending Section 3 (1) and Section 3 (3), Composition of the Palm Beach County Construction Industry Licensing Board; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative Reeves and others—

**HB 4004**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the Pensacola-Escambia Governmental Center Authority; amending subsection (5) of section 6 of chapter 69-1049, Laws of Florida, to restore words inadvertently omitted in the preparation of House Bill 3030, which was subsequently enacted as said chapter; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3834**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 127 providing for the voting of freeholders on general obligation bonds to be the same as provided by state laws.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3835**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 73 providing for a millage limit as provided by state laws.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3836**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 65 thereof providing for the appointment of deputy and assistant city clerks.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3838**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 13 providing the city prosecutor shall not hold another job and be appointed by city council.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative Poorbaugh and others—

**HB 3839**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Palm Beach County; providing for the issuance of countywide municipal occupational licenses for construction; providing for their sale by the county tax collector; establishing fees to be charged; providing for the distribution to the municipalities of proceeds received on a pro rata formula basis and for a year-to-year revision of such formula; providing for the validity of license when failing to register with a municipality; providing for delinquency penalties and half-year fees; providing for an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative Jordan and others—

**HB 3841**—A bill to be entitled An act providing for the furnishing of guards at school street crossings in Palm Beach county, within and without municipalities; providing that the same is a public purpose; providing that municipalities must give their consent; providing that guards provided under this act shall be employees of the sheriff of Palm Beach county; providing that the furnishing of guards is permissive and not mandatory; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3840**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 147 providing for the elimination of an elector registering as a freeholder.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representatives Gallen and Pratt—

**HB 3775**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Manatee County; making it unlawful to take certain menhaden-like fish with a purse seine, purse gill net, lampara net, or similar net or device for any purpose within three (3) marine leagues of shore; making violation a misdemeanor; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3825**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by repealing Section 185 providing for annexation of new territory, procedure for annexation, manner of raising objection thereto and election to be held thereon.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3826**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by adding a new Section 48.1 providing for the appointment, qualifications, duties and compensation of the city prosecutor.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3843**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter

25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 125 providing for interest on general obligation bonds not to exceed the interest rate as provided by state laws.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3844**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 59 providing for city attorney to furnish legal opinions to the city manager and releasing duties to the municipal court.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3845**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 155 providing for the city polls to be open on Election Day from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representative James and others—

**HB 3846**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to the City of Delray Beach, Palm Beach County, Florida amending Chapter 25786, Special Laws of Florida, Acts of 1949, as amended, same being the Charter of said city by amending Section 138 (1) providing for interest on revenue bonds not to exceed the interest rate as provided by state laws.

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

*The Honorable John E. Mathews, Jr.*  
*President of the Senate*

April 21, 1970

Sir:

I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Representative MacKay and others—

**HB 3866**—A bill to be entitled An act amending chapter 65-1905, Laws of Florida, 1965, being the "Marion County Hospital District"; amending section 13 of said chapter 65-1905, providing that bonds issued by the district shall have been approved by a majority of the votes cast in a bond election in accordance with section 12, article VII, State Constitution; election to be called by Board of Trustees of the district, notice and publication thereof in newspaper; amending section 14 of chapter 65-1905, providing that only electors of the district who are qualified under the Laws of Florida shall be permitted to vote at a bond election; amending section 15 of chapter 65-1905, providing insofar as practicable provisions of chapter 100, Florida Statutes shall govern; and providing for an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representatives Randell and Walker—

**HB 3899**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Lee County; making it unlawful to take certain menhaden-like fish with a purse seine, purse gill net, lampara net, or similar net or device for any purpose within three (3) marine leagues of shore; making violation a misdemeanor; providing an effective date.

Proof of Publication attached.

By Representatives Randell and Walker—

**HB 3900**—A bill to be entitled An act relating to Collier County; making it unlawful to take certain menhaden-like fish with a purse seine, purse gill net, lampara net, or similar net or device for any purpose within three (3) marine leagues of shore; making violation a misdemeanor; providing an effective date

Proof of Publication attached.

—and requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

*Respectfully,*  
**ALLEN MORRIS**  
*Clerk, House of Representatives*

Evidence of notice and publication was established by the Senate as to House Bills 3827, 3828, 3829, 3997, 3830, 3831, 3832, 3833, 4004, 3834, 3835, 3836, 3838, 3839, 3841, 3840, 3775, 3825, 3826, 3843, 3844, 3845, 3846, 3866, 3899 and 3900.

House Bills 3827, 3828, 3829, 3997, 3830, 3831, 3832, 3833, 4004, 3834, 3835, 3836, 3838, 3839, 3841, 3840, 3775, 3825, 3826, 3843, 3844, 3845, 3846, 3866, 3899 and 3900, contained in the above messages, were read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Rules and Calendar.

#### BILLS REFERRED TO SUBCOMMITTEES

Senate Bills 643, 644 and 645 withdrawn from Public Schools Subcommittee

Health and Welfare: Senate Bills 732 and 734 (7 days to report to the Committee on Health, Welfare, and Institutions)

Mental Health, Retardation, and Institutions: Senate Bills 748 and 770 (7 days to report to the Committee on Health, Welfare, and Institutions)

Taxation: Senate Bills 392, 536, 593, 742 and 762 (10 days to report to the Committee on Ways and Means)

Appropriations: Senate Bills 129, 395, 579 and 764 (10 days to report to the Committee on Ways and Means)

Personnel and Retirement: Senate Bills 776 and 777 (10 days to report to the Committee on Ways and Means)

State Government: Senate Bills 756, 757, 775, 778, 780, 786, 494 and SJR 798 (10 days to report to the Committee on Governmental Organization)

Labor and Industrial Relations: SB 769 (7 days to report to the Committee on Judiciary)

Health and Welfare: SB 784 (7 days to report to the Committee on Health, Welfare, and Institutions)

The Senate adjourned at 8:46 a.m. to reconvene at 8:30 a.m., Thursday, April 23, 1970.