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THE SPEAKER:

So ordered.

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THE CLERK:

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR. March 29, 1971, Page 1 of the Calendar, CONSENT CALENDAR.

THE SPEAKER:

Representative Prete of the 114th.

MR. PRETE: (114th)

Mr. Speaker, I move acceptance of the Joint Committee's favorable report and the passage of the following matters on the Consent Calendar:

Cal. No. 170, Substitute for House Bill 7265. AN ACT CONCERNING PROVISION OF MEDICAL CARE TO CAMPERS AT YOUTH CAMPS. File No. 131.

THE SPEAKER:

You have heard the motion of the gentleman from 114th. Is there individual objection to taking up this item. Hearing none, the question is on acceptance and passage without debate. All those in favor indicate by saying AYE. Those opposed. The bill is PASSED.

THE SPEAKER:

Representative Sarasin of the 95th.

MR. SARASIN: (95th)

Mr. Speaker, I move the following matters be, the following resolutions be adopted at this time, pursuant to

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SENATOR CALDWELL:

They missed by a couple of days, I believe.

THE CHAIR:

Any further remarks? Question is on the acceptance of the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill. Those in favor signify by saying "aye". Opposed? The ayes have it. The bill is passed.

SENATOR CALDWELL:

Since this involved three projects in the City of Bridgeport and a great deal of money. It's quite urgent that it be passed here as quickly as possible. As a matter of fact, I received a phone call today, concerning it. So I would like to move for suspension of the rules for immediate transmittal to the House.

THE CHAIR:

Question is on suspension of the rules for immediate transmittal to the House. Is there any objection? No objection, so the rules will be suspended and the bill will be transmitted to the House immediately.

THE CLERK:

CAL. NO. 167, FILE NO. 131. Favorable report of the Joint Standing Committee on Public Health and Safety. Substitute House Bill No. 7265. An Act Concerning Provision of Medical Care to Campers at Youth Camps.

SENATOR PAC:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill. This bill is designed to alleviate the problem that's common to all youth camps. And that is, the need to have a physician on hand at all times. Particularly in times of an emergency. These youth

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camps in order to comply with the State regulations have on call a physician licensed in Connecticut. However, they are difficult to get a hold of inasmuch as, these camps are located in rural areas and often they are very much overworked. So this bill would permit the examining board to issue a license to any out of state physician, for 25 dollars and it would be effective for 9 weeks. The purpose is to have some of the manpower, some of these doctors who are on the staff of boarding schools or serve in the Health Department of Colleges. They would have some free time available in the summer and they could serve at these camps. And the people that run these camps in the Litchfield area have submitted to me, names of doctors who are willing and able to serve in this capacity. We currently do license out of state doctors, when they furnish a 100 dollar fee and of course, meet all the other requirements. So this is a good bill and it would be a help to improve the care of the camp.

THE CHAIR:

Any further remarks? Question is on passage of the bill. Those in favor signify by saying, "aye". Opposed? The ayes have it. Bill adopted.

THE CLERK:

CAL. NO. 169. FILE NO. 105. Favorable report of the joint standing committee on Government administration and policy. Substitute House Bill No. 100 An Act Concerning Powers of Regional Councils of Elected Officials. As amended by House Amendment Schedule A.

SENATOR SULLIVAN:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the committee's favorable report and passage of the bill, as amended by House Schedule A.

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Dr. Zazzaro: Mr. Chairman, can I just - Mr. Chairman, Mr. Chairman can I just take one minute to reply to, to talk on one dental bill and I think I'm the only person here that - I'd like to speak in relation to bill 6130, and I'm secretary of the Dental Commission.

AN ACT PROVIDING THAT THE DENTAL COMMISSION MAY AFFILIATE WITH THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF DENTAL EXAMINERS.

The bill would allow the Dental Commission to affiliate with other boards of examiners of other states, and also allow the Dental Commission to send a representative to annual meetings. This association and meeting with otherboards gives the Commission an opportunity to stay abreast of developments in dental regulations and examinations and is definitely a great advantage to the board and the state of Conn. The practice has been in the past to allow the president of the association, the commission to go to the annual meeting at which time he reports back the developments and so forth and this turn out to give us a better commission and better board and unfortunately in view of the fact that it seems many services are curtailed we thought that if this bill were in the statutes, they we would be able to have the same services that other examining boards have in other states. Thank you, sir for all your attention.

Atty. Ralph Elliot, representing the Conn. Camp Directors Association: I'm here to speak in behalf of HB 7265

AN ACT CONCERNING PROVISION OF MEDICAL CARE TO CAMPERS AT YOUTH CAMPS

This bill is designed to cure a condition which many youth camps in Conn. especially in Litchfield County and upper Fairfield County have found to exist. Namely, that when youth campers at their camps suffer a broken leg or ruptured appendix or some other emergency condition during the period of the summer, it is very difficult sometimes, especially in some of these smaller towns, to get immediate medical attention from the physicians in those towns. They are overworked, they cannot get out to these places in time, and they in turn have said, why can't some of these youth camps have on site camp physicians? Resident in the camp to take care of these young campers, at least until we can get there. Unfortunately because of the shortage in physicians, many of these youth camps have been unable to obtain available Conn. physicians to be resident physicians during this period.

This bill, HR 7265, would attempt to remedy that. It would permit the examining board to license for no longer than a nine week period, temporary youth camp physicians who have already been licensed by similar

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boards in other states. Such physicians would perhaps be physicians who are boarding school physicians in New York or Massachusetts or wherever, who have a summer free, or college health department physicians. They would be resident physicians in the youth camps designed primarily to treat emergency conditions.

We have placed into this bill a provision that any youth camp that has one of these temporary youth camp physicians also must have on call a Conn. licensed physician so that there is no attempt in any way to derogate from the responsibilities or the duties or the prerogatives of the Conn. physicians.

This bill has been requested by many doctors who are overworked in these areas. It has been requested by parents who send their children to youth camps and want to make certain that if their children suffer some emergency conditions, a broken leg, a ruptured appendix, a sudden 105 or 106 degree temperature in the middle of the night that there is on site medical attention from a licensed physician available to those campers. This is also requested by the youth campers so that everyone will have peace of mind that the children in these camps are being adequately cared for.

There is a bill similar to this, a law similar to this, already on the books in Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, other states with many youth camps. I urge the committee to recommend this bill favorably to the entire general assembly. Thank you Senator Pac.

Atty. Shaughnessy: Senator, we have two bills that the remaining hairdressers here are interested in. There's probably fifteen of the original thirty, and we have very short presentations on both bills and I wondered if we could present those and hear as to whether there's any opposition, if that would be permissible?

Sen. Pac: Yes, you can present your testimony.

Atty. Shaughnessy: All right. As to HB 5887. AN ACT PLACING THE SERVICING, SALE AND USAGE OF FEMALE WIGS UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT. I'm speaking on behalf of the Conn. Hairdressers Association in behalf of this bill. I would just like to make a couple of introductory remarks and then we have two speakers who we would like to have speak on it.