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Fifty-eighth Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Tuesday, June 10, 2008 and is called to order at 4:32 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable William J. Murphy, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 70 members present and 4 members absent as follows:

PRESENT - 70: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

ABSENT - 4: Representatives Church, Palumbo, Scott, and Singleton.

INVOCATION

The Honorable Speaker presents Representative Fellela who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Wednesday, June 4, 2008 is approved as printed.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Representative Raymond C. Church will be unable to attend session Tuesday, June 10, 2008.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUENT SERVICES**

Representative Giannini, for the Committee on Constituent Services, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

Senate Bill No. 2428

BY Paiva-Weed, Levesque C, Moura, Gibbs, Lenihan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS (change the name of the Metropolitan Career and Technical Center, in Newport, Rhode Island, to the "Paul W. Crowley Metropolitan Career and Technical Center") {LC1475/1}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Resolution No. 2952

BY Perry, Goodwin, Doyle, Tassoni, Alves

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH IN 2010 {LC2697/1}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2953

BY Pichardo, Metts, Miller, Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT {LC2732/1}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS

Representative Kennedy, for the Committee on Corporations, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 8110 SUB A

BY Rice, Jackson, Long, Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES (provide that a holder of a farm-winery license would not be prohibited from applying for a Class B license as well) {LC2670/1/A}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2286 SUB B (Lieutenant Governor)

BY Sheehan, Perry, Sosnowski, Paiva-Weed, Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE MARKET EXPANSION (establish a regional health insurance market between Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Connecticut) {LC1673/2/B}

06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2904 SUB A

BY Gibbs, Levesque C, Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES (would provide that a holder of a farm-winery license would not be prohibited from applying for a Class B license as well) {LC2516/1/A}

06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2950

BY Doyle, Tassoni, DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES {LC2693/1}

06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Representative Lally, for the Committee on Judiciary, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of passage:

Senate Bill No. 2710 SUB A

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS (make it possible to transport pistols or revolvers within the state as long as the ammunition therefore is transported in a different location within the vehicle not readily accessible from the passenger compartment) {LC2238/1/A}

06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Representative Gallison, for the Committee on Municipal Government, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill No. 8217

BY Gallison, Gablinske

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BRISTOL SENIOR RESIDENT PROPERTY TAX SERVICE PROGRAM (permit the town of Bristol to grant tax credits to qualified senior residents in exchange for services provided to the town of Bristol municipal government) {LC2742/1}

06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2050**BY** Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - VETERANS' BENEFITS - WESTERLY (increase the amount of veterans, veterans' widows, totally disabled veterans, POW's, gold star parents exemptions and exemptions for the blind in Westerly) {LC252/1}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2701**BY** Lenihan, Raptakis

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF EAST GREENWICH TO FINANCE THE CONVERSION OF THE SWIFT GYMNASIUM INTO A SENIOR AND COMMUNITY CENTER AND THE CONVERSION OF THE FORMER POLICE STATION INTO OFFICES FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, AND THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, ALTERATION, DEMOLITION, IMPROVEMENT, REHABILITATION, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING AND LANDSCAPING OF SUCH FACILITIES IN THE TOWN AND ALL ATTENDANT EXPENSES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURAL COSTS AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR (authorizes the town of East Greenwich to issue not more than \$4,000,000 bonds and notes to finance the conversion of the swift gymnasium into a senior and community center) {LC2314/1}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

Senate Bill No. 2702**BY** Goodwin, Ciccone, Metts, Jabour, Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS (remove the fine of (\$500) that the bureau of licenses of the city of Providence is authorized to impose as a fine upon any person, firm, or corporation for the violation of any law, ordinance, condition, rule, or regulation applicable to the license) {LC1997/1}
06/10/2008 Placed on House Calendar

NEW BUSINESS**House Bill No. 8349****BY** Long

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC3024/1}
06/10/2008 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

House Resolution No. 8350**BY** Melo, Silva, Rose, Amaral, Pacheco

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 10, 2008 AS "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3059/1}

Representative Melo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Melo seconded by Representatives Silva, Lima, Rose, San Bento, Kilmartin, Fellela and many other members of the House by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8351

BY Fox, Watson

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES {LC3079/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Watson by unanimous consent, on a rising vote.

