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Fifty-second 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 4:17 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 36 Senators present and 2 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 36: 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, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

ABSENT – 2: Senators Miller, Ruggerio.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fifty-first Legislative Day of the 2013 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Walaska and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Jill Hamilton, Gene Mitchell, Michelle Mitchell and Joanne Godin.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Bill No. 5526 SUB A

(Labor and Training)

BY Edwards, Williams, Gallison, Finn, Canario

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS (would update the language in Rhode Island's work-sharing statute to comply with the provisions of subtitle D of title II of the federal middle class tax relief and job creation act of 2012 (public law 112-96)

{LC1444/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Labor.

Also:

House Bill No. 5700

(Labor & Training)

BY Williams, Almeida, Guthrie, Blazejewski, Ajello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY-CONTRIBUTIONS (require the accounts of employers be charged when improper pymts are made due to the failure of the employer to respond timely or adequately to requests by the dept for information relating to a claim for unemployment benefits that was subsequently overpa)

{LC1448/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Labor.

Also:

House Bill No. 5701

(Labor & Training)

BY Winfield, Keable, Silva

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- EMPLOYMENT SECURITY--GENERAL PROVISIONS (would authorize the department of labor and training to share unemployment insurance information with the department's designated research partner for the purpose of its workforce data quality initiative.) {LC1440/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Labor.

Also:

House Bill No. 5788 SUB A

(Labor & Training)

BY Cimini, Walsh, Tanzi, Tomasso, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- HUMAN RESOURCE INVESTMENT COUNCIL (would amend the reporting requirements associated with the Human Resource Investment Council.)

{LC1450/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Labor.

Also:

House Bill No. 5462**BY** Keable, Valencia, Kazarian, Finn**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE -- FUNDS TRANSFERS (would amend the Rhode Island Uniform Commercial Code in order to provide that it be applied to remittance transfers that are not deemed electronic funds transfers under the Federal Electronic Funds Transfer Act)

{LC1355/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Commerce.

Also:

House Bill No. 5606 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Messier, Fellela, Ferri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would require surplus lines insurer to provide data upon request of the insurance division and would expand the requirements to provide accommodations to a policyholder affected by a catastrophe for all lines of insurance)

{LC1420/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Commerce.

Also:

House Bill No. 6030**BY** O`Grady, Ackerman, Marshall, Martin, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- MADE IN RHODE ISLAND MANUFACTURING COLLABORATIVE OF 2013 (would create "Made in Rhode Island Manufacturing Collaborative of 2013")

{LC2407/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Commerce.

Also:

House Bill No. 5119 SUB A as amended**BY** Malik, Hull, Gallison, Azzinaro, Messier**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PARKING FACILITIES PRIVILEGES (would authorize the division of motor vehicles to issue preliminary disability parking permits to applicants while they wait to receive their disability registration plate)
{LC206/A/2}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs.

Also:

House Bill No. 5494 SUB A as amended**BY** DeSimone, Ackerman, Lima, Fellela, Shekarchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY (would expand the meaning of unnecessary cruelty to one who willfully, intentionally, maliciously, recklessly and/or knowingly authorizes or permits that animal to be subjected to unnecessary torture, suffering or cruelty of any kind)
{LC1282/A/2}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

House Bill No. 5597 SUB A

(Environmental Management)

BY DeSimone, Lima, Slater, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS (would make a number of technical and definitional changes regarding the provisions of the general laws governing veterinary biologics, and increase the penalty for violations)
{LC1504/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

House Bill No. 5936**BY** Valencia**ENTITLED**, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF RICHMOND (would validate and ratify amendments to the Home Rule Charter of the town of Richmond, which amendments were adopted and approved by the electors of the town of Richmond on November 6, 2012.)
{LC2186/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.

Also:

House Bill No. 5725 as amended

(Health)

BY Kennedy, Corvese, Williams, Naughton, McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND DISCIPLINE (would update a law initially enacted in 1896 and last amended in 1990 to address advances in medicine, technology, and how health care is delivered)

{LC1457/1}

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

Also:

House Bill No. 5755

(Secretary of State)

BY Hearn**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES - STATE PUBLICATIONS CLEARINGHOUSE (would authorize the chairperson of the CRIARL government documents committee to designate someone to represent them on the state publications clearinghouse advisory committee.)

{LC1848/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Education.

