

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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Forty-ninth Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:15 o'clock P.M.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

ABSENT – 1: Senator Picard.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Forty-eighth Legislative Day of the 2013 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Jabour and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Michelle Russo, Representing Jimmie Crane Inductee to the Rhode Island Music Hall of Fame.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goldin and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Sy and Judy Dill, Representing George M. Cohan Inductee to the Rhode Island Music Hall of Fame.

Upon suggestion of Senator Cool Rumsey and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber as guests inductees to the Rhode Island Music Hall of Fame: the Zackarian family of Providence Edward (Eddie Zach), his brother Richard, and their sisters, Mercedes and Marilyn from Eddie Zach & the Hayloft Jamboree.

Upon suggestion of Senator Lynch and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Constance Flanagan, Representing Bill Flanagan Inductee to the Rhode Island Music Hall of Fame.

Upon suggestion of Senator Archambault and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber as guests inductees to the Rhode Island Music Hall of Fame: Steve Smith & the Naked: Steve Smith, Steve DeCurtis, T.J. Schwartz, Frank Rapone, Ed Vallee, Bob DeCurtis, Mark LeGault, Joe Groves, Mike Marra, Chris Schwartz, Marty Sherlock, and Steve Leonard.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ciccone and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Paul Geremia Inductee to the Rhode Island Music Hall of Fame..

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Teny Gross, Head of the Institute for the Study & Practice of Nonviolence along with his sons John and Julian.

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE**

May 2, 2013

The Honorable Gordon D. Fox
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Room 323, State House
Providence, RI 02903

The Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
President of the Senate
Room 318, State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Speaker Fox and President Paiva Weed:

The State of Rhode Island (the "State") is seeking to refund its previously issued (i) \$58,910,000 Lease Participation Certificates (Kent County Courthouse Project --- 2004 Series A) dated as of August 25, 2004 (the "2004 Series A Certificates"), (ii) \$51,985,000 Lease Participation Certificates (Training School Project --- 2005 Series A) dated as of June 28, 2005 (the "2005 Series A Certificates"), (iii) \$ 21,565,000 Lease Participation Certificates (Traffic Tribunal Project --- 2005 Series B) dated as of June 28, 2005 (the "2005 Series B Certificates", and collectively with the 2004 Series A Certificates and 2005 Series A Certificates, the "Refunded Certificates").

Interest on the Refunded Certificates is at fixed rates. Given the decline in interest rates since the issuance of the Refunded Certificates, the State has determined that it would be advisable to refund the Refunded Certificates with a fixed interest rate issue.

Therefore, pursuant to the requirements of Section 35-18-3(c)(8) of the Rhode Island General Laws, as amended, I hereby find and certify to you that the issuance by the State of the \$36,310,000 State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Lease Participation Certificates (Kent County Courthouse Project --- 2013 Refunding Series A) (the "2013 Series A Certificates"), the 36,575,000 State (Training School Project --- 2013 Refunding Series B) (the "2013 Series B Certificates"), and the \$15,290,000 State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations Lease Participation Certificates (Traffic Tribunal Project --- 2013 Refunding Series E) (the "2013 Series E Certificates" and collectively with the 2013 Series A Certificates and the 2013 Series B Certificates, the "2013 Certificates"), the proceeds of which shall be used to (i) advance refund the Refunded Certificates; and (ii) to pay costs of issuance of the 2013 Certificates, will provide a net benefit to the State.

