

# State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

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## **JOURNAL** -OF THE- **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

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Fourteenth Day

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The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Wednesday, February 1, 2012 and is called to order at 4:17 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable Gordon D. Fox, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 72 members present and 3 members absent as follows:

**PRESENT - 72:** The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Carnevale, Chippendale, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Costa, DaSilva, DeSimone, Diaz, Dickinson, Edwards, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Flaherty, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, MacBeth, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Menard, Morgan, Morrison, Naughton, Newberry, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Reilly, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Trillo, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

**ABSENT - 3:** Representatives Ferri, Messier, Watson.

### **INVOCATION**

The Honorable Speaker presents Representative Diaz 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 Tuesday, January 31, 2012 is approved.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES****COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS**

Representative Kennedy, for the Committee on Corporations, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of passage:

**House Bill No. 7259**

**BY** Petrarca

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF ITALICI, L.L.C. {LC917/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Representative Melo, for the Committee on Finance, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of passage:

**House Resolution No. 7235 SUB A**

**BY** Serpa, Tarro, Mattiello, Silva, Morgan

**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND TO IMPLEMENT PROGRAMS AND METHODOLOGY TO IMPROVE MEDICAID INTEGRITY IN THE STATE {LC758/A/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

Representative Ajello, for the Committee on Judiciary, reports back the following measures, with recommendation of passage:

**House Bill No. 7202**

**BY** Edwards, Gallison, Reilly

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Kevin F. Tripp to join Brittany Theresa Rodrigues and Paul Anthony Milnes in marriage on or about June 30, 2012, within the Town of Portsmouth, Rhode Island.) {LC718/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7221**

**BY** Martin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Thomas A. Palombo to join Chelsea Lee Hebert and Matthew Ryan Force in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about July 6, 2012.) {LC800/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7240****BY** O'Grady**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Caroline M. Sawyer to join Elizabeth Vincent and Sean Bessette in marriage within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island, on or about May 27, 2012.) {LC866/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7241****BY** Ferri, McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Scott Avedisian to join Carra Beth Constantine and William Malcolm Hall in marriage within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island, on or about May 5, 2012.) {LC863/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7270****BY** Mattiello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Gordon Fox to join Larisa Olegovna Micheletti and Michael John Martino in marriage within the Town of North Smithfield, Rhode Island, on or about June 30, 2012) {LC923/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7280****BY** Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Derek Wesolowski to join Jennifer Jarret and Dustin Wesolowski 1 in marriage within the Town of Jamestown, Rhode Island, on or about October 7, 2012.) {LC959/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7084**

(Secretary of State)

**BY** Keable, Lally, Petrarca, Jackson, Marcello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS - CUSTODY AND PROTECTION (would amend the definition of "agency" or "public body to include quasi-public agencies.) {LC451/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7122 as amended**

(Secretary of State)

**BY** Ruggiero, Valencia, Ehrhardt, Hull, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - LOBBYING (make certain changes to style/fee structure relating to leg. lobbyist badges/ require lobbyist registered to lobby the exec. branch to have fully complied w/requirements of the chapter in the prev. yr prior to registering for the current leg. session.) {LC450/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7057****BY** Newberry, Marcello, Brien, Phillips, Ajello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY (would exempt land held by nonprofit corporations for cemetery purposes from adverse possession or prescription.) {LC239/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**House Bill No. 7111****BY** Ajello, Handy, Blazejewski, Cimini, Walsh**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - STATE POLICE (would make the definitions of disability, sexual orientation, gender identity and expression the same as set forth in RI general laws section 11-24-2.1.) {LC151/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**Senate Bill No. 2025****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Mark S. Mandell to join Regina Teresa Poethke and Jason Patrick Hogan in marriage) {LC429/1}

02/01/2012 Placed on House Calendar

**NEW BUSINESS****House Bill No. 7298****BY** Marcello, Chippendale, Hearn, Blazejewski, Walsh**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- LARGE GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE {LC1018/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

**House Bill No. 7299****BY** Fellela, Cimini, Serpa, Malik**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- LICENSED ACTIVITIES {LC311/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

**House Bill No. 7300****BY** Handy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LABORATORIES {LC772/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

**House Bill No. 7301****BY** Nunes, Tanzi, Marcello, Hearn, Keable**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- MANUFACTURING AND WHOLESALE LICENSES {LC932/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

