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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:25 o'clock P.M.

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

**PRESENT** – 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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** – 0:

**INVOCATION**

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

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

**APPROVAL OF RECORD**

The Senate Journal of the Fifty-fourth Legislative Day of the 2012 proceedings is read in part.

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

### GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Sosnowski and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Melanie and John Foreman V of Peace Dale, Rhode Island.

### FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

#### **House Bill No. 7532 SUB A**

**BY** Tarro, Dickinson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (would require that the public utilities commission & the RI division of utilities and carriers establish a program to require electric utilities to conduct voltage detection surveys & complete timely repairs of faults contributing to contact voltage.)

{LC1388/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

#### **House Bill No. 7847**

(State Police)

**BY** O'Neill, Lally, Ucci, Johnston, Winfield

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - SEARCH WARRANTS (would enable a member of law enforcement serving on a statewide task force to obtain a warrant based upon his complaint to a qualified law enforcement officer.)

{LC1953/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

#### **House Bill No. 7534 SUB A as amended**

**BY** Silva, Serpa

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - AIR POLLUTION (would exempt gas stations with new gasoline dispensing equipment from the department of health's stage II system requirements.)

{LC1559/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Resolution No. 8177****BY** Ajello

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE PUBLIC FUNDED ELECTION SYSTEM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND (would extend the reporting and expiration dates of the "Special legislative commission to study the public funded election system in the state of Rhode Island" to December 31, 2012 and February 28, 2013, respectively.)

{LC2616/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8102****BY** Coderre, San Bento, Johnston, Messier, O'Neill

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

{LC2479/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8090****BY** Coderre, San Bento, O'Neill, Johnston, O'Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014 (would authorize the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$200,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the reconstruction of bridges in the city of Pawtucket to cover the two fiscal years 2013 and 2014.)

{LC2482/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8088**

**BY** Coderre, San Bento, O'Neill, Johnston, O'Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE SENIOR CENTER, PUBLIC LIBRARY, POLICE AND FIRE STATIONS, CITY HALL AND OTHER PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

{LC2475/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8085**

**BY** Coderre, San Bento, O'Neill, Johnston, O'Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER AND SANITATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$300,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

{LC2483/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8086**

**BY** Coderre, San Bento, O'Neill, Johnston, O'Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

{LC2474/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8087****BY** Coderre, San Bento, O'Neill, Johnston, O'Grady**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

{LC2486/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 7176 SUB A**

(By Request)

**BY** Slater, Diaz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- COMMUNITY OBLIGATIONS AND BANKING OFFENSES --THEFT, EMBEZZLEMENT, FALSE PRETENSES, AND MISAPPROPRIATIONS (would amend the larceny and unlawful conversion provisions of the general laws pertaining to when a crime is to be treated as a felony, by increasing the threshold amount from \$500 to \$1,500)

{LC145/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**House Bill No. 7478 as amended****BY** Kennedy, San Bento, Lally, Coderre, Naughton**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PORTABLE ELECTRONICS INSURANCE

{LC1347/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES  
COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS**

Senator Miller from the Committee on Corporations, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**Senate Bill No. 2433 SUB A****BY** Picard, Lynch, Walaska, Lombardo, Cote**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES - GIFT CARDS (would exempt gift cards/certificates that are given to a non-profit corp. or association, for fundraising, from the

prohibition against expiration dates, provided an expiration date is clearly stated on the card/certificate in bold print.)

{LC1783/A/3}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2748**

**BY** Miller

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - OTHER REGULATORY PROVISIONS - UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES (would allow credit file monitoring services to require social security numbers from customers.)

{LC1780/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

**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 measure:

**Senate Bill No. 3018**

**BY** Tassoni

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SMITHFIELD LAND TRUST

{LC2717/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

**COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE**

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

**House Bill No. 7697 SUB A**

(DEM)

**BY** Keable, Lally, Petrarca, Walsh, Coderre

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - VETERINARY PRACTICE (would provide for an emergency waiver for veterinarians to perform veterinary services in Rhode Island under certain emergency situations)

{LC1691/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**House Bill No. 7702 SUB A**

(DEM)

**BY** Handy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- INSPECTION OF DAMS (would expand the ability of the director of the department of environmental management to regulate water dam safety)

{LC1692/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

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

**Senate Bill No. 2460****BY** Doyle, Crowley, Nesselbush**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES AND USE TAXES - LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX (would amend the laws for tax exempt artistic communities to include certain parts of the city of Pawtucket.)