House Resolution No. 8352

BY Fox, Watson

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS {LC3080/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Watson by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8353

BY Costantino, Fox, Watson, Mumford, Lewiss

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING STATE CONTROLLER LAWRENCE C. FRANKLIN ON HIS RETIREMENT AFTER 34 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3070/1}

Representative Costantino requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Costantino seconded by Representative Fox, Watson, Carter and Amaral by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8354

BY Menard, Petrarca, McManus

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ALEXANDRA SEXTON ON BEING NAMED LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2008 VALEDICTORIAN {LC3018/1}

Representative Menard requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Menard seconded by Representatives McManus and Petrarca by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8355

BY Menard, Petrarca, McManus

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING NIKOLAY KOROTKOV ON BEING NAMED LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2008 SALUTATORIAN {LC3016/1}

Representative Menard requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Menard seconded by Representatives McManus and Petrarca by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8356

BY Kilmartin, Murphy, Fox, Carter, Watson

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF SGT. SHANE P. DUFFY {LC3084/1}

Representative Kilmartin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Kilmartin seconded by Representatives Coderre, Costantino, Naughton, McCauley, Kennedy, Menard, Dennigan, Handy, Ajello, Pacheco, Gallison, Brien, Giannini, Mattiello, Ferri, Wasylyk, Williamson, Winfield, McManus, McNamara, Lewiss, Vaudreuil, Gorham, San Bento, Rice, Long, Trillo, Ehrhardt, Gemma, Fox, Watson, Story, O'Neill, Petrarca., Fellela, Carter, Williams, Coaty, Jackson, Silva, Shanley, Moffitt, Lally, Diaz and Baldelli-Hunt by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8357

BY Handy

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING CHESTER W. BARROWS AND ALICE HAYES BARROWS {LC3077/1}

Representative Handy requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Handy seconded by Representative Fox by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8358**BY** Lewiss**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL HOUSE COMMISSION TO STUDY FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY IN ANIMAL HOUSING FACILITIES {LC3090/1}

06/10/2008 House read and passed

Representative Lewiss requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Lewiss seconded by Representative Fox by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 8359**BY** Serpa, Williamson, Murphy, Watson, Fox**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION DENY THE PROPOSED THIRTY-FIVE PERCENT RATE INCREASE REQUESTED**BY** THE KENT COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY {LC3030/1}

Representative Serpa requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Serpa seconded by Representative Fox by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

RULE 17**The following bills were received pursuant to Rule 17:**

Representative Long-An Act relating to Solemnization of Marriage.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Honorable Senate transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 2679 SUB A as amended**BY** Paiva-Weed, Perry, Levesque C, Blais, Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE ACT OF 2008 {LC1827/2/A}

06/10/2008 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 2398 SUB A (Children, Youth and Families)

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
LICENSING AND MONITORING OF CHILD CARE PROVIDERS AND CHILD PLACING
AGENCIES {LC1735/1/A}

06/10/2008 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 2479 SUB A

BY Doyle, McBurney, Tassoni, Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - NURSES
(would allow certified nurse practitioners to prescribe medicine in accordance with state
formulary of registered nurse practitioners) {LC2100/1/A}

06/10/2008 Referred to House H.E.W.

Senate Bill No. 2580

BY Ruggerio, Goodwin, Connors, McCaffrey, DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MUNICIPAL
EMPLOYEES' ARBITRATION (require the state to pay the cost of compulsory mediation
involving municipal employees) {LC446/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Finance

Senate Bill No. 2676 SUB A as amended

BY Gallo, Fogarty P

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
PSYCHOLOGISTS {LC1292/1/A}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Finance

Senate Bill No. 3016

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2871/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 3018

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2860/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 3040

