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Sixty-first Legislative Day

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

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 38 Senators present and 2 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 38: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 0:

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fifty-ninth Legislative Day of the 2008 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Blais and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Mrs. Jacqueline Nardolillo, Mrs. Rhode Island America 2008 along with her grandfather Sam Divincenzo State House Building Superintendent.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 3129**

BY Senator Blais

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING JACQUELINE NARDOLILLO ON BEING CROWNED MRS. RHODE ISLAND AMERICA 2008 {LC3115/1}

Senator Blais requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3130

BY Senator Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- DETERMINATION OF NEED FOR NEW HEALTH CARE EQUIPMENT AND NEW INSTITUTIONAL HEALTH SERVICES {LC3188/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3131

BY Senators Sheehan, Raptakis, Perry, Goodwin, Gibbs

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING SEPTEMBER AS LEUKEMIA, LYMPHOMA & MYELOMA AWARENESS MONTH {LC3107/1}

Senator Sheehan requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Sheehan moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senators Sheehan and Raptakis and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Jill Jessup, Doug Burns, Chris Parish and Erin Arcand, all from the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 3126**

BY Senator Goodwin

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF JUNE 22-28, 2008 AS POLLINATOR WEEK IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3139/1}

Senator Goodwin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3127

BY Senator Fogarty P

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING KATHLEEN B. MARWELL ON HER RETIREMENT AFTER OVER 30 YEARS OF STATE SERVICE {LC3156/1}

Senator Fogarty requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3128

BY Senators Raptakis, Blais, Breene, McCaffrey

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION DENY THE PROPOSED THIRTY-FIVE PERCENT RATE INCREASE REQUESTED BY THE KENT COUNTY WATER AUTHORITY {LC3159/1}

Senator Raptakis requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Raptakis moves passage, seconded by Senator Blais.

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

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 2008:

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, item #5, **Nomination of Rochelle Bates Lee (appointment) of Providence VICE Sharon Conard-Wells to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority for a term expiring April 1, 2010.** is removed from the Consent Calendar and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

- 1 Nomination of Susan A. Fabrizio (Republican Representative) (appointment) of Warwick VICE Natalie Jackvony (resigned) to the Personnel Appeal Board for a term expiring April 1, 2010.**
- 2 Nomination of Jean Rondeau (Public member) (appointment) of Woonsocket VICE James Yancy to the State Retirement Board to the State Retirement Board.**
- 3 Nomination of Herbert F. DeSimone (appointment) of Narragansett VICE Bennett R. Gallo to the Parole Board for a term expiring January 31, 2010.**
- 4 Nomination of Kenneth R. Walker, Ed.D. (reappointment) of East Providence to the Parole Board for a term expiring January 31, 2011.**
- 5 Nomination of Thomas Verdi (reappointment) of Warwick to the Parole Board for a term expiring January 31, 2011.**
- 6 Nomination of Martin E. Joyce, Jr. (appointment) of Cumberland VICE Raymond Xavier to the State Board of Elections for a term expiring June 1, 2017.**
- 7 Nomination of Richard H. Pierce, Esquire (appointment) of Cranston VICE Roger N. Begin (resigned) to the State Board of Elections for a term expiring June 1, 2021.**
- 8 Nomination of Elizabeth Fournier Tax Assessor, Town of Richmond (reappointment) to the Rhode Island Vehicle Value Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2009.**
- 9 Nomination of William F. Daugherty (appointment) of Barrington VICE Gerald Massa (resigned) to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2012.**
- 10. 2008-S 2184 SUB B
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT
OF LOCAL TAXES**

11. **2008-S 2835 SUB A**
BY Connors
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
ELECTRICIANS

12. **2008-S 3114**
BY Bates
ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF
BARRINGTON GRIDIRON CLUB, INC.