**House Resolution No. 7302****BY** Schadone, Nunes, Corvese**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND PUBLISH AND SUBMIT TO THE ELECTORS A PROPOSITION OF AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE (STATE BUDGET) {LC505/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7303****BY** Fellela, Carnevale, Guthrie**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTING {LC754/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7304****BY** Palumbo, Trillo, Malik, Jacquard, DeSimone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - BOARD OF GOVERNORS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION {LC582/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7305****BY** Guthrie, Bennett, Cimini, Carnevale, DaSilva**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX {LC933/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7306****BY** Petrarca, O'Grady**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - VIDEO LOTTERY TERMINAL {LC1048/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7307****BY** Schadone, Nunes, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE BUDGET {LC496/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7308****BY** Schadone, Nunes, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- STATE BUDGET {LC498/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7309****BY** Schadone, Nunes, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BUSINESS CORPORATION TAX {LC499/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Resolution No. 7310****BY** Schadone, Nunes, Corvese**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL HOUSE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE TAX CREDIT PROGRAMS IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC506/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Resolution No. 7311****BY** Schadone, Nunes, Corvese**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND PUBLISH AND SUBMIT TO THE ELECTORS A PROPOSITION OF AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE (STATE BUDGET) {LC502/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Finance

**House Bill No. 7312****BY** Handy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HEALTH CARE POWER OF ATTORNEY {LC782/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

**House Bill No. 7313****BY** Palumbo, Trillo, Nunes, Edwards, Chippendale**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - ENFORCEMENT OF IMMIGRATION LAWS {LC587/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

**House Bill No. 7314****BY** Hearn, Marcello, Tomasso, Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - PAYMENT OF WAGES {LC916/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Labor

**House Bill No. 7315****BY** Palumbo, Trillo, Malik, Nunes, Edwards**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- CONTROL OF ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION {LC583/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Labor

**House Bill No. 7316****BY** Chippendale, Marcello, Newberry, Petrarca, Palumbo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - COUNCILS AND GOVERNING BODIES {LC481/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Labor

**House Bill No. 7317****BY** Guthrie, DaSilva, Savage**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - LABOR RELATIONS ACT {LC992/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Labor

**House Bill No. 7318****BY** Serpa, Walsh, Ruggiero, Tomasso, Gallison**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- STATE BUILDING CODE -- NEW BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES {LC1039/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government

**House Bill No. 7319****BY** Melo, Gallison, Morrison, Marcello, Blazejewski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC1058/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government

**House Bill No. 7320****BY** Schadone, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT {LC500/1}

02/01/2012 Introduced, referred to House Committee on Small Business

**House Resolution No. 7321****BY** Melo, San Bento, Tomasso, Nunes, Lima**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING SECRETARY OF STATE HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AT THE AMERICAN CONSULATE IN PONTA DELGADA, AZORES {LC1118/1}

With the agreement of the majority and the minority, Representative Melo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Melo seconded by Representatives San Bento, Tomasso, Nunes, Lima, Gallison, Guthrie, Edwards, Savage, McLaughlin, Naughton, Fellela, Dickinson, Tanzi, Marcello and Hull by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

**House Resolution No. 7322****BY** Mattiello, Newberry**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONGRATULATIONS {LC1024/1}

Representative Mattiello requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

There is no objection.

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

### **COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE**

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

#### **Senate Bill No. 2178 SUB A as amended**

**BY** McCaffrey, Bates, Lanzi, Pichardo, Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY (would set forth the boundaries of the voting districts for the House of Representatives and the Senate. The act would also set forth the territory for the First and Second Congressional Districts in RI){LC810/A/1}

Representative Ucci moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives O'Neill, Ajello, Mattiello, Martin, Diaz, McNamara, Petrarca and Hull.

By unanimous consent, Representative Newberry, seconded by Representatives Costa and Chippendale offers a written motion to amend.

### **FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2012 -- S 2178 SUBSTITUTE A**

#### **AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- S 2178 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1. On page 95, by deleting all of the language on lines 15 through 33 and inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Forty-seventh district: The forty-seventh representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of Burrillville bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Sherman Farm Rd and the Rhode Island-Massachusetts state boundary line; thence westerly along the Rhode Island-Massachusetts boundary line to the Connecticut - Rhode Island boundary line; thence southerly along the Connecticut - Rhode Island boundary line to the Burrillville - Glocester boundary line; thence easterly on the Burrillville - Glocester boundary line to the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line; thence northerly on the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line to Nichols Rd; thence westerly on Nichols Rd to Tarklin Brook; thence southwesterly along Tarklin Brook to Nichols Pond; thence southwesterly through Nichols Pond to census block 440070130024020; thence northwesterly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130024016 and 440070130024020 and census blocks 440070130024011 and 440070130024012 to Barnes Rd; thence westerly on Barnes Rd to Snake Hill Rd; thence



northerly on Snake Hill Rd to Victory Highway; thence westerly on Victory Highway to Main St thence northerly on Main St to Spring Lake Rd; thence northwesterly on Spring Lake Rd to census block 440070130022026; thence westerly along the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022026 and 440070130022023 to census block 440070130022015; thence northerly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022015 and 440070130022026 to Black Hut Rd; thence westerly on Black Hut Rd to Old Hillside Dr; thence northerly and easterly on Old Hillside Dr to Spring Lake Rd; thence northerly on Spring Lake Rd to West Ironstone Rd; thence westerly on West Ironstone Rd to Sherman Farm Rd; thence northerly on Sherman Farm Rd to the point of origin.”

