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Thirteenth Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:27 o'clock P.M.

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

PRESENT – 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 2: Senators Ciccone, Felag.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Twelfth Legislative Day of the 2012 proceedings is read in part.

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

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

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

January 27, 2012

Mr. Joseph. Brady
Secretary to the Senate
145 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Mr. Brady

Pursuant to Rule 4.1 of the rules of the Senate, I Hereby request that my name be removed from the list of co-sponsors of the bill 2012- S- 2162 an Act Relating to Labor and Labor Relations, sponsored by Senator Kettle. This bill is currently in the Senate Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs.

Thank you, for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Pinga
Senator, District 9

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

Also:

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

January 31, 2012

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

Dear Madam President:

Please be advised and let the record reflect that I will be absent from the Senate Session on Tuesday, January 31, 2012, due to illness.

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

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Hanna M. Gallo
Senator- District 27

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Bill No. 7150 SUB A

(Secretary of State)

BY Keable, Edwards, Nunes

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND NON-PROFIT CORPORATION ACT (would provide for the filing of restated articles of incorporation previously amended with guidelines for restating said articles) {LC455/A/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7149

(Secretary of State)

BY Corvese, Petrarca, Schadone, Azzinaro, Malik

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS (would allow the tax administrator, subject to confidentiality restrictions, to disclose certain information to the secretary of state regarding any entity that files a tax return with the state) {LC458/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7121

(Secretary of State)

BY Marcello, Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS - RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT (would require that a foreign corporation in the state of RI which converts into another be required to file for authority to transact business in this state & the provisions set forth in the general laws which requires them to do so.) {LC457/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7120

(Secretary of State)

BY Marcello, Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- PARTNERSHIPS--FILING (would remove a reference to an incorrect clause in a section of the general laws pertaining to partnerships.) {LC453/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7068

(Secretary of State)

BY Petrarca, Ucci, Keable, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS - LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS (would clarify the authority of foreign limited liability limited partnerships.) {LC454/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7067 SUB A

(Secretary of State)

BY Petrarca, Ucci, Keable, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT (would amend certain provisions relative to the secretary of state filing procedures for documents received pursuant to this chapter dealing with corporations, associations and partnerships.) {LC456/A/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

**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. 2056**BY** Felag, Ottiano, Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow the Honorable Raymond B. Mars to join Jennifer Teresa Mars and Nathan Christopher Oliveira in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about June 21, 2012) {LC209/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2135**BY** Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow William F. Loehning to join Kristen Pietrantonio and Kyle Loehning in marriage on or about June 23, 2012, within the Town of Barrington, Rhode Island.) {LC389/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2141**BY** Walaska, Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow the Honorable Scott Avedisian, Mayor of the City of Warwick, to join Carra Beth Constantine and William Malcolm Hall in marriage) {LC432/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2144**BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Scott Avedisian to join Christina Marie Finn and Sean Patrick Woodbine in marriage) {LC435/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2179

(Attorney General)

BY Sosnowski, McCaffrey, Felag, Goodwin, Ruggerio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT (would exclude certain offenses from eligibility for earned time for good behavior or program participation or completion.) {LC198/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

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

Senate Bill No. 2210**BY** O'Neill, Ruggerio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE (would make certain changes to the town charter of the town of North Providence with respect to meetings of the town council and notices of same.) {LC767/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 2267****BY** Lanzi, DiPalma, Lynch, Walaska, Gallo**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION DECLARING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY TO BE "NATIONAL TEEN DATING VIOLENCE AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC349/1}

Senator Lanzi requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Lanzi moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Algieri, Crowley, Sheehan, Hodgson and Nesselbush.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2266**BY** Metts, Pichardo, Paiva Weed, Ruggerio, Algieri**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY AS "BLACK HISTORY MONTH" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC1015/1}

Senator Metts requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Metts moves passage, seconded by Senators Pichardo, McCaffrey, Sosnowski, Fogarty, Lynch, Lanzi, DiPalma, Miller and Perry.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2268**BY** DeVall, Moura, Bates, DaPonte**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF KAREN A. CARTIN {LC1057/1}

