

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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Sixtieth 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 4:28 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 Lynch to deliver the invocation.

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Lynch 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**

June 7, 2012

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

Dear Madam President:

I will be unable to attend the special session of the senate on Monday June 11, 2012. I will be in Virginia attending the funeral of my great aunt, Marion T. Frye.

Your prayers are appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Harold M. Metts
Senate District #6

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Resolution No. 3062

BY Doyle, Nesselbush, Paiva Weed, Ruggerio, Goodwin
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING "PETE THE BARBER" ON HIS
50TH ANNIVERSARY AS A PAWTUCKET BARBER
{LC2722/1}

Senator Doyle requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Doyle moves passage, seconded by Senators Tassoni and Nesselbush.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3063**BY** DaPonte, Moura, Paiva Weed**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JUNE 10, 2012, AS THE "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC2829/1}

Senator DaPonte requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Goodwin, DeVall, Moura, Ottiano, Algieri, Maher, Gallo, Doyle, Jabour and Pinga.

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

Senator DaPonte discusses the resolution.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. 2012-S 3054**BY** Perry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

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 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

2. 2012-S 3055**BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION HONORING FRANK IACONO ON THE OCCASION OF HIS 100TH BIRTHDAY

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 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

3. 2012-H 7085 SUB A

BY Keable

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
DEPARTMENT OF ATTORNEY GENERAL

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 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

4. 2012-H 7473 SUB A

BY Malik

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

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 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5. 2012-H 7628 as amended**BY** Walsh**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - SMALL DISABILITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISES

Upon motion of Senator Ruggiero, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, 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, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggiero, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6. 2012-H 7985**BY** Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING THE SENATOR CLAIBORNE PELL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON THE HUMANITIES

Upon motion of Senator Ruggiero, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, 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, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggiero, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7. 2012-H 7988**BY** Melo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Upon motion of Senator Ruggiero, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, 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, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2012-H 8153

BY Mattiello

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ESTABLISH, ADOPT AND REAPPORTION THE TOWN COUNCIL AND SCHOOL COMMITTEE VOTING WARDS

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 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

9. 2012-H 8156

BY Menard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

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 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

24. Appointment of Charles J. Levesque (for a term of 10 years) of Portsmouth as Magistrate of the Family Court.

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

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators Gallo, Algieri, Ottiano, Bates, Ruggiero, Felag, DaPonte, Doyle, Tassoni, DeVall, Fogarty, Crowley and Sosnowski moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

Senators Perry, Ottiano, Gallo and Lanzi discuss the appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggiero, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Ottiano and Goodwin and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Magistrate of the Family Court Charles J. Levesque along with his brother George Levesque, Magistrate Colleen Hastings, Kathy Slivia, Bill West, Jack Maher, Dave Pritchard and Paula Rosin.

CALENDAR

25. Appointment of John J. Flynn (for a term of 10 years) of Coventry as Drug Court Magistrate of the Rhode Island Superior Court.

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

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators Ruggiero, Goodwin, Lanzi Kettle, Bates, Algieri, Perry, Miller, Goodwin, Gallo, Sosnowski, Fogarty, Jabour and Pichardo moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggiero, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Shibley and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Drug Court Magistrate of the Rhode Island Superior Court John J. Flynn.

CALENDAR**26. Appointment of Luis M. Matos VICE Edwin J. Gale to the Rhode Island Superior Court as Associate Justice.**

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

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators Perry, Ruggerio DaPonte, DeVall, Nesselbush, Jabour, Sosnowski, Fogarty, Jabour, Pichardo, Gallo, Bates and O'Neill moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

Senator DaPonte discusses the appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senators Perry and DaPonte and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Rhode Island Superior Court as Associate Justice Luis M. Matos along with his wife Olinda Matos and children Gabriel and Eva Matos, parents Armenio and Maria Fernanda Matos, aunt and uncle Antonio and Cidalia Pereira, aunt and uncle Francisco and Rosinda Santos, cousins Madalena, Antonio, Isabela, Sofia and Vice Consul of Portugal in Providence Dr. Leonel Texeira.

CALENDAR

27. Appointment of Mary S. McElroy (for a term of 5 years) of Coventry VICE John J. Hardiman as Public Defender.

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

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators Perry, Felag, Ruggerio, Goodwin, Ciccone, Shibley, Algieri, DaPonte, Gallo, Tassoni and Jabour moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

Senator Lynch discusses the appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Lynch and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Public Defender Mary S. McElroy along with her husband Robert Jordan and children Evan and Chloe Jordan.

CALENDAR

28. Appointment of Stephen C. Waluk (for a term of 5 years) of Newport as the Chief Clerk of the Rhode Island District Court.

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

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators DiPalma, Ottiano, Felag, Jabour and Algieri moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator DiPalma and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Chief Clerk of the Rhode Island District Court Stephen C. Waluk along with Kathy Silva and Magistrate Colleen Hastings.

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 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.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate stands at recess at 5:57 o'clock P.M.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, on Monday, June 11, 2012, at 8:02 o'clock P.M.

CALENDAR

Senator Goodwin requests that item 23 be moved to the top of the Calendar and that items 3 and 12 be placed at the bottom of the Calendar.

23. 2012-H 7323 SUB A as amended

BY Melo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013

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

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Doyle, DiPalma, Sosnowski, Goodwin and Pichardo.

