

HB 7321

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House 4841

Senate 3356

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Rep Fabrizio: part time help anymore, you will have full time help and this will all go back to the taxpayers. Exactly what it will come, if we don't eventually get this and especially with this 7% proposal on the gasoline tax, the sales tax to be extended to the gasoline tax, it is going to be an awfull burden to the bus companies and if you take notice, you will notice a number of bus companies don't, going out of business now. There is a bus company right in my home town, right near my home town already went out of business because they couldn't make any money.

Rep. Spiegel: from the 126th district. Speaking in favor HB7321.  
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This permits the paying for preliminary school architectural plans on a bondable basis. I'll tell you the reason for it. The town of Monroe there was talk that it would be \$12-14 million high school, rather than authorize such an appropriation the people rightfully so wanted to know a little more about it, so they authorized approximately \$70,00000 for preliminary plans. Following the preliminary plans they still wanted to know more about it so now they want working plans which run \$300-400 hundred thousand. It's possible after that time they will decide not to go in with the project, but they will have to pay this obligation. Under the present statute that money can be borrowed but must be repaid out of next year's tax receipt and that would be a substantial burden on the town to pay their dept in only one year, so this bill permits that to be paid out of the proceeds of a bond issue even if they do make, do go ahead with the project. I think this must apply in other towns as well and I think it makes good sense.

Rep. Clynes: Any questions.

Rep. Comstock: You say that if you borrow this money you must pay it back in the previous year's budget.

Rep. Spiegel: In the next year's budget.

Rep. Comstock: Right. Why wouldn't this work the same way any other note where you can renew it for a period of four years. Why can't you make it a four or five year pay-off.

Rep. Spiegel: I think it is 7348 or 7378 which said that when you do not have the appropriation at the beginning of the year and you go to a town meeting for additional appropriation, that appropriation must be repaid out of the next year's tax receipt.

Rep. Comstock: Yes, but your authorization at a town meeting can be so worded so that you can pay for it on short time borrowing over a period of x number of years.

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concerning open air theaters, shopping centers on State highways, File No. 1492. Calendar No. 1315, Substitute for H.B. No. 6260, an Act concerning proposed Amendments to the Constitution, File No. 1496. Calendar No. 1317, Substitute for H.B. No. 6316, an Act concerning the registration of commercial motor vehicles, File No. 1483. Calendar No. 1319, Substitute for H.B. No. 6420, an Act concerning the authority of the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles to make regulations and certify equipment in the interest of public safety, File No. 1498. Turning to Page 3, Calendar No. 1321, Substitute for H.B. No. 6444, an act concerning approval of motor vehicle equipment, File No. 1460. Calendar No. 1326, H.B. No. 6564, an Act concerning the classification of forest land, File No. 1491. Calendar No. 1327, Substitute for H.B. No. 6573, an Act concerning erasure of Circuit Court arrest and conviction records, File No. 1484. Calendar No. 1335, H.B. No. 7321, an Act concerning payment for preparation of preliminary school building plans, File No. 1490. Calendar No. 1336, Substitute for H.B. No. 7596, an Act concerning license plates on motorcycles, File No. 1454. Calendar No. 1340, H.B. No. 8127, an Act concerning the sessions of the Board of Admissions, File No. 1465. Turning to Page 4, Calendar No. 1342, Substitute for H.B. No. 8271, an Act imposing an interim tax on motor vehicles registered between assessment dates, File No. 1474. Calendar No. 1343, Substitute for H.B. No. 8467, an Act concerning real estate licenses, File No. 1443. Calendar No. 1345, H.B. No. 8612, an Act permitting Constables in small towns to make arrests outside their jurisdiction in fresh pursuit cases, File No. 1472. Calendar No. 1346, H.B. No. 8690, an Act concerning the

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House Bill 5168. An Act Concerning the Power of Lending of Future Advancement of Money and to Complete the Work Progress in the Event of Default.

Cal. 1255, File 1470, Sub House Bill 6723, An Act Concerning Technical Amendments to the Planning and Zoning Statutes with Respect to Hearing.

Cal. 1258, File 1490, House Bill 7321, An Act Concerning Payment for Preparation of Preliminary School Building Plans.

Cal. 1265, File 1472, House Bill 8612, An Act Permitting Constables in Small Towns to Make Arrests outside their jurisdiction and fresh pursuit cases.

Page 7, Cal. That is all I have for now.

Mr. President, at this time, I'd like to suggest that we proceed with the following two Calendars: Cal. 1358, commonly known as the Gambling Bill, File 1362, known as the Environmental Bill.

THE CHAIR:

Senator, do you not want to make to move on the Consent Motion?

Question is on the bill enumerated by the Majority Leader, is there any objection to their passage? Hearing none, said bills are declared passed.

SENATOR CALDWELL:

Mr. President, if any of them did not have double stars, I move that the rules be suspended.

THE CHAIR:

Motion has been made for suspension of the rules where necessary, concerning double or single starred items. Hearing no objection, suspension of the rules is ordered.

THE CLERK:

CAL. NO. 1358, File No. 1560. Favorable report of the joint committee on Appropriations. Substitute House Bill 7238. An Act Concerning A Commission