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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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RELATING TO HIGHWAYS - RHODE ISLAND BRIDGE AND TURNPIKE AUTHORITY

Introduced By: Representatives Edwards, Canario, Gallison, and Finn

Date Introduced: January 09, 2014

Referred To: House Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 24-12-2 of the General Laws in Chapter 24-12 entitled "Rhode  
2 Island Turnpike and Bridge Authority" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **24-12-2. Authority created -- Composition. --** There is hereby created a body corporate  
4 and politic to be known as the "Rhode Island turnpike and bridge authority." The authority shall  
5 consist of five (5) members, including the director of transportation, who shall be a member ex  
6 officio, and four (4) members ~~appointed by the governor~~ one of whom who shall be the mayor of  
7 Newport or his/her elected designee, one of whom shall be the town council president of  
8 Portsmouth or his/her elected designee, one of whom shall be the town council president of  
9 Tiverton or his/her elected designee and one of whom shall be the town council president of  
10 Jamestown or his/her elected designee. All members, except the director of transportation, must  
11 be residents of Newport county.

12 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
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1           This act would change the composition of the Rhode Island Turnpike and Bridge  
2 Authority.

3           This act would take effect upon passage.

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