this State; and making an appropriation from any funds in the general surplus fund account of the treasury of the State for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1965, as an emergency appropriation to the State Department of Education for additional aid to education as required by Chapter 17 of the Acts of the Regular Session of 1964 in lieu of an appropriation in the same amount in Chapter 68 of the Acts of the Regular Session of 1964, and further providing for the distribution and disbursement of this appropriation.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

House Bill No. 2-By Delegate Bresler:

AN ACT to add a new Section 292A to Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "Income Tax," to follow immediately after Section 292 thereof, providing a credit against the income tax payable by any taxpayer for certain monies paid as a retail sales tax or use tax on the purchase of machinery or equipment, or either of them, to be used either for manufacturing, or for farming and agricultural purposes in this State.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

House Bill No. 3—By Delegate Bresler:

AN ACT to repeal and reenact with amendments Section 326(b) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "Retail Sales Tax Act," amending the State Retail Sales Tax Act in order to increase the amount of the exemption as to the purchase price to which the tax applies.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

House Bill No. 4-By Delegate Bresler:

AN ACT to add new Sections 478-483, inclusive, to Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition and 1964 Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes," to follow immediately after Section 477 thereof and to be under the new subtitle "Commission on State Tax Policy," to create a Commission on State Tax Policy to study the tax structure and related fiscal problems of the State and its political subdivisions and to make recommendations thereon to the Governor and to the General Assembly, to provide for the members of the Commission and for its powers and duties, providing funds therefor, and relating generally to the Commission on State Tax Policy.

Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

House Bill No. 5-By Delegate Bresler:

AN ACT to repeal Sections 288 (c-2), 289 (f-3) and 289 (f-4) of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1964 Supplement), title "Revenue and Taxes," subtitle "Income Tax," and to enact in lieu thereof new Sections 288 (c-2) and 289 (f-3) to stand in the place, respectively, of the sections so repealed; and to repeal Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter 17 of the