

# State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

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# Journal of the Senate

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Fifty Ninth Legislative Day

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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Dominick J. Ruggerio, President of the Senate, at 5:16 o'clock P.M.

## ROLL CALL

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 36 Senators present and 1 Senator absent as follows:

**PRESENT – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**ABSENT – 1:** Senator DaPonte.

## 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.

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President of the Senate presents the following communication:



June 12, 2018

The Honorable Dominick J. Ruggerio  
President of the Senate  
State House, Room 318  
Providence, RI 02903

Dear President Ruggerio,

Please be advised that I will be absent from the Chamber on Tuesday, June 12, 2018 due to a family commitment.

Please record my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted

Daniel DaPonte  
Senator, District 14

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES****COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

Chairwoman Lynch Prata, from the Committee on Judiciary reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**House Bill No. 8184****BY** O`Grady

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Joseph LaCascio to join Michelle Botelho and Richard P. Botelho in marriage on or about September 29, 2018, within the Town of Smithfield, Rhode Island.)  
{LC5563/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 8268****BY** Keable, Casey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Michael R. Egan, Esq., to join Caitlin Ann Bousquet and Dustin Christopher Reeder in marriage on or about July 6, 2018, within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island.)  
{LC5824/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 2867****BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES (Makes driving under the influence with any child under thirteen (13) years of age in the vehicle a felony punishable by up to five (5) years imprisonment, a five thousand dollar (\$5,000) fine, and a loss of license of up to two (2) years.)  
{LC4154/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT**

Chairman Ciccone, from the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**House Bill No. 7776 SUB A**

(Department of Transportation)

**BY** Marszalkowski, Casimiro

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - DEFINITIONS AND GENERAL CODE PROVISIONS (Amends several provisions relative to truck size and weight limitations to be compatible with federal law.)  
{LC4924/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

**REQUEST FOR REMOVING ITEMS**

Senator Calkin asks to remove the following items 2, 3, and 4 from the Consent Calendar and place them of the bottom of today's Calendar.

**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2018:**

- 1. The Appointment of Michael S. Van Leesten (Mayoral Nomination) VICE Melissa Husband to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2020.**

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

- 5. 2018-S 2960**  
**BY Metts**  
**ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO CONDUCT A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING THE APPROPRIATE STATE AGENCY TO HOUSE ADULT EDUCATION**

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

- 6. 2018-S 2962**  
**BY Lombardi**  
**ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF ETTA MANOCCHIO**

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

- 7. 2018-S 2966**  
**BY Sosnowski**  
**ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE RHODE ISLAND WATER RESOURCES BOARD AND WATER SUPPLY**

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

- 8. 2018-H 7604**  
**BY Ackerman**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- CONSUMER EMPOWERMENT AND IDENTITY PREVENTION ACT OF 2006**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**9. 2018-H 7559****BY** Canario**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

**10. 2018-H 8054****BY** Fogarty**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY - NAMING THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND WELCOME CENTER

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage in concurrence.

Upon motion of Senator McCaffrey, seconded by Senator Algiere, the following measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2018:****13. The Reappointment of Donald Gomez (Appointed or Elected Official from a Coastal Municipality of More than 25,000 Population) to the Coastal Resources Management Council for a term expiring January 31, 2020.**

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

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

Senator Sosnowski moves that advice and consent of the Senate be Given this appointment, seconded by Senators Felag, and Lynch Prata.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, on a roll call vote, with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows.

**YEAS – 33:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS – 1: Senator Calkin.

**14. The Reappointment of Michael S. Hudner (Appointed or Elected Official from a Municipality of Less than 25,000 Population) to the Coastal Resources Management Council for a term expiring January 31, 2020.**

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

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

Senator Sosnowski moves that advice and consent of the Senate be Given this appointment, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Goodwin, Lynch Prata, Conley, Coyne, and DiPalma.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, on a roll call vote, with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows.

**YEAS – 34:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS – 1: Senator Calkin.

**15. The Reappointment of Patricia G. Reynolds (Appointed or Elected Official from a Coastal Municipality of More than 25,000 Population) to the Coastal Resources Management Council for a term expiring January 31, 2020.**

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

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

Senator Sosnowski moves that advice and consent of the Senate be Given this appointment, seconded by Senators Felag, McCaffrey, Goodwin, and Coyne.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, on a roll call vote, with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows.

**YEAS – 33:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS – 1: Senator Calkin.

**1. 2018-S 2330****BY** Lombardo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS --  
ELECTRIC GENERATION SERVICE

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

Senator Lombardo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Nesselbush, Goodwin, Archambault, Conley, Picard, Euer, and DiPalma.

