

# State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

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# Journal of the Senate

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**JANUARY SESSION of the General Assembly begun and held at the State House in the City of Providence on Tuesday, the First day of January in the year of Our Lord Two Thousand and Nineteen.**

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Fifty Seventh Legislative Day

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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Dominick J. Ruggiero, President of the Senate, at 5:32 o'clock P.M.

## **ROLL CALL**

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 37 Senators present and 1 Senator absent as follows:

**PRESENT –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggiero, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**ABSENT – 1:** Senator Picard.

## **INVOCATION**

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

## **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

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

## **APPROVAL OF RECORD**

The Senate Journal of the Fifty Sixth Legislative Day of the 2019 proceedings is read in part.

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

### APPOINTMENTS BY THE GOVERNOR

The Honorable President of the Senate presents the following communication from Her Excellency, The Governor, transmitting the following appointments and requesting the advice and consent of the Senate thereto:



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §16-97-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Board of Education:

**Tim DelGiudice**  
(Council on Postsecondary Education)

For a term expiring January 31, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Education.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §16-97-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Board of Education:

**Rachelle Green**  
(Council on Postsecondary Education)

For a term expiring January 31, 2021.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Education.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §16-97-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Board of Education:

**Tom Izzo**

(Council on Postsecondary Education)

For a term expiring January 31, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Education.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §16-97-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Board of Education:

**Mike Mello**

(Council on Postsecondary Education)

VICE

Joseph J. MarcAurele

For a term expiring January 31, 2021.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

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Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Education.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §16-97-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Board of Education:

**Barbara Mullen**  
(Council on Postsecondary Education)

VICE  
Heather Crosby

For a term expiring January 31, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Education.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 46-28-5 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Rhode Island Rivers Council:

**Michael Bradlee**  
(Public Member)

For a term expiring June 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gina Raimondo".

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section § 5-71-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Board of Examiners of Interpreters for the Deaf:

**Carol Fay**

(Nationally Certified Interpreter)

For a term expiring November 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Health and Human Services.





STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section § 5-71-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Board of Examiners of Interpreters for the Deaf:

**Charley H. Thorn**  
(Consumer)

For a term expiring November 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Health and Human Services.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §23-27.3-100.1.4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Building Code Standards Committee:

**Michael Newman**

For a term expiring May 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §23-27.3-100.1.4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Building Code Standards Committee:

**Alfred DeCorte**

For a term expiring May 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gina Raimondo".

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §45-53-7 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the State Housing Appeals Board:

**Robert Najarian**

(Zoning board representative from a small community)

For a term expiring January 1, 2023

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §45-53-7 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the State Housing Appeals Board:

**Mary Meagher**

(Town council Member from city/town with less than 25,000 in population)

For a term expiring January 1, 2023

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gina Raimondo".

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §39-18-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Rhode Island Transit Authority:

**Joshua Brumberger**

For a term expiring April 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS  
**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR GINA M. RAIMONDO**

GINA M. RAIMONDO, GOVERNOR

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section §39-18-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Rhode Island Transit Authority:

**Jose Rosario, Jr.**

VICE  
Mark Sousa

For a term expiring April 1, 2022.

To this appointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.

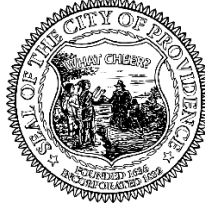
Sincerely,

Gina M. Raimondo  
Governor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.

## APPOINTMENTS

Mayor of Providence, transmits the following appointments and requests the advice and consent of the Senate:



**Mayor of Providence**  
Jorge O. Elorza

May 15, 2019

Honorable Dominick J. Ruggerio, Senate President  
82 Smith Street, Room 318  
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Senate President Ruggerio,

It is my honor to recommend the reappointment of Stan Israel to the Rhode Island Convention Center Authority for a term to expire on June 30, 2023.

I have known Stan for several years and have worked with him in a number of capacities. I am confident that his nearly three decades of proven leadership experience in Rhode Island will be a valuable addition to the Authority.

His commitment and leadership in Rhode Island over the years has proven to be a benefit to the Rhode Island Convention Center Authority and his dedication and enthusiasm over the past four years as a member of this Board has been valuable.

I respectfully urge that you approve and recommend his reappointment.

Thank you for his attention to this matter.

Sincerely

Jorge O. Elorza  
Mayor

Referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.



**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES****COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

Chairwoman Gallo, from the Committee on Education, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

*The Appointment of Lawrence E. Purtill VICE Scott Duhamel to the Rhode Island Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2022.*

From the Committee on Education to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 869 SUB A**

**BY** Metts, Goodwin, Gallo, Quezada, Pearson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CERTIFICATION OF TEACHERS

(Allows teachers to obtain certification as a principal in an expedited period of time.)

{LC2552/A/2}

From the Committee on Education to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 863 SUB A**

**BY** Gallo, Ruggerio, Goodwin, McCaffrey, Algieri

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CURRICULUM (Requires the commissioner of education to develop statewide academic standards and curriculum frameworks for the core subjects of mathematics, English language arts, science and technology, history and social studies, world languages, and the arts.)

{LC2561/A/1}

From the Committee on Education to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 864 SUB A**

**BY** Satchell, DiPalma, Pearson, Seveney, Paolino

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM (Direct the council on elementary and secondary education to provide professional support and assistance to LEAs regarding effective ways to use data such as the LEA's budget and demographics, school culture, and assessments to improve student performance.)

