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Thirty-second Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Thursday, March 26, 2009 and is called to order at 4:19 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable William J. Murphy, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 71 members present and 4 members absent as follows:

PRESENT - 71: The Honorable Speaker Murphy and Representatives Ajello, Almeida, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Brien, Caprio, Carnevale, Carter, Coderre, Corvese, Costantino, DaSilva, Dennigan, Diaz, Driver, Edwards, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Ferri, Fierro, Flaherty, Fox, Gablinske, Gallison, Gemma, Giannini, Guthrie, Hearn, Jackson, Jacquard, Kennedy, Kilmartin, Lally, Lima, Loughlin, MacBeth, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McNamara, Melo, Menard, Naughton, Newberry, O'Neill, Pacheco, Palumbo, Petrarca, A. Rice, M. Rice, Ruggiero, Savage, Schadone, Segal, Serpa, Shallcross-Smith, Silva, Slater, Sullivan, Trillo, Ucci, Vaudreuil, Walsh, Wasylyk, Watson, Williams, Williamson, Winfield.

ABSENT - 4: Representatives DeSimone, Handy, Pollard, San Bento.

INVOCATION

The Honorable Speaker presents Father Andrew G. George from the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church in Cranston who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Wednesday, March 25, 2009 is approved as printed.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Arthur Handy will be unable to attend session Thursday, March 26, 2009 due to a previous work commitment.

Representative Scott Pollard will be unable to attend session Thursday, March 26, 2009.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**TRANSFER OF BILLS**

Representative Kennedy for the Committee on Corporations, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of transfer to the Committee on Health, Education and Welfare.

House Bill **No. 5613**

BY McNamara, Gallison, Malik

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- TEACHERS' HEALTH INSURANCE {LC1289/1}

03/26/2009 Committee transferred to House H.E.W.

Representative McNamara for the Committee on Health, Education and Welfare, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of transfer to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill **No. 5651** (Lieutenant Governor)

BY Sullivan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES (creates the long-term care system rebalancing trust fund & would extend the loan forgiveness program for nursing and C.N.A students) {LC1086/1}

03/26/2009 Committee transferred to House Finance

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Representative Costantino, for the Committee on Finance, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

House Bill **No. 5019** SUB A (by request)

BY Watson

ENTITLED, AN ACT MAKING REVISED APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009 {LC256/1/A}

03/27/2009 Placed on House Calendar

NEW BUSINESS

House Bill **No. 6028**

BY Malik

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- UNDERGROUND UTILITY FACILITIES {LC2190/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

House Bill No. 6029**BY** Mattiello, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Rice A, Carter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES {LC2314/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

House Bill No. 6030 (Lt. Governor)**BY** Fox, Melo, Mattiello, Baldelli-Hunt, Coderre E**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - EXTENDED MEDICAL BENEFITS {LC2309/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

House Bill No. 6031**BY** Ferri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH {LC2343/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

House Bill No. 6032**BY** Malik**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - DIESEL EMISSIONS REDUCTION ACT {LC2283/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Environment and Natural Resources

House Bill No. 6033**BY** Fellela**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES {LC2215/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Finance

House Bill No. 6034**BY** Williamson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC2307/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Finance

House Bill No. 6035**BY** Lally**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS {LC2340/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House H.E.W.

House Bill No. 6036**BY** Naughton, Lally, McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RECORDING OF INSTRUMENTS {LC2326/1}

03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

House Bill No. 6037**BY** Coderre E**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2328/1}
03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary**House Bill No. 6038****BY** Williamson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES {LC2306/1}
03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary**House Bill No. 6039****BY** Ferri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2337/1}
03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary**House Bill No. 6040****BY** Jackson, Rice A, Martin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES {LC2298/1}
03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government**House Bill No. 6041****BY** Serpa, Segal, Menard, Gallison, Lima**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY-ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS {LC2214/1}
03/26/2009 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government**House Resolution No. 6042****BY** Baldelli-Hunt, Kennedy, Coderre E, Menard, Kilmartin**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION WELCOMING THE ACTING SURGEON GENERAL, REAR ADMIRAL STEVEN K. GALSON, M.D., M.P.H. TO THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC2364/1}