Also:

House Bill No. 5140**BY** Williams, Silva, Carnevale, Hull, Winfield**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MISCELLANEOUS RULES (would repeal the sunset provision in section 31-22-22)

{LC594/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5456 SUB A**BY** Johnston, Ucci, Hull, Canario, Carnevale**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (would create the "Kelsey Smith Act" which would require telecommunications carriers to provide call location information of a telecommunication device to requesting law enforcement agency in emergency situations that involve death or serious risk of harm) {LC1234/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5519 SUB A as amended

(Attorney General)

BY Martin, Ucci, Craven, O'Brien, O'Neill**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - PURCHASE AND SALE OF PRECIOUS METALS (would require the electronic submission of required reports under this chapter to the attorney general)

{LC950/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5563**BY** Lally**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE - MANDATORY ARBITRATION PROVISION (would increase from \$25,000 to \$50,000 the value of a claim under a motor vehicle liability insurance policy which may be submitted to arbitration pursuant to the provisions of the state arbitration act contained in chapter 10-3 of the general laws) {LC1395/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5664

(Judiciary)

BY Mattiello, Craven, Shekarchi, Gallison, Jacquard**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES (provide for the expungement of alcohol related offenses after five (5) years as opposed to three (3) so as to be consistent with the five (5) year look back period for cases provided in section 31-27-2.1)

{LC1626/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5676

(Corrections)

BY Jacquard, Mattiello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS - CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS - PAROLE (would permit the RI parole board to revoke a permit issued by another jurisdiction when the prisoner is being supervised by the RI parole board, and require return to the adult correctional institution of such person whose licenses have been so revoked)

{LC1436/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5703 SUB A

BY Gallison, Marcello, Edwards, San Bento, Blazejewski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- SUBDIVISION OF LAND

(would provide for the addition of certain definitions relative to "slope of land" within the chapters dealing with zoning and subdivision of land.)

{LC1077/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

Senator McCaffrey from the Committee on Judiciary, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 5973

BY Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Mark Trumbore to join Rondi A. Butler and Patrick J. Devine in marriage within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island, on or about August 10, 2013)

{LC2362/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 6004

BY Hearn

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow John G. Nelson to join Lara Greenwood and James Butler in marriage within the City of Providence, Rhode Island, on or about July 20, 2013.)

{LC2301/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

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 be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

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 be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

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 be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 6008

BY Hearn

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow John H. McCann to join Brenda Nicole Roy and Alan John Kowalczyk in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about August 24, 2013.)
{LC2345/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5663

(Judiciary)

BY Mattiello, Craven, Shekarchi, Gallison, Jacquard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT (would provide for the recall of a workers' compensation court judge by the chief justice of the supreme court consistent with the recall provisions of all other state courts.)
{LC1635/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5665

(Judiciary)

BY Shekarchi, Serpa, Craven, Lombardi, Jacquard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - GENERAL POWERS OF SUPREME AND SUPERIOR COURTS (would require the approval of the supreme court of any rules regulating the practice, procedure and business of the workers' compensation court consistent with the procedures in effect for all other courts)

{LC1633/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5668

(Judiciary)

BY Craven, Mattiello, O'Neill, Lombardi, Shekarchi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - SENTENCE AND EXECUTION (would provide for the priority of restitution payments to victims of crime once restitution is determined.)

{LC1624/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5229

BY McNamara, MacBeth, Shekarchi, Bennett, Hull

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS (would require that individuals who are current/prospective volunteers of a school department and who may have direct and unmonitored contact with children and/or students on school premises would be required to undergo a state criminal background check)

{LC686/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

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:

House Bill No. 5400

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF HEALTHCARE FACILITIES (would extend until 7/1/16 the moratorium on new initial licenses for nursing facilities as well as increases the bed capacity of any existing licensed nursing facility)

and would eliminate the exception allowing certain nursing facilities to transfer beds)
{LC1044/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

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

House Bill No. 5730

(Secretary of State)

BY Johnston, Keable, Blazejewski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BUSINESS CORPORATION TAX

(would add a provision to the law on confidential information for business corporations by limiting the information the tax administrator may disclose to the secretary of state and the information the secretary of state's office (and its employees) may the)

{LC1844/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5609 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Kennedy, Palumbo, Keable

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would make changes to insurance statutes)

{LC1669/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5718 SUB A

(Business Regulation)

BY Phillips

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS IN RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS (would provide that a

real estate broker or salesperson who provides assistance in a real estate transaction shall no longer be deemed a neutral transaction facilitator)

{LC1792/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

Also:

House Bill No. 5721

(Business Regulation)

BY Keable, Kennedy, Marcello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- POWERS AND OPERATIONS (would amend the financial institutions lending limits language of the general laws to ensure that such limits are also applied to derivative transactions entered into by financial institutions.)

