

Chief Clerk's office as early in the morning as possible.

Delegate Proposal No. 68. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 68, by Delegate Willoner. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that no law shall be enacted respecting an establishment of religion; that each person shall have the right to worship or not to worship; that no person shall be disqualified from public office or rendered incompetent as a witness or juror because of his opinion on matters of religious belief; and that no public funds shall be spent for the benefit of sectarian activities or institutions, or institutions in which any form of racial or religious segregation, discrimination, or bias is practiced.*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 68 is referred to the Committee on Personal Rights and the Preamble.

Delegate Proposal No. 69. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 69, by Delegate Cardin. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that an attorney general shall be elected to serve for a four-year term, and shall be re-eligible thereto.*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 69 is referred to the Committee on the Executive Branch.

Delegate Proposal No. 70. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 70, by Delegates Bennett and Murphy. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that a person accused of crime shall be informed of the charge against him in time to prepare his defense; shall have the assistance of counsel compensated as the legislature may provide; shall be confronted with the witnesses against him; shall have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses; and shall have a speedy and public trial before an impartial jury, the concurrence of at least five-sixths of whom shall be necessary for a verdict of guilty except in capital cases where such verdict shall be unanimous.*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 70 is referred to the Committee on Personal Rights and the Preamble.

Delegate Proposal No. 71. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 71, by Delegates Beachley and Pullen. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that the right to a free education, irrespective of its length, shall be guaranteed to every individual regardless of race, creed, color, sex, or financial status.*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 71 is referred to the Committee on General Provisions.

Delegate Proposal No. 72. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 72, by Delegate Dorsey. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that state and local income, payroll, and earnings taxes shall be prohibited on and after July 1, 1972.*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 72 is referred to the Committee on State Finance and Taxation.

Delegate Proposal No. 73. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 73, by Delegate Byrnes. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that to be eligible as a senator or delegate a person shall hold no civil or military office under the United States; shall be a citizen resident in the State for at least three years, and in the legislative district which he may be chosen to represent, for at least one year; and that to be eligible as a senator said person shall have attained the age of twenty-five years, and to be eligible as a delegate, he shall have attained the age of twenty-one years.*

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 73 is referred to the Committee on the Legislative Branch.

Delegate Proposal No. 74. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 74, by Delegate Sollins. Title,

*A PROPOSAL that the General Assembly shall be a unicameral body meeting for not more than ninety plenary session days each year; that the number of legislators shall be prescribed by law, but in no event shall be more than one hundred; that legislators shall be qualified voters resident in the State for at least two years, and at least twenty-one years old; that legislators shall be elected for a four-year term from single-member districts; that legislative vacancies shall be filled at special elections;*