13. **2008-S 3116**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF WARREN TO FINANCE
THE MAINTENANCE AND CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND
SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE TOWN BY THE ISSUANCE OF
NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 BONDS OR NOTES ISSUED
PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE
ISLAND CLEAN WATER FINANCE AGENCY

14. **2008-S 3125**
BY Fogarty P
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF GLOCESTER TO
FINANCE THE ACQUISITION OF OPEN SPACE FOR
PRESERVATION, CONSERVATION AND GROUNDWATER
PROTECTION AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$500,000
BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

15. **2008-H 7484**
BY Petrarca
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SMITHFIELD TO ISSUE
BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED
\$13,500,000 TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION,
BUILDING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF A LIBRARY

16. **2008-H 7765 SUB A**
BY Lally
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MECHANICS' LIENS

17. **2008-H 7570 SUB A as amended**
BY McNamara
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUG -- UNIFORM
CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

18. **2008-H 7774**
BY Moffitt
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE

19. **2008-H 7833 as amended**
BY Dennigan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

20. **2008-H 7889 SUB A**
BY Fox
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

21. **2008-H 7961 SUB A**
BY Handy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - NURSES

22. **2008-H 8074**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAWS SECTION 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$350,000 BONDS BY THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO FINANCE IMPROVEMENTS TO SCHOOL BUILDINGS INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDING CORPORATION

23. **2008-H 8110 SUB A**
BY Rice
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES

24. **2008-H 8128**
BY Coderre E
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 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 2009 AND 2010

25. **2008-H 8160**
BY Corvese
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS

26. **2008-H 8217**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BRISTOL SENIOR
RESIDENT PROPERTY TAX SERVICE PROGRAM
27. **2008-H 8295**
BY Schadone
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
28. **2008-H 8328**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
29. **2008-H 8344**
BY Amaral
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO A TAX AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE
TOWN OF TIVERTON AND TIVERTON POWER, INC.
30. **2008-H 8390**
BY Fox
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Upon motion of Senator Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Cote, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES 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 measure:

Senate Bill No. 2191 SUB A

BY Senators Walaska, McCaffrey, Bates, Blais, Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MANDATED BENEFITS (require a mandated benefit review by the health insurance commissioner or any mandated benefit introduced after January 1, 2008, contingent on the review being paid for by the state health care providers)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS

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

Senate Bill No. 2441 SUB A

BY Senator Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- ENERGY FACILITY SITING ACT (would authorize the Narragansett Electric Company to proceed with the construction of the underground alignment of the E-183 line referenced in the Settlement Agreement that was approved by the Energy Facility Siting Board in Docket 2003-01) {LC233/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2403 (Business Regulation)

BY Senator Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE RATING (require insurers to provide a credit for installation of fire suppression and prevention equipment in rating commercial insurance policies) {LC1773/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON LABOR

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

Senate Bill No. 2173 SUB A

BY Senators Tassoni, Doyle, McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS (require contractors to maintain an apprentice-training program. It would further require contractors to classify their employees as employers and not independent contractors) {LC1156/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3111

BY Senators Connors, Ruggerio, Ciccone, Lanzi, Fogarty P

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - WORKERS' COMPENSATION - BENEFITS (allow for members of the police and aircraft rescue and firefighting (ARFF) units of Rhode Island Airport Corporation to be covered relative to injuries sustained while in the performance of his/her duties by the workers compensation system) {LC3094/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 8041 SUB A as amended

BY Senators Fox, Corvese, Carter, Melo, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS (establish bidding requirements for contractors bidding on certain public works contracts) {LC2499/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate stands at recess at 4:40 o'clock P.M.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, on Wednesday, June 18, 2008, at 6:12 o'clock P.M.

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 2008:

6. **2008-S 2173 SUB A**

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Paiva Weed, and without objection, ordered to be placed at the bottom of the Calendar.

9. **2008-S 2226 SUB A**

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - ZONING ORDINANCES

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Paiva Weed, and without objection, ordered to be placed at the bottom of the Calendar.

