### State of Rhode Island

# **JOURNAL**

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## **HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

JANUARY SESSION of the General Assembly begun and held at the State House in the City of Providence on Tuesday, the fifth day of January in the year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-one.

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Tuesday, June 8, 2021

Thirty-third Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence, Tuesday, June 8, 2021, and is called to order at 4:46 o'clock P.M., by the Honorable K. Joseph Shekarchi, Speaker.

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

PRESENT – 72: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson and Williams.

**ABSENT** – 3: Representatives Biah, Craven, Price.

#### INVOCATION

The Honorable Speaker presents Representative Lombardi who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

### APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Thursday, June 3, 2021, is approved.

#### CONSENT CALENDAR

From the Consent Calendar are taken:

### IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 2021:

### 1. 2021-H 6366

BY Carson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage.

### 2. 2021-H 6368

**BY** Newberry

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

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage.

### 3. 2021-S 890

**BY** Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage in concurrence.

### 4. 2021-S 900

**BY** Euer

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage in concurrence.

Majority Leader Blazejewski moves passage of the Consent Calendar, seconded by Minority Leader Filippi.

The Consent Calendar prevails (items 3-4, in concurrence), on a roll call vote, 67 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 67: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Costantino, Diaz, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED – 0

### **CALENDAR**

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From the Calendar are taken:

### **IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 2021:**

### 1. 2021-H 5051 SUB A

BY Baginski

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT

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

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Barros, Whip Kazarian, Potter, Casimiro, Casey, Edwards, Tanzi, Deputy Whip Ackerman, Deputy Speaker Lima, McEntee, Majority Leader Blazejewski, Amore, Cardillo, Phillips, Hawkins, Corvese, and Edwards.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 70 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 70: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

Majority Leader Blazejewski moves to recommit item #2 to the Committee on Corporations There is no objection.

### 2. 2021-H 5510 SUB A

**BY** Solomon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- CREDIT FOR REINSURANCE ACT

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

Read and recommitted to the Committee on Corporations.

### 3. 2021-H 5642 SUB A

**BY** Solomon

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- THE ELDER ADULT FINANCIAL EXPLOITATION PREVENTION ACT

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

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Morales, McEntee, Shanley, Cardillo, Hawkins, Phillips, Speakman, Donovan, Amore, Fogarty, Cortvriend, Cassar, Costantino, Azzinaro, Speaker Pro Tempore Kennedy, Bennett, Hull, Tanzi, Lombardi, Deputy Whip Ackerman, McNamara, Edwards, Giraldo, Felix, Casimiro, McGaw, and Whip Kazarian.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 71 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 71: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

### 4. 2021-H 5059 SUB A

**BY** Knight

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- BRISTOL COUNTY WATER SUPPLY

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Chairman Bennett moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Knight, Cortvriend, McEntee, Donovan, Speakman, Carson, Cassar, and Casey.

Representatives Knight and Casey discuss the act.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 71 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 71: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

### 5. 2021-H 5060

**BY** Knight

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- BRISTOL COUNTY WATER SUPPLY

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends passage.

Chairman Bennett moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Cassar, Knight, McEntee, Donovan, Ruggiero, Speakman, Carson, Casey, Cortvriend, and Baginski.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 68 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 68: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

### 6. 2021-S 67

**BY** Seveney

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

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage in concurrence.

Chairwoman Fogarty moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Amore, Majority Leader Blazejewski, Ajello, Donovan, Speakman, Carson, Cassar, Cortvriend, McEntee, McGaw, and Casey.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 70 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 70: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

### 7. 2021-S 810

**BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL COMMISSION TO BE KNOWN AS "THE RHODE ISLAND SEMIQUINCENTENNIAL (RI 250TH) COMMISSION"

Committee on State Government & Elections recommends passage in concurrence.

Chairman Shanley moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Amore, Speaker Pro Tempore Kennedy, Fogarty, McNamara, McGaw, Ajello, Barros, and Ruggiero.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 70 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 70: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

### 8. 2021-S 863

**BY** Felag

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- RHODE ISLAND VETERANS' HOME

Committee on Veterans' Affairs recommends passage in concurrence.

Chairman Azzinaro moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Barros, Casimiro, Casey, Edwards, Bennett, Cortvriend, Costantino, Speaker Pro Tempore Kennedy, Cassar, Majority Leader Blazejewski, Abney, Donovan, Speakman, Hawkins, Phillips, Cardillo, Ruggiero, McEntee, Vella-Wilkinson, Fogarty, and Corvese.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 71 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 71: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

### 9. 2021-S 850

BY Calkin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY --- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage in concurrence.

Chairwoman Fogarty moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Lombardi, Majority Leader Blazejewski, Tanzi, Solomon, Whip Kazarian, Casey, McGaw, Cortvriend, McEntee, Ruggiero, Morales, Cardillo, Abney, and Carson.