{LC2557/A/1}

From the Committee on Education to the Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Chairman Conley, from the Committee on Finance, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**Senate Resolution No. 59**

**BY** DiPalma, Conley, Seveney, Coyne, Paolino

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS AND THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO INCREASE CERTAIN DIRECT WORKER WAGES

{LC241/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 767**

**BY** Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION - VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS (Grants the town council of the town of Jamestown the authority to provide for certain exemptions or tax credits for any veteran of the United States armed services.)

{LC1615/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 54**

**BY** Lombardi, Algieri, McCaffrey, Felag, Ciccone

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- SALES AND USE TAXES-- LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION (Adds urns and shrouds, prayer cards and other items customarily sold or provided by a funeral director to those funeral items which are already exempt from sales and use taxes.)

{LC475/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT**

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

*The Appointment of Domenic Pontarelli VICE Roy Coulombe to the East Providence Waterfront District for a term expiring March 31, 2020.*

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Maureen Martin to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Appointment of Michelle Wilcox VICE Karen Santilli to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Appointment of Normand G. Benoit, Esq. to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Appointment of Robert Kells VICE Princess Bomba Rhode Island Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Robin Main to the State Properties Committee for a term expiring March 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Constance R. Pemmerl to the State Properties Committee for a term expiring March 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Appointment of Scott Kettelle VICE John Woodard, Sr. to the Fire Education & Training Coordinating Board for a term expiring January 31, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

***The Appointment of Scott Corio VICE Mark P. Vincent to the Fire Education & Training Coordinating Board for a term expiring January 31, 2022.***

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 897 SUB A****BY** Paolino, Pearson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CONSOLIDATION OF THE ALBION AND SAYLESVILLE FIRE DISTRICTS INTO THE NEW LINCOLN FIRE DISTRICT (Effectuates the consolidation of the Albion and Saylesville Fire Districts into a newly created Lincoln Fire District.)

{LC2220/A/1}

From the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government to the Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

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

**Senate Resolution No. 367****BY** DiPalma, Seveney, Coyne, Felag, Lawson**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND SUPPORTING THE "KNOW BEFORE YOU FLY" CAMPAIGN AS AN OFFICIAL SOURCE OF SAFETY EDUCATION FOR PROSPECTIVE AND ACTIVE OPERATORS OF UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS IN RHODE ISLAND

{LC1268/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 900****BY** Raptakis**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Charlotte Porter to join Samantha Cole and William Lyons in marriage on or about August 10, 2019, within the City of Pawtucket, Rhode Island.)

{LC2662/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 902****BY** Algieri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows John Pinkos to join Jessica Cobb and Alden Gordon in marriage on or about August 3, 2019, within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island.)

{LC2670/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 903****BY** Coyne, Seveney, Euer**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Robert Paul Hasenstab to join Lyndsie Martha Andrade and Christopher Drew Chamberlin in marriage on or about October 13, 2019, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island.)

{LC2634/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 904****BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Laura Zaniol to join Karen B. Correia and Elden C. DaSilva in marriage on or about September 6, 2019, within the Town of Middletown, Rhode Island.)

{LC2664/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 905****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows the Honorable Joseph I. Macy to join Vanessa A. Coelho and Michael Travis Kissane in marriage on or about October 6, 2019, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island.)

{LC2595/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 6047****BY** Quattrocchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Calden B. Collins to join Alyssa Beth Collins and Joshua Ernest Rogers in marriage on or about November 30, 2019, within the City of Pawtucket, Rhode Island.)

{LC2528/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 6048****BY** Abney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Arnold Haskins Campbell, Esq., to join Alexandra Campbell Swoyer and Jeffrey Michael Carbone in marriage on or about August 9, 2019, within the Town of Middletown, Rhode Island.)

{LC2518/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**House Bill No. 6093****BY** Abney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows James Frank Duryea, II, to join Katherine Harris Adams and Edward Joseph Donovan, Jr., in marriage on or about September 28, 2019, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island.)

{LC2589/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Consent Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 31 SUB A****BY** Satchell, Seveney, Lawson, Nesselbush, Cano**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -- SUPPORTED DECISION-MAKING ACT (Establishes the supported decision-making act which is a less restrictive alternative to guardianship for utilization of the probate courts.)

{LC76/A/2}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 77 SUB A****BY** Miller, DiPalma, Coyne, Conley, Euer**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- THE UNIFORMED CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT (Expands drug awareness programs to high schools, directs funding from certain civil fines and mandates establishment of criteria for funding.)

{LC627/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 365****BY** Nesselbush, Lawson, Bell, Quezada, Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES (Makes the owner of any vehicle not inspected as required by §§ 31-38-3 or 31-38-4 responsible for any fines or penalties imposed as a result of non-inspection and would prohibit any law enforcement officer from citing the operator of said vehicle.)

{LC1296/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 458****BY** Felag**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - SERVICE CONTRACTS (Defines service contracts and clarifies that consumer service contracts are not insurance and not otherwise subject to the insurance code.)

{LC1679/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 495**

(Judiciary)

**BY** Archambault**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Adds the administrator of the supreme court as an individual authorized to perform marriages and would clarify that the current administrators of the superior court, family court, district court, or traffic tribunal are empowered to perform marriages.)

{LC1698/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 603 SUB A**

(Dept. of Elderly Affairs)

**BY** Coyne, Seveney, DiPalma, Euer, Goldin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ABUSE IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES (Makes amendments providing for additional reporting duties and requirements for persons with knowledge of mistreatment or neglect of elders.)

{LC1878/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 628**

(Board of Elections)

**BY** Goldin, Euer, DiPalma, Algieri, Lynch Prata**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - ELECTIVE MEETINGS (Mandates that polls in all cities and towns except New Shoreham open at 7 am and provides time for receipt of ballots cast outside the US.)

