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Journal of the Senate

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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, at 4:17 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 38 Senators present and 0 Senator absent as follows:

PRESENT – 38: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisenia, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 0:

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of Wednesday, June 15, 2005 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Blais and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber Amy Watson, Membership Liaison for the American Legislative Exchange Conference.

Upon suggestion of Senator Pichardo and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber Tomas De La Rosa Pastrano, Deputy Commander for National Security of the president of the Dominican Republic, along with his wife Dimarca Pastrano and Alejandro Gonzalez.

Upon suggestion of Senator Connors and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber Thomas M. Bruce, III, Finance Director of the Town of Cumberland.

Upon suggestion of Senator Polisena and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber Raymond Labelle, Executive Director of E-911 and William Gasbaro, Legal Counsel for E-911.

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 14, 2005

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 46-25-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Narragansett Bay Commission:

Richard D. Worrell of Providence

VICE
Thomas Perkins, Jr.

for a term expiring April 1, 2008.

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

Sincerely,



Donald L. Carcieri
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

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

Senate Bill No. 1131**BY** Senator Paiva-Weed**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5170 SUB A as amended**BY** Fox, Ajello, Costantino, Naughton, Jacquard**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - OPEN MEETINGS (all libraries that receive state aid shall be subject to the open meetings law)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5350 SUB A**BY** Williams, McNamara, Mumford, Almeida, Naughton**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ADOPTION OF CHILDREN (pre-adoption report for any DCYF adoption)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5500 SUB B applications for emergency mail ballots**BY** Lewiss, Kennedy, O'Neill, McNamara, Gemma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- GENERAL PROVISIONS (applications for emergency mail ballots)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5631 SUB A**BY** Lewiss, Anguilla, San Bento, Shanley, Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- POWERS (power of attorney/third person) {LC214/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5849 as amended

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR - PRIVACY PROTECTION (prevent employers from secretly recording audio or video of employees in restrooms, locker rooms and changing rooms).

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6061

BY Mumford, Palumbo, Ucci, Davey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6213

BY Trillo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6126

BY Jackson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGE.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6279

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6553

BY Dennigan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (join Darcie E. Dennigan and Gabriel Burnstein).

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

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

House Bill No. 5881

BY Anguilla, Jackson, Dennigan, O'Neill, Schadone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Senator Roberts, from the Committee on Health and Human Services, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 1137 SUB A as amended (Attorney General)

BY Senators Tassoni, Paiva-Weed, Perry, McCaffrey, Roberts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE LONG-TERM CARE REFORM ACT OF 2005 -- NURSING FACILITIES RECEIVERSHIP ACT {LC3361/3/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5569 SUB B

BY Senators Slater, Almeida, Williams, Diaz, McCauley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- NURSING SERVICE AGENCIES (nursing pool licensure) {LC826/1/B}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5883 SUB A

BY Senators Kennedy, Costantino, Corvese, McNamara, Story

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- NONPROFIT HOSPITAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS (provide coverage to self-insured groups for excess losses) {LC2245/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Bill No. 6418

BY Pacheco, Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce, Housing and Municipal Government

Also:

House Bill No. 6034 as amended

BY Schadone, Corvese, San Bento, Wasylyk

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE.

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce, Housing and Municipal Government

Also:

House Bill No. 6521

BY Long

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX RELIEF IN THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN (Emergency Medical Services).

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce, Housing and Municipal Government

Also:

House Bill No. 6417

BY Pacheco, Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES (evidencing comprehensive general liability coverage).

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Constitutional and Gaming Issues

Also:

House Bill No. 5355 SUB A

BY McNamara, Ginaitt, Brien T, Landroche

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES (limited provisional license phase)

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

House Bill No. 5648

BY Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- DIRECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ERECT A SCHOOL ZONE TRAFFIC SIGNS.

Received and ordered to be placed on the Desk

Also:

House Resolution No. 6174

BY Gemma

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE STATE TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO MOVE THE EXISTING TRAFFIC SIGNAL BETWEEN NORWOOD AVENUE AND WELFARE AVENUE IN THE CITY OF WARWICK.

Received and ordered to be placed on the Desk

Also:

House Bill No. 6025

BY Slater, Dennigan, Almeida, Williams, Gemma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- SALES AND USE TAXES -- LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION (reduce sales tax rate from 7% to 4% and include medical and legal services/food clothing items less than \$50.00).