10. 2008-S 2320

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator McCaffrey, and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the committee on Judiciary.

1 Nomination of Rochelle Bates Lee (appointment) of Providence VICE Sharon Conard-Wells to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority for a term expiring April 1, 2010.

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

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators Perry, Jabour and Miller 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 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 1: Senator Blais

2. 2008-S 2021 as amended

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- COMPUTER CRIME

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended.

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey and Blais.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

3. 2008-S 2057 SUB A as amended

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - MORTGAGE
FORECLOSURE AND SALE

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

Senator Doyle moves passage, seconded by Senators Issa, Tassoni and McCaffrey.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 28 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 28: Senators Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Algiere

4. 2008-S 2084

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
EMERGENCY VEHICLES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Doyle, Fogarty and Issa.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: Senators Algiere, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

5. 2008-S 2140

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Moura moves passage, seconded by Senators Tassoni and Maselli.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

NOW PRESIDING

The Honorable President, Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, yields the rostrum to the Honorable John C. Revens, Jr. President Pro Tempore of the Senate at 6:21 o'clock P.M.

CALENDAR

8. 2008-S 2197

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
MUSICAL ADVERTISING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senator Doyle.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 29 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 29: Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

11. 2008-S 2403

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- FIRE AND MARINE
INSURANCE RATING

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by Senator Gibbs.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Ciccone

12. 2008-S 2441 SUB A

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
ENERGY FACILITY SITING ACT

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

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

13. 2008-S 2485 SUB A

BY McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - SIZE,
WEIGHT AND LOAD LIMITS

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

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senator Algieri.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: Senators Algieri, Alves, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

14. 2008-S 2514

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - FRAUD AND
FALSE DEALING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Connors moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle and McCaffrey.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

15. 2008-S 2531 SUB A

BY Felag

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES --
REGULATION OF SALES**

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

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Sheehan, Bates and Sosnowski.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

16. 2008-S 2544

BY Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- HOMICIDE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Jabour moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Algieri and Raptakis.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

17. 2008-S 2633 SUB A

BY Moura

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
DIESEL EMISSIONS REDUCTION ACT**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the

original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Senator Moura moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, Miller, Maselli and Levesque.

Senator Moura, seconded by Senators Miller and Felag, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2008 -- S 2633 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - DIESEL EMISSIONS REDUCTION ACT

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2633 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - DIESEL EMISSIONS REDUCTION ACT", as follows:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2633 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - DIESEL EMISSIONS REDUCTION ACT", as follows:

(1) On page 5, line 14, after the number and letter "(1)(a)", by inserting the language "Contingent upon state funding or the funding identified in section 31-47.3-5".

(2) On page 5, line 14, by deleting the language "By January" and inserting the language "By July" in place thereof.

(3) On page 5, line 21, after the letter "(b)", by deleting the word "By" and inserting the following language in place thereof "Contingent upon state funding or the funding identified in section 31-47.3-5 by".

(4) On page 6, line 18, before the word "Provided", by inserting the letter "(a)".

(5) On page 6, between lines 29 and 30, by inserting the language "(b) When a state agency or quasi-state agency applies for federal funding for a state contract, including, but not limited to, federal highway funding, the cost of the project(s) applied for shall include the full cost of the technology required in section 31-47.3-4 for state and non-state owned vehicles, equipment and generators."

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR MOURA

The motion to amend prevails 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Moura moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Miller.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

18. 2008-S 2689

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES - INTERPRETER SERVICES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Perry, Paiva Weed and Levesque.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 2 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 2: Senator Bates, Blais

19. 2008-S 2716 SUB A

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - JAILS AND PRISONS

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

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

20. 2008-S 2743

BY McBurney

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
- GUARDIANSHIP OF MINORS**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

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

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

22. 2008-S 2872

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- NORTH KINGSTOWN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Sheehan moves passage, seconded by Senator Raptakis.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

23. 2008-S 2902

BY Ruggerio

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- LICENSED
ACTIVITIES**

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Senator Ruggerio moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle and Bates

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 2 Senators abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 30: Senators Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni.