2. On page 96, by deleting all of the language on lines 13 through 31 and inserting in place thereof the following language:

“The forty-eighth representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the town of Burrillville bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Sherman Farm Rd and the Rhode Island-Massachusetts state boundary line; thence easterly along the Rhode Island-Massachusetts boundary line to the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line; thence southerly along the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line to Nichols Rd; thence westerly on Nichols Rd to Tarklin Brook; thence southwesterly along Tarklin Brook to Nichols Pond; thence southwesterly through Nichols Pond to census block 440070130024020; thence northwesterly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130024016 and 440070130024020 and census blocks 440070130024011 and 440070130024012 to Barnes Rd; thence westerly on Barnes Rd to Snake Hill Rd; thence northerly on Snake Hill Rd to Victory Highway; thence westerly on Victory Highway to Main St; thence northerly on Main St to Spring Lake Rd; thence northwesterly on Spring Lake Rd to census block 440070130022026; thence westerly along the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022026 and 440070130022023 to census block 440070130022015; thence northerly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022015 and 440070130022026 to Black Hut Rd; thence westerly on Black Hut Rd to Old Hillside Dr; thence northerly and easterly on Old Hillside Dr to Spring Lake Rd; thence northerly on Spring Lake Rd to West Ironstone Rd; thence westerly on West Ironstone Rd to Sherman Farm Rd; thence northerly on Sherman Farm Rd to the point of origin.”

Respectfully submitted,

REPRESENTATIVE NEWBERRY

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Representative Newberry discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend fails on a roll call vote 14 members voting in the affirmative and 54 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 14: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, Keable, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo, Winfield.

NAYS - 54: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon,

Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams.

By unanimous consent, Representative Ehrhardt, seconded by Representative Costa offers a written motion to amend.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT  
TO  
2012 -- S 2178 SUBSTITUTE A**

**AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- S 2178 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1. On page 83, by deleting all of the language on lines 7 through 33, and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Thirty-first district: The thirty-first representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of North Kingstown bounded by a line beginning at the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line and Shermantown Rd; thence northeasterly on Shermantown Rd to Congdon Hill Rd; thence northerly on Congdon Hill Rd to W Allenton Rd; thence northeasterly on W Allenton Rd to Col Rodman Highway; thence northwesterly on Col Rodman Highway to the Amtrak railroad; thence northeasterly on the Amtrak railroad to Stony Ln; thence easterly on Stony Ln to Sedgfield Rd; thence northerly on Sedgfield Rd to Trowbridge Dr; thence easterly on Trowbridge Dr, continuing on the boundary line between census blocks 440090501022000 and 440090501022023 to Post Rd; thence northerly on Post Rd to Newcomb Rd; thence easterly and northerly on Newcomb Rd to Potter Rd; thence northwesterly on Potter Rd to North Quidnessett Rd; thence northeasterly on North Quidnessett Rd to Sandhill Brook; thence northwesterly on Sandhill Brook to the North Kingstown -- Warwick boundary line; thence westerly and northerly on the Warwick -- North Kingstown boundary line to the East Greenwich -- North Kingstown boundary line; thence southwesterly and westerly on the East Greenwich -- North Kingstown boundary line to the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line; thence southerly on the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line to the point of origin.

The thirty-first representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the town of Exeter bounded by a line beginning at the Exeter -- South Kingstown boundary line and South County Trail; thence northeasterly on South County Trail to South Rd; thence northerly on South Rd to Ten Rod Rd; thence easterly on Ten Rod Rd to the Exeter-North Kingstown boundary line; thence southerly on the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line to the Exeter -- South Kingstown boundary line; thence westerly on the Exeter -- South Kingstown boundary line to the point of origin.”

2. On page 83, by deleting the language on line 34 and on page 84, by deleting all of the language on lines 1 through 17, and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Thirty-second district: The thirty-second representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of North Kingstown bounded by a line beginning at the Exeter -- North

Kingstown boundary line and Shermantown Rd; thence northeasterly on Shermantown Rd to Congdon Hill Rd; thence northerly on Congdon Hill Rd to W Allenton Rd; thence northeasterly on W Allenton Rd to Col Rodman Highway; thence northwesterly on Col Rodman Highway to the Amtrak railroad; thence northeasterly on the Amtrak railroad to Stony Ln; thence easterly on Stony Ln to Sedgefield Rd; thence northerly on Sedgefield Rd to Trowbridge Dr; thence easterly on Trowbridge Dr, continuing on the boundary line between census blocks 440090501022000 and 440090501022023 to Post Rd; thence northerly on Post Rd to Newcomb Rd; thence easterly and northerly on Newcomb Rd to Potter Rd; thence northwesterly on Potter Rd to North Quidnessett Rd; thence northeasterly on North Quidnessett Rd to Sandhill Brook; thence northwesterly on Sandhill Brook to the North Kingstown -- Warwick boundary line; thence northeasterly on the North Kingstown -- Warwick boundary line to the North Kingstown -- Portsmouth boundary line in the Narragansett Bay; thence southerly along the North Kingstown - - Portsmouth boundary line to the North Kingstown -- Jamestown boundary line; thence southerly on the North Kingstown -- Jamestown boundary line to the North Kingstown -- Narragansett boundary line; thence westerly on the North Kingstown -- Narragansett boundary line to the North Kingstown -- South Kingstown boundary line; thence westerly on the North Kingstown -- South Kingstown boundary line to the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line; thence northwesterly on the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line to the point of origin.”