Received and ordered to be placed on the Desk

Also:

House Bill No. 6558

BY Kilmartin

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF ROSA ASSOCIATES FINE FOODS, INC..

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 242 SUB B

BY Senators Perry, McCaffrey, McBurney, Goodwin, Caprio F

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES -- STATE AID TO LIBRARIES (require libraries receiving state aid to comply with open meetings law)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 290 SUB A

BY Senators Tassoni, Fogarty P, Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS (registration of businesses in the town of North Smithfield)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6201 SUB A

BY Murphy, Moura, McCauley, Moffitt, Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FILM AND TELEVISION TAX CREDIT

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6216

BY Carter, Scott

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

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6361

BY Sullivan, Watson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- WEST GREENWICH

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6436 as amended

BY McManus

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6457

BY Pacheco, Winfield, Gorham

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- GLOCESTER

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6509

BY Lima, Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6550 SUB A (Lt. Governor)

BY McNamara, Kennedy, Faria, Church, Rice

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE LONG-TERM CARE REFORM ACT OF 2005 -- NURSING FACILITY QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Resolution No. 1166

BY Senators Connors, Pichardo, DaPonte, Lanzi, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION REINSTATING THE LIFE AND EXTENDING THE REPORTING DATE OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY TRANSIT SERVICE IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND.

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Constitutional and Gaming Issues

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1167

BY Senators Raptakis, Revens, Lenihan, Blais, Alves

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY ALL ASPECTS OF THE KENT COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY.

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Constitutional and Gaming Issues

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1168

BY Senators Felag, Paiva-Weed, Bates, Gibbs, Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COOPERATIVE SERVICE AMONG SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1169

BY Senators Damiani, Polisena, Raptakis, Badeau, Ciccone

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION URGENTLY REQUESTING THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION TO COMMENCE AN ENGINEERING STUDY ON THE INSTALLATION OF AIR CONDITIONING INTO THE SENATE AND HOUSE CHAMBERS.

Senator Damiani requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Damiani moves passage, seconded by Senator Polisena.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1170

BY Senator Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1171

BY Senator Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1172

BY Senator Alves

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION HONORING REVEREND CHARLES H. DOWNING FOR HIS 40 YEARS OF LOVING, COMPASSIONATE, DEVOTED AND DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO THE CHURCH AND HIS PARISHIONERS AT ST. JOSEPH'S PARISH IN WEST WARWICK.

Senator Alves requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Alves moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1173

BY Senator Lenihan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SEPARATION OF POWERS.

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Government Oversight

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

Upon motion of Senate Majority Leader Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, the following measure on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, is read and passed, upon a voice vote:

1 2005-S 1130

BY Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF PREMIER MOTORS, INC.

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

4 2005-S 855 SUB A

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- AUTHORIZING PROVIDERS TO NEGOTIATE JOINTLY WITH THE DEPARTMENTS OF HUMAN SERVICES AND CHILDREN YOUTH AND FAMILIES

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

Senator Paiva Weed moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Goodwin, Levesque, Metts, Perry, Pichardo and Ciccone.

Senator Paiva Weed, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Connors, Ciccone, Metts Pichardo, and Levesque, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- AUTHORIZING PROVIDERS TO NEGOTIATE JOINTLY WITH THE DEPARTMENTS OF HUMAN SERVICES AND CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES

Mr. President: I hereby move to amend 2005 -- S 855 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- AUTHORIZING PROVIDERS TO NEGOTIATE JOINTLY WITH THE DEPARTMENTS OF HUMAN SERVICES AND CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES", as follows:

- (1) On page 3, line 22, by deleting the word "shall" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "may".
- (2) On page 3, line 28, by deleting the language and punctuation ", subject to paragraph (d) of this section" immediately following the word "negotiations".
- (3) On page 3, lines 30 through 34, inclusive by deleting all of the language in its entirety.
- (4) On page 4, lines 1 through 2, by deleting all of the language in its entirety.
- (5) On page 4, line 16, by adding the word "that" after the word "to".
- (6) On page 4, line 17, by deleting the word "providers", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "provider".
- (7) On page 4, line 34, by deleting the period "." immediately following the word "purpose", and inserting in lieu thereof the following language ", including, but not limited to, eligibility for a state pension."
- (8) On page 5, line 2, by deleting the word "consented", and inserting in lieu thereof the word "concerted".
- (9) On page 5, line 8, by deleting the word "negotiations", and inserting in lieu thereof the words "the matters".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR PAIVA - WEED

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Paiva Weed moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Metts, Ciccone, Pichardo, Connors and Levesque.