NAYS- 0:

ABSTAINED-1: Senators Algieri, Walaska

24. 2008-S 2916 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISORDERLY CONDUCT

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque.

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

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

TO

2008 -- S 2916 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISORDERLY CONDUCT

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2916 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISORDERLY CONDUCT", as follows:

On page 2, line 27, by deleting the semi-colon ";" and inserting in place thereof the following language ". This act shall not apply to any conduct between consenting adults where the complainant is an unintended witness;"

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR LEVESQUE

Senator Blais discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

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

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

25. 2008-S 3043

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RECORDING OF INSTRUMENTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senator Sheehan.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

26. 2008-S 3107

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, INSTALLATION AND CITYWIDE

IMPLEMENTATION OF A NEW COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL
SOFTWARE SYSTEM FOR THE CITY OF CRANSTON FOR A TERM
NOT TO EXCEED TEN (10) YEARS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

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

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

27. 2008-S 3108

BY Fogarty P

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE TO FINANCE THE PLANNING, PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING OF A TOWN SENIOR CENTER AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 BONDS THEREFOR

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque and Gallo.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

28. 2008-S 3109

BY Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$10,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES TO FINANCE THE REPAIR, RESURFACING, CONSTRUCTION, AND REHABILITATION OF PUBLIC HIGHWAYS THROUGHOUT THE CITY OF CRANSTON FOR A TERM NOT TO EXCEED TWENTY (20) YEARS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

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

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

29. 2008-S 3110

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$6,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES TO FINANCE THE REPAIR, CONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS, AND THE REMEDIATION AND MITIGATION OF DRAINAGE AND FLOODING PROBLEMS, THROUGHOUT THE CITY OF CRANSTON FOR A TERM NOT TO EXCEED TWENTY (20) YEARS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

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

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

30. 2008-S 3111

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - WORKERS' COMPENSATION - BENEFITS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

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

21. 2008-S 2816 SUB A**BY Tassoni****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- CONDOMINIUM LAW**

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

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senator Picard.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Cote, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7. 2008-S 2191 SUB A**BY Walaska****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MANDATED BENEFITS**

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

Senator Walaska moves passage, seconded by Senators Perry, Blais and Cote.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Ciccone, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, some 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Goodwin announces that the Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues will meet today, at the rise of the Finance Committee, in Room 211 of the State House.

Senator Issa announces that the Committee on Education will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

Senator Raptakis announces that the Committee on Environment and Agriculture will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

Senator Alves announces that the Committee on Finance 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 Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, and upon suggestion of Senator Doyle, the Senate stands at recess at 6:52 o'clock P.M. in memory of the Honorable Maurice L. Caron, Jr. former State Representative from the City of Pawtucket.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, on Thursday, June 19, 2008, at 4:44 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:

House Bill No. 8386

BY Williamson, Serpa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES {LC3160/1}

Read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 7648 SUB A as amended

BY Carter, Gallison, Fellela, Rose, Almeida

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - SPECIAL LICENSE FOR MOTORCYCLES, MOTOR SCOOTERS AND OTHER MOTOR DRIVEN CYCLES (affect the

current motorcycle driver education program at the Community College of Rhode Island and would create a motorcycle rider education program) {LC1796/2/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Friday, June 20, 2008.