{LC1549/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2089****BY** Maher, Shibley, Kettle**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - WEST GREENWICH (would permit the West Greenwich town council to exempt or stabilize taxes on qualified property used for manufacturing or commercial purposes in the town of West Greenwich.)

{LC356/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2835****BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DISTRESSED AREAS ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION ACT (would add certain federal census tracts within the town of Middletown to the enterprise zone designation under the distressed areas economic revitalization act.)

{LC2288/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2036**

**BY** DiPalma, Sheehan, Bates, Ottiano, Sosnowski

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TRUSTS (would allow for shared service administration of OPEB trusts between municipalities and also allow city/town councils and regional school districts to jointly establish a corporation to manage and operate OPEB trust)

{LC51/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2038**

**BY** DiPalma, Sheehan, Bates, Ottiano, Sosnowski

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS (would add corporations pursuant to Chapter 5 of Title 45 to the list of entities who may act as trustee for trust agreements between school districts and corporate trustees in reference to OPEB trusts)

{LC52/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

### COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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

**House Bill No. 7361**

(Governor/PUC)

**BY** Keable, Lally, Petrarca, Hull, Johnston

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (would clarify the powers of the division of public utilities and carrier's personnel relative to enforcement of all provisions of the motor carrier pursuant to chapter 39-1)

{LC1158/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 31, 2012.

Also:

**House Bill No. 7848**

(by request)

**BY** O'Neill, Lally, Mattiello

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL TENURE AND DISCIPLINE (would increase the number

required for a quorum of the Commission on Judicial Tenure and Discipline and the number of affirmative votes required for a recommendation to the supreme court.)

{LC1965/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8113**

**BY** Newberry

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Charlotte P. Kelley to join Reece Pearson Briere and Bethany Lynn Simpson in marriage on or about July 1, 2012, within the Town of Burrillville, Rhode Island.)

{LC2528/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 8112**

**BY** DaSilva

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Kerri Buratczuk to join Melissa Vermette and Aaron Souza in marriage on or about November 10, 2012, within the Town of West Warwick, Rhode Island.)

{LC2542/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2986**

**BY** Ottiano, Algieri, Bates

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

{LC2621/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**Senate Bill No. 2958**

**BY** Paiva Weed

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Brian Maher to join Kristen Flynn and Jamie Drainville in marriage within the Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island, on or about August 8, 2012)

{LC2634/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON LABOR**

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

**House Bill No. 7394**

(Labor and Training)

**BY** Corvese, Petrarca, Schadone, Malik, Hull

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS (would repeal term limits for and reduce the length of the terms of members of the board of examination and licensing of telecommunications system contractors, technicians and installers from seven to five years)

{LC1157/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**NEW BUSINESS****Senate Bill No. 3022**

**BY** Felag, Bates

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

{LC2734/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**Senate Resolution No. 3023**

**BY** Goodwin, Ruggerio

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF ANNE REYNOLDS

{LC2718/1}

Senator Goodwin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

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

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

Also:

**Senate Resolution No. 3024****BY** Fogarty**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING "SAVE THE LAKES" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC2715/1}

Senator Fogarty requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Maher, Shibley and Kettle.

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

**GUESTS**

Upon suggestion of Senator Fogarty and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Judy Colaluca, President of Save the Lakes, Rico Colaluca and Courtney Colaluca.

**FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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

**House Bill No. 8084****BY** San Bento**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2012 (would provide that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012 the state lottery may amend the Master Video Terminal Contract providing additional promotional points to the gambling facilities covered thereby.){LC2453/1}

Senator Goodwin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Bates and Nesselbush.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

Senator Goodwin requests that item # 1 be removed from the Consent Calendar and placed on the Calendar.

**1. 2012-H 7483 SUB A**

**BY** Medina

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- PROCEDURES AND OPERATIONS

Senator Goodwin requests this item be placed on today's Calendar.

**2. 2012-H 7542 SUB B**

**BY** Naughton

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO ASSESS THE EDUCATIONAL NEEDS OF CHILDREN WITH READING DISABILITIES AND DYSLEXIA

Upon motion of Senator Ruggerio, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 2012:**

Senator Goodwin requests that item # 4 be removed from the Calendar and placed on the desk.

**1. 2012-S 2480 SUB A**

**BY** Perry

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the

original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Senator Perry moves passage, seconded by Senators Sheehan, Crowley and Nesselbush.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Ottiano.