Representative Baldelli-Hunt requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Baldelli-Hunt seconded by Representatives Fierro, Menard, McNamara, Ehrhardt, Loughlin, Naughton, Giannini, Hearn, Dennigan, Martin and Shallcross-Smith by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6043**BY** Ajello, Murphy, Ucci, Corvese, Kennedy**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING ITS DEEPEST CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF THE HONORABLE SHERWIN KAPSTEIN {LC2361/1}

Representative Ajello requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Ajello seconded by Representatives Fox, Ucci, Williamson and many other members of the House by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6044

BY Marcello

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING REVEREND MONSIGNOR RICHARD D. SHEAHAN ON BEING NAMED "CHAPLAIN TO HIS HOLINESS" {LC2358/1}

Representative Marcello requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Marcello seconded by Representative McNamara by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6045

BY McNamara, Naughton, Gallison, Malik, Corvese

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CELEBRATING MARCH 25, 2009 AS THE 188TH ANNIVERSARY OF GREEK INDEPENDENCE DAY {LC2341/1}

Representative McNamara requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative McNamara seconded by Representatives Schadone, Gallison, and Corvese by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6046

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING REVEREND MONSIGNOR NICHOLAS J. IACOVACCI ON BEING NAMED "CHAPLAIN TO HIS HOLINESS" {LC2362/1}

Representative McNamara requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative McNamara seconded by Representative Malik by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6047**BY** Giannini, Schadone, Trillo, Ucci, Caprio D**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING REVEREND MONSIGNOR BARRY R. L. CONNERTON ON BEING NAMED "CHAPLAIN TO HIS HOLINESS" {LC2359/1}

Representative Giannini requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Giannini seconded by Representative Palumbo by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6048**BY** Diaz, Williams, Almeida, Slater**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION HONORING CESAR ESTRADA CHAVEZ (1927-1993) {LC2352/1}

Representative Diaz requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Diaz seconded by Representatives Giannini, Almeida, Williamson and many other members of the House by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

House Resolution No. 6049**BY** Carter**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING REVEREND MONSIGNOR GERARD O. SABOURIN ON BEING NAMED "CHAPLAIN TO HIS HOLINESS" {LC2354/1}

Representative Carter requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Carter seconded by Representative Vaudreuil by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

With the agreement of the Majority and the Minority, Representative Caprio requests to place (09-H 6050) on the top of the Calendar for Tuesday, March 31, 2009. There is no objection.**House Resolution No. 6050****BY** Caprio D, Lally, Walsh, Rice M**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING MONSIGNOR JOHN C. HALLORAN ON BEING NAMED "CHAPLAIN TO HIS HOLINESS" {LC2357/1}

03/26/2009 Placed on House Calendar

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all matters on the clerk's desk are ordered to be transmitted to the Honorable Secretary of State, forthwith.

RULE 17**The following bills were received pursuant to Rule 17:**

Representative Lima-An Act relating to State Affairs and Government

Representative Kilmartin-An Act relating to Courts and Civil Procedure

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Honorable Senate transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 201

BY Jabour, Levesque C, DeVall, Crowley, Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- FEDERAL ELECTIVE OFFICERS

(would require a special election to fill all federal senatorial vacancies & take away from the governor the power to make temporary appointments to fill the vacancies.) {LC868/1}

03/26/2009 Referred to House Judiciary

CALENDAR

From the Calendar are taken:

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2009:**1 2009-H 5081**

BY Carter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage.

2 2009-H 5340

BY Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- CEMETERIES
-- VETERAN HEADSTONE MEMORIALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage.

3 2009-H 5597

BY Carter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
- ABANDONED PROPERTY

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage.