Senators Gibbs, Metts, Pichardo, Polisena, Damiani, Levesque and Paiva Weed discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 23 Senators voting in the affirmative and 13 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 23: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Alves, Badeau, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, DaPonte, Doyle, Gallo, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 13: Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Cote, Damiani, Felag, Gibbs, Lenihan, Polisena, Revens, Sheehan, Walaska.

FROM THE HOUSE

House Bill No. 6099 SUB A as amended

BY Fox, Faria, Slater, Williams, Almeida

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- AUTHORIZING PROVIDERS TO NEGOTIATE JOINTLY WITH THE DEPARTMENTS OF HUMAN SERVICES AND CHILDREN YOUTH AND FAMILIES (collective negotiations with DHS and DCYF)

Senator Paiva Weed requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Paiva Weed moves passage, seconded by Senators Goodwin, Ciccone, Metts, Pichardo, Perry and Levesque.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 23 Senators voting in the affirmative and 13 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 23: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Alves, Badeau, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, DaPonte, Doyle, Gallo, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 13: Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Cote, Damiani, Felag, Gibbs, Lenihan, Polisena, Revens, Sheehan, Walaska.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1121 SUB B

BY Senators Montalbano J, Walaska, Paiva-Weed, Tassoni, Alves
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO JOBS GROWTH

Senator Walaska requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Walaska moves passage, seconded by Senators Tassoni and Roberts.

The bill marked Substitute "B" is read and passed, in concurrence, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

House Bill No. 6514 SUB A as amended

BY Church, Shanley, Naughton, Rose, Pacheco
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO JOBS GROWTH

Senator Walaska requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Walaska moves passage, seconded by Senator Ciccone.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

1 2005-S 490 SUB A**BY Alves****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

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

Senator Alves moves passage, seconded by Senator Goodwin.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

2 2005-S 872**BY Breene****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR NOTES NOT TO EXCEED \$99,824,000 TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, SUCH PROJECT TO BE FINANCED IN TWO PHASES, THE SECOND PHASE NOT TO BE FINANCED BEFORE JUNE 1, 2007 AND SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS OF THIS ACT AS TO LEVELS OF STATE AID

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 21, 2005.

19 2005-H 5777 SUB A**BY Gallison****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

Committee on Commerce, 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 21, 2005.

28 2005-H 6369 SUB A

BY Lima

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION

Committee on Health & Human Services 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 Thursday, June 23, 2005.

3 2005-S 1101 SUB A

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

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

Senator Gibbs moves passage, seconded by Senators Polisena and Bates.

Senator Gibbs, seconded by Senators Polisena and Bates, offers the following written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT

AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2005 -- S 1101 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS", as follows:

(1) On page 4, between lines 15 and 16, by inserting the following language: "(i) The attorney general shall, at the request of the E-911 uniform emergency telephone system division, or any other agency that may replace it, or on its own initiative, commence judicial proceedings in the superior court against any telecommunication services provider as defined in section 39-21.1-3 (11) providing communication services to enforce the provisions of this chapter."

(2) On page 9, line 33, by inserting the language after the numeral and punctuation "12." "For the purposes of chapters 44-18 and 44-19 only, telecommunication service does not include service rendered using a prepaid telephone calling arrangement."

(3) On page 5, line 17, by inserting the word "wireless" prior to the word "prepaid".

(4) On page 5, line 20, by inserting the word "wireless" prior to the word "prepaid service".

(5) On page 5, line 20, by inserting the word "wireless" prior to the word "prepaid telephone".

(6) On page 6, line 8, by inserting the word "wireless" prior to the word "prepaid".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR GIBBS

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Gibbs moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Polisen and Bates.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5 2005-S 1143 SUB A

BY Badeau

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- WORKERS'
COMPENSATION INSURANCE FUND**

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

Senator Badeau moves passage, seconded by Senators Ciccone and Ruggerio.

