

## STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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Sixtieth Legislative Day

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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:51 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 37 Senators present and 1 Senator absent as follows:

**PRESENT** – 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

**ABSENT** –1: Senator Ciccone.

### INVOCATION

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

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

The Honorable President, by unanimous consent, presents Senator DaPonte 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 2016 proceedings is read in part.

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

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The President presents the following communications:

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
STATE HOUSE

June 9, 2016

Joseph Brady  
Secretary of the Senate  
Room 145 State House  
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Mr. Brady:

I am writing to respectfully request the withdrawal of 2016 S-2014, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - DISTRIBUTED GENERATION, at my request. This bill has been referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Sen. Louis P. DiPalma  
District 12

Read and placed on file.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**  
**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Senator DaPonte, from the Committee on Finance, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**Senate Bill No. 2007 SUB A**

**BY** DaPonte, Pearson, DiPalma, Lombardi, Walaska

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT BOARD (Requires the public finance management board to ascertain and report on the total amount of public debt no less than every two (2) years and requires cities/towns to submit report of relevant financial info with requests for bonds and indebtedness.)

{LC3777/A/3}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 2679****BY** DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TEACHER RETIREMENT BENEFITS (Increases the monthly minimum benefits of spouses and domestic partners of retired teachers, and authorizes additional yearly non-compounded adjustments.)  
{LC5238/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 2985****BY** Crowley, Pearson, Doyle

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RETIREMENT OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES (Makes certain technical and date-related revisions regarding the settlement agreement of municipal retirees in the city of Central Falls.)  
{LC5788/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Calendar.

**The Reappointment of Paul A. MacDonald to the Convention Center Authority for the term expiring June 30, 2020.**

Read and order to the Senate Consent Calendar

**The Appointment of Robert Greco to the Rhode Island Motor Vehicle Value Commission for a term expiring July, 1 2019.**

Read and order to the Senate Consent Calendar.

### COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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

**House Bill No. 8210****BY** Marshall

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Curtis Clyde Greco to join Christine Kay Bean and Paul Michael Greco Kotuby in marriage on or about July 31, 2016, within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island.)  
{LC5981/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

**House Bill No. 8211****BY** Serpa

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows the Honorable Patricia A. Serpa to join Donna F. Brewer and Bruce C. McCullough in marriage on or about August 14, 2016, within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island.)

{LC5978/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

**House Bill No. 8221****BY** Marcello

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Margaret McGraw Long to join Candace Jane Masso and Vincent D. Criscione in marriage on or about July 30, 2016, within the Town of Jamestown, Rhode Island.)

{LC5986/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

**House Bill No. 8238****BY** Slater

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Ingrid Polanco to join Jazmen Polanco and Andrew Harris in marriage on or about September 9, 2016, within the Town of Smithfield, Rhode Island.)

{LC6028/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 8272****BY** Filippi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows John Higley to join Gillian Marino and Nathaniel William Higley in marriage on or about June 25, 2016, within the Town of New Shoreham, Rhode Island.)

{LC6097/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**NEW BUSNIESS****Senate Resolution No. 3064****BY** DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 10, 2016, AS THE "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC6127/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration

Senator DaPonte requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Algiere, Archambault, , Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

The resolution is read and passed, upon a voice vote.

**Senate Resolution No. 3065**

BY Felag

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF FRANCIS JOSEPH JAMIEL  
{LC6174/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration

Senator Felag requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Algiere, Conley, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Walaska.

The resolution is read and passed, upon a rising vote.

**Senate Resolution No. 3066**

BY Pichardo

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION THANKING BERNARD BEAUDREAU FOR HIS TWENTY-SIX YEARS OF EXEMPLARY AND DEVOTED SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC6170/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**Senate Resolution No. 3067**

BY O'Neill, Doyle, Nesselbush

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING FRANK M. SYLVESTER, CHIEF OF THE LIME ROCK FIRE DEPARTMENT, ON HIS RETIREMENT AFTER FIFTY YEARS OF DEVOTED AND DEDICATED SERVICE TO OUR NATION AND THE CITIZENS OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC6088/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**Senate Resolution No. 3068**

BY Archambault

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF MAY, 2016, TO BE "LYME AND OTHER TICK BORNE DISEASES MONTH" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC3848/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**Senate Resolution No. 3069**

BY Miller, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF JUNE 15-21, 2016, AS "NATIONAL POLLINATOR WEEK" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC6126/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 3070**

BY Archambault

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - WATER SUPPLY (Allows the town of Smithfield to charge interest on delinquent water payments at a rate of not more than twelve percent (12%) per annum.)

