

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

Journal of the Senate

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Thursday, June 6, 2013

Sixtieth Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:22 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 36 Senators present and 2 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

ABSENT – 2: Senators Ciccone, Satchell.

INVOCATION

The Honorable President, by unanimous consent, presents Senator Pearson to deliver the invocation.

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

The Honorable President, by unanimous consent, presents Senator Pearson to lead the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fifty-ninth Legislative Day of the 2013 proceedings is read in part.

Upon suggestion of Senator Pearson and by unanimous consent, further reading of the Journal is dispensed with and the Journal approved as recorded.

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Raptakis and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber his intern Tiffany Lyn Donohue who graduated from Providence College.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE GOVERNOR

The Honorable President presents the following communication from His Excellency, the Governor, transmitting the following appointments and requesting the advice and consent of the Senate thereto:

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE**

June 6, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Article 10 Section 4 of the Rhode Island Constitution, I have made the following appointment as Associate Justice of the Rhode Island Family Court:

Sandra A Lanni

VICE

Associate Justice Raymond E. Shawcross

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE**

June 6, 2013

The Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
President of the Senate
318 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear President Paiva Weed:

Please be advised and let the record reflect that due to personal reasons I will be absent from the chamber on Thursday, June 6 2013.

I would appreciate your recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Senator Adam J. Satchell
Senate District 09

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

Also:

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE**

June 6, 2013

The Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
President of the Senate
318 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Madam President:

This letter is to inform you that I will not be in session on Thursday, June 6, 2013. I will be attending an 80 year old charity event.

I would appreciate you recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Frank A. Ciccone
Senator District 7

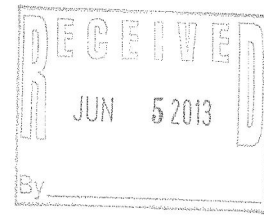
Read and ordered to be placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS



PAUL A. TUTTELL
CHIEF JUSTICE

Supreme Court of the State of Rhode Island
250 Benefit Street
Providence, Rhode Island 02903
(401) 222-3943



June 5, 2013

The Honorable M. Teresa Paiva-Weed
Senate President
State House Room 317
Providence, Rhode Island 02903


RE: Appointment of Joseph Abbate as
Magistrate of the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal

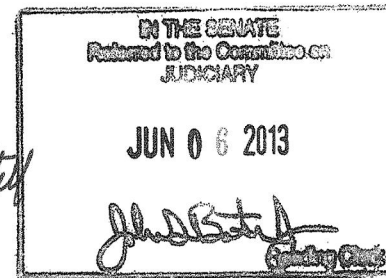
Dear President Paiva-Weed:

After careful consideration of six highly qualified candidates, I am hereby appointing Joseph Abbate to a ten (10) year term as Magistrate of the Rhode Island Traffic Tribunal subject to confirmation by the Senate pursuant to the provisions of Rhode Island General Laws Section 8-8.2-1(c).

Should you require any information regarding Attorney Abbate's credentials, I would be happy to provide them. I appreciate your assistance and the cooperation of the Senate in this matter.

Yours sincerely,


Paul A. Suttell
Chief Justice



Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:



Chief Judge Haigianush R. Bedrosian

Family Court of the State of Rhode Island
Garrahy Judicial Complex
One Dorrance Plaza
Providence, RI 02903



June 5, 2013

Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
Senate President
State House
Room 318
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Senate President Paiva Weed:

I am pleased to nominate Paul T. Jones, Jr. for the position of Magistrate of the Rhode Island Family Court.

Mr. Jones has been a member of the Rhode Island Bar for thirty five years. He is a graduate of Providence College and Suffolk University Law School. He has spent his professional career melding public service and private practice. His work in general practice has focused extensively on family law.

Mr. Jones has experience in every aspect of Family Law. He has represented numerous clients in domestic relations disputes, child support issues, child custody and co-parenting issues. Additionally, he has served as a prosecutor on the juvenile justice wayward and delinquent calendars. He has been appointed as a Guardian *ad litem* for children in child protection and domestic relations cases. Mr. Jones is also very well versed in reviewing domestic violence issues in both child protection as well as private domestic relations cases.

