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## Members Present:

Chairman Hayes Vice Chairman Stewart Mr. Banner Mr. Brady Mr. Coulter Mr. Fielding Mr. Horn Mr. Malone Mr. Polish Mr. Prengaman Mr. Sena

Members Absent:

None

Chairman Hayes called a special meeting on the Assembly floor at 5:15 p.m. this date for consideration of S.B. 439.

## SENATE BILL 439

Provides specifically that living together is not matter of defense or mitigation to prosecution for assault or battery.

Chairman Hayes stated that there were members of the Senate who felt this bill was necessary and would like to see it passed.

Mr. Malone and Mr. Stewart both expressed the feeling that the problem addressed by <u>S.B. 439</u> was taken care of in present law.

Mr. Prengaman moved Do Pass; Mr. Polish seconded the motion. The motion lost on the following vote:

Aye - Hayes, Coulter, Polish, Prengaman, Sena - 5. Nay - Stewart, Banner, Brady, Fielding, Horn, Malone - 6.

Respectfully submitted,

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Carl R. Ruthstrom, Jr. Secretary

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