The act is read and passed, on 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 Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.**NAYS – 0:****2. 2018-S 2332****BY** Picard**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS --  
DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

Senator Piccard moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Conley, Coyne, Lombardo, Sosnowski, Quezada, and Archambault.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 35:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.**NAYS – 1:** Senator Gee.**3. 2018-S 2502 SUB A****BY** Euer**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --  
HAWKERS AND PEDDLERS

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

Senator Euer moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Goldin, Cano, Goodwin, Lynch Prata, Lombardi, Satchell, Archambault, DiPalma, and Coyne..

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 35:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan.

**NAYS – 0:**

### GUESTS

Upon the suggestion of Senators Euer and by unanimous consent, The Honorable President of the Senate, welcomes to the Chamber Jason Coase of Presto Strango Coffee, Patty Prew of Haven Brothers Mobile, and Eric Weiner of Food Trucks Inc.

Upon the suggestion of Senators Goldin and by unanimous consent, The Honorable President of the Senate, welcomes to the Chamber Tom Wright of Friskie Fries Providence.

Upon the suggestion of Senators Pearson and by unanimous consent, The Honorable President of the Senate, welcomes to the Chamber David and Kristen Livesay of Open Season Food Truck, and Michael Strout of Gotta Q BBQ.

### CALENDAR

**4. 2018-S 2785 SUB A**

**BY** Miller

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INDIVIDUAL HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE

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

*Upon the suggestion of Senator Goodwin, this act is ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 14, 2018.*

**5. 2018-S 2135 SUB A**

**BY** Ciccone

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

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



Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, Lombardo, Lombardi, Gallo, Sosnowski, Crowley, Archambault, and Coyne.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**6. 2018-S 2284**

**BY** Seveney

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -  
FLASHING VEHICLE LIGHTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Seveney moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, DiPalma, Archambault, Cano, Lombardo, Lombardi, Nesselbush, Sosnowski, and Quezada.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**7. 2018-S 2285**

**BY** Lombardi

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -  
ELECTIVE SHARE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Lombardi moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardo, Archambault, McCaffrey, Felag, Nesselbush, and Coyne.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**8. 2018-S 2426 SUB A**

**BY** Lombardi

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -  
UNINSURED MOTORIST IDENTIFICATION DATABASE PROCEDURE

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

Senator Lombardi moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Gallo, Lombardi, and Nesselbush.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**9. 2018-S 2458**

**BY** Lynch Prata

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT  
CHILDREN - PROCEEDINGS IN FAMILY COURT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Lynch Prata moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Archambault, Lombardi, Felag, and Nesselbush.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**10. 2018-S 2575 SUB A****BY** Euer**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY POTENTIAL REFORM OF VICIOUS DOGS HEARINGS

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

Senator Euer moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, Lombardi, Lombardo, Nesselbush, Coyne, and DiPalma.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**11. 2018-S 2577 SUB A****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- OFFICE OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

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

Senator Goodwin moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Fogarty, Lynch Prata, Gallo, Miller, Metts, Quezada, Satchell, Cano, Seveney, Archambault, and DiPalma.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

**12. 2018-S 2614****BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - VITAL RECORDS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Miller moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Satchell, Lynch Prata, Goodwin, Conley, Jabour, Archambault, Calkin, Euer.

Senator, Miller seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, Archambault, Goldin, and Euer, offers the following written motion to amend.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT****TO****2018 -- S 2614****AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - VITAL RECORDS**

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2018 -- S 2614, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - VITAL RECORDS", as follows:

1. On page 2, between lines 12 and 13, by inserting the following language:

"(2) Any additional documents authorized by the Rhode Island department of health."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Miller

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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 Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 0:**

Senator Miller moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, and Satchell.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 2 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS – 33:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Crowley, Coyne, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

**NAYS – 2:** Senators Metts, and Morgan.

### **TRANSMITTAL**

By unanimous consent, all matters on the Secretary's desk are ordered to be transmitted to Her Excellency, the Governor, the Honorable Secretary of State or to the Honorable House of Representatives forthwith.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Senator Archambault announces that the Committee on Judiciary will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 313 of the State House.

Senator Cote announces that the Committee on Commerce will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 212 of the State House.

Senator Goldin announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 310 of the State House.

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

Senator Metts announces that the Committee on Education will meet tomorrow at the rise of the Senate in Room 313 of the State House.

Senator Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 211 of the State House.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate adjourns at 5:49 o'clock P.M.

**ROBERT L. RICCI**  
*Secretary of the Senate*

**Appendix****INVOCATION****SENATOR PAUL W. FOGARTY**

Almighty God, may we pursue our tasks with a sense of Your presence. Give us the wisdom not to squander energy on things that do not matter nor put off until tomorrow that which can be done today. Amen.