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (allow the
Honorable Scott Avedisian to join Suzanne O. Fry and William A. Manchester, Jr. in marriage
within the Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island on or about December 31, 2008.)
{LC2929/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 3041**BY** Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (allow David Farrell to join Josiah Herbert and Angela Hudon in marriage on or about August 2, 2008 within the town of Bristol, Rhode Island) {LC2922/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 3044**BY** Gibbs**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (allow the Honorable Joe Vespa to join Dr. Roya Nakhgevany and Matt Pilcher in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island on or about July 28, 2008) {LC2923/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Judiciary

Senate Bill No. 2579**BY** Ruggerio, Doyle, Connors, McCaffrey, Moura**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MEDIATION (provide for the payment of certain costs pertaining to compulsory mediation) {LC474/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Labor

Senate Bill No. 2147**BY** Lanzi, Ciccone, Badeau, Ruggerio, Maselli**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- FIREFIGHTERS' ARBITRATION (provide that all contractual benefits conferred under an existing contract would continue until a new agreement is reached through arbitration or by agreement between the parties) {LC638/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Labor

Senate Bill No. 2406 (Labor & Training)**BY** Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR - TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE - BENEFITS (amend the waiting week requirement to begin the waiting week on the Sunday of the week in which a claimant files a claim for benefits) {LC1729/1}

06/10/2008 Referred to House Labor

CALENDAR

From the Calendar are taken:

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 10, 2008:**1 2008-H 8027****BY** Lima**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RESTRICTING RADIO FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION DEVICES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Representative Lima moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Wasylyk.

Representative Lima withdraws a previous amendment.

By unanimous consent, Representative Lima seconded by Representative Wasylyk offers an written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T
TO
2008 -- H 8027

**AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RESTRICTING RADIO
FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION DEVICES**

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- H 8027, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- RESTRICTING RADIO FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION DEVICES", as follows:

1. On page 1, by deleting all of the language on lines 8 and 9, and by substituting in place thereof the following language: "movement or identity of any student on school grounds, at school functions, or while being transported to or from school grounds or school functions."

2. On page 2, line 3, by deleting the word "patients" and substituting in place thereof the word "students".

3. On page 2, line 5, by deleting the word "complaint" and substituting in place thereof the word "compliant".

4. On page 2, line 9, by deleting the word "individual" and substituting in place thereof the word "student".

5. On page 2, by deleting all of the language on lines 10 and 11, and by substituting in place thereof the following language:

"(d) Nothing contained in this chapter shall be construed to apply to or prohibit the use of global positioning system devices.

42-149-4. Use of radio frequency identification devices for toll payment. – The personally identifiable information of persons who use radio frequency identification devices to facilitate the payment of tolls shall not be considered public information. Personally identifying information may be released to law enforcement agencies only for: (a) toll enforcement purposes; or (b) for other purposes if accompanied by a court order."

Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE LIMA

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Representatives Gorham, Lima, Trillo, Watson, Ehrhardt, Long, Gemma, and Smith discuss the amendment.

Representative Gorham seconded by Representative Watson moves to recommit.

The motion to recommit fails on a roll call vote 16 members voting in the affirmative and 50 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 16: Representatives Amaral, Coaty, Ehrhardt, Gorham, Long, Loughlin, McManus, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Savage, Shanley, Story, Trillo, Watson, Winfield.

NAYS - 50: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Fellela, Ferri, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Segal, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Smith, Sullivan, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 56 members voting in the affirmative and 10 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Sullivan, Trillo, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson.

NAYS - 10: Representatives Baldelli-Hunt, Flaherty, Gablinske, Gorham, Loughlin, McManus, Mumford, Story, Watson, Winfield.

Read and passed, as amended, on a roll call vote, 48 members voting in the affirmative and 19 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 48: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Brien, Carter, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Fellela, Ferri, Fox, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Moffitt, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Segal, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Smith, Sullivan, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson.

NAYS - 19: Representatives Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Caprio, Coaty, Ehrhardt, Flaherty, Gablinske, Gorham, Long, Loughlin, McManus, Menard, Mumford, Savage, Shanley, Story, Trillo, Watson, Winfield.

2 2008-H 7222 SUB A

BY Malik

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES --
REGULATION OF SALES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Read, and by unanimous consent, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 12, 2008.

NOW PRESIDING

At 5:18 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker Murphy yields the rostrum to the Honorable Speaker Pro Tempore Lima.