4 2009-H 5054 SUB A**BY Corvese****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE

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

5 2009-H 5237 SUB A**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

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

6 2009-H 5267 SUB A**BY Ruggiero****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE

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

7 2009-H 5268**BY Shallcross Smith****ENTITLED,** AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF THE ACT, PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1948, ENTITLED "AND ACT TO INCORPORATE THE LIME ROCK FIRE DISTRICT IN THE TOWN OF LINCOLN," AS AMENDED

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

8 2009-H 5447**BY Jackson****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE CITY OF NEWPORT

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

9 2009-H 5511 SUB A**BY Marcello****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- FISCAL YEAR

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

10 2009-H 5951**BY Ehrhardt**

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES FOR AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$10,000,000 TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE TOWN INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION OF LAND THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION OF SEWER ASSESSMENTS AND SERVICE FEES

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

11 2009-H 5451**BY Pacheco**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

12 2009-H 5599**BY Kennedy**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES -- BOSTON RED SOX/JIMMY FUND LICENSE PLATES

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

13 2009-H 5600 SUB A**BY Naughton**

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

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

14 2009-H 6025**BY Rice A**

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE CITY OF NEWPORT FOR BEING CHOSEN AS THE HOST OF THE 12 METRE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Ordered on the Calendar

15 2009-H 6026**BY Rice A**

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS TO SUPPORT FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO

PROTECT AMERICAN HORSES FROM SLAUGHTER FOR
HUMAN CONSUMPTION

Ordered on the Calendar

On suggestion of Representative Fox, and by unanimous consent, the Calendar for today is continued to Tuesday, March 31, 2009.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Representative Corvese announces that the Committee on Labor will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 201 of the State House.

Representative Costantino announces that the Committee on Finance will meet tomorrow at 1 o'clock P.M., in Room 35 of the State House.

Representative Marcello introduces his intern from Brown University, David Duell.

Representative Ucci wishes his wife Dina a Happy Birthday.

Representative M. Rice wishes his wife Rufina a Happy "55th" Birthday.

Representative Williamson wishes the Honorable Speaker Murphy and his wife Stacey a Happy "15th" Wedding Anniversary.

The Honorable Speaker Murphy wishes Representative Peter Palumbo a Happy Birthday on Friday.

DESK HELD OPEN

The Honorable Speaker announces the desk will be held open,

GUESTS

At 4:20 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker yields the rostrum to Father Andrew G. George.

By unanimous consent, Father George addresses the members of the House and welcomes to the House Theofanis Markos, President Parish Council-Cranston; Koula Rougas, Director & Head Teacher of the Greek language School-Cranston; Eleni Trikoulas-Assistant Teacher; Sophia & Demetri Petrou-students dressed in Greek outfits; Pile Petrou (mother of the 2 children).

Father George gives the Greek toast.

At 4:24 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

At 4:25 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker yields the rostrum to the Ambassador of Liberia, Nathaniel Barnes.

By unanimous consent, His Excellency, Ambassador Nathaniel Barnes addresses the members of the House.

By unanimous consent, Representatives Diaz, Williams and Almeida welcome to the Chamber Ambassador Barnes. On behalf of Senators Pichardo and Metts, they present the Ambassador with a citation.

At 4:30 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

Representative Baldelli-Hunt welcomes to the House Chamber as guests Rear Admiral Steven Galson, Acting Surgeon General of the United States; First Lady Suzanne Carcieri and former First Lady Glenna Fletcher of Kentucky.

At 4:33 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker Murphy yields the rostrum to Rear Admiral Steven Galson.

By unanimous consent, Rear Admiral Galson addresses the members of the House.

At 4:38 o'clock P.M. the Honorable Speaker returns to the rostrum.

RECESS

At 4:58 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Gemma, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Dorothy F. Ward; on motion of Representative Ajello, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Sherwin Kapstein; seconded by Representatives Fox and Loughlin the House is in recess, on a unanimous rising vote.

ORDER

At 4:46 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 31, 2009 the Honorable Speaker Murphy calls the House to order.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:47 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 31, 2009 on motion of Representative Fox seconded by Representative Watson the House adjourns, on a voice vote.

