SENATE BILL NO. 311

INTRODUCED BY HALLIGAN

BY REQUEST OF THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

IN THE SENATE

February	2, 1	1985	Introduced and referred to Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Safety.
February	12,	1985	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
February	13,	1985	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February	15,	1985	Second reading, do pass.
February	16,	1985	Considered correctly engrossed.
February	18,	1985	Third reading, passed. Ayes, 49; Noes, 0.
			Transmitted to House.

IN THE HOUSE

February 27, 1985	Introduced and referred to Committee on Human Services and Aging.
March 12, 1985	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 15, 1985	Second reading, concurred in.
March 18, 1985	Third reading, concurred in.
	Returned to Senate.

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March 18, 1985

Received from House.

March 19, 1985

Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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