

HOUSE BILL NO. 571  
INTRODUCED BY D. BROWN

## IN THE HOUSE

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| FEBRUARY 3, 1989  | INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE<br>ON JUDICIARY. |
| FEBRUARY 4, 1989  | FIRST READING.  |
| FEBRUARY 15, 1989 | COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL<br>DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.  |
| FEBRUARY 16, 1989 | PRINTING REPORT.                                      |
| FEBRUARY 18, 1989 | SECOND READING, DO PASS.                              |
| FEBRUARY 20, 1989 | ENGROSSING REPORT.                                    |
| FEBRUARY 21, 1989 | THIRD READING, PASSED.<br>AYES, 93; NOES, 4.          |
|                   | TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.                                |

IN THE SENATE

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| FEBRUARY 28, 1989 | INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE<br>ON JUDICIARY.        |
|                   | FIRST READING.   |
| MARCH 21, 1989    | COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE<br>CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED. |
| MARCH 22, 1989    | SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.                                |
| MARCH 27, 1989    | THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.<br>AYES, 48; NOES, 1.           |
|                   | RETURNED TO HOUSE.   |

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SENT TO ENROLLING.

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