{LC6095/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Finance.

**Senate Bill No. 3071**

BY Crowley, Nesselbush, Conley, Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and personal property located at 242 Dexter Street, plat 44, lot 444, within the city of Pawtucket, belonging to Tides Family Services, Inc., a Rhode Island nonprofit corporation.)

{LC6107/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Finance.

**Senate Resolution No. 3072**

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE PRESENCE AND TREATMENT OF LEAD IN DRINKING WATER IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC6151/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services.

**Senate Resolution No. 3073**

BY Nesselbush, Goodwin, Lynch Prata, Paiva Weed, Gallo

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION AFFIRMING THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS SHALL GIVE DUE CONSIDERATION TO THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE RHODE ISLAND STATEWIDE TASK FORCE TO ADDRESS ADULT SEXUAL ASSAULT AND WILL WORK TOWARD LEGISLATIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF THOSE RECOMMENDATIONS {LC6118/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 3074**

BY Sosnowski, Jabour, Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- BOARD OF GOVERNORS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (Includes armed college and university police officers of the state colleges among the class of individuals who are subject to control by the personnel administrator or by any officer or board other than the council on post-secondary education.) {LC6172/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**Senate Bill No. 3075**

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - ESTABLISHMENT OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Requires local support in form of ordinance for proposed charter schools and requires council on elementary or secondary education to place weight on impact of sending districts when considering proposed charter or expansion of charter schools.) {LC6189/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Education.

**Senate Bill No. 3076**

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION {LC6176/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Finance

**FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

A message from the House of Representatives transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

**House Bill No. 8236**

BY Kazarian

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF VERMETTE BROS., INC. {LC6030/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 8247****BY** Marcello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF PROSYS FINISHING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

{LC6036/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 8314****BY** Shekarchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF BEAR HYDRAULICS, INC.

{LC6175/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 8005****BY** McLaughlin, O'Brien, Corvese, Johnston, Coughlin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS (Allows school districts to maintain an annual registry for students requiring bus transportation to school. The purpose of this registration would be to assist each district's bus transportation plan to be more cost-efficient.)

{LC5341/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Education.

**House Bill No. 7703 SUB A as amended****BY** Handy, Maldonado, Ajello, Naughton, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- AIR POLLUTION (Regulates the phase-out of wood stoves without EPA certification in densely populated residential areas.)

{LC4108/A/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Environment and Agriculture.

**House Bill No. 8166****BY** Winfield, Costantino**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION (Authorizes the town of Smithfield to implement a four (4) class system of tax classification for the town.)

{LC5908/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Finance.



**House Bill No. 7962****BY** Melo, Corvese, Shekarchi, McNamara, Amore**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - SANITATION IN FOOD

ESTABLISHMENTS (Provides that an applicant for food safety certification need not possess a bachelor's degree, if the applicant is certified by a nationally accredited food safety certification program recognized by the state.)

{LC5489/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Health and Human Services.

**House Bill No. 7029****BY** Williams**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -- ADOPTION OF

CHILDREN (Permits a petition for adoption, and if necessary, termination of parental rights, to be filed by a grandparent(s) without the noncustodial parents' consent, when the child is in the sole custody of the grandparent(s).)

{LC3294/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 7204****BY** Corvese, Azzinaro, Winfield, Ucci, Melo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- CONDOMINIUM DISPUTE

RESOLUTION (Establishes an arbitration process to resolve certain condominium disputes, in accordance with "The Arbitration Act" chapter 3 of title 10.)

{LC3713/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 7511 SUB A****BY** Ucci, Winfield, Solomon, Kazarian, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS -- UNPILOTED AERIAL VEHICLE

REGULATION (Grants exclusive authority subject to federal law, to the state of Rhode Island and the Rhode Island Airport Corporation to regulate unpiloted aerial vehicles, remotely piloted aircraft, drones, and unmanned aircraft systems.)