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE GOVERNOR

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

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE**

May 10, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Article 10, Section 4 of the Rhode Island Constitution entitled Judicial Selection, I have made the following appointment as Associate Justice of the Rhode Island Superior Court:

Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano

VICE

Associate Justice Francis J. Darigan, Jr.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

**STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS
STATE HOUSE**

May 10, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Article 10 Section 4 of the Rhode Island Constitution, I have made the following appointment as Associate Justice of the Rhode Island Family Court:

Honorable Patricia K. Asquith

VICE

Associate Justice Haiganush R. Bedrosian

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A message from the House of Representatives transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

House Bill No. 6024

BY Johnston

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Peter F. Kilmartin of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, to join Toni Autiello and Bryan Gravel in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about July 7, 2013)
{LC2421/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 6025

BY Tanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow

Richard Fox of Rutland, Massachusetts, to join Jillian Fox Nowak and Justin Timothy Whitlock in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about September 27, 2013) {LC2433/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 6026

BY Amore

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Ann S. Clarke of Somerville, Massachusetts, to join Mollie Toliver Stone and Brian Keith Kirkwood, II, in marriage within the City of East Providence, Rhode Island, on or about June 30, 2013) {LC2418/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 6040

BY Guthrie

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Jeremy Vanderheiden of Malden, Massachusetts, to join Lauren Ruth Sheffield and Shawn Michael Whitehead in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about July 6, 2013.) {LC2453/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 6042

BY McNamara, Shekarchi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Robert C. Stewart of Holliston, Massachusetts, to join Erica Diane Cioffi and Arthur Jeffrey DeSolis in marriage within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island, on or about April 26, 2014.) {LC2417/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 6043

BY Abney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Matthew Wilder of Boston, Massachusetts, to join Stephanie Powell and Brian Sweet in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about June 8, 2013.) {LC2458/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Senator DaPonte from the Committee on Finance, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

Senate Bill No. 825

(Human Services)

BY Goldin, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM

{LC1425/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

Senate Bill No. 755 SUB A

BY Picard, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SELF-INSURANCE OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY AGENCIES

{LC2028/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

Senator Picard from the Committee on Commerce, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 5444 SUB A

BY Kennedy, San Bento

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- BINDERS (would authorize the use of property and casualty insurance binders as evidence of coverage)

{LC1270/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 5528

(Business Regulation)

BY Keable, Johnston, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE

(would amend the registration filing date for insurance companies governed by the applicable provisions of the general laws)

{LC1417/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 5596 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Messier, Kennedy, San Bento, Palumbo, Keable**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- THE STANDARD NONFORFEITURE

LAW FOR LIFE INSURANCE (would bring the Standard Valuation and Standard Nonforfeiture for Life Insurance laws into compliance with the current version of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners Model Act)

{LC1413/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 303 SUB A**BY** McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would prohibit certain types of discretionary clauses in insurance contracts and policies.)

{LC1243/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 666 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

{LC1305/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 930****BY** Metts, Pichardo, Jabour, Ruggerio, Goodwin**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE PROVIDENCE CAREER AND TECHNICAL ACADEMY'S GIRLS' AND BOYS' ROBOTICS TEAMS {LC2523/1}

Senator Metts requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Metts moves passage, seconded by Senators Pichardo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi and Ruggerio.

The resolution is read and passed, upon a voice vote.

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Metts and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber students from the Providence Career & Technical Academy Girls Robotics Team Dilainy Abreu, Kennia Castillo, Stacey Tejada, Yuselly Rodríguez, Yanyelle Torres along with the Boys Robotics Team Michael Jiménez, Norman Riveras, Todd Soe, Orland Iglesias, Mentors Miki Oliver, Robert Murphy, Administrator Ramón D. Torres and Barbara Rios, Nurse, Teacher, & Supporter.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Jim Bennett, Director of Economic Development for the City of Providence.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 931****BY** Hodgson, Algieri**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION THANKING ALL INVOLVED IN RESTORING THE PORTRAIT OF GOVERNOR WILLIAM SPRAGUE {LC2594/1}

Senator Hodgson requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Hodgson moves passage, seconded by Senators Sheehan, Sosnowski and Nesselbush.

The resolution is read and passed, upon a voice vote.