{LC1945/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 699 SUB A****BY** Ruggerio, Ciccone, Pearson, Lombardo, Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY (Prohibits pet shops from offering for sale cats or dogs that are not obtained from an animal shelter, dog pound or animal rescue. Further prohibits any person from selling, exchanging, trading, bartering or displaying any dog or cat in public.)

{LC2016/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 779****BY** Goodwin, McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO PUBLIC SAFETY DOGS AND HORSES (Provides special protection to public safety canines and horses that are intentionally or maliciously subjected to cruelty, injuries, or death, by increasing the potential criminal and civil penalties for the offenders.)

{LC2319/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 788****BY** Lynch Prata**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INSURERS' REHABILITATION AND LIQUIDATION ACT--INSURANCE RECEIVERSHIP MODEL ACT (Adopts a portion of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners (NAIC) model act with respect to receiverships, specifically with regards to how derivative contracts are treated in cases of insurance receiverships.)

{LC2301/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 845 SUB A****BY** Coyne, McCaffrey, Lombardi, Conley, Lynch Prata**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -- LIMITED GUARDIANSHIP AND GUARDIANSHIP OF ADULTS (Requires that all persons seeking appointment as a limited guardian or guardian pursuant to chapter 15 of title 33 ("Limited Guardianships and Guardianship of Adults") be required to undergo a criminal background check.)

{LC2427/A/2}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.



**Senate Bill No. 855****BY** McCaffrey, Lynch Prata, McKenney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS -- RHODE ISLAND T.F. GREEN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (Renames the state airport in Warwick from "T.F. Green state airport" to "Rhode Island T.F. Green International Airport.")

{LC2442/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 494 SUB A****BY** Lynch Prata, McKenney, McCaffrey, Archambault, Euer**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - PROCEDURE IN PARTICULAR ACTIONS - CONTRIBUTION AMONG JOINT TORTFEASORS (Provides that a release by one claimant relative to claims relating to the Feld Entertainment/Ringling Brothers Circus accident of 5/4/14 would not discharge other joint tortfeasors.)

{LC1648/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**House Bill No. 5475 SUB A****BY** Shekarchi, McEntee, Craven, Millea, Jackson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--PROCEDURE IN PARTICULAR ACTIONS -- CONTRIBUTION AMONG JOINT TORTFEASORS (Settlement of claim related to Ringling Circus incident shall not discharge other joint tortfeasors.)

{LC1533/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**NEW BUSINESS****Senate Resolution No. 963****BY** de la Cruz, Ruggiero, Paolino, Morgan, Algieri**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND THANKING THE BURRILLVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR ITS EFFORTS TO PROMOTE SCHOOL SAFETY

{LC2688/1}

Placed on the Senate Consent Calendar.

**Senate Resolution No. 964****BY** Nesselbush**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION JOYOUSLY CELEBRATING AND  
COMMEMORATING PRIDE MONTH IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
{LC2817/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator Nesselbush requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Nesselbush moves passage, seconded by Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

The resolution is read and passed upon a voice vote.

**Senate Bill No. 965****BY** McCaffrey, Lynch Prata, McKenney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE CITY OF WARWICK -- SEWER AUTHORITY  
(Modifies Warwick Sewer Authority Act by expanding number of members; increasing number  
of votes for bylaw changes; providing for as many as thirty year installment payments; relieves  
owners with functioning septic systems from assessments for 20 years.)  
{LC2818/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Environment and Agriculture.

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

**IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2019:**

1. *the Reappointment of Geri-Ann DiPaolo to the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2022.*

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

2. *the Reappointment of Jeanne M. Boyle to the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2022.*

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

3. ***the Appointment of Diana Ducharme VICE Joseph White to the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation for a term expiring July 1, 2022.***

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

4. ***the Reappointment of Kelly Knee (Representing a Research Laboratory in Rhode Island) to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.***

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

5. ***the Reappointment of Henry A. Walker, Ph.D. (Representing a Research Laboratory in Rhode Island) to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.***

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

6. ***the Reappointment of J. Timmons Roberts, Ph.D. (Representing an Institution of Higher Education in Rhode Island) to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.***

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

7. ***the Appointment of Arthur Spivack (Representing an Institution of Higher Education in Rhode Island) VICE Carol Thornber to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.***

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

8. ***the Appointment of Nicholas Ucci (Representing a State Agency with Expertise in, and Responsibility for, VICE James Boyd to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.***

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

9. *the Appointment of Lilly Picchione (Representing a State Agency with Expertise in, and Responsibility for, VICE Jason Osenkowski to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.*

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

10. *the Appointment of Tracey Dalton (Representing an Institution of Higher Education in Rhode Island) VICE Peter August to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.*

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

11. *the Appointment of Michael Baer (Representing a State Agency with Expertise in, and Responsibility for, VICE Shoshana Lew to the Rhode Island Executive Climate Change Council Science and Technical Advisory Board for a term expiring June 30, 2022.*

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

12. **2019-S 958**

**BY** Raptakis

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 19TH OF 2019 AS "GREEK PONTIAN GENOCIDE REMEMBRANCE DAY" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Ordered on the Consent Calendar

13. **2019-H 5016**

**BY** Azzinaro

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY VETERAN AND MILITARY SPOUSE EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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

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

**YEAS –35:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**RECUSE – 1:** Senator Bell.

### 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 Quezada announces that the Committee on Commerce will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 211 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 Goldin announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet today at the rise of the Senate in Room 212 of the State House.