Senators Moura, Jabour, Felag, DiPalma, Hodgson, Crowley, Bates, Shibley, Ruggerio, O'Neill, Sosnowski and DaPonte discuss the act.

Senator Kettle seconded by Senators Hodgson and Moura, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013", as follows:

1. In Article 1, page 2, line 31, by deleting the numeral "4,684,403" and by inserting in place thereof the numeral "0".

2. In Article 1, page 4, line 16, be deleting the numeral "59,309,085" and by inserting in place thereof the numeral "54,624,682".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR KETTLE

Senators Miller, Sheehan and DaPonte discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails upon a roll call vote with 10 Senators voting in the affirmative and 27 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 10: Senators Algieri, Bates, Hodgson, Kettle, Maher, Moura, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pinga, Shibley.

NAYS- 27: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Nesselbush, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

Senator Maher seconded by Senators Kettle and Hodgson, offers the following written

motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013", as follows:

By adding thereto the following new Article:

"ARTICLE _____

RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

SECTION 1. Section 36-6-19 of the General Laws in Chapter 36-6 entitled "Salaries and Traveling Expenses" is hereby amended to read as follows:

36-6-19. Hospital care, hospital surgical-medical, and dental services benefits for general assembly members. -- All members of the general assembly shall, subject to a twenty-five percent (25%) co-pay, be eligible to receive hospital services, surgical-medical services, and dental services, rights and benefits including, but not limited to, the equivalent of the semi-private benefit plan of blue cross of Rhode Island, a surgical-medical plan equivalent to the plan 100 of blue shield of Rhode Island, a major medical plan equivalent to the major medical plan of blue cross of Rhode Island and blue shield of Rhode Island, a prescription drug plan equivalent to the prescription drug plan of blue shield of Rhode Island, and a dental plan equivalent to delta dental of Rhode Island, both in form as presently and from time to time hereafter in effect for state employees and on file with and approved by the state department of business regulation, or hospital services, surgical-medical services, and other services, rights, and benefits provided by other nonprofit hospital service corporations, medical service corporations, dental service corporations, or other insurance corporations, which benefits shall be the equivalent of the benefits and services of the above described plans.

SECTION 2. Any savings resulting from requiring members of the general assembly to be subject to a twenty-five percent (25%) co-pay in accordance with section 36-6-19 shall be applied to the department of health for the benefit of services for the developmentally disabled.

SECTION 3. This Article shall take effect on January 1, 2013."

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR MAHER

Senators DaPonte discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend fails upon a roll call vote with 9 Senators voting in the affirmative and 28 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 9: Senators Algieri, Bates, Hodgson, Kettle, Maher, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pinga, Shibley.

NAYS- 28: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

Senator Hodgson seconded by Senators Maher, Ottiano, Kettle and Shibley, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013", as follows:

1. In Article 21, page 40, line 6, by deleting the language "Taxicab and", and the language "including, but not limited to:", and by adding the bracketed figure "(485320)".

2. In Article 21, page 40, by deleting all of the language on lines 7 and 8.

3. In Article 1, page 7, on line 22, after the language "General Revenues", by deleting the number "37,217,044", and inserting in place thereof the number "36,257,044".

4. In Article 1, page 7, on line 24, after the language "Grand Total – Legislature", by deleting the number "38,844,218", and inserting in place thereof the number "37,844,218".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR HODGSON

Senators Moura, Crowley, Maher and DaPonte discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails upon a roll call vote with 9 Senators voting in the affirmative and 27 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 9: Senators Algieri, Bates, Hodgson, Kettle, Maher, O'Neill, Ottiano, Picard, Shibley.

NAYS- 27: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, Perry, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

Senator DiPalma seconded by Senators Bates, Felag, Ottiano, Moura and Kettle, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7323 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013", as follows:

1. By deleting Article 20 in its entirety.

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR DIPALMA

Senators Bates, Ottiano, Felag, Goodwin, Maher and DaPonte discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails upon a roll call vote with 12 Senators voting in the affirmative and 25 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 12: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, DiPalma, Felag, Hodgson, Kettle, Maher, Moura, Ottiano, Pinga, Shibley.

NAYS- 25: Senators Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 7 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 7: Senators Algieri, Felag, Hodgson, Kettle, Maher, Moura, Shibley.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate stands at recess at 9:21 o'clock P.M.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, on Monday, June 11, 2012, at 10:14 o'clock P.M.

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

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

June 7, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I am hereby withdrawing, without prejudice, the May 31, 2012 appointment of Alison Vareika to the Rhode Island Economic Development Corporation.

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

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. 2641 SUB A as amended

BY McCaffrey, Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES (would prevent a municipality from crossing assessing a new dwelling unit at its full and fair cash value until a certificate of occupancy for the unit is issued)

{LC1861/A/1}

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. 7891 SUB A

BY Brien, Phillips, Martin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- OPTICIANS (would eliminate the prohibition on the selling and replacing of contact lenses within the definition of the practice of opticianry)

{LC1887/A/2}

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

Also:

House Bill No. 7633 SUB A as amended**BY** Flaherty, Chippendale, McNamara, Ruggiero, Handy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - OUTDOOR WOOD-FIRED HYDRONIC HEATERS (would regulate the sale and installation of outdoor wood-fired hydronic heaters.)

{LC867/A/4}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

House Bill No. 7144 as amended**BY** Gallison, Ruggiero, Edwards, Martin, Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TRUSTS (would allow for shared service admin. of OPEB trusts between municipalities. Also allow city/town councils & regional school districts to jointly establish a corporation to manage and operate OPEB trust.)