Senator DeVall requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator DeVall moves passage, seconded by Senators Moura, Goodwin, Doyle, Tassoni, Metts and Shibley.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2269

BY Goodwin, Ruggerio, Jabour, Miller, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - HISTORIC STRUCTURES (would create economic incentives for the redevelopment and reuse of Rhode Island's historic structures.) {LC669/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2270

BY Miller, Goodwin, Jabour, Perry, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - MOTION PICTURE PRODUCTION TAX CREDITS (would allow lower budget motion picture productions to qualify for Rhode Island tax credits.) {LC187/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2271

BY Miller, Goodwin, Ruggerio, Jabour, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- ARTS AND ENTERTAINMENT--JOB STIMULUS INCENTIVES (would repeal the provisions of 44-31.2, entitled "Motion Picture Production Tax Credits," and establish a new 44-31.3, entitled "The Arts and Entertainment Job Stimulus Incentives Act of 2012.") {LC668/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2272

BY Miller, Goodwin, Jabour, Perry, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- MUSICAL AND THEATRICAL PRODUCTION AND MOTION PICTURE PRODUCTION TAX CREDITS (would establish a tax credit for qualified musical and theatrical productions, and makes certain changes to existing

law governing motion picture production tax credits.) {LC188/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2273

BY Picard, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS {LC1010/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Corporations.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2274

BY Metts, Jabour, Pichardo, Crowley, Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - THE PAUL W. CROWLEY RHODE STUDENT INVESTMENT INITIATIVE - NOTICE PROVISIONS {LC752/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Education.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2275

BY Pichardo, Goodwin, Metts, Crowley, Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - THE COLLEGE AND CAREER SUCCESS FOR ALL STUDENTS ACT {LC1041/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Education.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2276

BY DiPalma, Sheehan, Gallo, DeVall, Metts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - STATEWIDE VIRTUAL EDUCATION {LC1026/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Education.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2277

BY Pichardo, Jabour, Metts, Picard, Crowley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - ENVIRONMENTAL CLEAN UP OBJECTIVES FOR SCHOOLS {LC1040/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2278

BY Walaska, Lynch, McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION - PUBLIC DRINKING WATER SUPPLY {LC953/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2279

BY Pichardo, Metts, Jabour, Crowley, Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TUITION EQUITY {LC1031/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2280

BY Crowley, DeVall, Pichardo, Perry, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - FISCAL OVERSEERS, BUDGET COMMISSIONS AND RECEIVERS {LC469/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2281

BY Algieri, Bates, Hodgson, Ottiano, Kettle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE BUDGET {LC1067/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2282

BY Pichardo, Goodwin, Metts, Jabour, Crowley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BUSINESS TAX CREDIT {LC1036/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2283

BY Pichardo, Ottiano, Kettle, Fogarty, Pinga

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - GROSS RECEIPTS EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAXES {LC282/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2284

BY Lanzi, Metts, Pichardo, Crowley, Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES - THE RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM {LC950/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2285

BY Ottiano, Jabour, Bates, Cote, Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS - ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS - PROFESSIONAL SERVICE CORPORATIONS {LC1071/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Health and Human Services.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2286

BY Perry, Nesselbush, Sosnowski, Miller, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- LICENSING OF GENETIC COUNSELORS {LC1054/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Health and Human Services.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2287

BY Miller, Perry, Picard, Jabour, Nesselbush

ENTITLED, {LC809/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Health and Human Services.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2288