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

### GUESTS

Upon the suggestion of Senator Goodwin and by Unanimous consent, The Honorable President of the Senate, welcomes to the Chamber Dot Shia.

Upon the suggestion of Senator Morgan and by Unanimous consent, The Honorable President of the Senate, welcomes to the Chamber Father Giacomo Capoverdi, and Maria Piro Fusaro.

### RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate stands at recess at 5:52 o'clock P.M.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES****COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Chairman Conley, from the Committee on Finance, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**Senate Bill No. 134**

**BY** DiPalma, Pearson, Felag, Seveney, Cano

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - WITHHOLDING OF TAX (Provides that the non-resident withholding requirement for a corporation that sells real estate be consistent with the seven percent (7%) corporate income tax rate.)

{LC591/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 272**

**BY** Conley, Goldin, Euer, Valverde, Miller

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX (Raises the earned income tax credit from fifteen percent (15%) to twenty percent (20%) for the tax years 2020 and beyond.)

{LC1230/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 568**

**BY** Euer, McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- COASTAL AND RIVERINE HOME PROTECTION (Enables cities and towns to provide property tax relief to individuals who take resiliency measures to rehabilitate their property because of flood hazards)

{LC1937/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 667**

(by request)

**BY** Algieri

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE HOLDINGS OF MEMORIAL AND LIBRARY ASSOCIATION OF WESTERLY (Authorizes the Memorial and Library Association of Westerly to take, hold, transmit and convey real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding sixty-five million dollars (\$65,000,000).)

{LC2161/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**Senate Resolution No. 675**

(RI Turnpike & Bridge Authority)

**BY** DiPalma, Felag, Seveney, Euer

**ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO DEBT MANAGEMENT ACT**

(Authorizes approval of \$50,000,000 Rhode Island Turnpike and Bridge Authority Revenue Bonds secured by toll, transfers of motor fuel taxes and other revenues to provide funds to maintain and improve certain bridges and projects.)

{LC2210/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 740**

**BY** Ciccone, Lombardo, Gallo, Lombardi, McCaffrey

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES --**

INSURANCE BENEFITS (Entitles correctional officers with twenty-five (25) years of service and who are at least fifty-five (55) years of age to receive a non-Medicare-eligible retiree health care insurance benefit.)

{LC439/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**House Bill No. 5160**

**BY** Slater, Diaz, Hull, Blazejewski, Walsh

**ENTITLED, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAW § 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$160,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO FUND THE SCHOOL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS PLAN FOR THE FISCAL YEARS 2019-2024 (Serves as the enabling act required by Rhode Island General Laws § 16-7-44 in order for the interest on bonds issued in support of school housing projects to be eligible for state housing aid reimbursement.)**

{LC745/1}

From the Committee on Finance to the Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE**

Vice Chairwoman Quezada, from the Committee on Commerce, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

***The Appointment of Marc Crisafulli to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Calendar.

***The Appointment of Brendan P. Doherty VICE Edwin Santos to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Calendar.

***The Appointment of Brendan Doherty VICE Shannon Brawley to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Calendar.

***The Appointment of Don Gralnek VICE Jon Justo to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Robert C. Davis to the I-195 Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Gregory Mancini to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Scot Jones to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Susan Leach DeBlasio to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Consent Calendar.

***The Reappointment of Michael F. McNally to the I-195 Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.***

From the Committee on Commerce to the Consent Calendar.



**COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

Chairman Miller, from the Committee on Health and Human Services, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**Senate Bill No. 292**

**BY** Gallo, Ciccone

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - DELEGATION OF NON-ABLATIVE TREATMENTS (Establishes procedures regulating the delegation of non-ablative laser hair removal treatments.)

{LC1516/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 302**

**BY** Coyne, Miller, Satchell, Lynch Prata, Gallo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE LICENSING ACT (Allows those individuals who do not otherwise meet the requirements, to reside in an Alzheimer's special care unit or program.)

{LC1264/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 448**

**BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - LICENSURE OF INTERPRETERS FOR THE DEAF (Prohibits a person who is under the age of eighteen (18) to work or volunteer in the medical settings including mental health and behavioral health care facilities for any deaf and hard of hearing clients or patients.)

{LC1467/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 576**

**BY** Miller

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF MASSAGE THERAPISTS (Makes sweeping changes to the law on massage therapy licensing.)

{LC1511/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 679****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES (Prohibits cost sharing for persons forty-five (45) years or older for colorectal screening examinations, laboratory tests and colonoscopies covered by health insurance policies.)

{LC2095/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 680****BY** Miller, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Goodwin, Satchell**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- ENSURING ACCESS TO HIGH QUALITY CARE FOR THE TREATMENT OF SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS (Establishes the medication assisted treatment (MAT) program which uses medications, in combination with counseling and behavioral therapies, to create a comprehensive approach to the treatment of substance use disorders.)

{LC1521/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 773 SUB A****BY** Pearson, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - SEPSIS PROTOCOLS (Requires hospitals to adopt, implement, periodically update and submit to the director of health, evidence-based protocols for the early recognition and treatment of patients with sepsis and septic shock.)

{LC2138/A/1}

From the Committee on Health and Human Services to the Calendar.

**CALL TO ORDER**

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Honorable Dominick J. Ruggerio, President of the Senate, at 7:54 o'clock P.M.

## CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

**IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2019:**

1. **2019-S 712 SUB A**  
**BY** Ciccone  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR - UNION REPRESENTATION

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardo, Lombardi, Nesselbush, Sheehan, Archambault, Metts, Cano, Bell, 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, 0 Senators voting in the negative, and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

**YEAS –36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**RECUSED – 1:** Senator Lawson.

2. **2019-S 909**  
**BY** Ciccone  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - WORKERS' COMPENSATION

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardo, Lombardi, Nesselbush, McCaffrey, Cano, and Bell.

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 Ruggiero, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**3. 2019-S 384**

**BY** de la Cruz

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- THE GOLD STAR FAMILY HIGHWAY

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator de la Cruz moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Felag, Lombardi, Sheehan, Lawson, and Satchell.

Senator de la Cruz, seconded by Senators Bell, Rogers, Satchell, and Lombardi, offers the following written motion to amend.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT**

**TO**

**2019 -- S 0384**

AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- THE GOLD STAR FAMILY HIGHWAY

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2019 -- S 0384, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- THE GOLD STAR FAMILY HIGHWAY", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 5 through line 7, by deleting all the language contained thereon, and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

"The stretch of route 102 known as Chopmist Hill Road, from Route 44 in Chepachet to the southern boundary of the town of Glocester shall be assigned the honorary name "Gold Star Family Highway." The honorary name "Gold Star Family Highway" shall be only identified by signage installed on the above named stretch of highway. The existing official name and route numbers in effect at the time of enactment

of this section shall not be changed or affected in any way by the honorary naming of this stretch of highway."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator de la Cruz

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

Senator de la Cruz, moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Rogers, DiPalma, and Lombardi.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

4. **2019-S 74**  
**BY** Lombardi  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - SALES AND USE TAXES - ENFORCEMENT AND COLLECTION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Upon the motion of Senator Goodwin this bill is recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary.

5. **2019-S 474**  
**BY** Crowley  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Crowley moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Sosnowski, and Felag.

Senator Crowley, seconded by Senators DiPalma, Lynch Prata, and Nesselbush., offers the following written motion to amend.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT**

**TO**

**2019 -- S 0474**

**AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS**

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2019 -- S 0474, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 5, by deleting the word "no".
2. On page 1, line 17 through line 19, by deleting the language contained therein.

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR CROWLEY

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

Senator Crowley, moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Sheehan, and Nesselbush.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**6. 2019-S 259**

**BY** Lynch Prata

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS CERTIFICATION ACT

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

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

Senator Bell discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 1:** Senator Bell.

**7. 2019-S 109 SUB A**

**BY** Lynch Prata

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -  
MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

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

Senator Lynch Prata, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Felag, Sheehan, Lawson, Metts, Bell, Valverde, Goldin, and Archambault.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**8. 2019-S 889**

**BY** Conley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL  
REGULATORY PROVISIONS - DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

Senator Conley moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Gallo, Felag, Lombardi, Lombardo, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Metts, Murray, Seveney, and DiPalma.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:



**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**9. 2019-S 772**

**BY** Gallo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES - STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Archambault, Felag, Sosnowski, Lombardi, Ciccone, Pearson, Satchell, de la Cruz, Valverde, Goldin, Quezada, Cano, and DiPalma.

Senator Gallo, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Sosnowski, Felag, Metts, Sheehan, and Satchell, offers the following written motion to amend.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT**

**TO**

**2019 -- S 0772**

AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES -  
STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2019 -- S 0772, entitled “AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES - STEP THERAPY PROTOCOLS”, as follows:

1. On page 3, between lines 17 and 18, by inserting the following language:

"(i) The health insurance commissioner may promulgate such rules and regulations, including rules and regulations under chapter 18.9 of title 27, the benefit determination and

utilization review act, as are necessary and proper to effectuate the purpose and for the efficient administration and enforcement of this section entitled "step therapy protocol", as well as to effectuate the coordination of the efficient administration and enforcement of this section with the act."

2. On page 5, between lines 18 and 19, by inserting the following language:

"(i) The health insurance commissioner may promulgate such rules and regulations, including rules and regulations under chapter 18.9 of title 27, the benefit determination and utilization review act, as are necessary and proper to effectuate the purpose and for the efficient administration and enforcement of this section entitled "step therapy protocol", as well as to effectuate the coordination of the efficient administration and enforcement of this section with the act."

3. On page 7, between lines 19 and 20, by inserting the following language:

"(i) The health insurance commissioner may promulgate such rules and regulations, including rules and regulations under chapter 18.9 of title 27, the benefit determination and utilization review act, as are necessary and proper to effectuate the purpose and for the efficient administration and enforcement of this section entitled "step therapy protocol", as well as to effectuate the coordination of the efficient administration and enforcement of this section with the act."

4. On page 9, between lines 20 and 21, by inserting the following language:

"(i) The health insurance commissioner may promulgate such rules and regulations, including rules and regulations under chapter 18.9 of title 27, the benefit determination and utilization review act, as are necessary and proper to effectuate the purpose and for the efficient administration and enforcement of this section entitled "step therapy protocol", as well as to effectuate the coordination of the efficient administration and enforcement of this section with the act."

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR GALLO

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The motion to amend prevails 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, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

Senator Gallo, moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Lombardi.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, 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, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**10. 2019-S 571**

**BY** Miller

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LICENSING OF HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Miller moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Gallo, Felag, Lombardo, Nesselbush, Valverde, DiPalma, Archambault, and Satchell.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**11. 2019-S 443**

**BY** Lynch Prata

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -  
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Lynch Prata moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Archambault, Miller, Lombardi, Sheehan, Metts, and DiPalma.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 1:** Senator Morgan.