{LC488/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7233 SUB A**BY** Walsh, Ruggiero, Valencia, Tanzi, Ferri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PROPER MANAGEMENT OF UNUSED PAINT (would create a program by which the disposal of unused paint products would be managed by a paint trade organization created for that purpose and funded by a surtax on retail paint products.)

{LC817/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

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 7, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 40.1-5-14 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment of Mental Health Advocate:

Megan N. Clingham

VICE
H. Reed Cospers

for a term of five years from the date of Senate confirmation.

To this appointment, I request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

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

June 4, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-140-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment of Commissioner of Energy Resources:

Marion S. Gold

to this appointment I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

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

June 7, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-64-8 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Rhode Island Economic Development Corporation:

Peter Crowley
(Small Business Ombudsperson)

VICE
Steve Lane
(resigned)

for a term expiring February 1, 2014.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE

June 7, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 37-2.4-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Habilitation Procurement Board:

Steven H. Kitchin
(Representing Business)

for a term expiring June 1, 2015.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE

June 7, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 37-2.4-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Habilitation Procurement Board:

Deanne Gagne
(Representing Disabled)

for a term expiring June 1, 2015.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE

June 7, 2012

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 46-15.1-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Water Resources Board:

Peter M. Cottrell of Wakefield
(Representative of a Large Water User)

VICE
Sam Kitchell
(resigned)

for a term expiring March 1, 2014.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

Senate Bill No. 2198 SUB A

BY Miller, DaPonte, Ottiano, Nesselbush, Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE INVESTMENT COMMISSION -- INVESTMENTS IN IRAN (would require that Rhode Island's financial resource be divested from companies doing business in Iran, and would establish a procedure for such divestment. Further, this act would set forth the procedure to be followed by the state of Rhode Island should)

{LC189/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2241 SUB A

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- EXCISE ON MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAILERS (would provide that buses/trucks/trailers operated by a bus company or truck company would not be subject to excise tax on the condition that the bus/truck/trailer

is utilized for more than eighty percent (80%) of the time)
{LC482/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2465

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - RENTAL VEHICLE SURCHARGE (would change the surcharge on each rental contract each time a motor vehicle is rented in the state from 6.0% to 8.0%. The surcharge that shall be retained by the rental company would change from 50% to 60% and 40% of said surcharge shall be remitted to)

{LC1185/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2570 SUB A

BY Sosnowski, Lynch, Lombardo, Perry, Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - STATE BUILDING CODE (would establish a restricted receipt account for the purpose of funding the purchase and operation of a web-accessible software system to be utilized by the state/municipalities for a uniform, statewide electronic plan review)

{LC1752/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2876

BY Miller, Gallo, Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT - CRANSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (would place all employees of Cranston school department hired after 6/30/12 in defined contribution retirement plan (401(a)) to be established by Cranston School department, would preclude participation by those employees in any other municipal retirement)

{LC2396/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2928

BY Sosnowski, Tassoni, Hodgson, Maher

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAXATION OF FARM, FOREST

AND OPEN SPACE LAND (would amend the laws to enable the tax assessor to save postage in the first mailing of a form to landowners to confirm that space is still farm, forest or open land.) {LC2497/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3043

(By Request)

BY Ottiano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PORTSMOUTH PROPERTY TAX BILL {LC2759/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3044

BY Felag, Bates, Tassoni

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PAY CERTAIN CLAIMS {LC2748/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3056

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES AND USE TAXES - LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION
{LC2800/1}

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 measure:

Senate Bill No. 3057

BY Fogarty

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - HOISTING ENGINEERS
{LC2809/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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

Senate Bill No. 2513

BY Walaska, Lynch, McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS (would require individuals seeking to participate in mentoring program whereby the individual would be working with a student/students as a mentor or in a mentoring situation would be required to undergo criminal background check)

{LC1839/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2667

(Business Regulation)

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - AUTOMOBILE BODY REPAIR SHOPS

{LC1929/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2770 SUB A

BY Jabour, Miller, Metts, Crowley, Hodgson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT (would amend and define the duties of a Drug Court Magistrate, and specify which individuals qualify for the Drug Court and the conditions and responsibilities imposed thereon.)

{LC2169/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2580 SUB A

BY Tassoni, Ottiano, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES

{LC1967/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2885 SUB A

(State Police)

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- SHERIFFS (would update all sections of the general laws relative to the division of sheriffs within the dept of public safety. This act would abolish the positions of executive high sheriff and chief deputy sheriff.)

{LC1971/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

Senate Resolution No. 3045 SUB A

BY Felag, McCaffrey, Ruggerio, Gallo, Walaska

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY PATIENT ACCESS TO MEDICALLY NECESSARY MENTAL HEALTH PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

{LC2780/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2640 SUB A

BY Tassoni, Doyle, Gallo, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY PUBLIC HEALTH THREATS FROM PHARMACEUTICAL HUMAN WASTE CONTAMINATION IN THE WATER SUPPLY (would provide for the safe disposal of human waste which may be contaminated by toxic chemicals present during the administration of chemotherapy with the expense to be paid by Medicare, Medicaid or private insurance)

{LC2097/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3059

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - THE EDWARD O. HAWKINS AND THOMAS C. SLATER MEDICAL MARIJUANA ACT

{LC2810/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Senator Felag from the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Resolution No. 2962