3 2008-H 8014 SUB B

BY Fox

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Ordered on the Calendar

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Gemma and Pacheco.

The bill marked Substitute "B" is read and passed, and the original bill and the bill marked Substitute "A" indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 58 members voting in the affirmative and 6 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 58: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Caprio, Carter, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Long, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 6: Representatives Coaty, Ehrhardt, Gorham, Loughlin, McManus, Watson.

4 2008-H 7512 SUB A

BY Serpa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- CONDOMINIUM LAW

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Fox, McNamara and Serpa.

By unanimous consent, Representative Kennedy seconded by Representatives Fox and Serpa offers a written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T
TO
2008 -- H 7512 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- CONDOMINIUM LAW

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- H 7512 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- CONDOMINIUM LAW", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 14, by deleting the comma “,” and inserting in place thereof a semicolon “;”.
2. On page 1, line 16, by deleting the comma “,” and inserting in place thereof a semicolon “;”.
3. On page 2, line 9, by deleting the left parenthesis “(“ after the numeral and punctuation “(\$5,000)”.

Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE KENNEDY

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The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 62 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 62: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McCauley, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Representatives Gorham and Kennedy discuss the act, as amended.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed, as amended and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: Representatives Ajello, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DeSimone, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford,

Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

HELD ON THE DESK

Representative Costantino requests (08-H 8344) to be transmitted to the Honorable Senate. There is no objection.

5 2008-H 8325

BY Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Gallison and Kilmartin.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 61 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 61: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, DeSimone, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

6 2008-S 2760

BY Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Corvese moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Gemma.

Representative Moffitt discusses the act.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 60 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 60: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

REQUEST

Representative Giannini requests the journal to reflect that if she had voted on (08-S 2760, in concurrence), she would have voted in the affirmative.

7 2008-S 2152

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Representative Kennedy moves passage of the act, seconded by Representative Menard.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 61 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 61: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Dennigan, DeSimone, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Loughlin, Malik, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Serpa, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

Senate Bill No. 3042

BY Breene

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (allow Sarah Elisabeth Paquet to join Miss Jennifer Rebecca Paquet and Mr. Brandon David Lee in marriage within the Town of Coventry, Rhode Island on June 21, 2008) {LC2962/1}

Representative Fox requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, in concurrence on a motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Carter on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 56: Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Amaral, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carter, Coaty, Coderre, Corvese, Dennigan, Diaz, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Gorham, Handy, Jackson, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lewiss, Lima, Long, Mattiello, McManus, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Moffitt, Mumford, Naughton, O'Neill, Pacheco, Petrarca, Rice, Rose, Savage, Segal, Shanley, Silva, Slater, Smith, Story, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all House matters on the Clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to the Honorable Senate, and (08-S 3042) transmitted to His Excellency, the Governor, forthwith.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Melo announces that today is Day of Portugal Day and welcomes to the House Chamber the Day of Portugal Committee. The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representative Melo congratulate Representative William San Bento Jr. on being named the Grand Marshal.

At 4:46 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker yields the rostrum to Representatives Lima and Melo.

By unanimous consent, Representatives Lima and Melo address the members of the House on Day of Portugal Day.

At 4:47 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

Representative Giannini congratulates House Page Andre Adeyemi on graduating from Times2 Academy.

Representative Slater announces that the Committee on Finance will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 35 of the State House.

Representative Pacheco announces that the Committee on Municipal Government will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 205 of the State House.

Representative Kennedy announces that the Committee on Corporations will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 203 of the State House

Representative Giannini announces that the Committee on Constituent Services will meet at the rise of the House in Room 135 of the State House.

Majority Leader Fox announces that the Committee on Finance will meet tomorrow at 1:00 o'clock P.M for the Budget Hearing. Leader Fox also announces there will be session tomorrow at 4:00 o'clock P.M.

GUESTS

Representative Giannini welcomes to the House Chamber as a guest Carlene Casciano-McCann, new Executive Director of St. Mary's Home for Children.

At 4:40 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker yields the rostrum to Representatives Serpa and Carter.

