

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

INTRODUCED BY MENAHAN, BRAND, DAILY, VINCENT, KEENAN,
DRISCOLL, DOZIER, D. BROWN, PAVLOVICH

IN THE HOUSE

January 21, 1983	On motion, rules suspended and bill allowed to be introduced.
February 17, 1983	Introduced and referred to Committee on State Administration.
February 21, 1983	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted.
February 22, 1983	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February 23, 1983	Second reading, do pass. Considered correctly engrossed. Third reading, passed. Transmitted to Senate.

IN THE SENATE

March 1, 1983	Introduced and referred to Committee on State Administration.
March 24, 1983	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 26, 1983	Second reading, concurred in.
March 28, 1983	Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 46; Noes, 0.

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March 28, 1983

Returned to House.

March 29, 1983

Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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Approved by Committee
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