BY Bates, Felag, Ciccone, Goodwin, Crowley

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT PASSAGE OF HOUSE RESOLUTION 3797

{LC2577/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3051

BY Gallo, Miller, DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PARKING FACILITIES PRIVILEGES

{LC2753/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3058

BY Felag, Pichardo, Walaska, Lynch, DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES - MERIT SYSTEM

{LC2798/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE

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

Senate Bill No. 2035 SUB A

BY Tassoni, Lynch, Perry, Pinga

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY - DOGS (would provide guidelines and penalties for any person that keeps a dog outside tethered, penned, caged, fenced or otherwise confined without adequate shelter)

{LC65/A/3}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2870 SUB A

(by request)

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - COUNCILS AND GOVERNING BODIES (would create the East Bay Energy Consortium whereby the communities of the East Bay region of the state would be authorized to develop facilities for electrical generation using alternative energy sources.)

{LC2328/A/4}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS

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

Appointment of Joseph A. DeLorenzo, Jr. VICE William Daugherty (resigned) to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of John K. Grosvenor, AIA of Newport to the Board of Examination and Registration of Architects for a term expiring April 1, 2017.

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 measures:

Senate Bill No. 2561 SUB A

BY Miller, Jabour, Doyle, Goodwin, Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ALCOHOLISM

{LC1313/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2887 SUB A as amended

(Governor)

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE - CONSUMER PROTECTION (would establish health insurance rules/standards in addition to, but not inconsistent with, the health insurance standards established in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act)

{LC2074/A/4}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2180 SUB B**BY** Picard, Ruggerio, Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT (would eliminate certain requirements imposed on for-profit corps seeking to gain an interest in hospitals/would permit a for-profit hospital, its subsidiaries/affiliates, to apply for/receive approval of a conversion of more than one hospital)

{LC664/B/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7283 SUB A**BY** Mattiello, Azzinaro, Brien, Marcello, McLaughlin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - THE HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT (would amend the procedure allowing for-profit hospitals, their subsidiaries &/or affiliates to apply for & receive approval for conversions of more than one hospital in the same year or any subsequent year, providing certain requirements are met.)

{LC326/A/3}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

CONSENT CALENDAR II

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

Appointment of Joseph A. DeLorenzo, Jr. VICE William Daugherty (resigned) to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2016.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36

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

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

NAYS- 0:

Reappointment of John K. Grosvenor, AIA of Newport to the Board of Examination and Registration of Architects for a term expiring April 1, 2017.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of Brenda Clement (Representing affordable housing advocates) of Pawtucket VICE Charles Maynard to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of Joseph Caffey (Affordable Housing Developer) of Providence VICE Stephen Ostiguy to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's

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

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of Robert Cuttle, CPM (Representing Zoning Official - under 25,000 in population) of Richmond VICE Donald Goodrich to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of James Grundy (Representing Planning Board Member - over 25,000 population) of North Kingstown VICE Cynthia Fagan to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of The Honorable June Sager Speakman, Ph.D. (Representing Town Council - under 25,000 in population) of Barrington VICE M. Theresa Santos to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of Steven Stycos (Municipal Alternate) of Cranston VICE Isadore Ramos to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

Appointment of Kelly Nickson Morris, Esq. (Attorney knowledgeable in land use regulation) of Cumberland VICE Mary Shekarchi to the State Housing Appeals Board for a term expiring January 1, 2014.

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Bill No. 3064

BY Perry, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY - PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS {LC2832/1}

Senator Goodwin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

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

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, 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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggiero, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Gallo and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Joseph DeLorenzo, Jr.

CALENDAR

1. 2012-S 3016

BY Paiva Weed

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY PRODUCE RESPONSIBILITY MODELS FOR PAPER AND PACKAGING

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, DiPalma, Lombardo, Doyle and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggiero, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

2. 2012-S 2499**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

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

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

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

TO

2012 -- S 2499

AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- S 2499, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 5, after the word "period", by inserting the language, ", exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and holidays."

2. On page 1, line 6, after the word "purchase", by striking the following sentence, "The ten (10) day period commences to run the day after the purchase and sale agreement is signed by the potential purchaser of the real estate".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR MCCAFFREY

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

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, 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, Perry, Picard, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

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

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 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, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

3. 2012-S 2838 SUB A

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary 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 Calendar.

4. 2012-S 2598 SUB A

BY Lombardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE --DOMESTIC INSURANCE COMPANIES

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

Senator Lombardo moves passage, seconded by Senator Miller.

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 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, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5. 2012-S 2749 SUB A**BY** Gallo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - LIFE INSURANCE AND ANNUITIES

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

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle and Miller.

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 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, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6. 2012-S 2283 as amended**BY** Pichardo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - GROSS RECEIPTS EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAXES

Committee on Finance recommends passage as amended.

Senator Pichardo moves passage, seconded by Senators Pinga, Sosnowski, Hodgson and Kettle.

Senator Sosnowski discusses the act.

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 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, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7. 2012-S 2874**BY** Felag**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - PUBLIC FINANCE MANAGEMENT BOARD

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senator DaPonte.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2012-S 2875 SUB A**BY** DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - ACCIDENTAL DISABILITY ALLOWANCE

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

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Kettle, O'Neill and Lombardo.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 4 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 4: Senators Ciccone, Lanzi, Pichardo, Tassoni.

9. 2012-S 3009 SUB A**BY** Hodgson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - VETERANS' EXEMPTION

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

of Substitute A.