Respectfully submitted,

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REPRESENTATIVE EHRHARDT

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Representative Ehrhardt discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend fails on a roll call vote 13 members voting in the affirmative and 56 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 13: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, Gordon, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo.

NAYS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed, as amended, in concurrence and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 12 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Winfield.

NAYS - 12: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo.

### CALENDAR

From the Calendar are taken:

#### IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 01, 2012:

**1. 2012-H 7209 SUB A**

**BY** Ucci

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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

Representative Ucci moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Ajello, Walsh, O'Neill, Brien, Diaz, Martin, McNamara, Petrarca, Hull and Melo

Representatives Ucci discusses the act.

By unanimous consent, Representative Newberry, seconded by Representatives Costa and Chippendale offers a written motion to amend.

### FLOOR AMENDMENT TO 2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A

#### AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1. On page 95, by deleting all of the language on lines 15 through 33 and inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Forty-seventh district: The forty-seventh representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of Burrillville bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Sherman Farm Rd and the Rhode Island-Massachusetts state boundary line; thence westerly along the Rhode Island-Massachusetts boundary line to the Connecticut - Rhode Island boundary line; thence

southerly along the Connecticut - Rhode Island boundary line to the Burrillville - Glocester boundary line; thence easterly on the Burrillville - Glocester boundary line to the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line; thence northerly on the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line to Nichols Rd; thence westerly on Nichols Rd to Tarklin Brook; thence southwesterly along Tarklin Brook to Nichols Pond; thence southwesterly through Nichols Pond to census block 440070130024020; thence northwesterly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130024016 and 440070130024020 and census blocks 440070130024011 and 440070130024012 to Barnes Rd; thence westerly on Barnes Rd to Snake Hill Rd; thence northerly on Snake Hill Rd to Victory Highway; thence westerly on Victory Highway to Main St thence northerly on Main St to Spring Lake Rd; thence northwesterly on Spring Lake Rd to census block 440070130022026; thence westerly along the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022026 and 440070130022023 to census block 440070130022015; thence northerly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022015 and 440070130022026 to Black Hut Rd; thence westerly on Black Hut Rd to Old Hillside Dr; thence northerly and easterly on Old Hillside Dr to Spring Lake Rd; thence northerly on Spring Lake Rd to West Ironstone Rd; thence westerly on West Ironstone Rd to Sherman Farm Rd; thence northerly on Sherman Farm Rd to the point of origin.”

2. On page 96, by deleting all of the language on lines 13 through 31 and inserting in place thereof the following language:

“The forty-eighth representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the town of Burrillville bounded by a line beginning at the intersection of Sherman Farm Rd and the Rhode Island-Massachusetts state boundary line; thence easterly along the Rhode Island-Massachusetts boundary line to the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line; thence southerly along the Burrillville - North Smithfield boundary line to Nichols Rd; thence westerly on Nichols Rd to Tarklin Brook; thence southwesterly along Tarklin Brook to Nichols Pond; thence southwesterly through Nichols Pond to census block 440070130024020; thence northwesterly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130024016 and 440070130024020 and census blocks 440070130024011 and 440070130024012 to Barnes Rd; thence westerly on Barnes Rd to Snake Hill Rd; thence northerly on Snake Hill Rd to Victory Highway; thence westerly on Victory Highway to Main St; thence northerly on Main St to Spring Lake Rd; thence northwesterly on Spring Lake Rd to census block 440070130022026; thence westerly along the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022026 and 440070130022023 to census block 440070130022015; thence northerly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070130022015 and 440070130022026 to Black Hut Rd; thence westerly on Black Hut Rd to Old Hillside Dr; thence northerly and easterly on Old Hillside Dr to Spring Lake Rd; thence northerly on Spring Lake Rd to West Ironstone Rd; thence westerly on West Ironstone Rd to Sherman Farm Rd; thence northerly on Sherman Farm Rd to the point of origin.”

Respectfully submitted,

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REPRESENTATIVE NEWBERRY

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LC00811/2  
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Representatives Newberry, Ucci, Lima, Chippendale and Ehrhardt discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails on a roll call vote 13 members voting in the affirmative and 57 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 13: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, Keable, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Reilly, Savage, Trillo.

