

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:34 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, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

**ABSENT** – 2: Senators Gallo, Nesselbush.

**INVOCATION**

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG**

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

**APPROVAL OF RECORD**

The Senate Journal of the Sixty-second Legislative Day of the 2013 proceedings is read in part.

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

**GUESTS**

Upon suggestion of Senator DiPalma and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Karen Roarke.

Upon suggestion of Senator Pichardo and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Daughter of Senator Pichardo, Tiffanie I. Pichardo.

**COMMUNICATIONS**

The Honorable President presents the following communications:

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

June 13, 2013

Senate President  
Teresa M. Paiva Weed  
Room 318  
State House  
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Madam President:

Please be advised that I will be absent today from session as I have been invited to The White House for an LGBT Leaders reception.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

Donna M. Nesselbush  
Senator District 15

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:

<b>STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS STATE HOUSE</b>
June 7, 2013
TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:
I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-99-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Convention Center Authority:
<b>Jeffrey Hirsh of Warren</b>
for a term expiring June 30, 2017.
To this reappointment, I respectfully request your advice and consent.
Sincerely, Lincoln D. Chafee Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Also:

<b>STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS STATE HOUSE</b>
June 7, 2013
TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:
I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-99-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Convention Center Authority:
<b>George Nee of Cranston</b>
for a term expiring June 30, 2017.
To this reappointment, I respectfully request your Advice & Consent.
Sincerely, Lincoln D. Chafee Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Also:

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

June 6, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-64-7.1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Rhode Island Airport Corporation:

**Michael A. Traficante of Cranston**

for a term expiring June 1, 2015.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee  
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

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

June 6, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-64-7.1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Rhode Island Airport Corporation:

**Russell W. Hahn of Saunderstown**

VICE  
Robert Sangster

for a term expiring June 1, 2014.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. 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 measure:

**Senate Bill No. 647 SUB B****BY** Nesselbush**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

{LC1825/B/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 5802 SUB A as amended****BY** Handy, Ruggiero, Walsh, Ajello, Tanzi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - BIODIESEL HEATING OIL ACT OF 2013 (would enact the Biodiesel Heating Oil Act of 2013, which would require that all heating oil sold in the state contain five percent (5%) of a biobased product) {LC1390/A/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture

**House Bill No. 6093****BY** Shekarchi, Ferri, Trillo, Bennett, McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION - VETERAN'S EXEMPTIONS (would allow the Warwick City Council to increase the Veterans' tax exemption in the city of Warwick) {LC2508/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Finance

**House Bill No. 5983****BY** Winfield**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - PRESCRIPTION EYE DROP REFILLS (would allow early refilling of eye drop prescription medication prior to the last day of the approved dosage period without insurance coverage restrictions on early refill.) {LC2317/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Health and Human Services

**House Bill No. 5651 SUB A**

(Lieutenant Governor)

**BY** Bennett, Cimini, Handy, Ackerman, Serpa**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- HOUSING FOR THE ELDERLY -- EMERGENCY GENERATORS REQUIRED (would lower from one hundred fifty to one hundred the number of units required for an elderly housing complex to be required to maintain an emergency generator.) {LC1406/A/2}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government

**House Bill No. 6166**

**BY** Ferri

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Philip Tucker of Northampton, Massachusetts, to join Antonieta Falconi and Shawn Selleck in marriage within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island, on or about October 19, 2013) {LC2679/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 6182 as amended**

**BY** Serpa

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Patricia A. Serpa, of West Warwick, Rhode Island, to join Donna Brewer and Bruce McCullough in marriage) {LC2707/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 6176**

**BY** Ruggiero

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Anne 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) {LC2691/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 5572**

**BY** Slater, Williams, Diaz

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - IDENTIFICATION AND APPREHENSION OF CRIMINALS (would provide that court records cannot be sealed if a person has been previously convicted of a felony except in cases of acquittal after trial) {LC39/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 6165**

**BY** Tanzi

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Andrew Torrico of Johnston, Rhode Island, to join Amanda Gelsomino and Dante Lopardo in marriage within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island, on or about June 14, 2013) {LC2676/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 5575****BY** Gallison, Blazejewski, Handy, Valencia, Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS (would join Rhode Island in an agreement among states to elect the president and vice president by national popular vote) {LC373/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 6190****BY** Abney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Thomas Carrico of Tallahassee, Florida to join Erica Mercke and Michael Walsh in marriage within the City of Newport, Rhode Island, on or about August 10, 2013.) {LC2715/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 6191****BY** Blazejewski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow James Richard Lee to join Chrisanne Elaine Wyrzykowski and Jeffrey Quinn Morin in marriage on or about September 14, 2013, within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island.) {LC2702/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Judiciary