Senator Hodgson moves passage, seconded by Senator Shibley.

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 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, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

10. 2012-S 3010 SUB A

BY Hodgson

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

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

Senator Hodgson moves passage, seconded by Senator Shibley.

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 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, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

11. 2012-S 3019

BY Hodgson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - COLLECTION OF TAXES GENERALLY - MUNICIPAL LIENS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Hodgson moves passage, seconded by Senator O'Neill.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

12. 2012-S 3034 SUB A

BY Hodgson

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

Committee on Finance 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 Calendar.

13. 2012-S 2565 SUB A

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO DECLARE VALID FILLING OF CERTAIN LAND FORMERLY FLOWED BY THE WATER OF MILL COVE IN WICKFORD HARBOR IN THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN

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

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

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 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, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

14. 2012-S 3039**BY** Nesselbush**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND TRAINING

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Nesselbush moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Fogarty, Goodwin, Lombardo and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

15. 2012-S 3040**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS - ACCESS TO PUBLIC
RECORDS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Lombardo, Sheehan and Tassoni.

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senator Fogarty, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

2012 -- S 3040

AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS - ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- S 3040, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS - ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS", as follows:

1. On page 2, line 17, by deleting the comma "," after the word "subcontractor".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR MCCAFFREY

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

YEAS- 37: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, 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, 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 Cote.

Senators Moura discusses the act.

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 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, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

16. 2012-S 2422 SUB A

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
PAYMENT OF WAGES

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the committee on Labor.

17. 2012-S 2585 SUB A

BY Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- WAGES

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

of Substitute A.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the committee on Labor.

18. 2012-S 2534

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - KINDERGARTEN

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle, Lanzi DaPonte, Picard, Maher,

Miller, DeVall, Crowley, Nesselbush, Ruggerio and Miller.

Senators Miller and Sheehan discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

19. 2012-S 2970

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RETIREMENT OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator DiPalma moves passage, seconded by Senator DaPonte.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

20. 2012-H 7183**BY** Tomasso**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - WEST GREENWICH

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

21. 2012-H 7805 SUB A**BY** Lally**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - STATE POLICE

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

22. 2012-H 8162**BY** Coderre**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

29. 2012-S 2885 SUB A**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- SHERIFFS

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senator Lynch.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 1: Senator Tassoni.

30. 2012-S 3051

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PARKING FACILITIES PRIVILEGES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senator Doyle.

The act is read and passed, 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

31. 2012-S 2180 SUB B

BY Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT

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

Senator Picard moves passage, seconded by Senators Cote and Lombardo.

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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

32. 2012-S 2561 SUB A**BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ALCOHOLISM

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

Senator Miller moves passage, seconded by Senator Gallo.

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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

33. 2012-S 2887 SUB A as amended**BY** Perry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE - CONSUMER PROTECTION

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

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

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 7 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 7: Senators Algieri, Bates, Hodgson, Kettle, Moura, Pinga, Shibley.

34. 2012-H 7283 SUB A**BY** Mattiello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - THE HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT

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

Senator Picard moves passage, seconded by Senator Cote.

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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

35. 2012-S 2641 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senator Tassoni.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator 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, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Maher.

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)

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate stands at recess at 10:47 o'clock P.M.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, on Tuesday, June 12, 2012, at 4:36 o'clock P.M.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

Senate Bill No. 2730 SUB A

BY McCaffrey, Metts, Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- ASSAULTS (would replace references to the dept of mental health, retardation, and hospitals with the dept of behavioral healthcare, developmental disabilities and hospitals in the criminal assault and abuse laws protecting adults with severe impairments)

{LC1816/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7909 SUB A

(Governor/Lt. Governor)

BY Kennedy, San Bento, Coderre, Ferri, Tanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE - CONSUMER PROTECTION (would establish health ins. rules & standards in addition to, but not inconsistent with, the health ins. standards established in the PP&ACA of 2010, as amended by the HCERA of 2010...)

{LC2084/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2841 SUB A as amended

BY Perry, Miller, Jabour, Ottiano, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - GOOD SAMARITAN OVERDOSE PREVENTION ACT (would create The Good Samaritan Overdose Prevention Act which would exempt from liability any person who administers an opioid antagonist to another person to prevent a drug overdose.) {LC1128/A/5}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7396 SUB A

BY Bennett, Guthrie, McNamara, Handy, Lima

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES (would raise the minimum wage commencing January 1, 2013 to \$7.75 per hour, and would require adjustments by the department of labor and training commencing January 1, 2014)
{LC1140/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2480 SUB B

BY Perry, Lynch, Crowley, Pichardo, Metts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES
{LC1756/B/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3015 as amended

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (would authorize the issuance of a special "Judge Emeritus" registration plate to Judge Raymond E. Shawcross.)
{LC2649/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 8043

BY Petrarca, Brien, Flaherty, Mattiello, O'Neill

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - JUDICIAL SELECTION (would make any individual whose name was publicly submitted to the governor by the judicial nominating commission, eligible for subsequent nomination by the governor until June 30, 2013, for any vacancy or prospective vacancy)
{LC2355/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 8128**BY** Messier, Johnston, O`Grady, Coderre, O`Neill**ENTITLED**, AN ACT INCREASING THE MAXIMUM TAX EXEMPTION OF THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB OF PAWTUCKET (would grant an increase in tax exemptions from ten million dollars to twenty-five million dollars from the city of Pawtucket taxes on all personal and real property owned by the Pawtucket Boys Club.)