**12. 2019-S 307 SUB A**

**BY** Miller

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -  
COMPREHENSIVE DISCHARGE PLANNING

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

Senator Miller moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, Sheehan, Felag, Satchell, Cano, Valverde, Nesselbush, and Lawson.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**13. 2019-S 29**

**BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--  
PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- FEES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Crowley, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Sheehan, Lynch Prata, Seveney, Coyne, Valverde, Archambault, Cano, Miller, Felag, Nesselbush, Lombardi, Lawson, and Metts..

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algiere, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**14. 2019-S 78**

**BY** Lombardi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -  
SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF LICENSES - VIOLATIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Lombardi, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Metts, Ciccone, Lombardo, Sosnowski, Lawson, de la Cruz, and Coyne.

Senator Nesselbush discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**15. 2019-S 86**

**BY** Crowley

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--  
PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- FEES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Crowley, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Sheehan, Lynch Prata, Metts, Goodwin, and Lombardi.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**16. 2019-S 154 SUB A**

**BY** Picard

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY CONDOMINIUM LAW -  
RESALE OF UNITS

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

Senator Lynch Prata moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Metts, Archambault, Coyne, and Sheehan.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**17. 2019-S 325 SUB A**

**BY** McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -  
SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

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

Senator McCaffrey, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, Lombardo, Lombardi, Valverde, Sosnowski, Ciccone, Bell, Cano, Lawson, Quezada, Sheehan, and Felag.

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 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –36:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 1:** Senator Morgan.

**18. 2019-S 327**

**BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -  
OPEN MEETINGS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Goodwin, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Sheehan, Quezada, DiPalma, and Coyne.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**19. 2019-S 479**

**BY** Euer

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- REAL ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Euer, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Coyne, Lynch Prata, Valverde, Satchell, Felag, Ciccone, Sheehan, and Metts.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 4 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –33:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Murray, Nesselbush, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 4:** Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

**20. 2019-S 493 SUB A**

**BY** Lombardo

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES

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

Senator Lombardo, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Sheehan, Sosnowski, Archambault, Lynch Prata, Nesselbush, Lawson, Seveney, 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 34 Senators voting in the affirmative, 0 Senators voting in the negative, and 3 Senators abstaining as follows:



**YEAS –34:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**RECUSED – 3:** Senators Algieri, Cano, Pearson.

**21. 2019-S 803 SUB A**

**BY** Ruggerio

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES

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

Senator Conley, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Goodwin, Lombardi, Lombardo, Pearson, Archambault, Sosnowski, DiPalma, and Coyne.

Senator Conley, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Goodwin, Lombardi, Lombardo, Pearson, Archambault, Sosnowski, DiPalma, and Coyne, offers the following written motion to amend.

**FLOOR AMENDMENT**

**TO**

**2019 -- S 0803 SUBSTITUTE A**

**AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES**

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2019 -- S 0803 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled “AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES”, as follows:

1. On page 3, line 8, after the language "[creation](#)," by inserting the language "[aggregation and/or acquisition by a state agency or instrumentality](#)".

2. On page 3, line 8, after the word "[of](#)", by inserting the language "[or consisted of](#)".

3. On page 5, line 17, after the first use of the word "or" by inserting the language "[duly qualified](#)".
4. On page 7, line 33, after the language "[36-14-19](#)", by inserting the language "[, §§ 38-2-1 through 38-2-16](#)".
5. On page 10, on lines 30 through 34, by striking all the language beginning with the word "Provided," and ending with the word "previously".
6. On page 11, on lines 1 and 2, by striking all the language contained therein.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Conley

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative, 5 Senators voting in the negative, and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

**YEAS –31:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 5:** Senators Bell, de la Cruz, Morgan, Quezada, Rogers

**RECUSED – 1:** Senator Miller.

Senator Conley moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Lombardi, McCaffrey, DiPalma, and Lynch Prata.

Senators Bell, Metts, Crowley, Ciccone, Goodwin, Rogers, Conley, and de la Cruz discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 28 Senators voting in the affirmative, 8 Senators voting in the negative, and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

**YEAS –28:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Murray, Nesselbush, Pearson, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 8:** Senators Algieri, Bell, de la Cruz, Goldin, Morgan, Paolino, Quezada, and Rogers.

**RECUSED – 1:** Senator Miller

**22. 2019-S 202 SUB A**

**BY** McCaffrey

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - SINGLE-USE PLASTIC STRAWS**

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Senator McCaffrey, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Gallo, Lombardi, Lombardo, Archambault, McKenney, Coyne, Murray, Euer, and Seveney.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 3 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –33:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 3:** Senators Bell, Morgan, and Raptakis.

**23. 2019-S 936**

**BY** Picard

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

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Murray, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Felag, Nesselbush, Lawson.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –37:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, de la Cruz, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 0:**

**24. 2019-S 728**

**BY** Ciccone

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -  
MERIT SYSTEM

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Ciccone, moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Lawson, Sosnowski, Lombardo, Quezada, Nesselbush, Sheehan, and Cano.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 2 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

**YEAS –35:** The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators, Algieri, Archambault, Bell, Cano, Ciccone, Conley, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Lawson, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, McKenney, Metts, Miller, Murray, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski, and Valverde.