NAYS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Carnevale, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, DeSimone, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Schadone, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

By unanimous consent, Representative Ehrhardt, seconded by Representatives Newberry, Costa and Chippendale offers a written motion to amend.

**F L O O R   A M E N D M E N T  
T O  
2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A**

**AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1. On page 83, by deleting all of the language on lines 7 through 33, and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Thirty-first district: The thirty-first representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of North Kingstown bounded by a line beginning at the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line and Shermantown Rd; thence northeasterly on Shermantown Rd to Congdon Hill Rd; thence northerly on Congdon Hill Rd to W Allenton Rd; thence northeasterly on W Allenton Rd to Col Rodman Highway; thence northwesterly on Col Rodman Highway to the Amtrak railroad; thence northeasterly on the Amtrak railroad to Stony Ln; thence easterly on Stony Ln to Sedgefield Rd; thence northerly on Sedgefield Rd to Trowbridge Dr; thence easterly on Trowbridge Dr, continuing on the boundary line between census blocks 440090501022000 and 440090501022023 to Post Rd; thence northerly on Post Rd to Newcomb Rd; thence easterly and northerly on Newcomb Rd to Potter Rd; thence northwesterly on Potter Rd to North Quidnessett Rd; thence northeasterly on North Quidnessett Rd to Sandhill Brook; thence northwesterly on Sandhill Brook to the North Kingstown -- Warwick boundary line; thence westerly and northerly on the Warwick -- North Kingstown boundary line to the East Greenwich -- North Kingstown boundary line; thence southwesterly and westerly on the East Greenwich -- North Kingstown boundary line to the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line; thence southerly on the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line to the point of origin.

The thirty-first representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the town of Exeter bounded by a line beginning at the Exeter -- South Kingstown boundary line and South

County Trail; thence northeasterly on South County Trail to South Rd; thence northerly on South Rd to Ten Rod Rd; thence easterly on Ten Rod Rd to the Exeter-North Kingstown boundary line; thence southerly on the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line to the Exeter -- South Kingstown boundary line; thence westerly on the Exeter -- South Kingstown boundary line to the point of origin.”

2. On page 83, by deleting the language on line 34 and on page 84, by deleting all of the language on lines 1 through 17, and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Thirty-second district: The thirty-second representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of North Kingstown bounded by a line beginning at the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line and Shermantown Rd; thence northeasterly on Shermantown Rd to Congdon Hill Rd; thence northerly on Congdon Hill Rd to W Allenton Rd; thence northeasterly on W Allenton Rd to Col Rodman Highway; thence northwesterly on Col Rodman Highway to the Amtrak railroad; thence northeasterly on the Amtrak railroad to Stony Ln; thence easterly on Stony Ln to Sedgefield Rd; thence northerly on Sedgefield Rd to Trowbridge Dr; thence easterly on Trowbridge Dr, continuing on the boundary line between census blocks 440090501022000 and 440090501022023 to Post Rd; thence northerly on Post Rd to Newcomb Rd; thence easterly and northerly on Newcomb Rd to Potter Rd; thence northwesterly on Potter Rd to North Quidnessett Rd; thence northeasterly on North Quidnessett Rd to Sandhill Brook; thence northwesterly on Sandhill Brook to the North Kingstown -- Warwick boundary line; thence northeasterly on the North Kingstown -- Warwick boundary line to the North Kingstown -- Portsmouth boundary line in the Narragansett Bay; thence southerly along the North Kingstown - - Portsmouth boundary line to the North Kingstown -- Jamestown boundary line; thence southerly on the North Kingstown -- Jamestown boundary line to the North Kingstown -- Narragansett boundary line; thence westerly on the North Kingstown -- Narragansett boundary line to the North Kingstown -- South Kingstown boundary line; thence westerly on the North Kingstown -- South Kingstown boundary line to the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line; thence northwesterly on the Exeter -- North Kingstown boundary line to the point of origin.”

Respectfully submitted,

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REPRESENTATIVE EHRHARDT

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LC00811/3

Representatives Ehrhardt, Ucci and Newberry discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails on a roll call vote 14 members voting in the affirmative and 56 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 14: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, Gordon, Hull, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo.

NAYS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Carnevale, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, DeSimone, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo,

Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

By unanimous consent, Representative Menard, seconded by Representative Schadone offers a written motion to amend.

**F L O O R   A M E N D M E N T**  
**TO**  
**2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A**

**AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1. On page 93, by deleting lines 28 through 34 in their entirety.

2. On page 94, by deleting lines 1 through 34 in their entirety.

3. On page 95, by deleting lines 1 through 14 in their entirety and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Forty-fifth district: The forty-fifth representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of Lincoln bounded by a line beginning at the Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line and George Washington Highway; thence easterly on George Washington Highway to the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line; thence northwesterly on the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line to the North Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line; thence southerly on the North Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line to the Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line; thence southerly on the Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line to the point of origin.

