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being referred to the Committee on Finance. I can indicate to the members that there are a number of bills of this type and it is the intention of the leadership to ask that it be referred to either Finance or Appropriations so that any dollar impact can be determined. Hearing no objection, so ordered.

WILLIAM A. O'NEILL, 52nd District:

Mr. Speaker, on page four of the calendar. Calendar No. 372, file number 315, I object and ask that this be placed on the regular calendar retaining its place.

MR. SPEAKER:

The objection is noted and the item will be removed from the regular calendar. If you will call it again for the benefit of the Clerk and pass retaining it until tomorrow. Will you call that number again for the Clerk's benefit.

WILLIAM A. O'NEILL, 52nd District:

That's calendar number 315, page four of the calendar.

Mr. Speaker, on page one of the calendar, I move the following bills be passed on today's consent calendar. Calendar No. 337, file 228, HB 8140

Calendar No. 338, file number 286, HB 8142

Calendar No. 340, file number 281, HB 8138

On page 4 of the calendar, Calendar No. 397, file 191, SB 389

MR. SPEAKER:

You've heard the motion of the gentleman of the 52nd. Before trying your minds, I'd indicate that because of the nature of the claims which will be considered next we are

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THE CLERK:

Turn to page 10, please. Third item from the bottom. Cal. No.360, File 281. Favorable report of the joint standing committee on Environment. H.B. 8138 An Act Concerning the Possession and Sale of Salt Water Fish Taken Commercially.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Pac.

SENATOR PAC:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the Joint Committee's Favorable Report and passage of the bill.

THE CHAIR:

Any remarks?

SENATOR PAC:

This is really an attempt to clarify the Statute. For the simple common name we would substitute the unpronounceable scientific names for salt water fish. Really there is a method to this madness. The purpose is to. There has been a lot of confusion among law enforcement officials. Court officials and biologists. And commercial fisherman. And this confusion arises out of those who violate these gaming laws in our names are just toembracive. So this would more merely define the kind of catch would not be allowed. It also does define that any sail,nets or trolls that are used to catch any of these fish and that they are undersized they would have to be released. This is about the extent of the bill.

THE CHAIR:

Further remarks? The question is on the acceptance of the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill? Those in favor

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indicate by saying aye. AYE. Opposed the ayes have it. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

The second item from the bottom Cal. 361, File 288 Favorable report of Joint Standing Committee on the Environment on H.B. 8140 An Act Concerning Reporting of Commercial Fishing Activities.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Pac.

SENATOR PAC:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill.

THE CHAIR:

Comments?

SENATOR PAC:

The completion of catch statistics is an important tool for using and managing our Marine resources. Now what this will do is set a definite time when these commercial fishermen will report the total annual catch. And the fishermen they have working for them. And the size of the boat etc. It would set 1-31-72 as the time for the first report and annually thereafter.

THE CHAIR:

Further remarks? Question is on the acceptance of the Committee's Favorable report and passage of the bill. Those in favor indicate by saying aye. AYE. Opposed? The ayes have it. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Bottom of the page, Cal. 362, File 286 Favorable report of the