{LC4686/A/2}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 7999****BY** Keable, Edwards, Canario, Shekarchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- BAIL AND

RECOGNIZANCE (Upon defendant's violation of terms of bail, the amount forfeited by court is limited to 10% of surety deposited. Bondsperson has extra time to return fugitive before further forfeiture. If fugitive isn't returned, there is forfeiture.)

{LC5417/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 8165****BY** Kennedy, Shekarchi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- FEDERAL SECURE AND FAIR ENFORCEMENT FOR MORTGAGE LICENSING (Corrects a technical error in the penalty provision of the act adopting the Federal Secure and Fair Enforcement for Mortgage Licensing Act of 2009.)  
{LC5886/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 8248****BY** Craven

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Gregory Paul Wilson to join Melanie Star Wilson and Juan Antonio Mendoza, Jr., in marriage on or about October 15, 2016, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)  
{LC6052/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 8256****BY** Costa

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Debra McMullen to join Christine Marie Sylvia and Thomas Portunato in marriage on or about October 8, 2016, within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island.)  
{LC6073/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 8305****BY** Keable

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Stephanie G. Arpin to join Mandy M. Ray and Jose L. Smith in marriage on or about June 26, 2016, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)  
{LC6161/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 8306****BY** McNamara

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Shannah Green to join Caitlin Greeley and Jason Steingisser in marriage on or about September 25, 2016, within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island.)  
{LC6152/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 8315****BY** Reilly

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Eugene Joseph Reiber to join Jillian Lawlor and Mark F. Talacci in marriage on or about July 23, 2016, within the Town of Middletown, Rhode Island.)  
{LC6171/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

**House Bill No. 7625 SUB A**

(Attorney General)

**BY** Serpa, Fellela, Almeida, Williams, McKiernan

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MENTAL ILLNESS AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE (Prohibits insurers from denying continued coverage for residential or inpatient services for mental health or substance abuse treatment if such services are medically necessary and if continued treatment is recommended.)  
{LC4482/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Health and Human Services

**House Bill No. 7048 as amended**

(by request)

**BY** Craven, McEntee, Costa, Shekarchi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (Grants the Quonset Development Corporation the authority to purchase and obtain water supply and water service from any city, town, water district, or other water supply authority.)  
{LC3127/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Environment and Agriculture.

**House Bill No. 7330**

(Secretary of State)

**BY** Coughlin, Solomon, Johnston, Barros, Edwards

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CONDUCT OF ELECTION/VOTING EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS (Changes the definition of vote to accommodate the new computer voting machine, it authorizes the BOE to promulgate rules concerning the process by which irregular ballots with write-in candidates are maintained and changes how printout tapes are handled.)  
{LC4179/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 7143****BY** Diaz, Slater, Tobon, Barros, Maldonado

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- THE RHODE ISLAND AUTOMOBILE REPOSSESSION ACT (Allows the imposition of up to a \$500 fine on a motor vehicle lessor or secured party for failing to follow proper procedures in the event of a default by a lessee or purchaser.)  
{LC3478/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 7063 SUB A****BY** Bennett, McNamara, Malik, Hull, Diaz

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS-REGULATION OF POWDERED CAFFEINE (Prohibits the sale of powdered caffeine to any person under the age of twenty-one (21) years of age. Penalties include fines and/or imprisonment for suppliers, and fines and counseling for those found in possession.)  
{LC3108/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 7842 SUB A**

(Business Regulation)

**BY** Kennedy, Shekarchi, Marshall

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - CORPORATE GOVERNANCES (Requires insurance companies to annually file the director of business regulation a corporate governance disclosure form which contains a summary of the carriers structure, policies and practices.)  
{LC4971/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on Tuesday's Senate Calendar.

**House Bill No. 8240 SUB A****BY** Keable, Newberry, Handy, Regunberg, Ruggiero

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - ENERGY FACILITY SITING ACT (Increases the membership of the energy facility siting board from three (3) to seven (7) members, and requires approval by the electors in Burrillville of any tax agreement established by the town council with a power plant located in the town.)  
{LC5957/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

**CALENDAR****1. 2016-S 2828 SUB A****BY** Goldin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - HEALTH INSURANCE OVERSIGHT

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

Upon motion by Senator Goodwin, moved to Tuesday's Calendar.

**2. 2016-S 2576 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.

Senator Goldin moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller

Senator Goldin, seconded by Senator Miller moves the following written amendment.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT**

**TO**

2016 -- S 2576 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2016 -- S 2576 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 17, by deleting the language "one" and inserting in place thereof the language "five (5)".