By unanimous consent, Representatives Serpa and Carter address the members of the House and welcomes to the House retired Staff Sergeant John J. Tessitore and Reginald A. Centracchio, Lieutenant General (Retired) and presents them with citations from the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, Staff Sergeant John J. Tessitore addresses the members of the House.

At 4:45 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

The Honorable Speaker William Murphy welcomes Mayor Napolitano to the House Chamber.

Representative Long welcomes to the House Chambers as guests Rick Anderson, member of Jamestown Harbor Commission and his wife Jill Anderson President of the West Reach Association.

Representative Ucci announces Vincent Volpe, Domenic Volpe, Julian Martinelli, and Christian Martinelli from the Cranston Johnston Catholic Regional fourth grade class came to visit the State House today along with their parents even though school was cancelled for the day.

ADJOURNMENT

At 5:40 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Watson the House adjourns, on a voice vote.

Linda M. McElroy
Recording Clerk

APPENDIX**INVOCATION****REPRESENTATIVE DEBORAH A. FELLELA**

Lord, we have been sent to these positions of responsibility by the people. Make us mindful that we are their servants. Give us the wisdom and energy to serve them honestly and well. Amen.

APPENDIX

TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR

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APPENDIX

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2008:

1 2008-H 8226**BY Pacheco****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM
MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

2 2008-H 7547**BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -
PAY AND ALLOWANCES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

3 2008-H 7800 SUB A**BY Ehrhardt****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEPARTMENTS --
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUECommittee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and
passage of Substitute A.**4 2008-H 7176 SUB A****BY Naughton****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ELDERLY
VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACTCommittee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and
passage of Substitute A.**5 2008-H 7657 SUB A****BY Palumbo****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONSCommittee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and
passage of Substitute A.**6 2008-H 7830 SUB A****BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - SIZE,

WEIGHT AND LOAD LIMITS

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

7 2008-H 8328**BY Gallison****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

8 2008-H 8295**BY Schadone****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

9 2008-H 7648 SUB A as amended**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
SPECIAL LICENSE FOR MOTORCYCLES, MOTOR SCOOTERS
AND OTHER MOTOR DRIVEN CYCLES

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended.

10 2008-H 7889 SUB A**BY Fox****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

11 2008-S 2081**BY Perry****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- REGISTRATION OF
VOTERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

12 2008-S 2289 SUB A**BY Tassoni****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE --
DEFENSE CIVIL PREPAREDNESS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the

original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

13 2008-S 2130 SUB A

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY
OF PUPILS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

14 2008-S 2450 SUB A

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 2008:

1 2008-H 7222 SUB A

BY Malik

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES --
REGULATION OF SALES

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

2 2008-H 8110 SUB A

BY Rice

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES --
MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

3 2008-H 8217

BY Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BRISTOL SENIOR
RESIDENT PROPERTY TAX SERVICE PROGRAM

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

4 2008-S 2710 SUB A

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

5 2008-S 2286 SUB B

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE
MARKET EXPANSION

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

6 2008-S 2904 SUB A

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES --
MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

7 2008-S 2950

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
LICENSES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

8 2008-S 2428

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - REGIONAL
VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

9 2008-S 2952

BY Perry

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A WHITE HOUSE
CONFERENCE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH IN 2010

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

10 2008-S 2953

BY Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage in concurrence.

11 2008-S 2050**BY Algieri****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - VETERANS' BENEFITS - WESTERLY

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

12 2008-S 2701**BY Lenihan****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF EAST GREENWICH TO FINANCE THE CONVERSION OF THE SWIFT GYMNASIUM INTO A SENIOR AND COMMUNITY CENTER AND THE CONVERSION OF THE FORMER POLICE STATION INTO OFFICES FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, AND THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, ALTERATION, DEMOLITION, IMPROVEMENT, REHABILITATION, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING AND LANDSCAPING OF SUCH FACILITIES IN THE TOWN AND ALL ATTENDANT EXPENSES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURAL COSTS AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

13 2008-S 2702**BY Goodwin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Francis P. McCabe
Clerk of the House

Tuesday, June 10, 2008