The forty-fifth representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the town of Cumberland bounded by a line beginning at the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line and I-295; thence easterly on the I-295 to Mendon Rd; thence northerly on Mendon Rd to Pound Rd; thence northeasterly on Pound Rd to census block 440070114022054; thence northerly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070114022067 and 440070114022054 to Nate Whipple Highway; thence westerly on Nate Whipple Highway to Mendon Rd; thence northerly on Mendon Rd to W Wrentham Rd; thence northeasterly on W Wrentham Rd to census block 440070114031011; thence northwesterly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070114031002 and 440070114031011 and census blocks 440070114031001 and 440070114031000 to the Woonsocket – Cumberland boundary line; thence southwesterly on the Woonsocket – Cumberland boundary line to the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line; thence southeasterly on the Lincoln-Cumberland boundary line to the point of origin.

Forty-sixth district: The forty-sixth representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of Lincoln bounded by a line beginning at the Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line and George Washington Highway; thence easterly on George Washington Highway to the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line; thence southerly on the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line to the Lincoln – Central Falls boundary line; thence westerly and southerly on the Lincoln – Central Falls boundary line to the Lincoln – Pawtucket boundary line; thence westerly on the Lincoln – Pawtucket boundary line to the Lincoln – North Providence boundary line thence westerly on the Lincoln – North Providence boundary line to Eddie Dowling Highway; thence



northerly on the Eddie Dowling Highway to census block 440070116004062; thence westerly on the unnamed stream between census blocks 440070116004062 and 440070116004088 to Old Louisquisset Pike; thence northerly on Old Louisquisset Pike to the former Woonsocket Street Trolley right of way; thence northwesterly on the former Woonsocket Street Trolley right of way to Harris Ave; thence southwesterly on Harris Ave to Jenckes Hill Rd; thence northwesterly on Jenckes Hill Rd to Limerock Rd; thence westerly on Limerock Rd to the Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line; thence northerly on the Smithfield – Lincoln boundary line to the point of origin.

The forty-sixth representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the city of Pawtucket bounded by a line beginning at the Lincoln – Pawtucket boundary line and Smithfield Ave; thence southerly on Smithfield Ave to Weeden St; thence easterly on Weeden St to Columbia Ave; thence southerly on Columbia Ave to Owen Ave; thence easterly on Owen Ave to Fairlawn Ave; thence southerly on Fairlawn Ave to Mineral Spring Ave; thence easterly on Mineral Spring Ave to the Moshassuck Valley Railroad; thence northerly on the Moshassuck Valley Railroad to Weeden St; thence easterly on Weeden St to the Moshassuck Valley Industrial Highway; thence northerly on the Moshassuck Valley Industrial Highway to the Lincoln – Pawtucket boundary line; thence westerly on the Lincoln – Pawtucket boundary line to the point of origin.

The forty-sixth representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the city of Central Falls bounded by a line beginning at the Lincoln – Central Falls boundary line and Bagley St; thence easterly on Bagley St to Wetmore St; thence southerly on Wetmore St to Hendricks St; thence easterly on Hendricks St to Lonsdale Ave; thence southerly on Lonsdale Ave to Crossman St; thence easterly on Crossman St to Dexter St; thence southeasterly on Dexter St to Moore St; thence southwesterly on Moore St to Pine St; thence southeasterly on Pine St to Kendall St; thence westerly on Kendall St to Lonsdale Ave; thence southerly on Lonsdale Ave to Orchard St; thence westerly and southerly on Orchard St to Brook St; thence westerly on Brook St to Oakland St; thence southerly on Oakland St and its extension to the unnamed pond; thence northerly and westerly on the northern shoreline of the unnamed pond to the Central Falls – Lincoln boundary line; thence northerly on the Central Falls – Lincoln boundary line to the point of origin.”

4. On page 101, by deleting lines 18 through 34 in their entirety.

5. On page 102, by deleting lines 1 through 12 in their entirety and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

“Fifty-seventh district: The fifty-seventh representative district shall consist of all of that part of the town of Cumberland bounded by a line beginning at the Massachusetts – Rhode Island boundary line and Dexter St; thence westerly on Dexter St to High St; thence northerly on High St to Hines Rd; thence northeasterly on Hines Rd to Iroquois Rd; thence northerly on Iroquois Rd. to Phillip Ave; thence westerly on Phillip Ave to Diamond Hill Rd; thence northwesterly on Diamond Hill Rd to Angell Rd; thence westerly on Angell Rd to census block 44007014012020; thence northwesterly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070114012020 and 440070114012019, census blocks 440070114013016 and 440070114013018, census blocks 440070114013003 and 440070114013017, census blocks 440070114015015 and 440070114015025, and census blocks 440070114015017 and 440070114015015 to Pound Rd; thence southwesterly on Pound Rd to Mendon Rd; thence southerly on Mendon Rd to I-295; thence westerly on I-295 to the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line; thence southeasterly on the Lincoln – Cumberland boundary line to the Cumberland – Central Falls boundary line; thence easterly and southerly on the Cumberland –

Central Falls boundary line to the Massachusetts - Rhode Island boundary line; thence northerly on the Massachusetts - Rhode Island boundary line to the point of origin.

