SENATE BILL NO. 131

INTRODUCED BY HAFFEY, QUILICI

BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR'S STATE BUILDING CONSTRUCTION ADVISORY COUNCIL

IN THE SENATE

January 18,	1985	Introduced and referred to Committee on State Administration.
January 29,	1985	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
January 30,	1985	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
January 31,	1985	Second reading, do pass.
February 1,	1985	Considered correctly engrossed.
February 2,	1985	Third reading, passed. Ayes, 46; Noes, 0.
		Transmitted to House.

IN THE HOUSE

February 27, 1985	Introduced and referred to Committee on State Administration.
March 8, 1985	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 9, 1985	Second reading, concurred in.
March 11, 1985	On motion, previous action reconsidered.
March 13, 1985	Second reading, concurred in.
March 15, 1985	Third reading, concurred in. Returned to Senate.

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March 15, 1985

Received from House.

March 16, 1985

Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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5	building pursuant to the provisions of Title 18, chapter 2.
6	(3) Appropriations encumbered under the provisions of
7	subsection (2) that remain unexpended at the end of the next
8	fiscal year or at the end of the biennium, whichever occurs
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