**House Bill No. 6076****BY** Serpa, Fellela, Lima, Silva, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TEACHERS' TENURE (would provide that any teacher employed by a local or regional school committee be granted an unpaid leave of absence, not to exceed 3 years in order to be employed in an appointed administrative position in another RI public school system) {LC2445/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Labor

**House Bill No. 6126****BY** Baldelli-Hunt, Costantino, Fellela, San Bento, Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GAMBLING AND LOTTERIES (would permit a senior citizens center to obtain a permit approved by the division of state police to conduct bingo in the senior citizens center) {LC2590/1}

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

**House Bill No. 5890****BY** Coderre, O'Neill, Messier, San Bento, Johnston**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - NAMING BRIDGE NO. 550 IN PAWTUCKET (would name bridge No. 550 in Pawtucket, the Pawtucket River Bridge) {LC2095/1}

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

**House Bill No. 5811 SUB A**

(Revenue)

**BY** Carnevale, Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (would allow the division of motor vehicles to implement a staggered system of registering and renewing combination vehicles instead of having all combination vehicle registrations expire on the same date) {LC1656/A/1}

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

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES  
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE**

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

**House Bill No. 5454 SUB A****BY** Ucci**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - WIRELESS TELEPHONE REGULATORY MODERNIZATION ACT (would provide that neither the public utilities commission nor the division of public utilities and carriers have jurisdiction or authority over wireless providers)

{LC863/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION**

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

**Senate Bill No. 496 SUB A****BY** Doyle, Cool Rumsey, Pearson, Lombardi, Gallo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CURRICULUM (would provide for courses of study for pupils in grades kindergarten through 8 to prevent child abduction, child sexual exploitation, and abuse.) {LC1582/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.



**COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE**

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

**Senate Bill No. 261 SUB A**

**BY** Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Lombardo, Walaska, Cool Rumsey

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY (would establish the procedure for the recycling, reuse and disposal of mattresses.)

{LC1103/A/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:

**House Bill No. 5376**

**BY** McNamara, Shekarchi, Naughton, MacBeth, Abney

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM--CPR TRAINING (would provide minimum guidelines for CPR training and would require an overview of automated external defibrillator (AED) use)

{LC811/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**COMMITTEE ON LABOR**

Senator Fogarty, from the Committee on Labor, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

**House Bill No. 5689 SUB A**

(Governor)

**BY** Jacquard, Nunes, Mattiello

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - FRAUD AND ABUSE (would assess a penalty equal to fifteen percent of the amount of any erroneous payment made to an individual that was due to fraud committed by the individual.)

{LC1693/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

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 be placed on the Consent Calendar.

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 be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**House Bill No. 6062 SUB A**

**BY** Ackerman, Shekarchi, Edwards, Kazarian, Abney

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS (would remove the prohibition on school committees from issuing work permits to children for employment in factories or mechanical or manufacturing establishments. Also direct the dept of labor to establish manufacturing standards for apprenticeship or tr)

{LC2383/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

**NEW BUSINESS**

**Senate Resolution No. 996**

**BY** Metts, Pichardo, Ruggiero, Jabour, Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ROBERT THOMPSON ON HIS

INDUCTION INTO THE 2013 RHODE ISLAND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE HALL OF FAME {LC2756/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**Senate Resolution No. 997**

**BY** Metts, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Jabour, Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING STEPHANIE PERRY ON HER INDUCTION INTO THE 2013 RHODE ISLAND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE HALL OF FAME {LC2753/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

**Senate Resolution No. 998**

**BY** McCaffrey

**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO UNDERTAKE A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION LEGISLATION IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND  
{LC2642/1}

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 988**  
**BY** Goldin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
2. **2013-H 5526 SUB A**  
**BY** Edwards  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS
3. **2013-H 5782**  
**BY** Johnston  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

4. **2013-H 5788 SUB B**  
**BY** Cimini  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --  
HUMAN RESOURCE INVESTMENT COUNCIL
  
5. **2013-H 6044**  
**BY** Canario  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CITIES AND TOWNS - THE TOWN OF  
PORTSMOUTH MUNICIPAL COURT

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

NAYS- 0:

### RECOMMITTAL

#### **Senate Bill No. 843**

**BY** Lombardo, Lombardi, Conley

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - DRUG TESTING (would expand the regulation of employer mandated drug testing to include the highway construction and repair industry.)

{LC2170/1}

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be recommitted to the senate committee on Labor.