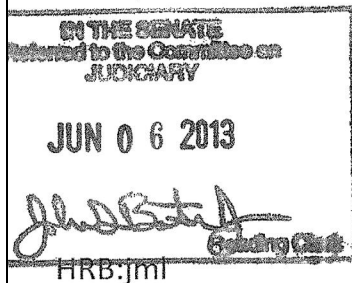
Attorney Jones and Mary Montminy-Jones Ph.d have studied the link between animal cruelty and domestic violence. He has presented seminars and lectures to Judges and attorneys regarding the link between animal cruelty and domestic violence and the effect on children in child abuse cases. Always eager to learn, Mr. Jones has undertaken training as a mediator. He has also attended

numerous educational programs presented to members of the Edward P. Gallogly Family Court Inn of Court.

As an attorney with an active practice in the Family Court, Mr. Jones has appeared before me numerous times. I have the utmost confidence that he will bring his impressive intellect, his vast experience, and his proven abilities in dispute mediation to the position of Magistrate. Others have recognized that Mr. Jones legal skills, knowledge and temperament that have made him an excellent attorney. His public service for the R.I. General Assembly and the City of Providence is testimony to the extensive knowledge of the law that he brings to his clients.

He is known as a compassionate and articulate advocate. This compassion encompasses many contributions to the community, both civic and legal. He has been the recipient of the *Pro Bono Publico* Award from the R.I. Bar Association and the Windwalker Humane Coalition Certificate of Appreciation. He has given generously of his time, participating as a member of the Butler Hospital Corporation, the Holy Ghost School Board, the Diocese of Providence Inner City Catholic School Collaborative and as a founding member of (PALS) Parents of LaSalle Academy.

Mr. Jones has all the qualities needed for the position of Magistrate. His intellect, maturity, and skills, as well as his calm demeanor, make him an exceptional candidate for this position. His experience in both the public and private legal arenas; his thorough understanding of family law; his patient and compassionate demeanor; his admirable capacity to listen and to mediate reasonable settlements perfectly equip him to make the important, often difficult decisions demanded of a Magistrate of the Family Court. This appointment is made with the strong confidence that he will be an invaluable addition to the Family Court bench.



Very truly yours,

Haiganush R. Bedrosian
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Chief Judge

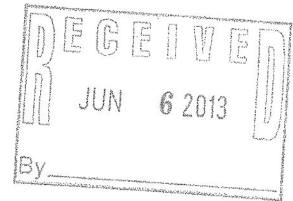
Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:



Chief Judge Kaigianush R. Bedrosian

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June 5, 2013

Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
Senate President
State House
Room 318
Providence, Rhode Island 02903

Dear Senate President Paiva Weed:

I am pleased to nominate Rossie Lee Harris, Jr. for the position of Magistrate of the Rhode Island Family Court.

Mr. Harris, a member of the Rhode Island Bar for twenty eight years, is a graduate of Brown University and Boston College Law School. He has spent his entire professional career working to improve the lives of children in the child welfare system. He was employed as Legal Counsel to the Department of Children, Youth and Families (DCYF) from September 1986 to 1988. There he was involved with all phases of DCYF's litigation at the Family Court. In January 1988, Attorney Harris was appointed as a Staff Attorney in the Family Court's Office of the Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA). In that capacity, Attorney Harris, the Guardian ad Litem for children committed to the custody of the Department of Children, Youth and Families, has appeared before me hundreds of times. His reputation as a CASA lawyer is exemplary. I have the utmost confidence that he will bring his great intellect, his keen observation, and his ability to listen to all sides in a dispute to the position of Magistrate.

Others have recognized that Mr. Harris' skills, temperament and integrity make him an excellent candidate for the judiciary. In 2009 and in 2011, he was nominated by the Judicial Nominating Commission for a judicial vacancy in the Rhode Island Family Court. Additionally, in June 2009, Rt. Reverend Geralyn Wolf, the Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of Rhode Island, appointed Mr. Harris

to the Ecclesiastical Court for the Diocese of Rhode Island. In this capacity, Mr. Harris sat as a judge, with a panel of other judges, to hear cases where priest misconduct was alleged.


In Family Court legal circles, he is known as an ardent advocate whose intellect, maturity, and experience as well as his calm demeanor and temperament make him the "go to" lawyer to discuss cases and plan strategies to represent the needs of children in State care. His thoughtful analysis assists his colleagues in making good, ethical and legal decisions to benefit their clients.