**NAYS – 2:** Senators de la Cruz, and Morgan.

## **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

### **TRANSFER OF BILLS**

Senator Lynch Prata, in accordance with Senate Rule 6.14, moves to transfer the following bill from the Committee on Judiciary to the Committee on Health and Human Services

**House Bill No. 5125 SUB A**

**BY** Williams, Blazejewski, Alzate, Barros, Shanley

**ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - THE REPRODUCTIVE PRIVACY ACT (Serves to codify the privacy rights guaranteed by the decision reached in the United States Supreme Court case of Roe v. Wade, 410 U.S. 113 (1973) and its progeny.)  
{LC518/A/3}

Read and referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

**COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

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

**Senate Bill No. 238 SUB A**

**BY** Seveney, McCaffrey, Coyne, DiPalma, Satchell

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES-MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES (Imposes \$250 substance abuse education assessment for conviction of driving under the influence or a violation for refusal to submit to a breathalyzer. Funds would be allocated to BHDDH and used to fund substance abuse programs.)

{LC1211/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 315 SUB A**

**BY** Nesselbush, Cano, Quezada, Conley, Pearson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- CAUSES OF ACTION (Statute of limitation for childhood sex abuse claims extended to 35 years.)

{LC1190/A/3}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 850 SUB A**

**BY** Goodwin, Ruggerio, McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - MOTOR VEHICLE REPLACEMENT PARTS (Requires that the owner of a vehicle be notified in writing or by electronic mail that installation of an aftermarket glass may require re-calibration of safety related systems, or vehicle may not function as designed.)

{LC2156/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 849**

**BY** Goodwin, Ruggerio, McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- UNFAIR CLAIMS SETTLEMENT PRACTICES ACT (Amends and expand the definitions of unfair claims practices committed by insurers with regard to physical inspection, performance of appraisals, retail valuation and total loss notification to owner.)

{LC2541/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 702 SUB A**

**BY** DiPalma, Miller, Conley, Seveney, Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --  
PRESERVATION OF FAMILIES WITH DISABLED PARENT ACT (Precludes the disability  
of a parent from serving as a basis for denial or restriction in matters involving a child's welfare,  
foster care, family law, guardianship and adoption.)

{LC1721/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**Senate Bill No. 698 SUB A**

**BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- RHODE  
ISLAND NONCOMPETITION AGREEMENT ACT (Creates a comprehensive statutory  
scheme to address all aspects of noncompetition agreements.)

{LC1774/A/1}

From the Committee on Judiciary to the Calendar.

**TRANSMITTAL**

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

**ADJOURNMENT**

Upon the Motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate adjourns at 9:09  
o'clock P.M.

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

**Appendix**

**INVOCATION**

**SENATOR LOUIS P. DIPALMA**

Heavenly Father, Patience, Compassion, and Virtue are the goals of a civilized government. Help us to recognize these qualities in ourselves as we all work to better the lives of all our citizens.  
Amen.

## Appendix

## CONSENT CALENDAR

## IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2019:

1. *The Appointment of Lawrence E. Purtill VICE Scott Duhamel to the Rhode Island Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2022.*

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

2. *The Appointment of Domenic Pontarelli VICE Roy Coulombe to the East Providence Waterfront District for a term expiring March 31, 2020.*

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

3. *The Reappointment of Maureen Martin to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.*

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

4. *The Appointment of Michelle Wilcox VICE Karen Santilli to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.*

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

5. *The Appointment of Normand G. Benoit, Esq. to the Rhode Island Public Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.*

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

6. *The Appointment of Robert Kells VICE Princess Bomba Rhode Island Transit Authority Board of Directors for a term expiring April 1, 2022.*

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.



7. ***The Reappointment of Robin Main to the State Properties Committee for a term expiring March 1, 2022.***

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

8. ***The Reappointment of Constance R. Pemmerl to the State Properties Committee for a term expiring March 1, 2022.***

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

9. ***The Appointment of Scott Kettelle VICE John Woodard, Sr. to the Fire Education & Training Coordinating Board for a term expiring January 31, 2022.***

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

10. ***The Appointment of Scott Corio VICE Mark P. Vincent to the Fire Education & Training Coordinating Board for a term expiring January 31, 2022.***

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

11. ***The Reappointment of Robert C. Davis to the I-195 Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.***

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

12. ***The Reappointment of Michael F. McNally to the I-195 Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.***

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

13. ***The Reappointment of Gregory Mancini to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.***

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

14. *The Reappointment of Scot Jones to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.*

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

15. *The Reappointment of Susan Leach DeBlasio to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.*

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

16. **2019-S 963**

**BY** de la Cruz

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND THANKING THE BURRILLVILLE POLICE DEPARTMENT FOR ITS EFFORTS TO PROMOTE SCHOOL SAFETY

Ordered on the Consent Calendar

17. **2019-S 59**

**BY** DiPalma

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS AND THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO INCREASE CERTAIN DIRECT WORKER WAGES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

18. **2019-S 367**

**BY** DiPalma

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND SUPPORTING THE "KNOW BEFORE YOU FLY" CAMPAIGN AS AN OFFICIAL SOURCE OF SAFETY EDUCATION FOR PROSPECTIVE AND ACTIVE OPERATORS OF UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS IN RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

19. **2019-S 900**

**BY** Raptakis

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

20. **2019-S 902**  
**BY** Algieri  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
21. **2019-S 903**  
**BY** Coyne  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
22. **2019-S 904**  
**BY** McCaffrey  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
23. **2019-S 905**  
**BY** Goodwin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
24. **2019-H 6047**  
**BY** Quattrocchi  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
25. **2019-H 6048**  
**BY** Abney  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
26. **2019-H 6093**  
**BY** Abney  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

## Appendix

## CALENDAR

## IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2019:

1. *The Appointment of Marc Crisafulli to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.*  
  