{LC1671/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Senator Felag from the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 5819 SUB A

(Revenue)

BY Malik, Marcello, Azzinaro, Gallison, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - PARKING FACILITIES AND PRIVILEGES (would eliminate the renewal requirement for individuals who have disability placards for a permanent disability){LC1663/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 239 SUB A**BY** O'Neill, Cote, Bates, Ottiano, Lombardi**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE QUALITY OF LIFE AND CREATE POSITIVE OUTCOMES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH AUTISM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND (would create a 23 member special joint commission whose purpose it would be to make a comprehensive study to improve the quality of life and create positive outcomes for individuals with autism spectrum disorders){LC396/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 297 SUB A**BY** Felag, DiPalma, Paiva Weed, Ciccone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - FRATERNAL CODE (would exempt certain military associations organized before 1880 from the laws regulating fraternal benefit societies.) {LC735/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

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

House Bill No. 5869

BY Costa, Craven

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN (would ratify the amendments to the Home Rule Charter of the town of North Kingstown passed by the electors in 2010 and 2012)

{LC1939/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 881

BY Crowley

ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS (would ratify amendments to the Central Falls Home Rule Charter approved by the voters of Central Falls on November 6, 2012 which require ratification by the General Assembly in order to be effective.)

{LC2419/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

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

Appointment of Scott Duhamel of Cranston VICE Regina Partridge to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

Appointment of Jennifer R. Fonseca of Rumford VICE Carolyn Peck to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

Appointment of Gretchen Dow Simpson of Providence VICE Maureen Moakley to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

Appointment of Elizabeth M. Slader of Narragansett VICE Beverly Blais to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

Also:

House Resolution No. 5153

BY Gallison, Azzinaro, Messier, Serpa, Marshall

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING "THE WHOLE CHILD INITIATIVE"
{LC616/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE

Senator Sosnowski from the Committee on Environment and Agriculture, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

House Bill No. 5595

(Environmental Management)

BY DeSimone, Palangio, Lima, Palumbo, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - VETERINARY PRACTICE (would allow licensed veterinarians in other states to practice in Rhode Island during emergency situations at the direction of the Rhode Island state veterinarian or the chief of the division of agriculture)

{LC1674/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

Senate Bill No. 871

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (would exempt from taxation the property owned by a 501(c)(3) organization that is affiliated and

in good standing with a national congressionally chartered organization and provides activities designed for recreational, educational and character building)

{LC2235/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May, 23, 2013.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Senator Felag from the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

House Bill No. 5819 SUB A

(Revenue)

BY Malik, Marcello, Azzinaro, Gallison, Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - PARKING FACILITIES AND PRIVILEGES (would eliminate the renewal requirement for individuals who have disability placards for a permanent disability)

{LC1663/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Wednesday, May, 22, 2013.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. **2013-S 834 SUB A**
BY Miller
ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE INTEGRATION OF PRIMARY AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
2. **2013-S 911**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
3. **2013-S 912**
BY Kettle
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
4. **2013-S 922**
BY Bates
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

5. **2013-S 923**
BY Goodwin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
6. **2013-S 955**
BY Kettle
ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF HOPE SANITARY ASSOCIATION
7. **2013-H 5984**
BY Costantino
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
8. **2013-H 6040**
BY Guthrie
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
9. **2013-H 6042**
BY McNamara
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
10. **2013-H 6043**
BY Abney
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Upon motion of Senator Algieri, seconded by Senator Goodwin, 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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2013:

1. **Appointment of Marcel A. Valois VICE Keith Stokes as Executive Director of the Economic Development Corporation**

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

Senator Picard seconded by Senators Jabour, Sosnowski, Pichardo, Lynch, Gallo, Felag, Algieri, Bates, Lombardi, Raptakis, Cote and Ciccone moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

Senator Algieri discusses the appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, 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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Hodgson and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Executive Director of the Economic Development Corporation, Marcel A. Valois.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber J.R. Pagliarini, Chief of Staff at the Economic Development Corporation.

CALENDAR

2. **2013-S 825**
BY Goldin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 23, 2013.

3. **2013-S 719 SUB A**
BY Gallo
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - UNFAIR DISCRIMINATION AGAINST SUBJECTS OF ABUSE IN PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE

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

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Goodwin, Nesselbush, Picard, Archambault, Goldin and Cool Rumsey.

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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

4. 2013-S 539 SUB A

BY Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
DENTISTS AND DENTAL HYGIENISTS

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

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Doyle 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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5. 2013-S 116 SUB A

BY Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- SCHOOL COMMITTEES
AND SUPERINTENDENTS

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

Senator Picard moves passage, seconded by Senators Metts, Gallo, Hodgson, Pichardo and DiPalma.

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

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President 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, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6. 2013-S 118 SUB A

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - THE RHODE ISLAND TEACHERS' ADVISORY COUNCIL

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

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch, Satchell, Sheehan and DaPonte.

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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7. 2013-S 369 SUB A

BY Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS -- ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS

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

Senator Lombardi moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, McCaffrey, DaPonte, Nesselbush, Metts 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 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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2013-S 510

BY Jabour

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 23, 2013.

9. 2013-S 513

BY Lombardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Lombardo moves passage, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Gallo, McCaffrey and Pichardo.