2. On page 1, line 18, by deleting the language "day" and inserting in place thereof the language "days".

3. On page 3, line 4, by deleting the language "one" and inserting in place thereof the language "five (5)".

4. On page 3, line 5, by deleting the language "day" and inserting in place thereof the language "days".

5. On page 4, line 10, by deleting the language "one" and inserting in place thereof the language "five (5)".

6. On page 4, line 11, by deleting the language "day" and inserting in place thereof the language "days".

7. On page 5, line 16, by deleting the language "one" and inserting in place thereof the language "five (5)".

8. On page 5, line 17, by deleting the language "day" and inserting in place thereof the language "days".

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Miller

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

Senator Goldin moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Miller.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 3 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 3: Senators Morgan, O'Neill, Pagliarini.

**3. 2016-S 2111****BY** Archambault**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE-IDENTIFICATION AND APPREHENSION OF CRIMINALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Archambault moves passage, seconded by Senators Pagliarini, McCaffrey, Nesselbush, Metts, Gee, and Satchell

The act is read and passed upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**4. 2016-S 2309 SUB A****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- OPEN MEETINGS

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

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

The bill marked substitute A is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**5. 2016-S 2534 SUB A****BY** Pearson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -  
NOTARIES PUBLIC AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

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

Upon motion by Senator Goodwin, moved to Tuesday's Calendar.

**6. 2016-S 2611 SUB A****BY** Goldin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -  
FOSTER PARENTS' BILL OF RIGHTS

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

Senator Goldin moves passage, seconded by Senators Archambault, Goodwin, Pichardo, McCaffrey, Sosnowski, Metts, DiPalma, Gallo, and Jabour.

The bill marked substitute A is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**7. 2016-S 2714 SUB A****BY** DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- PUBLIC  
UTILITIES

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

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Archambault, Lombardi, McCaffrey, Nesselbush and Metts.

The bill marked substitute A is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:



YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**8. 2016-S 2841**

**BY** Goldin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Goldin moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Metts, Jabour, and Satchell. Senators Algieri and Pearson recuse from the vote.

The act is read and passed upon a roll call vote with 29 Senators voting in the affirmative and 6 Senators voting in the negative and 2 Senators recuse as follows:

YEAS - 29: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 6: Senators Felag, Morgan, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Raptakis, Walaska.

RECUSED - 2: Senators Algieri, Pearson.

**9. 2016-S 3015**

**BY** Conley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Conley moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, McCaffrey, Lynch Prata, Nesselbush, Sosnowski, Jabour, Pagliarini, Gee, Lombardi, Lombardo and Sheehan.

Senator Conley, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Archambault, Sheehan, and Jabour moves the following written amendment.

## FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2016 -- S 3015

## AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2016 -- S 3015, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT", as follows:

1. On page 4, line 18, after the language "officer", by deleting the language "quasi-agency", and by inserting in place thereof the language "quasi-public agency".
2. On page 13, line 12, by striking the language "**Electronic filing**", and by inserting in place thereof the language "**Electronic filing of annual reports**".
3. On page 17, line 16, after the word "hereafter", by inserting the language "shall be".
4. On page 19, line 9, after the language "numbers.", by inserting the following language "The office of the secretary of state shall publish on its website, in a searchable format, the full text of all rules promulgated by agencies pursuant to this chapter."

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR CONLEY

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

Senator Conley moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator McCaffrey.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**10. 2016-S 3050**

**BY** McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -  
COLLECTION AND MANAGEMENT OF DECEDENT'S ESTATES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

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

The act is 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 - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**11. 2016-H 7153**

**BY** Craven

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO  
TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Sheehan moves passage, seconded by Senator Pagliarini

The act is read and passed in concurrence upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**12. 2016-H 7696 SUB A**

**BY** Fogarty

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RHODE ISLAND  
COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING AND LAND USE ACT

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators Lombardo, DiPalma, and Ruggerio.