In my own experience as a jurist, I have had ample opportunity to observe and evaluate Mr. Harris. Each time he appears in Court, he is always thoroughly prepared: advocating for his ward and providing relevant information that informs me and serves the best interests of the child(ren) assigned to his case load. During matters before me, when DCYF was prosecuting dependency, neglect or abuse petitions or petition(s) to terminate parental rights, Attorney Harris could be relied on to file appropriate evidentiary documents or trial memoranda to articulate relevant legal issues which should be considered by the Court or would benefit the children he represented. His presentations always reflected his excellent legal skills. His legal research can best be described as brilliant writing which clearly states the specific points of evidence that benefit his young clients. Those clients, the vulnerable children in state care whose lives have been tainted by abuse or neglect, have always had a knowledgeable, caring advocate when represented by Mr. Harris.

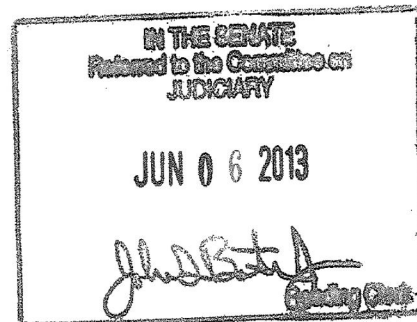
The scope of a CASA lawyer often extends beyond the courtrooms devoted to child welfare petitions. In fact, a CASA lawyer must have experience and knowledge in the many other matters under the jurisdiction of the Family Court. Often the CASA lawyer appears on the juvenile justice calendars with a ward who is charged with waywardness, delinquency or drug related offenses. Many times Mr. Harris has stood by his wards as they faced the consequences of their misbehavior. The co-occurrence of domestic abuse and child maltreatment is profound. As a CASA lawyer, Mr. Harris is well trained to recognize domestic abuse and act accordingly. Moreover, CASA lawyers can become involved in Domestic Relations cases where the decision about custody of a child in DCYF care is not between a parent and the state but rather, between two parents.

A judicial officer must be able to carefully review and understand the circumstances as well as the dynamics that bring children, parents, wives, husbands, or grandparents to the Family Court. Mr. Harris has all the qualities needed for the position of Magistrate. His intellectual skills are outstanding; his legal skills are superb and his trial advocacy is that of a brilliant lawyer whose trial skills and strong work ethic have benefited the children he represented. He has an admirable capacity to listen and to thoughtfully process the information presented. His analytic abilities, combined with his knowledge, his experience and his temperament make him an ideal person to make the important, often difficult decisions demanded of the Magistrate of the Family Court. I make this appointment with the strong confidence that he will be an invaluable addition to the Family Court bench.

Very truly yours,


Haiganush R. Bedrosian
Chief Judge

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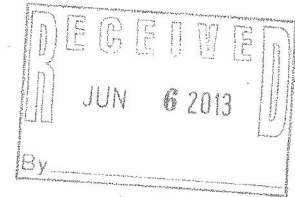
Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:



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June 5, 2013

Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
Senate President
State House
Room 318
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Senate President Paiva Weed:

I am pleased to nominate Feidlim Gill, Esquire for the position of General Magistrate of the Family Court.

Mr. Gill graduated from the University of Rhode Island with honors. In 1999, he graduated from Suffolk University Law School *cum laude*. His distinction in law school earned him a clerkship with Supreme Court Justice Maureen McKenna Goldberg, where he gained significant experience in legal research and writing. Since then he has pursued a distinguished career in public service with the R.I. Office of Attorney General. He is well known to the court in his role first, as a prosecutor of wayward and delinquent juveniles, then as Chief of the Juvenile Prosecution Unit. In his several years of appearances before this court, Assistant Attorney General Gill earned the respect of the judges, the admiration of his colleagues and the gratitude of the law enforcement community. In addition to his work in juvenile justice, Mr. Gill has prosecuted adult offenders charged with child neglect.

As a corollary to his position as Chief of Juvenile Prosecution, Mr. Gill has dedicated himself to enhancing the knowledge of others interested in family law and juvenile justice. He has participated in legal educational panels focused on teenagers and the law; juvenile Justice and Bullying. He has lectured on crime scene investigation at the URI Crime Lab, legal issues of the R.I. juvenile justice

system at the R.I. State Police Academy, and on trial advocacy at the National District Attorneys Association National Advocacy Center.

Mr. Gill has also contributed his time and expertise to various commissions and committees. He is a member of the Children's Justice Task Force, the Child-Protection Program Multi-Disciplinary Team, the R.I. for Community & Justice Disproportionate Minority Contact Diversionary Project, the R.I. Child Death Review Team and the R.I. Justice Commission.

