

April 1, 2019 at approximately 2:45am

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1 I believe there's a privileged
2 resolution at the desk.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT BENJAMIN: We will
4 return to motions and resolutions.

5 There is a privileged resolution at
6 the desk. The Secretary will read.

7 THE SECRETARY: Senate Resolution
8 Number 958, by Senator Stewart-Cousins,
9 Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly
10 fixing the salaries of the offices of Governor
11 and Lieutenant Governor pursuant to Sections 3
12 and 6 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the
13 State of New York.

14 ACTING PRESIDENT BENJAMIN: The
15 question is on the resolution.

16 The Secretary will call the roll.

17 (The Secretary called the roll.)

18 ACTING PRESIDENT BENJAMIN:
19 Announce the results.

20 THE SECRETARY: Those Senators
21 voting in the negative are Senators Akshar,
22 Amedore, Antonacci, Boyle, Flanagan, Funke,
23 Gallivan, Griffo, Helming, Jacobs, Jordan, Lanza,
24 LaValle, Little, O'Mara, Ortt, Ramos,
25 Ranzenhofer, Ritchie, Rivera, Robach, Serino,

1 Seward and Tedisco.

2 Absent from voting: Senators
3 Metzger, Sepúlveda and Skoufis.

4 Ayes, 35. Nays, 24.

5 ACTING PRESIDENT BENJAMIN: The
6 resolution is adopted.

7 Senator Gianaris.

8 SENATOR GIANARIS: Mr. President,
9 while we are waiting for the final message to
10 come for the last budget bill, we will have the
11 leaders' speeches at this point.

12 So if you could please begin by
13 calling on Senator Flanagan.

14 ACTING PRESIDENT BENJAMIN: Senator
15 Flanagan.

16 SENATOR FLANAGAN: Thank you,
17 Mr. President.

18 I appreciate everyone taking the
19 time. And a couple of notes here, just jotted
20 down some things that were talked about
21 throughout the course of the day. And I have to
22 tell you, without any disrespect to his
23 successor, this is about the time where I would
24 think about either Senator Hannon or Senator
25 DeFrancisco. Because Senator Hannon would sit