Also:

House Bill No. 8402

BY Trillo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2265/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Friday, June 20, 2008.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

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

House Bill No. 8051

BY Gallison, Rice, Amaral, Loughlin

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAWS SECTION 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,100,000 BONDS BY THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO FINANCE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL INCLUDING SUCH IMPROVEMENTS AS ARE NECESSARY TO COMPLY WITH STATE MANDATED FIRE CODE REGULATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDING CORPORATION {LC2285/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on today's Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8256 SUB A

BY Scott, Walsh

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE CHARIHO MIDDLE SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,706,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID {LC2887/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8227 SUB A as amended

BY Scott, Walsh

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE CHARIHO HIGH SCHOOL AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SWITCH ROAD CAMPUS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, A MAINTENANCE FACILITY, TRACK, PARKING AND UTILITY AND SECURITY UPGRADES BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$17,847,00 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID {LC2837/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8257 SUB A as amended

BY Scott, Walsh

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE RYSE SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,447,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID {LC2888/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8226

BY Pacheco, Church, Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS {LC2836/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2348**BY** Senators Blais, Paiva-Weed**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES (authorize the department of human services to use up to ten percent (10%) of the sums appropriated for the purpose of administering the traumatic brain injury program)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2661 SUB A**BY** Senators Paiva-Weed, Montalbano J, Algieri, Lenihan, Perry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- TAX INCENTIVE DISCLOSURE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (promote greater public disclosure and transparencies regarding the issuance of certain tax credits and the filing of documentation in support of such tax credits) {LC2103/4/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3103**BY** Senators Ruggerio, McBurney, Picard Sen**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PAY CERTAIN CLAIMS {LC2671/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2357 (Department of Revenue)**BY** Senator Algieri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEPARTMENTS -- DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE (references to the dept of administration in the general laws relating to the division of taxation/motor vehicles/state lottery/office of revenue analysis/division of property valuation have been changed to the department of revenue) {LC1749/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Nomination of Jerome Williams (appointment) VICE Beverly Najarian as the Director of Administration.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL AND REGULATORY ISSUES

Senator Goodwin, from the Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 8127

BY Coderre E, Kilmartin, O'Neill, Rose, Dennigan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(authorize the Pawtucket city council to issue full and limited Class B licenses which may not be transferred to another person, entity or another location but which would revert to the city of Pawtucket if not renewed by the holder) {LC2660/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8247

BY Schadone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL LICENSES (would authorize the town council of Smithfield to issue a liquor license for certain property located near a school and church.) {LC2867/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7011

BY Malik, Gablinske

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS -- DOGS

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Resolution No. 8156

BY Coderre E, Giannini, Lima, Williams, Naughton

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH IN 2010 {LC2696/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7334 as amended

BY Diaz, Almeida, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT (create a Liberian cultural exchange commission) {LC1223/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7313

BY Jackson, Murphy, Fox, Costantino, Rice

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS (change the name of the Metropolitan Career and Technical Center, in Newport, Rhode Island, to the "Paul W. Crowley Metropolitan Career and Technical Center") {LC1069/1}

Placed on the Senate Consent Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 7046 SUB A

BY Shanley, Lally, Corvese, Brien, Rose

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL LICENSES {LC58/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2790

BY Senators Ruggerio, Alves, Doyle, McBurney, Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION-AUTOMOBILE WRECKING AND SALVAGE YARDS (require that wrecking and salvage yards display their license number on all business communications, advertising, estimates, signs, business cards and all other written documentation relating to the business) {LC2077/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2857

BY Senators Doyle, McBurney, Tassoni, Connors, Maselli

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW-GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- PURCHASE AND SALE OF PRECIOUS METALS (would address the recent problem concerning the increased theft of motor vehicle catalytic converters, by making the purchase and sale of them subject to regulation under the precious metals law) {LC2270/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2999

BY Senators Sosnowski, Raptakis, Lenihan, Issa, Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES (submit to the qualified electors a non-binding question as to whether

all 36 public school districts should be consolidated into five (5) regional districts based on county boundaries.) {LC2570/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3047

BY Senator Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (would empower the division of motor vehicles in conjunction with WaterFire Providence, to create a special WaterFire license plate) {LC2986/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3090

BY Senators Ruggerio, Montalbano J, Paiva-Weed, Algieri, McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES (authorize a "Judge Emeritus" registration plate for former Superior Court Judge Vincent A. Ragosta.) {LC3038/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3099