The act is read and passed in concurrence upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**13. 2016-H 7016 SUB A**

**BY** Giarrusso

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL  
LICENSES--TOWN OF EAST GREENWICH

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

Senator Gee moves passage, seconded by Senators Raptakis and Pagliarini

The act is read and passed in concurrence 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, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**14. 2016-H 7127 SUB A****BY** McEntee**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION  
IN THE TOWN OF NARRAGANSETT

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

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

The act is read and passed in concurrence upon a roll call vote with 22 Senators voting in the affirmative and 14 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 22: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Kettle, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Walaska.

NAYS - 14: Senators Archambault, Conley, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, Miller, Morgan, Pagliarini, Pearson, Ruggerio.

**15. 2016-H 7720****BY** Price**ENTITLED**, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF AND IN ADDITION TO CHAPTER 286  
OF THE PUBLIC LAWS OF 1986, ENTITLED "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE  
TOWNS OF CHARLESTOWN, RICHMOND AND HOPKINTON, TO JOIN A  
REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, INCORPORATING SAID REGIONAL SCHOOL  
DISTRICT, AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS, CONSTRUCTION  
AND OPERATION OF A REGIONAL SCHOOL FOR THE JOINT USE OF THE  
PARTICIPATING TOWNS, WITHIN SAID REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
ESTABLISHED BY THIS ACT, " AS AMENDED

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Morgan moves passage, seconded by Senators Algieri

The act is read and passed in concurrence 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, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**16. 2016-H 7425****BY Kennedy****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL  
REGULATORY PROVISIONS**

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

Senator Algieri moves passage, seconded by Senators Morgan and Miller

The act is read and passed in concurrence 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, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Pagliarini, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Senator Jabour announces the committee on Judiciary will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 313 of the State House.

Senator Jabour congratulates Senate Page, McKenzie DeFaria for receiving a full scholarship to Clark University in the fall.

Senator Felag announces the committee on Finance will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 211 of the State House.

**TRANSMITTAL**

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

(See Appendix for List)

**ADJOURNMENT**

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Kettle, upon suggestion by Senator Felag the Senate adjourns in memory of *Francis Joseph Jamiel* at 5:26 o'clock P.M.

**Appendix****INVOCATION****SENATOR DANIEL DAPONTE**

Dear Lord, as we celebrate on this Day of Portugal, we remember Luis de Camoes, the renowned Portuguese poet whose words were but just one shining example of the vast richness of the Portuguese history and culture. Amen.

## Appendix

## CONSENT CALENDAR

## IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2016:

1. **The Appointment of Robert Grieco (Motor Vehicle Dealer) to the Rhode Island Vehicle Value Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2019.**

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

2. **The Reappointment of Paul A. MacDonald to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2020.**

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

3. **2016-S 3066**

**BY** Pichardo

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION THANKING BERNARD BEAUDREAU FOR HIS TWENTY-SIX YEARS OF EXEMPLARY AND DEVOTED SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF RHODE ISLAND

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

4. **2016-S 3067**

**BY** O'Neill

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING FRANK M. SYLVESTER, CHIEF OF THE LIME ROCK FIRE DEPARTMENT, ON HIS RETIREMENT AFTER FIFTY YEARS OF DEVOTED AND DEDICATED SERVICE TO OUR NATION AND THE CITIZENS OF RHODE ISLAND

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

5. **2016-S 3068**

**BY** Archambault

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF MAY, 2016, TO BE "LYME AND OTHER TICK BORNE DISEASES MONTH" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.



6.     **2016-S 3069**  
       **BY** Miller  
       **ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE WEEK OF JUNE 15-21, 2016, AS "NATIONAL POLLINATOR WEEK" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
- Ordered on the Consent Calendar.
7.     **2016-H 8210**  
       **BY** Marshall  
       **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
8.     **2016-H 8211**  
       **BY** Serpa  
       **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
9.     **2016-H 8221**  
       **BY** Marcello  
       **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
10.    **2016-H 8238**  
       **BY** Slater  
       **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
11.    **2016-H 8272**  
       **BY** Filippi  
       **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
12.    **2016-H 8236**  
       **BY** Kazarian  
       **ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF VERMETTE BROS., INC.
- Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for passage in concurrence.

- 13. 2016-H 8247**  
**BY** Marcello  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF PROSYS FINISHING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for passage in concurrence.

- 14. 2016-H 8314**  
**BY** Shekarchi  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF BEAR HYDRAULICS, INC.

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for passage in concurrence.