**2. 2012-S 2276 SUB A as amended**

**BY** DiPalma

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - STATEWIDE VIRTUAL EDUCATION**

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch, DeVall, Gallo, Ruggerio and Metts.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

**3. 2012-S 2186 SUB A**

**BY** DiPalma

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- THE RHODE ISLAND PETROLEUM SAVINGS AND INDEPENDENCE**

## ADVISORY COMMISSION

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage, seconded by Senators Algieri and Felag.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

**4. 2012-S 2696 SUB A**

**BY** Lombardo

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

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed at the bottom of the desk.

**5. 2012-S 2947**

**BY** Tassoni

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - CASUALTY INSURANCE  
RATING

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch and Felag.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

**6. 2012-S 2989**

**BY** Ciccone

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY -  
RENAMING THE ART CENTER AT RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Ciccone moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Lynch, Moura, Goodwin, Pichardo and Nesselbush.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 38: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

**7. 2012-S 2179 SUB A**

**BY** Sosnowski

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -  
CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Goodwin, Ruggerio, Gallo, Algieri, Shibley, Walaska and Lynch.

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

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

NAYS- 0:

8. **2012-S 2448**  
**BY** Sheehan  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES TAX EXEMPTION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Sheehan moves passage, seconded by Senators Hodgson and O'Neill.

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

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

NAYS- 0:

9. **2012-H 7739 SUB A as amended**  
**BY** McNamara  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES

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

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators DeVall and Nesselbush.

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

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, 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:

10. **2012-H 7112 SUB A**  
**BY** Tanzi  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - CORRECTIONS DEPARTMENT

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Ruggerio, Felag, Nesselbush, Moura, Algieri, Lynch and Sheehan.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

**11. 2012-H 7447 SUB A**

**BY** Malik

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

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

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Perry, Sosnowski, Ruggerio, Ottiano and DiPalma.

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 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

**12. 2012-H 7483 SUB A**

**BY** Medina

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- PROCEDURES AND OPERATIONS

Ordered on the Calendar

Senator Miller moves passage, seconded by Senator Goodwin.

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 and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, 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:

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Algieri.

### TRANSMITTAL

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

(See Appendix for List)

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Walaska announces that the Committee on Environment and Agriculture will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 211 of the State House.

Senator Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet tomorrow, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 211 of the State House.

Senator Sheehan announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 212 of the State House.

Senator Lynch announces that the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

### ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Ruggerio seconded by Senator Algieri and upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin the Senate adjourns at 4:51 o'clock P.M. in memory of Anne Reynolds.

JOSEPH R. BRADY  
Secretary of the Senate

**Appendix**

**INVOCATION**

**SENATOR GLENFORD J. SHIBLEY**

Lord, to Your servants in this chamber grant a sense of Your presence, not only during this hurried moment of prayer, but throughout the entire day, especially as we deliberate and vote on behalf of our constituents. Enable us to make our best judgments. Amen.

**Appendix****CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2012:**

- 1. 2012-S 2958**  
**BY** Paiva Weed  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES  
  
Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 2. 2012-S 2986**  
**BY** Ottiano  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES  
  
Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 3. 2012-S 3022**  
**BY** Felag  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES  
  
Ordered on the Consent Calendar
- 4. 2012-H 7394**  
**BY** Corvese  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS  
  
Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.
- 5. 2012-H 7532 SUB A**  
**BY** Tarro  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS  
  
Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for passage in concurrence.
- 6. 2012-H 7534 SUB A as amended**  
**BY** Silva  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - AIR POLLUTION  
  
Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for passage in concurrence.

**7. 2012-H 7697 SUB A****BY** Keable**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -  
VETERINARY PRACTICE

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

**8. 2012-H 7847****BY** O'Neill**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - SEARCH  
WARRANTS

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

**9. 2012-H 7848****BY** O'Neill**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS  
- COMMISSION ON JUDICIAL TENURE AND DISCIPLINE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**10. 2012-H 8085****BY** Coderre**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE  
FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER AND  
SANITATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE  
FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$300,000  
BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT  
PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

**11. 2012-H 8086****BY** Coderre**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE  
FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES  
IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF,  
INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES  
THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO  
FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

**12. 2012-H 8087****BY** Coderre

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

**13. 2012-H 8088****BY** Coderre

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE SENIOR CENTER, PUBLIC LIBRARY, POLICE AND FIRE STATIONS, CITY HALL AND OTHER PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

