JUDICIARY COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE SESSION March 17, 1979

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Scully at 10:00 a.m. in room 436 of the Capitol Building on Saturday, March 17. All members were present with the exception of Representatives Daily, Keedy and Kemmis.

SENATE BILL NO. 291: This bill had been held in committee until action had been taken on Senate Bill 65, the elections revision. Representative Holmes moved "be concurred in as already amended. The motion carried with the vote unanimous. Representative Rosenthal will carry.

SENATE BILL NO. 395: Representative Curtiss moved "be concurred in". The motion carried with Representatives Seifert, Conroy and Pavlovich voting "no". Representative Iverson will carry on the floor.

SENATE BILL NO. 519: Representative Keyser moved "be not concurred in". These sections were the ones dropped in 1977 and suggested as a committee bill instead of being put into SB 65. The motion failed by roll call vote 8 to 7, with 3 members absent.

Representative Keyser moved to amend page 1, line 25 by striking "or integrity or which tends to injure or defeat him at the polls". The motion carried with Representatives Holmes, Lory, Eudaily, Keedy and Teague voting "no". Representative Iverson moved to amend line 17, page 1 and strike "only" and insert failure to remove billboards, yard signs, or posters on election day is not considered a violation". He also moved to amend page 1, line 24 by striking the comma and inserting "or". The motion to amend carried with the vote unanimous.

Representative Holmes moved "be concurred in as amended". The motion carried with Representatives Seifert, Conroy and Keyser voting "no".

SENATE BILL NO. 112: Representative Lory commented that this bill clears up some confusion. After some discussion, Representative Conroy moved to table. The motion carried with the vote unanimous.

SENATE BILL NO. 232: Representative Holmes moved the committee reconsider its action taken at an earlier meeting. The motion failed with only two members voting "yes".

SENATE BILL NO. 516: Representative Lory moved "be concurred in". The motion carried with the vote unanimous. Representative Seifert will carry on the floor.

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SENATE BILL NO. 491: Representative Lory moved "be concurred in". The motion carried with Representative Keyser voting "no". Representative Seifert will carry.

SENATE BILL NO. 481:

Representative Keyser moved "be concurred in". The members discussed whether section 16 should be reinserted. Representative Holmes moved to do so. The motion carried with the vote unanimous.

Representative Keyser moved "be concurred in as amended". The motion carried with the vote unanimous. Representative Lory will carry on the floor.

SENATE BILL NO. 397: It was decided to hold this bill until a later date.

SENATE BILL NO. 301: Prepared amendments were presented to the committee and the staff attorney, Larry Weinberg, explained them. Representative Keyser moved the adoption of the amendments. The motion carried with the vote unanimous. Representative Rosenthal moved "be concurred in as amended". The motion carried with the vote unanimous. Representative Roth will carry on the floor.

There was no further business to come before the committee at this time and the meeting adjourned at 11:00 a.m.

John P. Scully, Chairman

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