Representatives Corvese and Tanzi discuss the act.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 71 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 71: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

### 10. 2021-S 907

**BY** Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF NEW WAVE SYSTEMS, INC.

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 72 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 72: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

#### 11. 2021-S 928

**BY** Paolino

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF LIFE SCIENCE RESOURCE PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL, LLC

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski and Representative Costantino.

Read and passed, in concurrence, on a roll call vote, 71 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 71: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Amore, Azzinaro, Baginski, Barros, Batista, Bennett, Blazejewski, Caldwell, Cardillo, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Cassar, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Diaz, Donovan, Felix, Fellela, Fenton-Fung, Filippi, Fogarty, Giraldo, Handy, Hawkins, Henries, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima C., Lima S., Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McLaughlin, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Morgan, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Perez, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Ranglin-Vassell, Roberts, Ruggiero, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Tanzi, Tobon, Vella-Wilkinson, Williams.

NAYS - 1: Representative Edwards.

RECUSED - 0:

By unanimous consent, the House returns to:

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chairman Abney announces that the Committee on Finance will meet today, at the rise of the House, in Room 35 of the State House.

Chairman Azzinaro wishes his committee clerk, James DeCastro a Happy 33<sup>rd</sup> Birthday!

Chairman Solomon announces that the Committee on Corporations will meet today, at the rise of the House, in the House Lounge of the State House.

Majority Leader Blazejewski announces that the next House session will be this Thursday, June 10<sup>th</sup>, at 4:00 p.m.

As Speaker Shekarchi has notified you, next week we will begin meeting at least three times per week. We will keep you posted.

You are invited to attend a ceremony tomorrow as Governor McKee signs Deputy Whip Mia Ackerman's bill that requires consumer education to be taught in public high schools. The ceremony will be held in the auditorium at Tolman High School in Pawtucket tomorrow at 12:30 p.m.

### **IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATION**

**House Resolution No. 6405** 

**BY** Carson, Abney, Shekarchi, Blazejewski, Tanzi **ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING DEEPEST CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF ELIZABETH VIOLET BUCCI {LC2992/1}

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

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Carson, by unanimous consent, on a rising vote.

### **House Resolution No. 6406**

**BY** Handy, Shekarchi, Blazejewski, Baginski, Potter, Fenton-Fung, Lima C, Fogarty, Tanzi **ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING DEEPEST CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF WILLIAM L. CONDON {LC2985/1}

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

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Handy, by unanimous consent, on a rising vote.

#### House Resolution No. 6407

**BY** Solomon, Noret, Craven, Donovan, Lima C, Hull, Lima S, Barros, Filippi, Shekarchi **ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 10, 2021, AS THE "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC2961/1}

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

There is no objection.

Read and passed, on a motion of Representative Solomon, seconded by many others, by unanimous consent, on a voice vote.

### **RULE 7D**

### The following bills were received pursuant to Rule 7D:

Representative Messier-An Act relating to Education

Representative Serpa-An Act relating to Rhode Island College Board of Education Act

Representative Carson-An Act relating to School Housing Aid

By unanimous consent, the House returns to:

### **TRANSMITTAL**

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

(For Transmittals to Governor, see Appendix of this Journal.)

### **DESK HELD OPEN**

The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi announces that the desk will be held open.

### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Chairman Abney, for the Committee on Finance, reports back the following measure, with recommendation of passage:

### Senate Bill No. 40 SUB A

BY Ruggerio, Goodwin, McCaffrey, Gallo

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ENABLING THE STATE LOTTERY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TO CONTRACT WITH IGT GLOBAL SOLUTIONS CORPORATION AND TWIN RIVER (Enables the state lottery division of the department of revenue to enter into a contract extension with IGT Global Solutions Corporation and contract extensions with Twin River and affiliates of Twin River.) {LC767/A/1} 06/08/2021 Placed on House Calendar (06/10/2021)

### **NEW BUSINESS**

### House Bill No. 6408

BY Giraldo, McLaughlin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION AND FINANCING IN THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$5,760,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES IN THE CITY (Authorizes the Central Falls to issue bonds in an amount not to exceed \$5,760,000 to finance the construction, renovation, improvement, alteration, repair, furnishing and equipping of schools and school facilities in the city.) {LC2991/1} 06/09/2021 Introduced, referred to House Finance

### House Bill No. 6409

BY Azzinaro, Casey, McLaughlin, Knight, Serpa, Fellela, Vella-Wilkinson, Kennedy ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC2965/1}

06/09/2021 Introduced, referred to House State Government & Elections

### House Bill No. 6410

BY Williams, Morales, Henries, Knight, Potter, Ajello, Alzate, Casimiro, Craven, McEntee ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST (Makes custodial confession of criminal suspect presumptively inadmissible if made by juvenile, or person with impairment, serious mental disability suffering from substance abuse withdrawal and was procured through deception) {LC2942/1}

06/09/2021 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 5:16 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Fellela, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Joseph J. Quartino; on motion of Representative Handy, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of William L. Condon; on motion of Representative Carson, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Elizabeth Bucci seconded by Leaders Blazejewski and Filippi the House adjourns, on a unanimous rising vote.