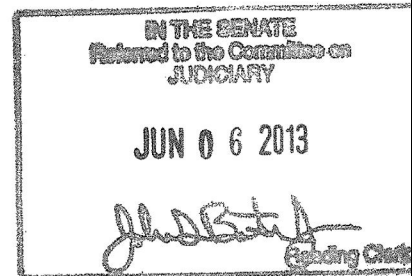
A particular benefit Mr. Gill brings to the position of General Magistrate is his extensive experience in litigation. Mr. Gill is well known as an accomplished and articulate trial attorney. The General Magistrate of the Family Court must be well versed not only in the applicable principles of Family Law but also have the skills to preside over contested hearings. Mr. Gill's knowledge of trial practice and procedure and evidentiary rulings will be an invaluable asset in the administration of justice as a General Magistrate.

In summary, Mr. Gill's intellect, his experience, and his skills make him an outstanding candidate for this position. His thorough understanding of the law; his calm and deliberate demeanor; his admirable capacity to listen and to strive for equal justice will be of the utmost importance in making the many difficult decisions demanded of a General Magistrate of the Family Court. I make this appointment with the strong confidence that he will be an invaluable addition to the Family Court bench.

Very truly yours,


Haiganush R. Bedrosian
Chief Judge

HRB:jml



Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**House Bill No. 6138****BY** Serpa, Nunes, Morgan, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF WEST WARWICK (would permit the town of West Warwick to move the date of its financial town meeting to June 25, 2013)
{LC2619/1}

Referred to Senate Housing and Municipal Government

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE**

Senator Picard from the Committee on Commerce, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 5459 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Finn, Edwards**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would impose standards on stop-loss insurance policies, which cap an employer's exposure with regard to liability under health benefit plans issued to employees)
{LC1262/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 5530 SUB A**BY** Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would prohibit certain types of discretionary clauses in insurance contracts and policies)
{LC1393/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 5608 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Palumbo, Kennedy, San Bento, Keable**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would update the Credit for Reinsurance Act to the current version of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners model)
{LC1422/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Gallo from the Committee on Education, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

Senate Bill No. 877

(by request)

BY Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF TEACHERS GENERALLY (would delete the City of Woonsocket from the requirements of this statute.)

{LC2401/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE

Senator Sosnowski from the Committee on Environment and Agriculture, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Appointment of Joseph Don Vivenzio (Representing the Marine Trades Industry) to the Derelict and Abandoned Vessel and Obstruction Removal Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Matthew J. Calouro (Municipal Harbor Master) to the Derelict and Abandoned Vessel and Obstruction Removal Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Peter M. Willey of Rumford VICE Bruce Chick to the East Providence Waterfront District Committee for a term expiring May 31, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Michael A. Rice, Ph.D. (Representing Conservation) VICE Christopher Anderson to the Marine Fisheries Council for a term expiring April 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Richard C. Hittinger (Representing Recreational Fishing) to the Marine Fisheries Council for a term expiring April 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Joseph B. White, Esquire of North Providence VICE Michael P. Quinn to the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 407 SUB A

BY Ciccone, DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY (would expand the meaning of unnecessary cruelty to one who willfully, intentionally, maliciously, recklessly and/or knowingly authorizes or permits that animal to be subjected to unnecessary torture, suffering or cruelty of any kind)

{LC1360/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 515 SUB A

(Environmental Management)

BY Sosnowski, Ruggerio, Walaska, Kettle, Cool Rumsey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS (would make a number of technical and definitional changes regarding the provisions of the general laws governing veterinary biologics, and increase the penalty for violations.)

{LC1505/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Senator Pichardo from the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

House Bill No. 6092**BY** Silva

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS (would ratify amendments to the Central Falls Home Rule Charter approved by the voters of Central Falls on November 6, 2012 which require ratification by the General Assembly in order to be effective.)

{LC2527/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Senator McCaffrey from the Committee on Judiciary, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 963**BY** McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

{LC2651/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6052**BY** Edwards, Canario

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Christopher Sanford of East Lyme, Connecticut, to join Jessica Rosini and Kyle Legnos in marriage within the Town of Tiverton, Rhode Island, on or about July 13, 2013.)

{LC2470/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6110**BY** Abney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Deborah Jeannine Troisi of Lynnfield, Massachusetts, to join Laura Marie Scialdoni and Keith Loudon Tower in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about August 23, 2013.)