The fifty-seventh representative district shall also consist of all of that part of the city of Central Falls bounded by a line beginning at the Central Falls -- Pawtucket boundary line and the Amtrak railroad; thence westerly on the Amtrak railroad to High St; thence northerly on High St to Blackstone St; thence westerly on Blackstone St to the New York New Haven and Hartford Railroad; thence northerly on the New York New Haven and Hartford Railroad to census block 440070109001007; thence westerly on the boundary line between census blocks 440070109001007 and 440070109001012 to Tremont St; thence westerly on Tremont St to Broad St; thence northerly on Broad St to Cottage St; thence westerly on Cottage St to Hunt St; thence southwesterly on Hunt St to Dexter St; thence southeasterly on Dexter St to Crossman St; thence westerly on Crossman St to Lonsdale Ave; thence northerly on Lonsdale Ave to Hendricks St; thence westerly on Hendricks St to Wetmore St; thence northerly on Wetmore St to Bagley St; thence westerly on Bagley St to the Central Falls -- Lincoln boundary line; thence northerly and easterly on the Central Falls -- Lincoln boundary line to the Cumberland -- Central Falls boundary line; thence easterly and southerly on the Cumberland -- Central Falls boundary line to the Central Falls -- Pawtucket boundary line; thence southerly on the Central Falls -- Pawtucket boundary line to the point of origin."

Respectfully submitted,

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REPRESENTATIVE MENARD

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LC00811/5

Representatives Menard, Ucci, MacBeth and McLaughlin discuss the amendment.

The motion to amend fails on a roll call vote 15 members voting in the affirmative and 56 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 15: Representatives Baldelli-Hunt, Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, Jacquard, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Phillips, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo.

NAYS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Carnevale, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, DeSimone, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

By unanimous consent, Representative Ucci, seconded by Representatives O'Neill, McNamara and Diaz offers a written motion to amend.

**F L O O R   A M E N D M E N T**  
**TO**  
**2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A**

## AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Mr. Speaker:

I hereby move to amend 2012 -- H 7209 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO REDISTRICTING OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY", as follows:

1) On page 3, line 9, by inserting the following after the language "Academy Ave":

"to Justice St; thence easterly to the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy; thence easterly on the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy to Berlin St; thence southerly on Berlin St to Chalkstone Ave; thence westerly on Chalkstone Ave to Academy Ave; thence northerly on Academy Ave".

2) On page 6, line 2, by inserting the following after the language "Academy Ave":

"to Justice St; thence easterly to the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy; thence easterly on the southern side of Pleasant Valley Pkwy to Berlin St; thence southerly on Berlin St to Chalkstone Ave; thence westerly on Chalkstone Ave to Academy Ave; thence northerly on Academy Ave".

Respectfully submitted,

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REPRESENTATIVE UCCI

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Representative Ucci discusses the amendment.

The motion to amend prevails on a roll call vote 70 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 70: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Carnevale, Chippendale, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Costa, DaSilva, Diaz, Dickinson, Edwards, Ehrhardt, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, MacBeth, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Menard, Morgan, Morrison, Naughton, Newberry, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Reilly, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Schadone, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Trillo, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 0.

Representatives Baldelli-Hunt, Ucci, Kennedy, Trillo, MacBeth, McNamara, Valencia, Dickinson and Reilly discuss the act, as amended.

Representative Reilly requests to vote Sections 1, 2, 3 and Sections 4-9 separately. The Honorable Speaker Fox rules it is divisible.

Representatives Lima, Corvese, Guthrie, DaSilva and McCauley continue discussion on the act, as amended.

**Section 1** prevails on a roll call vote, 57 members voting in the affirmative and 12 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 57: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Menard, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Reilly, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tarro, Tomasso, Trillo, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 12: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Edwards, Ehrhardt, Lally, MacBeth, Morgan, Newberry, Schadone, Tanzi.

**Section 2** prevails on a roll call vote, 58 members voting in the affirmative and 11 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 58: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Reilly, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 11: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Schadone, Trillo.

**Section 3** prevails on a roll call vote, 56 members voting in the affirmative and 13 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 56: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela, Gallison, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Menard, Morrison, Naughton, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 13: Representatives Chippendale, Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, Gordon, MacBeth, Morgan, Newberry, Nunes, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo.