## Appendix

## CALENDAR

## IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2016:

1. **The Appointment of Rachelle R. Green, Esq. VICE John J. Smith, Jr. to the Rhode Island Board of Education for a term expiring January 31, 2019.**

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

2. **The Appointment of Marion S. Gold, Ph. D. VICE Paul Roberti to the Public Utilities Commission for a term expiring March 1, 2021.**

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

3. **2016-S 2828 SUB A**

**BY** Goldin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - HEALTH INSURANCE OVERSIGHT

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

4. **2016-S 2534 SUB A**

**BY** Pearson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - NOTARIES PUBLIC AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

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

5. **2016-S 2785 SUB A as amended**

**BY** Lynch Prata

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - CORPORATE GOVERNANCES

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

6. **2016-S 2983**

**BY** Felag

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

**7. 2016-S 3044****BY** Cote**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- BARBERS, HAIRDRESSERS, COSMETICIANS, MANICURISTS AND ESTHETICIANS

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

**8. 2016-S 2391 SUB A****BY** DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION

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

**9. 2016-S 2554****BY** Metts**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - ELEMENTARY EDUCATION IMPROVEMENT

Committee on Education recommends passage.

**10. 2016-S 2591 SUB A****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- SUBDIVISION OF LAND

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

**11. 2016-S 2678****BY** Sosnowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - PESTICIDE CONTROL

Committee on Environment &amp; Agriculture recommends passage.

**12. 2016-S 2533****BY** Felag**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**13. 2016-S 2688 SUB A****BY** Pichardo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - MICRO BUSINESSES

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

**14. 2016-S 2808****BY** Kettle**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**15. 2016-S 2872 SUB A****BY** Pearson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RETIREMENT SECURITY ACT FOR LOCALLY ADMINISTERED PENSION FUNDS

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

**16. 2016-S 2969****BY** Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION - VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**17. 2016-S 3026****BY** Satchell**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION--TIDES FAMILY SERVICES, INC.

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**18. 2016-S 3057****BY** Gallo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES-CLEAN DIESEL

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

19.    **2016-S 3058**  
      **BY** Satchell  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO  
      TAXATION -- VETERANS' AND ELDERLY EXEMPTIONS -- WEST WARWICK

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

20.    **2016-S 3059**  
      **BY** Satchell  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO  
      TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

21.    **2016-S 2499 SUB B**  
      **BY** Walaska  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- OFF-LABEL USES OF  
      PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

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

22.    **2016-S 3013 SUB A**  
      **BY** Picard  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - UTILIZATION  
      REVIEW

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

23.    **2016-S 2933 SUB A**  
      **BY** McCaffrey  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--  
      COURTS--SUPERIOR COURT DIVERSION

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

24.    **2016-S 2934**  
      **BY** McCaffrey  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS - CORRECTIONAL  
      INSTITUTIONS - PAROLE, MEDICAL PAROLE, COMMUNITY CONFINEMENT,  
      AND CORRECTIONAL IMPACTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

**25. 2016-S 2935 SUB A****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - GENERAL PROVISIONS

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

**26. 2016-S 2936****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORRECTIONS - BATTERERS INTERVENTION PROGRAMS AND PROBATION SUPERVISION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

**27. 2016-S 2937 SUB A****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION

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

**28. 2016-S 2938 SUB A****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- SENTENCE AND EXECUTION

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

**29. 2016-S 2944****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT ALL BRANCHES OF STATE GOVERNMENT CONTINUE TO COLLABORATE ON POLICY ACTIONS AND INVESTMENTS TO IMPLEMENT THE FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE JUSTICE REINVESTMENT INITIATIVE FACILITATED BY THE COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS JUSTICE CENTER

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

**30. 2016-S 2850 SUB A****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS

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

**31. 2016-S 2702 SUB A****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

**32. 2016-S 2855 SUB A****BY** Nesselbush**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

**33. 2016-S 3053 SUB A****BY** Sosnowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

**34. 2016-S 3056****BY** Jabour**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

**35. 2016-S 2007 SUB A****BY** DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT BOARD

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

**36. 2016-S 2679****BY** DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TEACHER RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.