{LC2580/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6109

BY Keable, Newberry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow James Kelly, Jr., of Pascoag, Rhode Island, to join Crystal Kelly King and Paul Warren Ernest, Jr., in marriage within the Town of Burrillville, Rhode Island, on or about June 15, 2013.)
{LC2579/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6129

BY Newberry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Michael H. Crepeau of North Smithfield, Rhode Island, to join Jennifer L. Jillson and Michael Engels in marriage on or about July 5, 2013, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island)
{LC2613/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6124

BY DeSimone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow William North to join Sarah Lynn North and Michael Steven James Scudieri in marriage within the City of Providence, Rhode Island, on or about August 4, 2013)
{LC2305/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6145

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Richard M. Galvin of Salem, New Hampshire, to join Kimberly Marie Garcia and Daniel William Shea in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about August 17, 2013.)
{LC2622/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 972**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS - SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would include administrative clerks, as officials empowered to join persons in marriage.)

{LC2708/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 459 SUB A

(Attorney General)

BY Jabour, McCaffrey, Archambault, Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- CONFIDENTIALITY OF HEALTH CARE COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION ACT (would require mandatory disclosure to appropriate law enforcement personnel if a health care provider providing treatment to a patient in a hospital, if such disclosure appears necessary to alert law enforcement to the commission and nature of a crime)

{LC1314/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 543 SUB A

(Attorney General)

BY Cool Rumsey, Satchell**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - CONFIDENTIALITY OF HEALTHCARE COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION ACT (would allow the release of patient records for investigation and prosecution if a healthcare provider believes, after providing healthcare services to an elder patient, that the patient is or has been physically, psychologically or sexually abused or negl) {LC995/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 224**BY** McCaffrey, Goodwin, Felag, Walaska**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -- SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow the governor to designate any person not having a felony criminal record to solemnize a marriage. The secretary of state would promulgate rules to implement this designation. The certificate for said designation would cost \$150) {LC884/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 454 SUB A

(Attorney General)

BY Archambault, Cote, Lombardi, Conley, Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT (would add the chemical classes of synthetic cannaboids and synthetic cathinones to Schedule I.) {LC1023/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 457

(Attorney General)

BY McCaffrey, Felag, Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES (would provide that any proceeds derived from criminal commercial sexual activity, including, but not limited to, prostitution, would be subject to seizure and forfeiture.) {LC1584/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 554 SUB A

(Attorney General)

BY Lombardi, Sheehan, Conley, Lombardo, O'Neill

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- FLAGS AND EMBLEMS (would make the unlawful use of the emblem of the department of the attorney general a misdemeanor subject to up to one year imprisonment, a fine of up to \$500, or both.) {LC1022/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 560

(Attorney General)

BY DiPalma, Ottiano, Sosnowski, Archambault

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES (would decrease the maximum blood alcohol concentration for a person 18 years to 20 years when charged for driving while impaired from less than .1% to less than .08%)by weight.) {LC1005/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON LABOR

Senator Fogarty, from the Committee on Labor, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Appointment of Cheryl Merchant (Representing Business) VICE Keith Stokes to the Rhode Island Human Resource Investment Council for a term expiring January 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Bruce Wolpert, Esquire (Public Member) VICE Ellen Jordan, Esquire to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2014.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Marcia Reback (Representing Labor) VICE Joseph Mulvey (deceased) to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2014.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Scott Duhamel (Representing Labor) VICE John Capobianco to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2014.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Senator Felag from the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

Senate Bill No. 952

BY Miller, Pichardo, Metts, Jabour, Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - THE PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES, AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (would rename the bridge in the city of Providence known as the I-195 Providence River Bridge: No. 1181. It shall hereafter be named and known as the William D. Warner Memorial Bridge.)

{LC2122/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Bill No. 982

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- SELF-SERVICE STORAGE FACILITIES {LC2763/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 992

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS {LC2762/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 993

BY Ruggerio, Goodwin, Miller, Metts, Jabour

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY BUILDING STRUCTURED PARKING AT THE GARRAHY JUDICIAL COMPLEX {LC2751/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

TRANSFER OF BILLS

Senator Pichardo, in accordance with Senate Rule 6.14, moves to transfer the following bill from the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 77

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - DISTRESSED AREAS ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION ACT (would add a federal census tract block group within the city of Pawtucket to the Pawtucket enterprise zone designation under the Distressed Areas Economic Revitalization Act.)
{LC219/1}