BY Senator Connors

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE UNDERGROUND ECONOMY AND EMPLOYEE MISCLASSIFICATION {LC3098/1}

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:

House Bill No. 7973

BY Lewiss, Jackson, Scott

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE - PROBATE COURT (require the names and addresses of named beneficiaries who are not heirs at law to be included in petitions for the allowance of a will) {LC1272/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7979**BY** Scott, Lewiss, Jackson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FIDUCIARIES - POWERS OF FIDUCIARIES (increase the maximum value of a trust which may be terminated from \$100,000 to \$200,000) {LC1306/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2502 SUB A (Attorney General)**BY** Senators Bates, Maselli**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- ENTICEMENT OF CHILDREN (would increase the penalties for the enticement of children from a misdemeanor to a felony) {LC216/2/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2967 SUB A**BY** Senator Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL OF PROPERTY {LC2700/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3059**BY** Senators Ciccone, Ruggerio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE TO TAKE LAND BY EMINENT DOMAIN (would authorize the Town of North Providence to take by eminent domain the described parcel. The procedure for the taking would be the same as is prescribed for takings for school purposes (insofar as otherwise applicable) under Chapter 9 of Title 16) {LC2991/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3039 SUB A**BY** Senator Walaska**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- EXPLOSIVES AND FIREWORKS (repeal the law relating to the sale and possession of fireworks and create new laws governing the sale, possession, or use of explosive devices and components of explosive devices. This act would proscribe penalties for violations of the new laws) {LC2914/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7259 (Attorney General)

BY Almeida, Mattiello, Giannini, Ferri, Jacquard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- HOMICIDE (amend the crime of murder so as to make the section on penalties for murder compatible)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Friday, June 20, 2008.

Also:

House Bill No. 7221

BY Mattiello, Brien, Gallison, Ferri, Rice

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - FRAUD AND FALSE DEALING (create the misdemeanor criminal offense of "defrauding the administration of a drug or alcohol test.")

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Friday, June 20, 2008.

Also:

House Bill No. 8023

BY Ehrhardt, Lally, Carter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- NORTH KINGSTOWN (permit the North Kingstown polls to open at 7:00 a.m. for all elections) {LC2409/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Friday, June 20, 2008.

Also:

House Bill No. 7760 SUB A (Corrections)

BY McManus

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - JAILS AND PRISONS (criminalize transfer of "unauthorized articles" to prisoners while in state custody at the A.C.I. as well as other state institutions {LC1910/1/A})

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 7764

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE (make technical changes concerning the municipal courts as a result of the recent creation of the position of chief magistrate of the traffic tribunal) {LC1244/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Senator Issa, from the Committee on Education, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 7213 SUB B

BY McNamara, Lewiss, Smith, Naughton

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS
{LC303/1/B}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2621 SUB A

BY Senators Doyle, Tassoni, McBurney, Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM (require that the physical education and health curriculums in schools be based on standards set by Rhode Island Health Education Framework and Rhode Island Physical Education Framework) {LC2240/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7936

BY Baldelli-Hunt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE
{LC2341/1}

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 measure:

Senate Bill No. 2224

BY Senators Tassoni, Doyle, McBurney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY (define a mobile health screening vehicle and would provide that such vehicles would be deemed to be health care facilities) {LC1195/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7441 as amended

BY Senators DeSimone, Slater, Singleton, Giannini

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ENTERAL NUTRITION PRODUCTS

(require insurance providers in the state to provide coverage for enteral nutrition products when determined to be medically necessary and ordered by a physician)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7493 SUB B (Lieutenant Governor)

BY Ferri, Lewiss, Baldelli-Hunt, Malik, Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE MARKET

EXPANSION (establish a regional health insurance market between Rhode Island, Massachusetts and Connecticut) {LC1193/1/B}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Nomination of Christopher H. Hannafin, D.V.M. (Representing the Rhode Island Veterinary Medical Association) (appointment) VICE Dr. Roger Cournoyer (resigned) to Rabies Control Board for a term expiring September 1, 2008.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE

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

Nomination of Arthur C. Barton, III (reappointment) of East Greenwich to the Clean Water Finance Agency for a term to expire March 1, 2010.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Nomination of Richard C. Hittinger (Representing Recreational Fishing) (appointment) of Warwick VICE George S. Allen to the Marine Fisheries Council for a term expiring April 1, 2012.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Nomination of Christopher M. Anderson (reappointment) of East Greenwich to the Marine Fisheries Council for a term expiring April 1, 2012. .