Linda M. McElroy
Recording Clerk

APPENDIX**INVOCATION****FATHER ANDREW G. GEORGE****ANNUNCIATION-INDEPENDENCE OBSERVANCE**

O Lord Almighty, we raise our heart, mind & soul to you in prayer as we commemorate the Annunciation of the Virgin Mary along with the Observance of the War of Independence for the nation of Greece in the modern era, 1821, inaugurated on March 25, which has become in our current days a celebration of Greek and American Democracy.

We adore you as our Creator on this day as you entered the womb of your blessed mother, setting in motion the beginning of our salvation and our freedom from enslavement to sin.

We offer thanksgiving prayers as well for the regeneration and liberation of the nation of Greece from its political enslavement which re-established democratic principles in the mother-land of Democracy.

Show us all to be worthy of this freedom, strengthen us in safe-guarding it and preserve us in peace and harmony.

Furthermore we pray today for the elected officials of the State of RI and Providence Plantations and the members of this chamber. Protect, guide and guard each of them and their families; bless them with good health and sound minds, that they may lead us in the right direction as they serve and minister to its citizens.

For you are the source of life, our protector and savior and we ascribe glory to you...etc.

APPENDIX

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2009:

1 2009-H 6050**BY Caprio D****ENTITLED,** HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING MONSIGNOR JOHN C. HALLORAN ON BEING NAMED "CHAPLAIN TO HIS HOLINESS"

Ordered on the Calendar

2 2009-H 5081**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage.

3 2009-H 5340**BY Gallison****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- CEMETERIES
-- VETERAN HEADSTONE MEMORIALS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage.

4 2009-H 5597**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
- ABANDONED PROPERTY

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage.

5 2009-H 5054 SUB A**BY Corvese****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY
ATTENDANCE

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

6 2009-H 5237 SUB A**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT
OF LOCAL TAXES

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

7 2009-H 5267 SUB A

BY Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE

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

8 2009-H 5268

BY Shallcross Smith

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF THE ACT, PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1948, ENTITLED "AND ACT TO INCORPORATE THE LIME ROCK FIRE DISTRICT IN THE TOWN OF LINCOLN," AS AMENDED

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

9 2009-H 5447

BY Jackson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE CITY OF NEWPORT

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

10 2009-H 5511 SUB A

BY Marcello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- FISCAL YEAR

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

11 2009-H 5951

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES FOR AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$10,000,000 TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE TOWN INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION OF LAND THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION OF SEWER ASSESSMENTS AND SERVICE FEES

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

12 2009-H 5451

BY Pacheco

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

13 2009-H 5599

BY Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES -- BOSTON RED SOX/JIMMY
FUND LICENSE PLATES

Committee on Constituent Services recommends passage.

14 2009-H 5600 SUB A

BY Naughton

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

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

15 2009-H 6025

BY Rice A

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE CITY OF
NEWPORT FOR BEING CHOSEN AS THE HOST OF THE 12
METRE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

Ordered on the Calendar

16 2009-H 6026

BY Rice A

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES
CONGRESS TO SUPPORT FEDERAL LEGISLATION TO
PROTECT AMERICAN HORSES FROM SLAUGHTER FOR
HUMAN CONSUMPTION

Ordered on the Calendar

17 2009-H 5619

BY Ruggiero

ENTITLED, HOUSE RESOLUTION URGING THE UNITED STATES
CONGRESSIONAL DELGATION TO SUPPORT THE STIMULUS
FUNDING FOR "READY TO GO" INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

18 2009-H 5708

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

19 2009-H 5712

BY Lally

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

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

20 2009-H 5791

BY Ehrhardt

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - TAX EXPENDITURE
REPORTING

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2009 AT 2:00 P.M.

1 2009-H 5654

BY Dennigan

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE
COMMISSION TO STUDY AND ESTABLISH HEALTH CARE
REFORM MODELS TO EXPAND HEALTH CARE COVERAGE AND
TO DECREASE HEALTH CARE COSTS FOR RHODE ISLAND
RESIDENTS

Committee on Health, Education & Welfare recommends passage.

2 2009-H 5019 SUB A

BY Watson

ENTITLED, AN ACT MAKING REVISED APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
SUPPORT OF THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009

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

Francis P. McCabe
Clerk of the House

Thursday, March 26, 2009