Committee on Commerce recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.
2. *The Appointment of Brendan P. Doherty VICE Edwin Santos to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2023.*  
  
Committee on Commerce recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.
3. *The Appointment of Brendan Doherty VICE Shannon Brawley to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.*  
  
Committee on Commerce recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.
4. *The Appointment of Don Gralnek VICE Jon Justo to the Quonset Development Corporation for a term expiring January 1, 2022.*  
  
Committee on Commerce recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.
5. **2019-S 869 SUB A**  
**BY Metts**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CERTIFICATION OF TEACHERS**  
  
Committee on Education recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
6. **2019-S 863 SUB A**  
**BY Gallo**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CURRICULUM**  
  
Committee on Education recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

7. **2019-S 864 SUB A**  
**BY** Satchell  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM
- Committee on Education recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
8. **2019-S 54**  
**BY** Lombardi  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- SALES AND USE TAXES--  
LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
9. **2019-S 134**  
**BY** DiPalma  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - WITHHOLDING OF TAX
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
10. **2019-S 272**  
**BY** Conley  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
11. **2019-S 568**  
**BY** Euer  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- COASTAL AND  
RIVERINE HOME PROTECTION
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
12. **2019-S 667**  
**BY** Algieri  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE HOLDINGS OF  
MEMORIAL AND LIBRARY ASSOCIATION OF WESTERLY
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
13. **2019-S 675**  
**BY** DiPalma  
**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION RELATING TO DEBT MANAGEMENT ACT
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 14. 2019-S 740**  
**BY** Ciccone  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES --  
INSURANCE BENEFITS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 15. 2019-S 292 SUB A**  
**BY** Gallo  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --  
ELECTROLYSIS

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

- 16. 2019-S 767**  
**BY** Euer  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO  
TAXATION - VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

- 17. 2019-S 302 SUB A**  
**BY** Coyne  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ASSISTED  
LIVING RESIDENCE LICENSING ACT

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

- 18. 2019-S 448**  
**BY** Crowley  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -  
LICENSURE OF INTERPRETERS FOR THE DEAF

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

- 19. 2019-S 576 SUB A**  
**BY** Miller  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF  
MASSAGE THERAPISTS

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

- 20. 2019-S 679**  
**BY** Goodwin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS  
INSURANCE POLICIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

- 21. 2019-S 680 SUB A**  
**BY** Miller  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- ENSURING ACCESS  
TO HIGH QUALITY CARE FOR THE TREATMENT OF SUBSTANCE USE  
DISORDERS

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

- 22. 2019-S 773 SUB A**  
**BY** Pearson  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - SEPSIS  
PROTOCOLS

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

- 23. 2019-S 897 SUB A**  
**BY** Paolino  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CONSOLIDATION OF THE ALBION AND  
SAYLESVILLE FIRE DISTRICTS INTO THE NEW LINCOLN FIRE DISTRICT

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

- 24. 2019-S 31 SUB A**  
**BY** Satchell  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE --  
SUPPORTED DECISION-MAKING ACT

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

- 25. 2019-S 77 SUB A**  
**BY** Miller  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- THE UNIFORMED CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT
- Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 26. 2019-S 238 SUB A**  
**BY** Seveney  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES-MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 27. 2019-S 315 SUB A**  
**BY** Nesselbush  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE-- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- CAUSES OF ACTION
- Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 28. 2019-S 365**  
**BY** Nesselbush  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 29. 2019-S 458**  
**BY** Felag  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - SERVICE CONTRACTS
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 30. 2019-S 495**  
**BY** Archambault  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.



**31. 2019-S 603 SUB A****BY** Coyne**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ABUSE IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

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

**32. 2019-S 628****BY** Goldin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - ELECTIVE MEETINGS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

**33. 2019-S 698 SUB A****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- RHODE ISLAND NONCOMPETITION AGREEMENT ACT

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

**34. 2019-S 699 SUB A****BY** Ruggerio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

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

**35. 2019-S 702 SUB A****BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PRESERVATION OF FAMILIES WITH DISABLED PARENT ACT

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

**36. 2019-S 779****BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO PUBLIC SAFETY DOGS AND HORSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

- 37. 2019-S 788**  
**BY** Lynch Prata  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- INSURERS' REHABILITATION AND LIQUIDATION ACT -- INSURANCE RECEIVERSHIP MODEL ACT
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 38. 2019-S 845 SUB A**  
**BY** Coyne  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -- LIMITED GUARDIANSHIP AND GUARDIANSHIP OF ADULTS
- Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 39. 2019-S 849**  
**BY** Goodwin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- UNFAIR CLAIMS SETTLEMENT PRACTICES ACT
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 40. 2019-S 850 SUB A**  
**BY** Goodwin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - MOTOR VEHICLE REPLACEMENT PARTS
- Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 41. 2019-S 855**  
**BY** McCaffrey  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS -- RHODE ISLAND T.F. GREEN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT
- Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
- 42. 2019-S 494 SUB A**  
**BY** Lynch Prata  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - PROCEDURE IN PARTICULAR ACTIONS - CONTRIBUTION AMONG JOINT TORTFEASORS
- Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

**43. 2019-H 5475 SUB A**

**BY** Shekarchi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--  
PROCEDURE IN PARTICULAR ACTIONS -- CONTRIBUTION AMONG JOINT  
TORTFEASORS

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

**44. 2019-H 5160**

**BY** Slater

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAW  
SECTION 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$160,000,000 GENERAL  
OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS  
OF THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO FUND THE SCHOOL CAPITAL  
IMPROVEMENTS PLAN FOR THE FISCAL YEARS 2019-2024

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.