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Hodgson and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Jim Crothers, Executive Director of the South County Museum, John Miller, Narragansett Historian, Grady Miller, Narragansett Town Manager, Richard Vangermeersch, Betty Capozzi and Sarah Rockett.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 932**

BY Gallo, Ruggerio, Miller, Lombardi, Lynch

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF VINCENT J. POLICELLI {LC2614/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. **2013-S 841**
BY DiPalma
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
2. **2013-S 883**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
3. **2013-S 885**
BY Kettle
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
4. **2013-S 899**
BY Miller
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT TO AMEND ITS ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS
5. **2013-S 913**
BY DiPalma
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION REITERATING SUPPORT FOR THE CONCEPT OF BRINGING THE RETIRED AIRCRAFT CARRIER USS JOHN F. KENNEDY TO NEWPORT COUNTY AS A FAMILY ATTRACTION, EDUCATION AND JOB TRAINING CENTER, DISASTER RELIEF FACILITY, MUSEUM, AND MEMORIAL

6. **2013-S 914**
BY Paiva Weed
ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO ESTABLISH THE RHODE ISLAND "STATE OF THE ARTS" PLANNING TASK FORCE
7. **2013-S 924**
BY Lynch
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF RICHARD E. WALSH
8. **2013-S 929**
BY Walaska
ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF THE INTERNATIONAL FITNESS & WELLNESS CORPORATION
9. **2013-H 5894**
BY Morgan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
10. **2013-H 5898**
BY Tomasso
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
11. **2013-H 5905**
BY McNamara
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
12. **2013-H 5942**
BY Cimini
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
13. **2013-H 5943**
BY Ruggiero
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
14. **2013-H 5948**
BY Newberry
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
15. **2013-H 5949**
BY Newberry
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
16. **2013-H 5956**
BY Canario
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

17. 2013-H 5962**BY Almeida****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES**

Upon motion of Senator Ruggerio, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

CALENDAR**IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2013:****1. 2013-S 201 SUB A****BY Sosnowski****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- GENDER RATING**

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Doyle, Lynch, Gallo, Ruggerio, Ottiano, Sheehan, Cool Rumsey, Goldin, Satchell, Pichardo, Nesselbush, Jabour and Crowley.

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

YEAS - 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

2. 2013-S 617 SUB A**BY Satchell****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PHYSICIANS ASSISTANT**

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the

original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Senator Satchell moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Doyle, Sosnowski, Lombardi, Ottiano, Archambault, Cool Rumsey, Goldin, Ruggerio and Nesselbush.

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

YEAS - 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

3. 2013-S 647 SUB A

BY Nesselbush

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

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

Senator Nesselbush moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Fogarty, Doyle, Ottiano, Sheehan, Goldin and Satchell.

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

YEAS - 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

4. 2013-S 648 SUB A

BY Lynch

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.

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle, Gallo, Miller, Ottiano and Nesselbush.

Senator Lynch seconded by Senators Miller and Doyle, offers the following written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T

TO

2013 -- S 648 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LICENSING OF MASSAGE THERAPISTS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2013 -- S 648 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LICENSING OF MASSAGE THERAPISTS", as follows:

1. On page 2, line 34, following the language "(3)", by inserting the word "members".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR LYNCH

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

Senator Lynch moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Doyle, Miller, Goldin, Nesselbush and Ottiano.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller,

Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

5. 2013-S 667 SUB A

BY Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

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

Senator Walaska moves passage, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Lombardo 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 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

6. 2013-S 694 SUB A

BY Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC EDUCATION ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR ORGAN AND TISSUE DONATION REGISTRATION

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

Senator Algieri moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Goodwin, Lynch, Miller, Pichardo and Ottiano.

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

YEAS - 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

7. 2013-S 833

BY Crowley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Crowley moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Nesselbush, Sosnowski, Jabour, Pearson, Ottiano, Sheehan, Cool Rumsey, Goldin, Satchell and Archambault.

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

YEAS - 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 0:

TRANSMITTAL

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

(See Appendix for List)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Nesselbush announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

Senator Cote announces that the Committee on Commerce will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 313 of the State House.