Senator Badeau, seconded by Senators Ciccone and Ruggerio, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE FUND

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2005 -- S 1143 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE FUND", as follows:

(1) Page 4, line 23, inserting the following language following the word and punctuation "herein":

"The corporation shall offer all employers in the state of Rhode Island the opportunity to obtain workers' compensation insurance at just and reasonable prices consistent with sound rate setting principles."

(2) On page 6, line 14, by inserting the word and punctuation "excessive," following the word "be".

(3) On page 6, line 32, by deleting the words and figure "ten percent (10%)" and inserting in place thereof the words and figure "five percent (5%)".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR BADEAU

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Badeau moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Ciccone and Ruggerio.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 24 Senators voting in the affirmative and 8 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 24: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Alves, Badeau, Bates, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Goodwin, Lanzi, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Revens, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 8: Senators Algieri, Blais, Breene, Cote, Gibbs, Lenihan, Roberts, Sheehan.

6 2005-S 981

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF STATE ROADS

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

Senator Ciccone moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, Pichardo and Breene.

Senator Blais discusses the act.

Senator Blais, seconded by Senators Lenihan and Ciccone, offers the following written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT

AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF STATE ROADS

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2005 -- S 981, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE OF STATE ROADS", as follows:

(1) On page 3, line 22, by deleting the language "nineteen (19)" and inserting in place thereof the language "seventeen (17)";

(2) On page 3, line 26, by deleting the language "nineteen (19)" and inserting in place thereof the language

"seventeen (17)";

(3) On page 3, line 27, by deleting the number "2010" and inserting in place thereof the number "2008";

(4) On page 3, line 28, by deleting the language "five (5)" and inserting in place thereof the language "three (3)";

(5) On page 3, line 29, by deleting the language "After a ten (10) year period," and inserting in place thereof the language "Every three (3) years";

(6) On page 3, line 31, by deleting the language "2005-2015" and by inserting in place thereof the language "the previous three-year period".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR BLAIS

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Badeau.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7 2005-S 668

BY Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- PUBLIC
CORPORATION DEBT MANAGEMENT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 21, 2005.

8 2005-S 932 SUB A**BY Montalbano J****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FILM AND TELEVISION TAX CREDIT**

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

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Damiani, Connors, Polisena, Tassoni, Roberts, Pichardo, and many others.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

9 2005-S 1153**BY Gallo****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - THE EDUCATION EQUITY AND PROPERTY TAX RELIEF ACT**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque, Gibbs, Pichardo and Sosnowski.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

10 2005-S 540 SUB A**BY Roberts****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- ENERGY AND CONSUMER SAVINGS ACT OF 2005**

Committee on Financial, Technology, Regulatory recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Senator Roberts moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Perry, Walaska, Bates, Levesque, Issa, Sheehan, Pichardo, Connors and many others.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Upon suggestion of Senate Majority Leader Paiva-Weed, and without objection, the following acts will be considered in one vote:

11 2005-H 5343 as amended

BY Flaherty

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- THREATS AND EXTORTION

12 2005-H 5412 SUB A as amended

BY Anguilla

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

14 2005-H 5548 as amended

BY Rice

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

15 2005-H 5563 SUB A

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION

20 2005-H 5827

BY Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- CARE FOR THE ELDERLY

22 2005-H 5876 SUB A

BY Savage

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

24 2005-H 5911 SUB A as amended

BY Ginaitt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- MERCURY REDUCTION AND EDUCATION ACT

25 2005-H 5954

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTES AND STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION

26 2005-H 5965**BY Long****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLES -- RHODE ISLAND
UNIFORM COMMERCIAL DRIVER'S LICENSE ACT**27 2005-H 6233 SUB A as amended****BY Kennedy****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PRODUCER LICENSING
ACT

Senator Paiva Weed moves passage, seconded by Senator Algieri.

The acts are read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

13 2005-H 5504**BY Kennedy****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
CONSUMER ENFORCEMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE
WARRANTIES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senator Issa.