Read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

- 1. Reappointment of William Keith Burlingame (Public Member) of Wakefield to the Fire Safety Code Board of Appeal and Review for a term expiring March 1, 2019.**
- 2. Appointment of Rodger Booth (Fire Protection Industry Representative) of West Greenwich VICE David Dias to the Fire Safety Code Board of Appeals for a term expiring July 1, 2018.**
- 3. Reappointment of Robert M. Walker, Jr. (Building Official) of Lincoln to the Fire Safety Code Board of Appeals and Review for a term expiring July 1, 2018.**
- 4. Reappointment of Marion C. Filippi (Public Member) of Lincoln to the Fire Safety Code Board of Appeal and Review for a term expiring March 1, 2019.**
- 5. Appointment of Barbara J. Thornton, AIA (Public Member) of Providence VICE William Jasparro to the Fire Safety Code Board of Appeal and Review for a term expiring March 1, 2019.**
- 6. Appointment of Frank A. Montanaro (Public Member) VICE James R. Carlson to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2016.**
- 7. Appointment of Alfred T. DeCorte (Representing Municipality with population over 60,000) VICE Fred B. Sarno (retired) to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2015.**
- 8. Appointment of Mark A. Kravatz (Representing Lead Poisoning Agency) VICE Roberta Hazen Aaronson to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2014.**
- 9. Appointment of Carleton Freese (Representative of the Homeless) VICE Kavah Hajianbahmani to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2016.**
- 10. Appointment of Joseph F. Garlick, Jr. (Non-Profit Development Corporation) VICE Kathleen Bazinet to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2016.**
- 11. Reappointment of Albert Valliere (Representative of the Rhode Island Builders Association) to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2015.**
- 12. Reappointment of Jeanne Cola (Chairperson) as Chairman to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2015.**

13. **2013-H 5650 SUB A**
 BY Bennett
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
 PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT
14. **2013-H 5755**
 BY Hearn
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES - STATE PUBLICATIONS
 CLEARINGHOUSE
15. **2013-H 6122**
 BY Blazejewski
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF
 THE CHARTER OF ROBBINS PROPERTIES, INC.
16. **2013-H 6195**
 BY Blazejewski
 ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY
 OF THE FOUNDING OF TRINITY REPERTORY COMPANY
17. **2013-H 6196**
 BY Tanzi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Upon motion of Senator Ruggerio, seconded by Senator Algiere, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 06, 2013:

1. **2013-S 836 SUB A**
 BY Sheehan
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -
 MUNICIPAL STREETLIGHT INVESTMENT ACT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 11, 2013.

2. 2013-S 830

BY Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE QUONOCONTAUG CENTRAL BEACH FIRE DISTRICT"

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Algieri moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski and O'Neill.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

3. 2013-S 41

BY Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- DNA DETECTION OF SEXUAL AND VIOLENT OFFENDERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Bates moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch, Kettle, Lombardo, Lombardi, Archambault, McCaffrey, Jabour and Algieri.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 3 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 3: Senators Goldin, Miller, Sheehan.

4. 2013-S 43

BY Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -- DIVORCE AND SEPARATION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Bates moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Lynch, Nesselbush, Jabour, Ruggerio, Lombardo, Hodgson and Archambault.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Goldin.

5. 2013-S 82 SUB A
BY DiPalma
ENTITLED, AN ACT

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey and Ruggerio.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6. 2013-S 144
BY Picard
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Picard and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the committee on Judiciary.

7. 2013-S 350 SUB A**BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
PASSING, USING OF LANES, AND RULES OF THE ROAD**

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch, Hodgson, Lombardi, Sheehan and Archambault.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2013-S 358**BY Metts****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS -- CORRECTIONAL
INSTITUTIONS -- ESTABLISHMENT OF A CERTIFICATE OF GOOD CONDUCT**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Metts moves passage, seconded by Senators Crowley, Miller, Pichardo, Goodwin, Ruggerio and Archambault.

Senator Metts seconded by Senators Ruggerio and Goodwin, offers the following written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2013 -- S 358****AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS -- CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS -- ESTABLISHMENT OF A
CERTIFICATE OF GOOD CONDUCT**

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2013 -- S 358, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS -- CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS -- ESTABLISHMENT OF A CERTIFICATE OF GOOD CONDUCT", as follows:

1. On page 1, by deleting the present title of the bill and by inserting in place thereof the following language:
"RELATING TO CRIMINALS -- CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS --
ESTABLISHMENT OF A CERTIFICATE OF RECOVERY & RE-ENTRY"
2. On page 1, line 4, by deleting the language "GOOD CONDUCT" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "RECOVERY & RE-ENTRY".
3. On page 1, line 5, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
4. On page 1, line 6, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
5. On page 1, line 12, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
6. On page 1, line 16, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
7. On page 2, line 12, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
8. On page 2, line 16, by deleting the language "rehabilitation and is therefore deserving of re-entry into society" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re- entry goals as provided for in section 13-8.2-4"
9. On page 2, line 21, by deleting the word "rehabilitation" and by inserting in place thereof the following language" "recovery & re-entry"
10. On page 3, line 2, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
11. On page 3, line 4, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".
12. On page 3, line 5, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

13. On page 3, line 8, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

14. On page 3, line 10, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

15. On page 3, line 11, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

16. On page 3, line 20, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

17. On page 3, line 22, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

18. On page 3, line 24, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

19. On page 3, line 28, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

20. On page 4, line 1, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

21. On page 4, line 28, by deleting the language "good conduct" and by inserting in place thereof the following language: "recovery & re-entry".

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR METTS

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Metts moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Jabour, Crowley, Goodwin and Ruggerio.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Hodgson.

9. 2013-S 468 SUB A

BY Fogarty

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - GENERAL POWERS - BACKGROUND CHECKS

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

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senator McCaffrey.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

10. 2013-S 487

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch and Lombardi.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Hodgson.

11. 2013-S 544 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- SUBDIVISION OF LAND

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Ruggerio, Lynch, Archambault, Walaska and Goodwin.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 5 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 5: Senators Algieri, Cool Rumsey, Hodgson, Kettle, Sheehan.

12. 2013-S 624

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- APPLICABILITY OF TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Archambault and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

13. 2013-S 657**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROBATION AND PAROLE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Hodgson, Lombardi, Sheehan and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

14. 2013-H 5391**BY** Silva**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES-CENTRAL FALLS

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Crowley moves passage, seconded by Senator DaPonte.

Senator Crowley seconded by Senator Pichardo, offers the following written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T

TO

2013 -- H 5391

AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES-CENTRAL FALLS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2013 -- H 5391, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES-CENTRAL FALLS", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 11, after the word "property", by inserting the language "has injured or".

2. On page 2, line 2, after the word "enterprises", by deleting the period (.), and by inserting the language ", including, but not limited to, financial service enterprises."

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR CROWLEY

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Crowley moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Pichardo and DaPonte.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Anthony Arico

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Joseph LaBeanco of North Providence.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all matters on the Secretary's desk are ordered to be transmitted to His Excellency, the Governor, the Honorable Secretary of State or to the Honorable House of Representatives forthwith.

(See Appendix for List)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet next Tuesday, June 11, at 2:00 o'clock P.M. in Room 211 of the State House.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Algieri and upon suggestion of Senator O'Neill the Senate adjourns at 4:52 o'clock P.M. in memory of the soldiers who died in the invasion of Normandy.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SENATOR RYAN W. PEARSON**

Dear Lord, when the day is long and wearisome, the hours tense and tiring, keep the minds and spirits in our chamber alert, strong, forgiving and patient. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2013:**

- 1. Appointment of Joseph Don Vivenzio (Representing the Marine Trades Industry) to the Derelict and Abandoned Vessel and Obstruction Removal Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2016.**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 2. Appointment of Matthew J. Calouro (Municipal Habormaster) to the Derelict and Abandoned Vessel and Obstruction Removal Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2016.**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 3. Appointment of Peter M. Willey of Rumford VICE Bruce Chick to the East Providence Waterfront District Committee for a term expiring May 31, 2017.**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 4. Appointment of Michael A. Rice, Ph.D. (Representing Conservation) VICE Christopher Anderson to the Marine Fisheries Council for a term expiring April 1, 2016.**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 5. Reappointment of Richard C. Hittinger (Representing Recreational Fishing) to the Marine Fisheries Council for a term expiring April 1, 2016.**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

- 6. Appointment of Joseph B. White, Esquire of North Providence VICE Michael P. Quinn to the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2016.**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

7. **Appointment of Cheryl Merchant (Representing Business) VICE Keith Stokes to the Rhode Island Human Resource Investment Council for a term expiring January 1, 2016.**

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

8. **Appointment of Bruce Wolpert, Esquire (Public Member) VICE Ellen Jordan, Esquire to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2014.**

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

9. **Appointment of Marcia Reback (Representing Labor) VICE Joseph Mulvey (deceased) to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2014.**

