

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 41

INTRODUCED BY CURTISS, NORDTVEDT, HARP, MOORE, FAGG,
BURNETT, CONROY, SPILKER, DEVLIN, SWITZER, IVERSON, MATSKO

IN THE HOUSE

February 17, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Rules.
February 25, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
	On motion rules suspended and bill placed on second reading this day.
	Second reading, do pass.
	On motion rules suspended and bill placed on third reading this day.
	Third reading, passed. Ayes, 37; Noes, 8. Transmitted to Senate.

IN THE SENATE

March 3, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on State Administration.
March 23, 1981	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 25, 1981	Motion pass consideration.
March 26, 1981	Second reading, concurred in.
March 28, 1981	Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 48; Noes, 0.

IN THE HOUSE

March 28, 1981

Returned from Senate. Con-
curred in. Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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Approved by Comm.
on Rules

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