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be postponed, particularly when these are held for minimum eligibility hearings. Committee felt it was a good bill and I urge adoption.

THE CHAIR:

Question is on passage. Will you remark further? If not, all those in favor signify by saying, "aye". Opposed, "nay". The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

CAL. 561. Favorable report of the Committee on Rules. Substitute House Bill 8496. An Act Concerning Notice of Special and Reconvened sessions of the General Assembly.

SENATOR BURKE:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill. This is an act concerning the notice of special and reconvened sessions of the General Assembly. The purpose of the bill is to change the requirement from mailing notice for reconvening the legislature from first class to registered certified return receipt requested. I move passage.

THE CHAIR:

Question is on passage. Will you remark further? If not, all those in favor signify by saying, "aye". Opposed, "nay". The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

CAL. NO. 562. File 560. Favorable report of the joint committee on Public Health and Safety. Substitute House Bill 8618. An Act Concerning Opening Birth Records for Genealogical Research.

SENATOR PAC:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report and passage of the bill. This bill would permit the members of any

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urge this as another step in the process you have so courageously undertaken towards the modernization of the Connecticut General Assembly. I support this as President of the League of Women Voters and also as a member of the steering committee of the Citizens committee of the Connecticut General Assembly.

Chairman Dzialo: Thank you very kindly. Are there any questions of the lady?

Sen. Lucy Hammer: Were you speaking partially to this resolution that is talking about facilities.

Mrs. Sims: I was speaking in general because we didn't have a specific position on what your bill proposed.

Sen. Hammer: But that's what brought it up.

Mrs. Sims: Right.

Chairman Dzialo: Thank you very kindly. Is there anybody to be heard on HB 6594? If not we will go on to HB 6595, 6596, 7298, 8389, HB 8494, HB 8495, HB 8496, 8497 and finally HB 8565?

Walter Brahm, State Librarian: And I would like to suggest a substitute for HB 8565 which contains language a bit more specific than the two line sentence of the original bill. With the annual sessions of the general assembly now coming up and with the new research staff that the general assembly has provided for its committees were not sure what extent or what direction the demands are on the state library and collection will take and we do want to be prepared and equipped with sufficient authority to do what may be necessary to give the general assembly their legislative research service.

Sen. Hammer: Do you have any suggestions as to how this bill should be....

Mr. Brahm: Yes, I brought over a copy which I will file, but I will read it if you like Sen. Hammer. The state library shall maintain a department of legislative services. The state librarian may employ, contract for the employment of, or otherwise recruit assistants who have or who are charged to acquire special competence in the subjects of interest to the committees and members of the general assembly and may, on call, assign such assistants to meet with these committees to facilitate providing said information services. Said services shall be available to the members of the general