**The remainder of the act, Sections 4-9** prevails on a roll call vote, 58 members voting in the affirmative and 11 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 58: The Honorable Speaker Fox and Representatives Ajello, Azzinaro, Baldelli-Hunt, Bennett, Blazejewski, Brien, Chippendale, Cimini, Coderre, Corvese, Diaz, Edwards, Fellela,

Gallison, Gordon, Guthrie, Handy, Hearn, Hull, Jackson, Jacquard, Johnston, Keable, Kennedy, Lally, Lima, Malik, Marcello, Martin, Mattiello, McCauley, McLaughlin, McNamara, Medina, Melo, Morrison, Naughton, Nunes, O'Grady, O'Neill, Palumbo, Petrarca, Phillips, Ruggiero, San Bento, Savage, Serpa, Silva, Slater, Tanzi, Tarro, Tomasso, Ucci, Valencia, Walsh, Williams, Winfield.

NAYS - 11: Representatives Costa, DaSilva, Dickinson, Ehrhardt, MacBeth, Menard, Morgan, Newberry, Reilly, Schadone, Trillo.

### **TRANSMITTAL**

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

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

Representative Fellela announces that the Committee on Veteran Affairs will meet tomorrow at the rise of the House, in Room 35 of the State House.

Representative Tomasso announces their will be a Race to the Top update Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup> at 3 o'clock in Room 313.

Representative Kennedy announces that the Committee on Corporations will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 203 of the State House.

Representative Diaz announces that the Committee on Health, Education and Welfare will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 135 of the State House.

Representative Melo announces all members should receive a brief analysis of the budget that the House Fiscal Staff prepared "Budget at a Glance".

Representative Ajello announces that the Committee on Judiciary will meet at the rise of the House, in Room 313 of the State House.

Representative Baldelli-Hunt applauds the Governor for agreeing to help clean up welfare fraud with Mr. Ken Block in the state of Rhode Island.

### **GUESTS**

Representative Diaz welcomes to the House Chamber as guests members of CASO and Youth.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 5:51 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Azzinaro, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Peter P. Sposato; seconded by Representatives Mattiello and Newberry the House adjourns, on a unanimous rising vote.

**Linda M. McElroy**  
Recording Clerk

**APPENDIX****INVOCATION****REPRESENTATIVE GRACE DIAZ**

Lord, in every time and place you have raised up champions for your people. We remember before you today the example of Martin Luther King, Jr. Strengthen, we pray, the arms of all who fight the good fight. Amen.

## APPENDIX

## CALENDAR

## IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 02, 2012:

1.     **2012-H 7055**  
      **BY** Carnevale  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS  
  
      Committee on Finance recommends passage.
2.     **2012-H 7236**  
      **BY** Costa  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN TO  
      FINANCE REPLACEMENTS AND RENOVATIONS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT  
      FOR THE DAVISVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL AND THE FISHING COVE,  
      HAMILTON, QUIDNESSET AND STONY LANE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS AND  
  
      Committee on Finance recommends passage.
3.     **2012-H 7014**  
      **BY** Azzinaro  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE RETIREMENT OF POLICE OFFICERS  
      IN THE TOWN OF WESTERLY  
  
      Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.
4.     **2012-H 7047**  
      **BY** Corvese  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE  
  
      Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.
5.     **2012-H 7186 SUB A**  
      **BY** Ucci  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RETIREMENT OF  
      MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES  
  
      Committee on Municipal Government recommends indefinite postponement of  
      the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
6.     **2012-H 7273**  
      **BY** Malik  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -  
      PROBATE COURTS  
  
      Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.



**IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 07, 2012:**

- 1. 2012-H 7259**  
**BY** Petrarca  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF ITALICI, L.L.C.

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.
- 2. 2012-H 7235 SUB A**  
**BY** Serpa  
**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND TO IMPLEMENT PROGRAMS AND METHODOLOGY TO IMPROVE MEDICAID INTEGRITY IN THE STATE

Committee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 3. 2012-H 7084**  
**BY** Keable  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS - CUSTODY AND PROTECTION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 4. 2012-H 7122 as amended**  
**BY** Ruggiero  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - LOBBYING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended.
- 5. 2012-H 7202**  
**BY** Edwards  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 6. 2012-H 7221**  
**BY** Martin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

7.     **2012-H 7240**  
      **BY** O`Grady  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

8.     **2012-H 7241**  
      **BY** Ferri  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

9.     **2012-H 7270**  
      **BY** Mattiello  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

10.    **2012-H 7280**  
      **BY** Ruggiero  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

11.    **2012-S 2025**  
      **BY** McCaffrey  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 08, 2012:**

1.     **2012-H 7048**  
      **BY** Kennedy  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT  
      OF LOCAL TAXES

Committee on Municipal Government recommends passage.

2.     **2012-H 7057**  
      **BY** Newberry  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

- 3.     2012-H 7111**  
**BY** Ajello  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -  
STATE POLICE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

**Francis McCabe**  
Clerk of the House

**Wednesday, February 01, 2012**