Senator Felag, seconded by Senator Issa, offers the following written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT

AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - CONSUMER ENFORCEMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE
WARRANTIES

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2005 -- H 5504, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
CONSUMER ENFORCEMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLE WARRANTIES", as follows:

On page 3, line 4, by deleting the language: "the chair of the Rhode Island motor vehicle dealers' association" and
inserting in lieu thereof the language: "the president of the Rhode Island automobile dealers' association".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR FELAG

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0
Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Issa.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

16 2005-H 5759 SUB A as amended

BY Kilmartin

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
SUNDAY BUSINESS**

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

Senator Badeau moves passage, seconded by Senators Ciccone and Connors.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 28 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 28: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Gallo, Issa, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Gibbs

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Felag

17 2005-H 5775 SUB B

BY Kennedy

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT
-- ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION – SMALL
BUSINESS ADVOCATE**

Committee on Financial, Technology, Regulatory recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by Senator Bates.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 29 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 29: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Issa, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Pichardo, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

18 2005-H 5776 as amended

BY Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Financial, Technology, Regulatory recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

Senator Walaska moves passage, seconded by Senator Bates.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

21 2005-H 5850

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Badeau moves passage, seconded by Senators Ciccone, Pichardo and Ruggerio.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

23 2005-H 5887**BY Lally****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SEXUAL OFFENDER REGISTRATION
AND COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senator Polisena.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote with 29 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 29: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lenihan, McCaffrey, Paiva Weed, Pichardo, Polisena, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Levesque

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Felag announces that 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 Senate matters, all House matters that have been amended by the Senate, S-1121, H-6514 and H-6099 on the secretary's desk are ordered to be transmitted to His Excellency, the Governor or to the Honorable House of Representatives forthwith.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator DaPonte, and by unanimous consent, the Senate stands at recess at 5:38 o'clock P.M. until the call of the chair.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, on Tuesday, June 21, 2005, at 4:20 o'clock P.M.

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber Katie McDowell, a member of the 2004 United States Olympic Sailing Team who competed in Athens last summer, and was named 2004 Rhode Island woman Athlete of the year.

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE

June 21, 2005

Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano
President of the Senate
318 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Mr. President:

Please be advised that I will be absent from the Senate session on Tuesday, June 21, 2005, as I will be out of state on business. I would appreciate your recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,
Leo R. Blais
DEPUTY PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Bill No. 1180**BY** Senator Gibbs**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1181**BY** Senator Connors**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1182**BY** Senator DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1183**BY** Senator DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO NARRAGANSETT BAY WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT COMMISSION.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Senate Committee on Government Oversight.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

Upon motion of Senate Majority Leader Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, the following measure on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, is read and passed, upon a voice vote:

1 2005-H 6558**BY** Kilmartin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF ROSA ASSOCIATES FINE FOODS, INC.**CALENDAR**

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

2 2005-S 668**BY** Alves**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- PUBLIC CORPORATION DEBT MANAGEMENT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Alves, seconded by Senator Connors, and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the committee on Finance.

3 2005-S 269 SUB A**BY** Breene**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- EQUIPMENT AND ACCESSORIES GENERALLY

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

Senator Breene moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, Roberts and Connors.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

4 2005-S 491

BY DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
-- UNCLAIMED INTANGIBLE AND TANGIBLE PROPERTY

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Pichardo, Connors, Metts, Damiani, Felag and Badeau.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5 2005-S 1080

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NARRAGANSETT TO
ADOPT A TAX CLASSIFICATION PLAN

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Sheehan moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski and Raptakis.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6 2005-S 1119

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ZONING ORDINANCES

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Gibbs moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque and Bates.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7 2005-S 1127

BY Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CHARLESTOWN FIRE DISTRICT

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Algieri moves passage, seconded by Senator Breene.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8 2005-S 1145

BY Lenihan

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF EAST GREENWICH

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Lenihan moves passage, seconded by Senators Raptakis.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

9 2005-S 1148

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX RELIEF IN THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Paiva Weed moves passage, seconded by Senator Tassoni.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

10 2005-S 1160

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- HOUSING

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senators Polisena, Walaska and McBurney.

