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MR. SPEAKER:

May I indicate to the Clerk that it might be better if we took action on the bill first. I think I'll announce on the outside for the assistant clerk to come into the bull pen.

JOHN CARROZZELLA, 81st District:

With the Clerk's indulgence, I know where he has to go, I would now move you, Mr. Speaker, that we accept the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill, as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A", House Amendment Schedule "A".

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on acceptance and passage as amended by Schedule "A", will you remark further?

JOHN CARROZZELLA, 81st District:

Mr. Speaker, I think we've remarked enough on the bill. I think it is a good bill, I think it gets at the pusher and it shows that the policy of the state of Connecticut, if you are going to sell drugs in the state of Connecticut for profit you are going to go to jail.

MR. SPEAKER:

Further remarks on the bill as amended? If not, all those in favor indicate by saying aye, opposed? The bill is passed. Now, Mr. Clerk.

THE CLERK:

Page 17, second from the bottom, Calendar No. 1247, Substitute for House Bill No. 6272, An Act Providing for Con-

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sultation Between the Judiciary Committee and the Rules Committee of the Superior Court, file 1371.

JAMES BINGHAM, 157th District:

Mr. Speaker, I move acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report and passage of the bill. Mr. Speaker, the Clerk has an amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

The Clerk will call Amendment Schedule "A". Does the gentleman wish the amendment read or does he wish to outline it?

JAMES BINGHAM, 157th District:

It's very short, Mr. Bingham, I think the Clerk can read it.

MR. SPEAKER:

The Clerk is tired, Mr. Bingham. I'll explain the amendment and the bill. The bill provides that the two chairmen of the Judiciary Committee appoint six members of the committee to meet on the call of the chief justice but not less than annually with the Superior Court rules committee concerning the rules of practice, pleadings and forms for all courts pending legislation affecting all courts. Now, the amendment, Mr. Speaker, provides that the 2 chairmen of the committee, the Senate Chairman and the House Chairman of the committee will also be a part of the committee. Now, this is an act on the part of the Judiciary Committee and the Supreme

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Court of the state of Connecticut to modernize the court rules in accord with our constitution. We are very proud in Connecticut that we have an independent judiciary and in accord with our constitution the judiciary must pass the rules. However, the Chief Justice and the members of the Rules Committee of the Superior Court agree that they should consult with the judiciary committee of the legislature on new rules which are to be promulgated for the practice of law in the state of Connecticut. The Supreme Court is in accord with this act and Mr. Chief Justice House has stated, "I would again express my pleasure at the development of the liaison between the judicial department and the judiciary committee for cooperation in meeting the inter-related responsibilities of our respected branch of government and, Mr. Speaker, this is another forward piece of legislation brought forth by the Judiciary Committee and I urge its passage.

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on adoption of Amendment Schedule "A". Will you remark further on "A"? If not, all those in favor indicate by saying aye, opposed? Amendment "A" is adopted. Will you remark further on the bill, as amended.

JAMES BINGHAM, 157th District:

Mr. Speaker, I move acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report in accord with House Amendment Schedule "A".

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Will you remark on the bill, as amended?

JAMES BINGHAM, 157th District:

Mr. Speaker, I have explained the bill and I urge its passage.

JOHN CARROZZELLA, 81st District:

Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the bill. I think it demonstrates the fact that we, here in the legislature, will have some say relative to the rules of court and I think it is a step forward because it will modernize our procedure in the courts, it is a good bill and I urge its passage.

MR. SPEAKER:

Are there further remarks on the bill, as amended? If not, all those in favor indicate by saying aye, opposed? The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Calendar No. 1266, House Bill 8269, An Act Concerning the Minimum Corporation Business Tax, file 1424.

PETER W. GILLIES, 75th District:

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

MR. SPEAKER:

Will you remark?

PETER GILLIES, 75th District:

Mr. Speaker, this bill, while complicated, I assure the members has been carefully reviewed by the officials in the

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indicate by saying aye. AYE. Opposed no? The ayes have it, the bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Page 11 please. Cal. 1211, file 1371 Favorable report of the joint standing committee on judiciary substitute for H.B. 6272 An Act Providing for Consultation Between the Judiciary Committee and The Rules Committee of the Superior Court.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Jackson.

SENATOR JACKSON:

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

THE CHAIR:

Will you remark?

SENATOR JACKSON:

Mr. President, this sets up a provision where members of the Legislature will be able to meet with the Judges to work out possible changes in court rules. And I urge passage.

THE CHAIR:

Any further remarks? If not all in favor of the bill indicate by saying aye. AYE. Opposed no. The ayes have it. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Page 13 Cal. 1224, File 930 Favorable report of the Committee on Appropriations on H.B. 8453 An Act Concerning Military Funerals for National Guardsmen.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Houley.

SENATOR HOULEY:

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

THE CHAIR:

Will you remark?