**14. 2012-H 8090****BY** Coderre

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

**15. 2012-H 8102****BY** Coderre

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

**16. 2012-H 8112****BY** DaSilva**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**17. 2012-H 8113****BY** Newberry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**18. 2012-H 8177****BY** Ajello**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE PUBLIC FUNDED ELECTION SYSTEM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

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

**Appendix****CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 31, 2012:**

- 1. 2012-S 2389 SUB A**  
**BY** Picard  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - PRODUCER LICENSING ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 2. 2012-S 2393 SUB A**  
**BY** Picard  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - TELEPHONE REGULATION MODERNIZATION ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 3. 2012-S 2433 SUB A**  
**BY** Picard  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES - GIFT CARDS

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 4. 2012-S 2436 SUB A as amended**  
**BY** Walaska  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - THE RHODE ISLAND PORT MARKETING COLLABORATIVE OF 2012

Committee on Corporations recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended.
- 5. 2012-S 2607 SUB A**  
**BY** Miller  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE - SECURED TRANSACTIONS

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

6. **2012-S 2748**  
**BY** Miller  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - OTHER REGULATORY PROVISIONS - UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES
- Committee on Corporations recommends passage.
7. **2012-S 2083 SUB A**  
**BY** Ruggiero  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PROPER MANAGEMENT OF UNUSED PAINT
- Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
8. **2012-S 2086**  
**BY** McCaffrey  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE CITY OF WARWICK - SEWER AUTHORITY
- Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.
9. **2012-S 2610 SUB A**  
**BY** Felag  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION - OBSTRUCTIONS TO NAVIGATION
- Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
10. **2012-S 2871**  
**BY** Tassoni  
**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT TO ESTABLISH A RHODE ISLAND ARTIFICIAL REEF PROGRAM
- Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

**11. 2012-S 2922 SUB A****BY** Sosnowski**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT COUNCIL TO PREPARE A PLAN TO ACCOMPLISH BEACH PROTECTION AND RE-NOURISHMENT ALONG THE SHORELINE AT THE SOUTH KINGSTOWN VILLAGE OF MATUNUCK

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

**12. 2012-S 2036****BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TRUSTS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**13. 2012-S 2038****BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**14. 2012-S 2089****BY** Maher**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - WEST GREENWICH

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**15. 2012-S 2460****BY** Doyle**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES AND USE TAXES - LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**16. 2012-S 2835****BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DISTRESSED AREAS ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION ACT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**17. 2012-S 2937 SUB A****BY** Kettle**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE CENTRAL COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT

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

**18. 2012-S 2975****BY** Maher**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALTON VILLAGE WATER DISTRICT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**19. 2012-S 3018****BY** Tassoni**ENTITLED**, AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SMITHFIELD LAND TRUST

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**20. 2012-S 2287 SUB A****BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- HEALTH INSURANCE OVERSIGHT

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

**21. 2012-S 2720 SUB A****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES - MEDICAL ASSISTANCE - NURSING FACILITIES RATE REFORM

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

**22. 2012-H 7702 SUB A****BY** Handy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- INSPECTION OF DAMS

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

- 23. 2012-H 7361**  
**BY Keable**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

- 24. 2012-H 7016 SUB B**  
**BY Martin**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR LICENSES - VETERANS**

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

- 25. 2012-H 7176 SUB A**  
**BY Slater**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- COMMUNITY OBLIGATIONS AND BANKING OFFENSES --THEFT, EMBEZZLEMENT, FALSE PRETENSES, AND MISAPPROPRIATIONS**

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

- 26. 2012-H 7478 as amended**  
**BY Kennedy**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PORTABLE ELECTRONICS INSURANCE**

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

**Appendix****BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****Senate Bill No. 2179 SUB A**

(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/A/1}

**House Bill No. 7112 SUB A**

(Attorney General)

**BY** Tanzi, Walsh, Lally, Dickinson, DaSilva

**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.)

{LC128/A/1}

**House Bill No. 7447 SUB A**

**BY** Malik, Morrison, Schadone, Baldelli-Hunt, Gallison

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS  
(would allow bus drivers and monitors to administer epinephrine under certain circumstances)

{LC1328/A/3}

**House Bill No. 7483 SUB A**

(Business Regulation)

**BY** Medina, Tanzi, Hull, Keable, O`Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- PROCEDURES AND  
OPERATIONS

{LC1405/A/1}

**House Bill No. 8084**

**BY** San Bento

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT  
OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2012 (would provide that for the  
fiscal year ending June 30, 2012 the state lottery may amend the Master Video Terminal Contract  
providing additional promotional points to the gambling facilities covered thereby.)

{LC2453/1}