Senator Tassoni, seconded by Senator McBurney, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT – HOUSING

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2005 -- S 1160, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- HOUSING", as follows:

1. On page 7, line 4, by deleting the word "the" after the word "by" and inserting in place thereof the word "a".
2. On page 7, line 4, by inserting the word "subsidy" after the word "government".
3. On page 7, line 12, by inserting the word "government" after the word "municipal".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR TASSONI

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Tassoni moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators McBurney.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

11 2005-S 277 SUB A

BY DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR -- MINIMUM WAGES

Committee on Labor 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 Wednesday, June 22, 2005.

12 2005-S 920

BY Ruggerio

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS --
LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS**

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 22, 2005.

13 2005-H 5777 SUB A

BY Gallison

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- UNFAIR SALES
PRACTICES**

Committee on Commerce, 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 Thursday, June 23, 2005.

14 2005-H 5191

BY Lima

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Badeau moves passage, seconded by Senator Ciccone.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

15 2005-H 5420 SUB B

BY Lima

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR -- MINIMUM WAGES

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 22, 2005.

16 2005-H 5468

BY Ehrhardt

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO VALIDATING AND RATIFYING
AMENDMENTS TO THE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF NORTH
KINGSTOWN**

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Lenihan moves passage, seconded by Senator Sheehan.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin,

Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

17 2005-H 5649 SUB A as amended

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, seconded by Senator Badeau and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the committee on Labor.

18 2005-H 5650 as amended

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EMPLOYMENT OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

Committee on Labor recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

Senator Badeau moves passage, seconded by Senator Metts.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisen, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

19 2005-H 5770

BY Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
-- UNCLAIMED INTANGIBLE AND TANGIBLE PROPERTY

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Upon suggestion of Senator Paiva Weed, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 23, 2005.

20 2005-H 6405

BY Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT EXEMPTING FROM TAXATION THE REAL, MIXED
AND PERSONAL PROPERTY OF BLACKSTONE VALLEY

COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM, INC. OF PAWTUCKET

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator McBurney moves passage, seconded by Senator Doyle.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

1 2005-S 872

BY Breene

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR NOTES NOT TO EXCEED \$99,824,000 TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, SUCH PROJECT TO BE FINANCED IN TWO PHASES, THE SECOND PHASE NOT TO BE FINANCED BEFORE JUNE 1, 2007 AND SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS OF THIS ACT AS TO LEVELS OF STATE AID

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Breene moves passage, seconded by Senator Alves.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, the following act is removed from the Calendar in order for Wednesday, June 22, 2005, and placed before the body.

House Bill No. 6201 SUB A**BY** Murphy, Moura, McCauley, Moffitt, Lewiss**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FILM AND TELEVISION TAX CREDIT

Senator Ruggerio requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Ruggerio moves passage, seconded by Senator Polisena.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, in concurrence, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Breene, Caprio, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Damiani, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Polisena, Raptakis, Revens, Roberts, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Bates announces that the Committee on Financial Services, Technology & Regulatory Issues will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

Senator Polisena announces that the Committee on Judiciary will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 313 of the State House.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT**

Senator Caprio, from the Committee on Commerce, Housing and Municipal Government, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 6101 SUB A**BY** Kilmartin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Joseph Caffey (Representative of a Community Development Corporation) of Providence to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2008

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of James R. Carlson (Public Member) of Foster to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2007

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Robert E. DeBlois, Jr. of Warwick to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2008

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Allen P. Durand (Representing Rhode Island Building Trades Council) of Fiskville to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2008

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Donald Gagnon (Representing Minimum Housing Inspectors) of Woonsocket to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2008

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of John D. Gaskell, P.E. (Representing Electrical Engineers) of Warwick to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2008.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Angela V. Lovegrove (Representative of Fair Housing) of Rumford to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2007

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Mark Lowenstein (Representing persons with disabilities) of Barrington to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2006.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of John Maloney (Building Official - under 20,000) of Middletown to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2007

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Stephen C. Turner of Providence to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2008.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Gordon Preiss of Westerly (Mechanical Engineers) of Westerly to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2007

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Bill No. 6540

BY Anguilla, Malik, Gallison, Story, Savage

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COOPERATIVE SERVICE AMONG
SCHOOL DISTRICTS {LC3382}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all Senate matters, all House matters that have been amended by the Senate and (H-6201 Sub A) on the Secretary's desk are ordered to be transmitted to His Excellency, the Governor or to the Honorable House of Representatives forthwith.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator DaPonte, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate adjourns at 4:41 o'clock P.M.