Diane M. DePina Recording Clerk

### **APPENDIX**

### **INVOCATION**

### REPRESENTATIVE JOHN J. LOMBARDI

Dear Lord: We call upon you today to help us recognize just how different we are, yet we are all your children. Guide us to always be just and wise in our deliberations

### **APPENDIX**

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### TRANSMITTED TO GOVERNOR

#### Senate Bill No. 67

**BY** Seveney, Sosnowski, Coyne, Archambault, Murray, McCaffrey, Bell, DiMario, Burke, Mack **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- STATE EMBLEMS (This act would designate "Northern Star Coral" as the official state coral.) {LC381/1} 06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### Senate Resolution No. 810

(Secretary of State)

BY Goodwin, McCaffrey, Archambault, Pearson

**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL COMMISSION TO BE KNOWN AS "THE RHODE ISLAND SEMIQUINCENTENNIAL (RI 250TH) COMMISSION" {LC2206/1} 06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### Senate Bill No. 850

BY Calkin, McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY --- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (Names the fishing pier at Rocky Point state park in Warwick after the former department of environmental management deputy director, Larry Mouradjian.) {LC2664/1} 06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### Senate Bill No. 863

**BY** Felag

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- RHODE ISLAND VETERANS' HOME (Removes the word "war" from the sentence "honorable discharged war veteran.") {LC2796/1}

06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

#### Senate Bill No. 890

**BY** Picard

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Linda Fischer to join Breann Bouley and Brittany Dalpe in marriage on or about August 28, 2021, within the City of Pawtucket, Rhode Island.) {LC2831/1}

06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### Senate Bill No. 900

**BY** Euer

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Andrew Best to join Tess Victoria Povar and Zachary Joseph White in marriage on or about August 29, 2021, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island.) {LC2843/1}

06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### Senate Bill No. 907

**BY** Euer

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF NEW WAVE SYSTEMS, INC.  $\{LC2838/1\}$ 

06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### Senate Bill No. 928

**BY** Paolino

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF LIFE SCIENCE RESOURCE PARTNERS INTERNATIONAL, LLC {LC2911/1} 06/09/2021 Transmitted to Governor

### **APPENDIX**

### **CALENDAR**

### IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 2021:

### 1. 2021-H 5759 SUB A

**BY** Solomon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- DRY DOCK FACILITIES

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

### 2. 2021-H 5083 SUB A

BY McEntee

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- FEMININE HYGIENE PRODUCTS

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

### 3. 2021-H 5374

**BY** Craven

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- PREVENTION AND SUPPRESSION OF CONTAGIOUS DISEASES -- HIV/AIDS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

### 4. 2021-H 5710

BY Baginski

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

### 5. 2021-H 6042

**BY** Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- SECRETARY OF STATE

Committee on Innovation, Internet, & Technology recommends passage.

#### 6. 2021-H 5034 SUB A

**BY** Kazarian

**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.

### 7. 2021-H 5139

BY McEntee

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

### 8. 2021-H 5400

BY O'Brien

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DOMESTIC RELATIONS -- ADOPTION OF CHILDREN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

### 9. 2021-H 5733 SUB A

BY Giraldo

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

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

### 10. 2021-H 6001

BY McLaughlin

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

Committee on State Government & Elections recommends passage.

### 11. 2021-H 6081 SUB A

**BY** Casimiro

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

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

#### 12. 2021-H 6328

**BY** Edwards

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT - OFFENSES AND PENALTIES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

### 13. 2021-H 5485 SUB A

**BY** Edwards

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

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

### 14. 2021-H 6096

**BY** Noret

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - RESPONSIBILITY OF OWNERS OF RENTAL VEHICLES

Committee on State Government & Elections recommends passage.

### 15. 2021-S 296

**BY** DiPalma

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RETIREMENT OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES--MIDDLETOWN MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT

Committee on Municipal Government & Housing recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 16. 2021-S 390

**BY** de la Cruz

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE OAKLAND - MAPLEVILLE NUMBER 4 FIRE DISTRICT

Committee on Municipal Government & Housing recommends passage in concurrence.

### 17. 2021-S 392

BY F Lombardi

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

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

### 18. 2021-S 681

**BY** F Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- FREEWAYS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

### 19. 2021-S 715

BY Sosnowski

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

Committee on State Government & Elections recommends passage in concurrence.

### 20. 2021-S 40 SUB A

**BY** Ruggerio

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ENABLING THE STATE LOTTERY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TO CONTRACT WITH IGT GLOBAL SOLUTIONS CORPORATION AND TWIN RIVER

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

Francis McCabe
Clerk of the House

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