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

10. **Appointment of Scott Duhamel (Representing Labor) VICE John Capobianco to the Rhode Island State Labor Relations Board for a term expiring August 1, 2014.**

Committee on Labor recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

11. **2013-S 963**
BY McCaffrey
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

12. **2013-H 5459 SUB A**
BY Finn
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

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

13. **2013-H 5530 SUB A**
BY Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

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

14. 2013-H 5608 SUB A**BY** Palumbo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

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

15. 2013-H 6052**BY** Edwards**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

16. 2013-H 6092**BY** Silva**ENTITLED**, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

17. 2013-H 6109**BY** Keable**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

18. 2013-H 6110**BY** Abney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

19. 2013-H 6124**BY** DeSimone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

20. 2013-H 6129**BY** Newberry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

21. 2013-H 6145**BY** Lally**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2013:****1. 2013-S 836 SUB A****BY** Sheehan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -
MUNICIPAL STREETLIGHT INVESTMENT ACT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

2. 2013-S 718 SUB A**BY** Sheehan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

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

3. 2013-S 74**BY** Crowley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES TAX EXEMPTION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4. 2013-S 75**BY** Crowley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX -
ESTABLISHMENT OF ARTS DISTRICT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

5. 2013-S 185**BY** Sosnowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAXATION OF FARM,
FOREST AND OPEN SPACE LAND

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

6. 2013-S 262**BY** Pearson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - FOUNDATION LEVEL
SCHOOL SUPPORT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

7. 2013-S 274

BY Kettle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - INCOME TAX REFUNDS - STATE TAX OFFICIALS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

8. 2013-S 396

BY Satchell

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- SALES AND USE TAXES-- LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

9. 2013-S 747

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - HISTORIC STRUCTURES TAX CREDIT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

10. 2013-S 828

BY Cool Rumsey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO "AN ACT RELATING TO TAX EXEMPTION OF CERTAIN PROPERTY IN THE TOWN OF RICHMOND"

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

11. 2013-S 281

BY Ottiano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

12. 2013-S 536 SUB A

BY Goldin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

13. 2013-S 680

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE,

DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

- 14. 2013-S 904**
BY Sheehan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ADEQUACY OF THE BLOOD SUPPLY IN RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

- 15. 2013-S 945 SUB A**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PHARMACIES - RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGISTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2013:

- 1. 2013-S 877**
BY Cote
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF TEACHERS GENERALLY

Committee on Education recommends passage.

- 2. 2013-S 407 SUB A**
BY Ciccone
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

- 3. 2013-S 515 SUB A**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

- 4. 2013-S 224**
BY McCaffrey
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -- SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

5. **2013-S 454 SUB A**
 BY Archambault
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM
 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

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

6. **2013-S 457**
 BY McCaffrey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

7. **2013-S 459 SUB A**
 BY Jabour
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
 CONFIDENTIALITY OF HEALTH CARE COMMUNICATIONS AND
 INFORMATION ACT

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

8. **2013-S 543 SUB A**
 BY Cool Rumsey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
 CONFIDENTIALITY OF HEALTHCARE COMMUNICATIONS AND
 INFORMATION ACT

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

9. **2013-S 554 SUB A**
 BY Lombardi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- FLAGS AND
 EMBLEMS

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

10. **2013-S 560**
 BY DiPalma
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR
 VEHICLE OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

11. 2013-S 972

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS - SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

12. 2013-S 952

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - THE PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES, AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Appendix**BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****House Bill No. 5755**

(Secretary of State)

BY Hearn**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES - STATE PUBLICATIONS

CLEARINGHOUSE (would authorize the chairperson of the CRIARL government documents committee to designate someone to represent them on the state publications clearinghouse advisory committee.)

{LC1848/1}

House Bill No. 6122**BY** Blazejewski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF ROBBINS PROPERTIES, INC.

{LC2595/1}

House Resolution No. 6195**BY** Blazejewski, Fox, Newberry, Shekarchi, Mattiello**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF TRINITY REPERTORY COMPANY

{LC2501/1}

House Bill No. 6196**BY** Tanzi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Andrew Torrico of Johnston, Rhode Island, to join Amanda Gelsomino and Dante Lopardo in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about June 14, 2013.)

{LC2728/1}

House Bill No. 5650 SUB A

(Health)

BY Bennett, Hull, Shekarchi, Silva, Tanzi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT (would update section 5-54-9 to provide that the training program for physician assistant be certified by the accreditation review commission on education for the physician assistant (ARC-PA.)

{LC1453/A/1}