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Nomination of Jane Sherman (reappointment) of Providence to the Rhode Island Rivers Council for a term to expire January 1, 2011.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator DaPonte, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate adjourns at 4:45 o'clock P.M.

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR PAUL W. FOGARTY

Dear Lord, enable us to share our own good fortune with those of us who are less fortunate.

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 2008:

1 Nomination of Arthur C. Barton, III (reappointment) of East Greenwich to the Clean Water Finance Agency for a term to expire March 1, 2010.

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

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Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

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Committee on Health & Human Services recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

6. 2008-H 7011

BY Malik

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS -- DOGS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

7. 2008-H 7046 SUB A

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL

LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

8. **2008-H 7083**

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
EMERGENCY VEHICLES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

9. **2008-H 7213 SUB B**

BY McNamara

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

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

10. **2008-H 7238**

BY Fellela

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - RHODE
ISLAND RESOURCE RECOVERY CORPORATION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

11. **2008-H 7241**

BY Petrarca

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
MUSICAL ADVERTISING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

12. **2008-H 7313**

BY Jackson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - REGIONAL
VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

13. **2008-H 7334 as amended**

BY Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

14. 2008-H 7369 SUB A as amended**BY Vaudreuil****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE 10A VALUATION AND RATIFICATION OF THE CITY CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS

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

15. 2008-H 7651 SUB A**BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- BAIL AND RECOGNIZANCE

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

16. 2008-H 7778 as amended**BY Moffitt****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

17. 2008-H 7830 SUB A**BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - SIZE, WEIGHT AND LOAD LIMITS

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

18. 2008-H 7973**BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE - PROBATE COURT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

19. 2008-H 7979**BY Scott****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FIDUCIARIES - POWERS OF FIDUCIARIES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

20. 2008-H 8027 as amended**BY Lima****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
RESTRICTING RADIO FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION DEVICES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

21. 2008-H 8051**BY Gallison****ENTITLED,** AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL
LAWS SECTION 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF
\$1,100,000 BONDS BY THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO
FINANCE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT PORTSMOUTH HIGH
SCHOOL INCLUDING SUCH IMPROVEMENTS AS ARE
NECESSARY TO COMPLY WITH STATE MANDATED FIRE CODE
REGULATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO BONDS
AND NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS
WITH THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL
BUILDING CORPORATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

22. 2008-H 8156**BY Coderre E****ENTITLED,** JOINT RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF A WHITE HOUSE
CONFERENCE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH IN 2010

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

23. 2008-H 8325**BY Gallison****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
LICENSES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

IN ORDER FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 20, 2008:**1. 2008-H 7221****BY Mattiello****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - FRAUD AND
FALSE DEALING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

2. **2008-H 7259**
BY Almeida
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- HOMICIDE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

3. **2008-H 7648 SUB A as amended**
BY Carter
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
SPECIAL LICENSE FOR MOTORCYCLES, MOTOR SCOOTERS
AND OTHER MOTOR DRIVEN CYCLES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

4. **2008-H 8023**
BY Ehrhardt
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- NORTH KINGSTOWN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

5. **2008-H 8402**
BY Trillo
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 2008:****1 Nomination of Jerome Williams (appointment) VICE Beverly Najarian as the Director of Administration.**

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

2. 2008-S 2173 SUB A**BY Tassoni****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -
LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS**