{LC2560/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7550

(Transportation)

BY Hull, San Bento, Nunes, Johnston, Medina**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PASSING, USE OF LANES, AND RULES OF THE ROAD (would establish traffic rules and regulations for the use of two-way left turn laws.)

{LC1417/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 8221**BY** Malik**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF SPORTSMEN'S HAPPY HOUR CLUB

{LC2452/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7472**BY** Coderre**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RECORDING OF INSTRUMENTS (would move the fees for attachments, executions and mechanics' lien accounts into the general law section regarding general recording fees, & also provide that the recording fee for notices of intention under the mechanics' lien law.)

{LC1150/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7108 SUB A**BY** McNamara, Jacquard, Malik**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - THE COLLEGE AND CAREER SUCCESS FOR ALL STUDENTS ACT (would require the establishment of clear training guidelines for teachers who will teach advanced placement classes in RI public schools.)

{LC107/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7410 SUB A**BY** Jackson, O'Neill, Keable, Petrarca, Gallison**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- TAXATION OF HEALTHCARE SERVICES (replace the current immunization/children health services assessments & premium taxes imposed on health ins. companies w/a health care services surcharge calculated to generate the same amount of revenue as the assessments & taxes.)

{LC1020/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 8173**BY** Chippendale, Handy, Marcello, Walsh, Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY - LIVESTOCK - WELFARE OF LIVESTOCK

{LC2631/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7877**BY** McNamara, Ferri, Malik**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ALCOHOLISM (would establish a pilot alternative program, under the authority of the department of behavioral healthcare, developmental disabilities and hospitals, to help those individuals impaired by substance abuse)

{LC2125/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7352**BY** Martin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS (would require the dept. of transportation

to use complete street design principles to accommodate the mobility needs of all users and would require the dept. of transportation to publish a report showing how the agency has complied with the requirements)

{LC987/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7970

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - PROCEDURE GENERALLY (would exempt the use of names, portraits, or pictures in political speech or on matters of public concern from legal actions based on the unauthorized use of names, portraits, or pictures)

{LC2195/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7652

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - COMPREHENSIVE CHILDREN'S JEWELRY SAFETY ACT (would require children's jewelry to conform to standards promulgated by the American Society for Testing and Materials.)

{LC1342/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7784 SUB A

BY Marcello, O'Neill, Hearn

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - HEALTH CARE REFORM ACT OF 2004 - HEALTH INSURANCE OVERSIGHT (would direct the health insurance commissioner to establish a workgroup of health care providers and insurers for the purpose of developing processes, guidelines and standards to streamline health care administration in the state)

{LC1835/A/3}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

Also:

House Bill No. 7595 SUB A as amended**BY** Jackson, Martin, Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - FOOD ALLERGY AWARENESS IN RESTAURANTS (would establish a food allergy awareness program through the department of health which would require compliance by food-service establishments.)
{LC1708/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2012.

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House Bill No. 7061 SUB A**BY** Diaz, Marcello, Slater, Silva, Blazejewski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - TAXATION - TAX SALES (would provide that in the event of a tax sale of real property, the tax collector would notify RIHMFC not less than 40 days prior to the date of sale.)
{LC310/A/2}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 7551**BY** Corvese, Winfield, Schadone, Edwards, Azzinaro**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PASSING, USING OF LANES, AND RULES OF THE ROAD (would create additional penalties for certain motor vehicle violations at intersections and rights-of-way.)
{LC1236/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 7890**BY** Phillips, Johnston, Reilly, Ehrhardt, McLaughlin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS (would authorize and direct school committees to establish an audit subcommittee of the school board or committee to insure that sound fiscal practices are adhered to)

{LC1645/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Finance.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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

House Bill No. 8228**BY Handy****ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Richard Raspallo to join Lynn M. Piacitelli and Lee R. Sohn in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about September 22, 2012.)

{LC2737/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON LABOR

Senator Connors, from the Committee on Labor, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

Senate Bill No. 2375 SUB A**BY Lynch, DiPalma, Walaska, Cote, Bates****ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - PAYMENT OF WAGES (would allow employers in any industry to petition the department of labor and training for permission to pay its employees less frequently than weekly, provided the employer has satisfied existing statutory requirements.)

{LC1443/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Algieri the Senate adjourns at 4:37 o'clock P.M.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR ERIN P. LYNCH

Dear God, please bless us during our final days of adjournment. May we all enjoy the summer months ahead until we all meet again in this chamber to assist our fellow Rhode Islanders. Amen.

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2012:

1. **2012-S 2640 SUB A**
BY Tassoni
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY PUBLIC HEALTH THREATS FROM PHARMACEUTICAL HUMAN WASTE CONTAMINATION IN THE WATER SUPPLY

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.
2. **2012-S 2962**
BY Bates
ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MEMORIALIZING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT PASSAGE OF HOUSE RESOLUTION 3797

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.
3. **2012-S 3066**
BY Pichardo
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE 20TH PASTORAL ANNIVERSARY OF THE REV. DR. AND MRS. CARL H. BALARK'S SERVICE TO THE EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.
4. **2012-H 7060 as amended**
BY Edwards
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.
5. **2012-H 7108 SUB A**
BY McNamara
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - THE COLLEGE AND CAREER SUCCESS FOR ALL STUDENTS ACT

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for passage in concurrence.
6. **2012-H 7144 as amended**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS TRUSTS