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR HAROLD M. METTS

Lord, The 1st and greatest commandment is to love, with your heart, mind and soul; the 2nd is to love our neighbor as we love ourselves. So, Lord, as we deliberate over the bills before us, grant us your wisdom and insight, and above all compassion. This we ask in your holy and precious name. Amen.

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2005:

- 1 Reappointment of **Joseph Caffey** (Representative of a Community Development Corporation) of Providence to the Rhode Island Housing Resources Commission for a term expiring January 31, 2008.

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this reappointment.

- 2 Reappointment of **James R. Carlson** (Public Member) of Foster to the State Building Codes Standards Committee for a term expiring May 1, 2007.

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this reappointment.

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Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this reappointment.

- 12 **2005-S 1180**

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

- 13 **2005-S 1181**

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

- 14 **2005-S 1182**

BY DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Tuesday, June 21, 2005

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2005:**

- 1 Appointment of **Patricia Martinez** of Pawtucket VICE Jay G. Lindgren, Jr. as Director of the Department of Children Youth and Families.

Committee on Judiciary recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this appointment.

- 2 Appointment of **Jametta O. Alston** of Warwick VICE Lauren D`Ambra of Child Advocate for a term expiring February 1, 2010.

Committee on Judiciary recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this appointment.

- 3 **2005-S 277 SUB A**

BY DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR -- MINIMUM WAGES

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

- 4 **2005-S 920**

BY Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

- 5 **2005-S 242 SUB B**

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES -- STATE AID TO LIBRARIES

Ordered on the Calendar

- 6 **2005-S 290 SUB A**

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS

Ordered on the Calendar

- 7 **2005-S 1131**

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

8 2005-S 1137 SUB A as amended**BY Tassoni****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE
LONG-TERM CARE REFORM ACT OF 2005 -- NURSING
FACILITIES RECEIVERSHIP ACT

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

9 2005-H 5420 SUB B**BY Lima****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR -- MINIMUM WAGES

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

10 2005-H 5170 SUB A as amended**BY Fox****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 as amended in concurrence.

11 2005-H 5350 SUB A**BY Williams****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ADOPTION OF CHILDREN

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

12 2005-H 5500 SUB B**BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- GENERAL PROVISIONS

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

13 2005-H 5631 SUB A**BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- POWERS

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

14 2005-H 5849 as amended**BY Moura****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR - PRIVACY PROTECTION**
Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.**15 2005-H 6061****BY Mumford****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

16 2005-H 6126**BY Jackson****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGE**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

17 2005-H 6213**BY Trillo****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

18 2005-H 6216**BY Carter****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - GENERAL
POWERS**

Ordered on the Calendar

19 2005-H 6279**BY Moura****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

20 2005-H 6361**BY Sullivan****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- WEST GREENWICH**

Ordered on the Calendar

21 2005-H 6436 as amended**BY McManus****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES**

Ordered on the Calendar

22 2005-H 6457**BY Pacheco****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- GLOCESTER

Ordered on the Calendar

23 2005-H 6509**BY Lima****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Ordered on the Calendar

24 2005-H 6550 SUB A**BY McNamara****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE
LONG-TERM CARE REFORM ACT OF 2005 -- NURSING
FACILITY QUALITY IMPROVEMENT

Ordered on the Calendar

25 2005-H 6553**BY Dennigan****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

26 2005-H 5881**BY Anguilla****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND
PARTNERSHIPSCommittee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in
concurrence.**27 2005-H 5569 SUB B****BY Slater****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
NURSING SERVICE AGENCIESCommittee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the
original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.**28 2005-H 5883 SUB A****BY Kennedy****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- NONPROFIT HOSPITAL
SERVICE CORPORATIONSCommittee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the
original bill and passage of Substitute A.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 2005:**1 2005-H 5777 SUB A****BY Gallison****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

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

2 2005-H 5770**BY Kennedy****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -- UNCLAIMED INTANGIBLE AND TANGIBLE PROPERTY

Committee on Commerce, Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

3 2005-H 6369 SUB A**BY Lima****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION

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

4 2005-H 6101 SUB A**BY Kilmartin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

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

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.

Secretary of the Senate

Tuesday, June 21, 2005