**Appendix**  
**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2018:**

- 1.     2018-H 7478**  
**BY** Solomon  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
- 2.     2018-H 7522**  
**BY** Corvese  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - VOTER REGISTRATION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
- 3.     2018-H 7560**  
**BY** Corvese  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- RETAIL SALE OF GASOLINE

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.
- 4.     2018-H 8184**  
**BY** O`Grady  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
- 5.     2018-H 8268**  
**BY** Keable  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 2018:**

- 1.     2018-H 7652**  
**BY** Ackerman  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - CHILDREN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**2. 2018-H 7261 SUB A****BY** Maldonado**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL  
LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.



**Appendix**  
**CALENDAR**

**IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2018:**

- 1. The Reappointment of Patrick T. Burke of Chepachet as Special Magistrate for the Superior Court for a ten (10) year term.**

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

- 2. 2018-S 2397**  
**BY** Conley  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- HEALTH CARE FACILITIES STAFFING

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

- 3. 2018-S 2955**  
**BY** Sosnowski  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION - COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

- 4. 2018-S 2010**  
**BY** Raptakis  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COVENTRY SEWER AUTHORITY

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

- 5. 2018-S 2656**  
**BY** Morgan  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION - EXEMPTION FOR INDIGENT AND INFIRM PERSONS IN THE TOWN OF WEST GREENWICH

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 6. 2018-S 2857**  
**BY** Morgan  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

**7. 2018-S 2911****BY** Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,900,000 TO FINANCE NEW CONSTRUCTION, DEMOLITION, RENOVATIONS AND/OR IMPROVEMENTS TO JAMESTOWN GOLF COURSE AND FACILITIES AT 245 CONANICUS AVENUE AND RELATED EQUIPMENT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**8. 2018-S 2912****BY** Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN TO FINANCE LIBRARY RENOVATIONS, REPAIRS AND/OR EXPANSION AND RELATED EQUIPMENT BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**9. 2018-S 2913****BY** Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JAMESTOWN TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$5,900,000 TO FINANCE REPLACEMENTS, RENOVATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT AT THE JAMESTOWN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**10. 2018-S 2920****BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT, REPAIR, ALTERATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2020 AND 2021

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**11. 2018-S 2921****BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF ROAD SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AND TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2020 AND 2021

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**12. 2018-S 2922****BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR OF BRIDGES AND ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2020 AND 2021

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**13. 2018-S 2923****BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$220,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE CITY, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING AID AT A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OR STATE SHARE RATIO OF NOT LESS THAN 75% FOR EXPENDITURES ELIGIBLE FOR STATE AID AND PROVIDED THAT THE AUTHORIZATION SHALL BE REDUCED BY ANY GRANT RECEIVED FROM THE SCHOOL BUILDING AUTHORITY CAPITAL FUND

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

**14. 2018-S 2924 SUB A****BY** Fogarty

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

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

15.   **2018-S 2937**  
      **BY** Quezada  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL  
      LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

16.   **2018-S 2938**  
      **BY** Goodwin  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL  
      LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

17.   **2018-S 2811**  
      **BY** Gallo  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY - PERMANENT  
      JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES  
      AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

**IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 2018:**

1.    **2018-S 2785 SUB A**  
      **BY** Miller  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INDIVIDUAL HEALTH  
      INSURANCE COVERAGE

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

2.    **2018-S 2867**  
      **BY** Goodwin  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR  
      VEHICLE OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

3.    **2018-S 2557 SUB A**  
      **BY** Ciccone  
      **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -  
      DEFINITIONS AND GENERAL CODE PROVISIONS

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

**4. 2018-H 7776 SUB A****BY** Marszalkowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -  
DEFINITIONS AND GENERAL CODE PROVISIONS

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

**5. 2018-H 7543****BY** Handy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - PARTY CONVENTIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

**Appendix****TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR ON TUESDAY, JUNE 12<sup>TH</sup>****House Bill No. 7559****BY** Canario, Edwards**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Allows the Tiverton town council to grant, by ordinance, property tax credits and removes the current property assessment value-based tax exemptions for veterans, gold star parents and visually impaired persons.)

{LC4651/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

**House Bill No. 7604**

(Attorney General)

**BY** Ackerman, Shekarchi, Handy, Newberry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- CONSUMER EMPOWERMENT AND IDENTITY PREVENTION ACT OF 2006 (Provides that a consumer report agency may not charge a consumer a fee for any security freeze service. Effective September 1, 2018.)

{LC4311/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

**House Bill No. 8054****BY** Fogarty, Craven, McEntee, Abney, Tanzi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY - NAMING THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND WELCOME CENTER (Names the welcome center at the University of Rhode Island "The Robert J. Higgins Welcome Center.")

{LC5386/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.