Senator Ottiano announces that the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs will meet tomorrow, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

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

Senator Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet tomorrow, at 2:00 o'clock P.M. in Room 211 of the State House.

Senator Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet on Thursday, May 16th, at 3:00 o'clock P.M. in Room 211 of the State House.

Senator Ruggerio wishes Senator Adam J. Satchell a Happy Birthday.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Bates the Senate adjourns at 4:59 o'clock P.M.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR NICHOLAS D. KETTLE

Almighty God, as we return to this chamber, we beseech you to fit us for today's work and for the work in days ahead. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 2013:**

- 1. 2013-S 932**
BY Gallo
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF VINCENT J. POLICELLI

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

- 2. 2013-H 5444 SUB A**
BY Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- BINDERS

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

- 3. 2013-H 5528**
BY Keable
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

- 4. 2013-H 5596 SUB A**
BY Messier
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- THE STANDARD NONFORFEITURE LAW FOR LIFE INSURANCE

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

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 15, 2013:**

- 1. 2013-S 123 SUB A**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
ENERGY EFFICIENCY

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

- 2. 2013-S 104 SUB A**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
DEFINITIONS AND GENERAL CODE PROVISIONS

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

- 3. 2013-S 235 SUB A**
BY Cool Rumsey
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

- 4. 2013-S 326 SUB A**
BY Sheehan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION VEHICLES

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

- 5. 2013-S 327 SUB A**
BY Satchell
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

6. **2013-S 478 SUB A**
BY Goodwin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

7. **2013-S 576 SUB A**
BY Lynch
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -
EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE FOR COMBAT VETERANS

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

8. **2013-S 577**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE --
VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

9. **2013-S 631 SUB A**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

10. **2013-S 915**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2013:**1. 2013-S 303 SUB A****BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE**

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

2. 2013-S 666 SUB A**BY Bates****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE**

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

3. 2013-S 825**BY Goldin****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4. 2013-S 755 SUB A**BY Picard****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- SELF-INSURANCE OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY AGENCIES**

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

Appendix

BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR

House Bill No. 5894**BY** Morgan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Philip Soder to join James T. Bedard and Lisa A. Kane in marriage on or about June 15, 2013, within the Town of Coventry, Rhode Island)

{LC2093/1}

House Bill No. 5898**BY** Tomasso**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Michael Richard Smith to join Sara Drew Koppelman and Eric Michael Desirey in marriage within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island, on or about September 7, 2013)

{LC2092/1}

House Bill No. 5905**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Michael J. Crocker to join Catherine A. Young and Michael C. McCormick in marriage within the Town of West Greenwich, Rhode Island, on or about May 25, 2013)

{LC2163/1}

House Bill No. 5942**BY** Cimini**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Christine McMichael to join Caitlin Lee Wentworth and Robert Abel Minger in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about June 22, 2013.)

{LC2243/1}

House Bill No. 5943**BY** Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Ann M. Rand to join Jacqueline Marie Richardson and Jonathan Balzano-Brookes in marriage within the Town of Jamestown, Rhode Island, on or about June 29, 2013.)

{LC2222/1}

House Bill No. 5948**BY** Newberry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Michael Crepeau to join Adam P. Vasconcellos, M.D., and Mansi G. Shah in marriage on or about June 29, 2013, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC2251/1}

House Bill No. 5949**BY** Newberry**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Michael Crepeau to join Edward A. Gingras and Maria Vasconcellos in marriage on or about June 22, 2013, within the Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island.)

{LC2252/1}

House Bill No. 5956**BY** Canario**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Phillip McManus to join Jennifer M. Boyce and Paul J. Ritter in marriage within the Town of Portsmouth, Rhode Island, on or about July 20, 2013)

{LC2283/1}

House Bill No. 5962**BY** Almeida**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Sky Stanfield to join Sandra Little and Jesse Steinberg in marriage within the City of Providence, Rhode Island, on or about August 10, 2013.)

{LC2292/1}