BY DeVall, Tassoni, Crowley, Fogarty, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES - SUPPORT OF HOMELESS {LC966/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Housing and Municipal Government.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2289**BY** Lynch, DiPalma, Walaska, Miller, Perry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - STATE BUILDING CODE
{LC1022/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Housing and Municipal Government.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2290**BY** Pichardo, Ruggerio, Miller, Tassoni, Metts**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - FRAUD AND FALSE
DEALING {LC1033/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2291**BY** Metts, Jabour, Fogarty, Pichardo, Crowley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - TAXATION
- TAX SALES {LC748/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2292**BY** Lanzi, DiPalma, Sheehan, Picard, Lombardo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - LICENSE FOR
MOTORCYCLES {LC660/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2293**BY** Doyle, Hodgson, Tassoni, Ruggerio, Algiere**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - SEXUAL OFFENDER
REGISTRATION AND COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION {LC1028/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2294

BY Pichardo, Metts, Jabour, Crowley, Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - IMMIGRANT ASSISTANCE IN CRIME FIGHTING {LC1045/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2295

BY Pichardo, Metts, Jabour, Ruggerio, Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN - PROCEEDINGS IN FAMILY COURT {LC1034/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2296

BY Pichardo, Metts, Perry, Miller, Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- INSURANCE RATES {LC1035/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Judiciary.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2297

BY Doyle, Tassoni, Miller, Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - WORKERS' COMPENSATION {LC173/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Labor.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2298

BY Doyle, Tassoni, Miller, Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- WORKERS' COMPENSATION -- BENEFITS {LC168/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Labor.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2299**BY** Doyle, Tassoni, Miller, Lanzi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- WORKERS' COMPENSATION {LC165/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Labor.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2300

(by request)

BY Kettle, Shibley, Maher**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - BINDING ARBITRATION {LC928/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Labor.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2301**BY** Fogarty, Ruggerio, McCaffrey, Bates, Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - RHODE ISLAND UNINSURED EMPLOYERS FUND {LC854/1}

Read and ordered to the committee on Labor.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2302**BY** Hodgson, Maher, Cote, Ottiano, Algieri**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND PUBLISH AND SUBMIT TO THE ELECTORS A PROPOSITION OF AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE - FOUR YEAR TERMS FOR SENATORS AND TERM LIMITS FOR LEGISLATORS {LC955/1}

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2303**BY** Paiva Weed, Ruggerio, Fogarty, Lynch, DaPonte**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO FULLY FUND THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT (WIA) {LC846/1}

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2304

BY Hodgson

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF WILLIAM A. FOSTER {LC1055/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

CALENDAR**IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 01, 2012:****1. 2012-S 2178 SUB A**

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Bates, Doyle, DiPalma, Jabour, Perry, Lombardo and Maher.

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

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2012 -- S 2178 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- S 2178 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1) On page 3, line 9, by inserting the following after the language "Academy Ave":

"to Justice St; thence easterly to the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy; thence easterly on the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy to Berlin St; thence southerly on Berlin St to Chalkstone Ave; thence westerly on Chalkstone Ave to Academy Ave; thence northerly on Academy Ave".

2) On page 6, line 2, by inserting the following after the language "Academy Ave":

"to Justice St; thence easterly to the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy; thence easterly on the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy to Berlin St; thence southerly on Berlin St to Chalkstone Ave; thence westerly on Chalkstone Ave to Academy Ave; thence northerly on Academy Ave".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR MCCAFFREY

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

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

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

Senators Goodwin, Pichardo and Ruggerio discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 2 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 2: Senators Hodgson, Pinga.

TRANSMITTAL

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

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Algieri and upon suggestion of Senator DeVall the Senate adjourns at 4:54 o'clock P.M. in memory of Karen A. Cartin.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR BEATRICE A. LANZI

Dear God, please grant us the wisdom to be aware of the vital needs of the people we are here to serve. Please grant us the courage to meet those needs to the fullest extent of our ability. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 02, 2012:**

1. **2012-S 2056**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
2. **2012-S 2135**
BY Bates
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
3. **2012-S 2141**
BY Walaska
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
4. **2012-S 2144**
BY Miller
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
5. **2012-S 2304**
BY Hodgson
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF WILLIAM A. FOSTER

Ordered on the Consent Calendar

Appendix

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 07, 2012:

- 1. 2012-S 2210**
BY O'Neill
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

- 2. 2012-S 2179**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.