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

7. **2012-H 7352**
BY Martin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS

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

8. **2012-H 7409 SUB A**
BY Azzinaro
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

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

9. **2012-H 7410 SUB A**
BY Jackson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- TAXATION OF HEALTHCARE SERVICES

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

10. **2012-H 7472**
BY Coderre
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RECORDING OF INSTRUMENTS

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

11. **2012-H 7504**
BY Tarro
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS -- MENTAL HEALTH-- COMPETENCY TO STAND TRIAL

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

12. **2012-H 7550**
BY Hull
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PASSING, USE OF LANES, AND RULES OF THE ROAD

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

13. **2012-H 7595 SUB A as amended**
BY Jackson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - FOOD ALLERGY AWARENESS IN RESTAURANTS

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

14. 2012-H 7652

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - COMPREHENSIVE CHILDREN'S JEWELRY SAFETY ACT

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

15. 2012-H 7662

BY Jackson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE-- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- LEVY AND SALE ON EXECUTION--PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

16. 2012-H 7784 SUB A

BY Marcello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - HEALTH CARE REFORM ACT OF 2004 - HEALTH INSURANCE OVERSIGHT

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

17. 2012-H 7892 SUB A

BY Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES

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

18. 2012-H 7902

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS - CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS - PAROLE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

19. 2012-H 7877

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ALCOHOLISM

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

20. 2012-H 7970

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - PROCEDURE GENERALLY

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

21. 2012-H 8048

BY Keable

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - THE FIREFIGHTER CANCER WELLNESS ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

22. 2012-H 8173

BY Chippendale

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY - LIVESTOCK - WELFARE OF LIVESTOCK

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

23. 2012-H 8216

BY Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL LICENSES

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

24. 2012-H 8221

BY Malik

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF SPORTSMEN'S HAPPY HOUR CLUB

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

25. 2012-H 8228

BY Handy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2012:**

- 1. 2012-S 2838 SUB A**
BY Goodwin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES

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

- 2. 2012-S 3034 SUB A**
BY Hodgson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

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

- 3. 2012-S 2513**
BY Walaska
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

- 4. 2012-S 2580 SUB A**
BY Tassoni
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES

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

- 5. 2012-S 2667**
BY Goodwin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - AUTOMOBILE BODY REPAIR SHOPS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

6. **2012-S 2770 SUB A**
BY Jabour
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS
-- SUPERIOR COURT

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

7. **2012-S 3045 SUB A**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE
COMMISSION TO STUDY PATIENT ACCESS TO MEDICALLY NECESSARY
MENTAL HEALTH PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

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

8. **2012-S 3059**
BY Perry
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - THE EDWARD O.
HAWKINS AND THOMAS C. SLATER MEDICAL MARIJUANA ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

9. **2012-S 3058**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -
MERIT SYSTEM

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

10. **2012-S 2035 SUB A**
BY Tassoni
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -
DOGS

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

11. **2012-S 2870 SUB A**
BY DiPalma
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - COUNCILS AND
GOVERNING BODIES

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

12. 2012-S 2198 SUB A**BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE INVESTMENT COMMISSION -- INVESTMENTS IN IRAN

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

13. 2012-S 2241 SUB A**BY** Walaska**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- EXCISE ON MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAILERS

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

14. 2012-S 2465**BY** Tassoni**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - RENTAL VEHICLE SURCHARGE

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

15. 2012-S 2570 SUB A**BY** Sosnowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - STATE BUILDING CODE

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

16. 2012-S 2876**BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT - CRANSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

17. 2012-S 2928**BY** Sosnowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAXATION OF FARM, FOREST AND OPEN SPACE LAND

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 18. 2012-S 3043**
BY Ottiano
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PORTSMOUTH PROPERTY TAX BILL

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 19. 2012-S 3044**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PAY CERTAIN CLAIMS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 20. 2012-S 3056**
BY Goodwin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES AND USE TAXES - LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 21. 2012-S 3057**
BY Fogarty
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - HOISTING ENGINEERS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

- 22. 2012-S 2480 SUB B**
BY Perry
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

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

- 23. 2012-S 2730 SUB A**
BY McCaffrey
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- ASSAULTS

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

- 24. 2012-S 2841 SUB A as amended**
BY Perry
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - GOOD SAMARITAN OVERDOSE PREVENTION ACT

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

25. 2012-S 3015 as amended**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

26. 2012-S 2375 SUB A**BY** Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
PAYMENT OF WAGES

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

27. 2012-H 7183**BY** Tomasso**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - WEST GREENWICH

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

28. 2012-H 7805 SUB A**BY** Lally**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
STATE POLICE

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

29. 2012-H 8162**BY** Coderre**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
TAXATION

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

30. 2012-H 7523 SUB A**BY** Kennedy**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.

