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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2018

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RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- COMMITTEES AND STAFF

Introduced By: Representatives Marszalkowski, Amore, O'Grady, Marshall, and
Blazewski

Date Introduced: January 31, 2018

Referred To: House Rules

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 22-6 of the General Laws entitled "Committees and Staff" is
2 hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **22-6-4.1. Survival of bills and resolutions.**

4 A bill or resolution introduced and referred to committee in the first (odd-numbered) year
5 of a two (2) year biennium shall survive into the second (even-numbered) year of the biennium
6 provided that the committee has not discharged the bill or resolution by a dispositive vote.

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

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EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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1 This act would provide that a bill or resolution referred to committee in the first year of a
2 two (2) year biennium would survive into the second year of the biennium provided that the
3 committee has not discharged it by a dispositive vote.

4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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