37.    **2016-S 2985**  
      **BY** Crowley  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RETIREMENT OF  
      MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

38.    **2016-H 7846**  
      **BY** Handy  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS-  
      DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

39.    **2016-H 7867 SUB A**  
      **BY** Palangio  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND  
      PARTNERSHIPS

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

40.    **2016-H 7488 SUB A**  
      **BY** Kazarian  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HOLOCAUST GENOCIDE  
      EDUCATION

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

41.    **2016-H 8178**  
      **BY** Tanzi  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- BILITERACY SEAL

Committee on Education recommends passage in concurrence.

42.    **2016-H 7215**  
      **BY** Shekarchi  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - SUBDIVISION OF  
      LAND

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.

**43. 2016-H 7512 SUB A****BY** Shekarchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- OFF-LABEL USES OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

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

**44. 2016-H 7154 SUB A****BY** Canario**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- FREEDOM FROM PRONE RESTRAINT ACT

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

**45. 2016-H 7542****BY** Ackerman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**46. 2016-H 7848****BY** Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- ADMINISTRATION OF STATE INSTITUTIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**47. 2016-H 7856 SUB A****BY** Winfield**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- EMPLOYMENT SECURITY -- CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

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

**48. 2016-H 7904****BY** Messier**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAX SALES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

49.    **2016-H 7328**  
      **BY** Marshall  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - THE  
      VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER AND EMERGENCY TECHNICIAN PROTECTION  
      ACT

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

50.    **2016-H 8035 SUB A**  
      **BY** Amore  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --  
      GOVERNOR'S WORKFORCE BOARD RHODE ISLAND

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

51.    **2016-H 7812**  
      **BY** Carnevale  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL  
      LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage in  
concurrence.

52.    **2016-H 8001 SUB A**  
      **BY** Craven  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - FORM AND EFFECT OF  
      CONVEYANCES

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

53.    **2016-H 8145**  
      **BY** Ruggiero  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO  
      TAXATION--LUCY'S HEARTH

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

54.    **2016-H 7259**  
      **BY** Shekarchi  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -  
      POLICE OFFICERS - COMMISSION ON STANDARDS AND TRAINING

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

**55. 2016-H 7537****BY** Craven**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - ELECTRONIC IMAGING DEVICES

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

**56. 2016-H 7842 SUB A****BY** Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - CORPORATE GOVERNANCES

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

**Appendix****TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR**

The following items have been transmitted to the Governor:

**House Bill No. 7016 SUB A**

**BY** Giarrusso

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES-- TOWN OF EAST GREENWICH (Authorizes the town of East Greenwich to exempt from the restriction on liquor licenses within two hundred feet (200') of a school or place of worship any proposed Class B or C license located in a Commercial CD-1 zone.)  
{LC3110/A/2}

**House Bill No. 7127 SUB A**

**BY** McEntee, Tanzi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION IN THE TOWN OF NARRAGANSETT (Grants the town council of the town of Narragansett the authority to adopt a homestead exemption ordinance.)  
{LC3747/A/1}

**House Bill No. 7153**

**BY** Craven

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and personal property at 415 Tower Hill Road, North Kingstown of South County Community Action, Inc.)  
{LC3685/1}

**House Bill No. 7425**

(Attorney General)

**BY** Kennedy, Shekarchi, Ackerman, Blazejewski, Azzinaro

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS (Authorizes a civil action against persons who file frivolous patent infringement claims.)

{LC4013/1}

**House Bill No. 7696 SUB A**

**BY** Fogarty, Tanzi, Ackerman, DeSimone, O'Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RHODE ISLAND COMPREHENSIVE PLANNING AND LAND USE ACT (Extends the date for comprehensive land use plans to be brought into conformance with the provisions of the Rhode Island Comprehensive Planning and Land Use Regulation Act to July 1, 2017.)

{LC5149/A/1}

**House Bill No. 7720****BY** Price, Kennedy

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF AND IN ADDITION TO CHAPTER 286 OF THE PUBLIC LAWS OF 1986, ENTITLED "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWNS OF CHARLESTOWN, RICHMOND AND HOPKINTON, TO JOIN A REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, INCORPORATING SAID REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, AND PROVIDING FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS, CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF A REGIONAL SCHOOL FOR THE JOINT USE OF THE PARTICIPATING TOWNS, WITHIN SAID REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ESTABLISHED BY THIS ACT, " AS AMENDED (Bases the composition of the Chariho Regional School on more recent population schedules.)

{LC3412/1}

**Joseph Brady**

Secretary of the Senate