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

3. 2008-S 2224**BY Tassoni****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

4. 2008-S 2226 SUB A**BY Connors****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - ZONING
ORDINANCES**

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

5. 2008-S 2348**BY Blais****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

6. 2008-S 2357**BY Algieri****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE DEPARTMENTS --
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

7. 2008-S 2441 SUB A**BY Perry****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
ENERGY FACILITY SITING ACT**

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

8. 2008-S 2502 SUB A**BY Bates****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- ENTICEMENT
OF CHILDREN**

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

9. 2008-S 2621 SUB A**BY Doyle****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM**

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

10. 2008-S 2661 SUB A**BY Paiva-Weed****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
TAX INCENTIVE DISCLOSURE AND ACCOUNTABILITY**

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

11. 2008-S 2716 SUB A**BY Blais****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - JAILS AND
PRISONS**

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

12. 2008-S 2790**BY Ruggiero****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT
-- DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION-AUTOMOBILE
WRECKING AND SALVAGE YARDS**

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

13. 2008-S 2857**BY Doyle****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW-GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- PURCHASE AND SALE OF PRECIOUS METALS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

14. 2008-S 2967 SUB A**BY Goodwin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL OF PROPERTY

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

15. 2008-S 2999**BY Sosnowski****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

16. 2008-S 3039 SUB A**BY Walaska****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- EXPLOSIVES AND FIREWORKS

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

17. 2008-S 3047**BY Goodwin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

18. 2008-S 3059**BY Ciccone****ENTITLED,** AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE TO TAKE LAND BY EMINENT DOMAIN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

19. 2008-S 3090**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

20. **2008-S 3099**

BY Connors

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE UNDERGROUND ECONOMY AND EMPLOYEE MISCLASSIFICATION

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

21. **2008-S 3103**

BY Ruggerio

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PAY CERTAIN CLAIMS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

22. **2008-S 3111**

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - WORKERS' COMPENSATION - BENEFITS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

23. **2008-H 7050**

BY Rose

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - SIZE, WEIGHT AND LOAD LIMITS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

24. **2008-H 7441 as amended**

BY DeSimone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ENTERAL NUTRITION PRODUCTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage as amended.

25. **2008-H 7493 SUB B**

BY Ferri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE MARKET EXPANSION

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

26. 2008-H 7760 SUB A**BY McManus****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - JAILS AND PRISONS

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

27. 2008-H 7764**BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

28. 2008-H 7817 SUB A as amended**BY Handy****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- PUBLIC ASSISTANCE ACT

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

29. 2008-H 7870 SUB A as amended**BY Kilmartin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PHYSICAL THERAPISTS

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

30. 2008-H 7936**BY Baldelli-Hunt****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE

Committee on Education recommends passage in concurrence.

31. 2008-H 8029 as amended**BY Fellela****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON TO FINANCE THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW LIBRARY ON THE NORTHWEST QUADRANT OF THE LAND PARCEL IDENTIFIED AS ASSESSOR'S PLAT 53/3 LOT 34 LOCATED ON MEMORIAL AVENUE AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

Ordered to be placed on the Senate Calendar

32. 2008-H 8041 SUB A as amended**BY Fox****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS --
LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

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

33. 2008-H 8127**BY Coderre E****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

34. 2008-H 8226**BY Pacheco****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM
MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

35. 2008-H 8227 SUB A as amended**BY Scott****ENTITLED,** AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE CHARIHO HIGH SCHOOL AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SWITCH ROAD CAMPUS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, A MAINTENANCE FACILITY, TRACK, PARKING AND UTILITY AND SECURITY UPGRADES BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$17,847,00 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID

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

36. 2008-H 8247**BY Schadone****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL
LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

37. 2008-H 8256 SUB A**BY Scott**

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE CHARIHO MIDDLE SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,706,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID

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

38. 2008-H 8257 SUB A as amended**BY Scott**

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE RYSE SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,447,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID

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