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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2020

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RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Introduced By: Senators Bell, Lombardi, Crowley, Gallo, and Murray

Date Introduced: February 27, 2020

Referred To: Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 37-8 of the General Laws entitled "Public Buildings" is hereby
2 amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **37-8-9.1. Senate president's portraits.**

4 The secretary of state shall cause a portrait to be painted of each president of the senate
5 after the president has left office. Whenever any portrait is finished, the secretary of state shall
6 deliver the portrait to the department of administration to be hung in the statehouse. The cost of
7 any portrait painted pursuant to this section shall be paid for by the joint committee on legislative
8 services.

9 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 allows the secretary of state to commission portraits of senate president upon
2 leaving office and would require that the portraits be paid for by the joint committee on
3 legislative services.

4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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