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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

10. 2013-S 638 SUB A

BY Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - ACADEMIC CREDIT FOR MILITARY SERVICE

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

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Doyle, McCaffrey, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Algieri, O'Neill, Ottiano, Kettle and DiPalma.

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

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President 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, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

11. 2013-S 800 SUB A

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

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

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, Metts 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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

12. 2013-S 801 SUB A

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

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

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, DaPonte, Lynch, Doyle and Metts.

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, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, 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 Cote announces that the Committee on Commerce will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 212 of the State House.

Senator Crowley announces that the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

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

Senator McCaffrey announces that the Committee on Judiciary will meet tomorrow, at 2:30 o'clock P.M. in Room 313 of the State House.

Senator Goodwin announces that Senator Erin P. Lynch's Birthday was on Friday, May 17th.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Bates the Senate adjourns at 4:40 o'clock P.M.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR CHRISTOPHER SCOTT OTTIANO

Dear Lord, show us how to cooperate with each other in sharing our individual talents. Remind us that working together in a unified effort provides us with strength and produces desired end results. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 2013:**

- 1. Appointment of Scott Duhamel of Cranston VICE Regina Partridge to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.**

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

- 2. Appointment of Jennifer R. Fonseca of Rumford VICE Carolyn Peck to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.**

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

- 3. Appointment of Gretchen Dow Simpson of Providence VICE Maureen Moakley to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.**

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

- 4. Appointment of Elizabeth M. Slader of Narragansett VICE Beverly Blais to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2016.**

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

- 5. 2013-S 239 SUB A
BY O'Neill**

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE QUALITY OF LIFE AND CREATE POSITIVE OUTCOMES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH AUTISM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

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

- 6. 2013-H 5400
BY McNamara
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - LICENSING OF HEALTHCARE FACILITIES**

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

- 7. 2013-H 5663**
BY Mattiello
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
WORKERS' COMPENSATION COURT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
- 8. 2013-H 5730**
BY Johnston
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BUSINESS CORPORATION
TAX

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.
- 9. 2013-H 5819 SUB A**
BY Malik
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - PARKING
FACILITIES AND PRIVILEGES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite
postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.
- 10. 2013-H 5869**
BY Costa
ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE
HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.
- 11. 2013-H 5973**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
- 12. 2013-H 6004**
BY Hearn
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
- 13. 2013-H 6008**
BY Hearn
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

14. **2013-H 6024**
BY Johnston
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

15. **2013-H 6025**
BY Tanzi
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

16. **2013-H 6026**
BY Amore
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2013:

1. **2013-H 5153**
BY Gallison
ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING "THE WHOLE CHILD INITIATIVE"

Committee on Education recommends passage in concurrence.

2. **2013-H 5229**
BY McNamara
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND SUPERINTENDENTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

3. **2013-H 5595**
BY DeSimone
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - VETERINARY PRACTICE

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.

4. **2013-H 5609 SUB A**
BY Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

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

5. **2013-H 5665 (See Amendment)**

BY Shekarchi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE –
GENERAL POWERS OF SUPREME AND SUPERIOR COURTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

6. **2013-H 5668**

BY Craven

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - SENTENCE AND
EXECUTION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 2013:****1. 2013-S 316****BY** Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY --
SALE OR ADOPTION OF SPAYED OR NEUTERED CATS

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

2. 2013-S 256 SUB A as amended**BY** Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
MINIMUM WAGES

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

3. 2013-S 402 SUB A**BY** Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY -- BENEFITS

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

4. 2013-S 570 SUB A**BY** Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
HUMAN RESOURCE INVESTMENT COUNCIL

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

5. 2013-S 571 SUB A**BY** Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS

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

6. **2013-S 573**
BY Cool Rumsey
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY--GENERAL PROVISIONS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

7. **2013-S 683**
BY Pichardo
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY-CONTRIBUTIONS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

8. **2013-S 776 SUB A**
BY Ciccone
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY--FRAUD AND ABUSE

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

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2013:

1. **2013-S 825**
BY Goldin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- RHODE ISLAND
WORKS PROGRAM

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

2. **2013-S 510**
BY Jabour
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES AND
SUPERINTENDENTS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

3. **2013-S 871**
BY Miller
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4. **2013-S 881**
BY Crowley
ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF CENTRAL FALLS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

5. **2013-S 297 SUB A**
BY Felag
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - FRATERNAL CODE

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

6. **2013-H 5718 SUB A**
BY Phillips
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - AGENCY RELATIONSHIPS IN RESIDENTIAL REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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

7. **2013-H 5721**
BY Keable
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- POWERS AND OPERATIONS

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

Appendix**BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****House Bill No. 5984****BY** Costantino, Ucci**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Rain Marini to join Sally Heaney and Steven Romano in marriage on or about June 1, 2013, within the Town of Johnston, Rhode Island.)

{LC2374/1}

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}

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}

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}