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should present to you the fact that what we are saying then is that these dentists who cannot practice on you, can be allowed to practice on people in institutions. Whereas, it is true we do have a shortage of dentists and they are getting no treatment, perhaps, or insufficient treatment, at least they would get some treatment. But I can't speak for the state society and I would rather not and if this is a serious question we might pass this bill retaining until the Connecticut State Dental Society gave it an opinion.

MR. SPEAKER:

I'd suggest...the gentleman from the 118th, care to respond, any suggestions on the motion to be retained?

CARL R. AJELLO, 118th District:

If there's that serious a problem about it, Mr. Speaker, and if the good doctor can't answer for us without some checking, perhaps it might be a good idea. And I would so move.

MR. SPEAKER:

Hearing no objection the item will be passed retaining.

THE CLERK:

Page 7 of the calendar, Calendar No. 1024, Substitute for House Bill No. 6030, An Act Concerning Paternity Proceedings.

JOHN A. CARROZZELLA, 81st District:

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

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THE CHAIR:

Will you remark?

SENATOR DUPONT:

This bill fills a void in the existing statutes by providing for recanvass on referendum votes when there is less than one-half of one percent difference between the yes and no votes. It is a good bill and I urge it's adoption.

THE CHAIR:

Any further remarks. If not, all those infavor signify by saying aye. Opposed nay. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Calendar No. 947. File No. 1323. Favorable report of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary. Sub. H.B. 6030. An Act Concerning Paternity Proceedings.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Jackson.

SENATOR JACKSON:

I move acceptance of the Joint Committee's favorable report as amended by the House Amendment.

THE CHAIR:

The question is on acceptance and passage. Will you remark, sir?

SENATOR JACKSON:

Section 1 of the bill specifies any punitive father of any child for whom adjudication of paternity is sought in the paternity proceedings shall not be excused from testifying but under those conditions shall be

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It seems that we have reached a point where the myth that the responsibility to reimburse riot victims must be financed by the governmental unit where they occur is seen as ridiculous. If this Assembly feels that such victims should be compensated, then I would recommend that payment if any, be made from the general funds of the State of Connecticut through its State Claims Commission. Obviously, the most just and least discriminatory apportionment would occur at the federal level, but that is another problem and is begging the immediate question. Thank you very much.

Sen. Jackson: Would you leave that with the secretary, please. Mr. Higgins to be followed by Mrs. Wolf.

Mr. Higgins: Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen of the Committee, my name is James M. Higgins, I am Assistant Attorney General of the State of Connecticut. I would like to address myself to 4 or 5 bills that are on the list this morning. The first is H.B. #5287.

H.B. #5287 - AN ACT CONCERNING SUBPOENAS.

The amendment that we would like to have favorable consideration in this Bill is that which would authorize payment of subpoena fees by the clerks or an assistant attorney general in addition to the State's Attorney and Public Defenders as the Bill now provides. The second bill I would like to speak on is H.B. #6032.

H.B. #6032 - AN ACT CONCERNING PRESUMPTION OF LEGITIMACY

The stated purpose of this Bill is to make the State a full party to actions involving legitimacy of children who are or have been beneficiaries of aid or care from the State, and to place the burden of proof of claims that a child is illegitimate on the person so claiming it. This is a Bill specifically to give the State standing in law suits involving legitimacy of children as a full party and to, in fact, codify or have this Legislature enact by Statute the long standing presumption in law of the legitimacy of children.

The third Bill I would like to address myself to is H.B.#6030.

H.B. #6030 - AN ACT CONCERNING PATERNITY PROCEEDINGS.

Now this is a Bill concerning Paternity Proceeding. I would like to present to this committee a substitute bill this morning that would add one more feature than that the bill #6030 contains. This is essentially designed - the amendment to this bill, to provide immunity to both the mother and the putative father in and prior to paternity proceedings.