- 31. 2012-H 7531**
BY San Bento
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
NOTARY PUBLICS
- Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.
- 32. 2012-H 7691 as amended**
BY Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS - CREDIT
UNIONS
- Committee on Corporations recommends passage as amended in concurrence.
- 33. 2012-H 7231**
BY Slater
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WEIGHTS AND MEASURES -- PRODUCE
SCALES IN MARKETS
- Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.
- 34. 2012-H 7740**
BY Ruggiero
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HOME CARE
PATIENT RIGHTS
- Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.
- 35. 2012-H 7834 SUB A as amended**
BY Diaz
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - - THE RHODE
ISLAND LUPUS EDUCATION AND AWARENESS PLAN
- Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the
original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.
- 36. 2012-H 7804 SUB A**
BY Edwards
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - ZONING
ORDINANCES
- Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

37. 2012-H 8160**BY** Mattiello

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR, ALTERATION AND EQUIPPING OF PLAYGROUNDS AND ATHLETIC FIELDS IN THE CITY OF CRANSTON BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,500,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR

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

38. 2012-H 8222**BY** Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BEACH PAVILION, INCLUDING A BATHHOUSE, CONCESSION STAND AND OTHER RELATED BEACH FACILITIES, AND IMPROVEMENTS TO RECREATIONAL AREAS IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$6,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR

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

39. 2012-H 8234**BY** Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF MIDDLETOWN TO FINANCE RENOVATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$7,500,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR

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

40. 2012-H 7942 SUB B**BY** Blazejewski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - THE RHODE ISLAND CLIMATE RISK REDUCTION ACT OF 2010

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

41. 2012-H 7496 SUB A**BY** Mattiello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTES AND STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION

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

42. **2012-H 7612**
BY Williams
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - BOILER INSPECTION AND PRESSURE VESSELS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

43. **2012-H 7882**
BY McCauley
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - OPERATION OF A STATE HOUSE VISITOR CENTER

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

44. **2012-H 8089 SUB A**
BY Coderre
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR HEALTH, SAFETY AND FIRE CODE-RELATED EMERGENCY REPAIRS, RENOVATIONS AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING, THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ANY BONDS OR NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDING CORPORATION, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2013 AND 2014

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

45. **2012-H 8206**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF BRISTOL TO FINANCE THE DESIGN, ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, DRAINAGE, OPEN SPACE AND PROPERTY ACQUISITION FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES, ROAD REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS, ADDITIONS AND RENOVATIONS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AND THE ACQUIRING OF EQUIPMENT IN CONNECTION THEREWITH BY ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$9,000,000 BONDS THEREFOR

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

46. **2012-H 8207**
BY Tomasso
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF COVENTRY TO FINANCE SYSTEM-WIDE IMPROVEMENTS TO HEATING, VENTILATION AND AIR CONDITIONING SYSTEMS AT SCHOOLS IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,600,000 BONDS, NOTES AND/OR OTHER EVIDENCES OF

INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR

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

47. 2012-H 8208

BY Tomasso

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF COVENTRY TO FINANCE RENOVATIONS, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF THE ATHLETIC COMPLEX AT COVENTRY HIGH SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND/OR OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR

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

48. 2012-H 8209

BY Tomasso

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF COVENTRY TO FINANCE SYSTEM-WIDE IMPROVEMENTS TO SCHOOL GROUNDS AND IMPROVEMENTS AND REPLACEMENTS OF FLOORING AT SCHOOLS IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$550,000 BONDS, NOTES AND/OR OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR

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

49. 2012-H 8210

BY Tomasso

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF COVENTRY TO FINANCE SYSTEM-WIDE ROOF REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS FOR SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND/OR OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR

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

50. 2012-H 8211

BY Tomasso

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF COVENTRY TO FINANCE EMERGENCY IMPROVEMENTS TO FIRE SYSTEMS AT COVENTRY HIGH SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$400,000 BONDS, NOTES AND/OR OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR

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

51. 2012-H 7233 SUB A**BY Walsh****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
PROPER MANAGEMENT OF UNUSED PAINT**

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

52. 2012-H 7396 SUB A**BY Bennett****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
MINIMUM WAGES**

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

53. 2012-H 7909 SUB A**BY Kennedy****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE -
CONSUMER PROTECTION**

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

54. 2012-H 8043**BY Petrarca****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS
- JUDICIAL SELECTION**

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

55. 2012-H 8128**BY Messier****ENTITLED, AN ACT INCREASING THE MAXIMUM TAX EXEMPTION OF THE
BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB OF PAWTUCKET**

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

Appendix**BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****Senate Bill No. 2180 SUB B****BY** Picard, Ruggiero, Cote**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT (would eliminate certain requirements imposed on for-profit corps seeking to gain an interest in hospitals/would permit a for-profit hospital, its subsidiaries/affiliates, to apply for/receive approval of a conversion of more than one hospital) {LC664/B/2}**House Bill No. 7283 SUB A****BY** Mattiello, Azzinaro, Brien, Marcello, McLaughlin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - THE HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT (would amend the procedure allowing for-profit hospitals, their subsidiaries &/or affiliates to apply for & receive approval for conversions of more than one hospital in the same year or any subsequent year, providing certain requirements are met.) {LC326/A/3}**House Bill No. 7323 SUB A as amended****BY** Melo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013 (FY 2013 BUDGET BILL) {LC1059/A/1}**Senate Bill No. 2561 SUB A****BY** Miller, Jabour, Doyle, Goodwin, Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY – ALCOHOLISM {LC1313/A/1}**Senate Bill No. 2887 SUB A as amended**

(Governor)

BY Perry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE - CONSUMER PROTECTION (would establish health insurance rules/standards in addition to, but not inconsistent with, the health insurance standards established in the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010, as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act) {LC2074/A/4}**House Bill No. 7473 SUB A****BY** Malik, Hearn**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS -- BARRINGTON MUNICIPAL COURT (would authorize the Town of Barrington to establish a municipal court) {LC1331/A/2}**House Bill No. 7628 as amended****BY** Walsh, Serpa**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - SMALL DISABILITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISES {LC1662/1}