### CALENDAR

#### **IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2013:**

1. **2013-S 457**  
**BY** McCaffrey  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, June 20, 2013.

**2. 2013-S 186 as amended****BY** Crowley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES-CENTRAL FALLS

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

Senator Crowley moves passage, seconded by Senators DaPonte, Pearson and Pichardo.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, in concurrence, 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, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

**3. 2013-S 238 SUB A****BY** Gallo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PARKING FACILITIES PRIVILEGES

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

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senator Lynch.

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

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

NAYS- 0:

**4. 2013-S 604****BY** Fogarty**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senators DaPonte and Goodwin.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

**5. 2013-S 607**

**BY** Fogarty

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - COLLECTION OF TAXES  
GENERALLY

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senators Pearson and DaPonte.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

**6. 2013-S 730 SUB A**

**BY** Picard

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

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

Senator Picard moves passage, seconded by Senators DiPalma, Lombardo and Pearson.

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

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty,

Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

**7. 2013-S 734 SUB A**

**BY** DaPonte

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- RHODE ISLAND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TAX INCENTIVES EVALUATION ACT OF 2013

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

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators DiPalma, Ruggerio, Metts, Jabour and Pichardo.

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

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

NAYS- 0:

**8. 2013-S 745**

**BY** Metts

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - TAX EXPENDITURE STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Metts moves passage, seconded by Senators Fogarty, Ruggerio and O'Neill.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

- 9. 2013-S 959**  
**BY DiPalma**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator DiPalma moves passage, seconded by Senators Picard and Archambault

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

- 10. 2013-S 214 SUB A**  
**BY Sosnowski**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - CONSERVATION AND PRESERVATION RESTRICTIONS ON REAL PROPERTY**

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators Sheehan and Archambault.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 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, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

- 11. 2013-S 346**  
**BY Lynch**  
**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.



Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle, Sosnowski, Lombardi, Satchell, Archambault, Cool Rumsey, Pearson, Metts, Pichardo and McCaffrey.

Senator Sheehan discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 4 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 30: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS - 4: Senators Cote, Kettle, O'Neill, Sheehan.

**12. 2013-S 840 SUB A**

**BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- ANTITRUST LAW

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

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Metts, Lombardi and Archambault.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Hodgson.

**13. 2013-S 548 SUB A**

**BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- TRESPASS AND VANDALISM

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

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch, Ruggerio, McCaffrey, Sosnowski, Crowley and Archambault.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 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, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

**14. 2013-S 982**

**BY** Walaska

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- SELF-SERVICE STORAGE FACILITIES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Walaska moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

**15. 2013-S 992**

**BY** Goodwin

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 18, 2013.

**16. 2013-H 5085 SUB A**

**BY** Gallison

**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 in concurrence.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch, McCaffrey and Jabour.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 1 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 1: Senator Bates.

### CALENDAR

**17. 2013-H 5119 SUB A as amended**

**BY** Malik

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --  
PARKING FACILITIES PRIVILEGES

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

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Lynch and McCaffrey.

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

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, 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 Lombardi congratulates all of the Senate Pages on Graduating from High School: Alexandra Abreu, Ayo Akrimimisi, Kyle Brassil, Patrick Crabtree, Brittany Curran, Michael DiPaolo, Erin Dudolevitich, Emily Furtado, Caitlyn Gemma, Ryan Gingras, Nathan, Guadagni, Caroline Haddad, Nelson Herrera, John Hindley, Cassidy Kamer, Sean Kilduff, Joslyeen Mitri, Danielle Mongeau, Ashley Motta, Serena Palleschi, Adrian Ramos, Elias Ramos, Erica Rebussini, Alondra Rodriguez, Madeleine Simoneau, Brooke Soars, Juliana Velez and Anne Venditti.

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 Sheehan announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 212 of the State House.

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

### ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Bates the Senate adjourns at 4:58 o'clock P.M.

**JOSEPH R. BRADY**  
Secretary of the Senate

**Appendix**

**INVOCATION**

**SENATOR DAVID E. BATES**

Almighty God, we thank you for this day. We thank you for awakening us with a renewed spirit and the vigor to live each day to the fullest. We thank you for the love, comfort and impenetrable bond we share with our families and with your divine spirit. Amen.

**Appendix****CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 2013:****1. 2013-S 996****BY Metts****ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ROBERT THOMPSON ON HIS INDUCTION INTO THE 2013 RHODE ISLAND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE HALL OF FAME

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

**2. 2013-S 997****BY Metts****ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING STEPHANIE PERRY ON HER INDUCTION INTO THE 2013 RHODE ISLAND INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE HALL OF FAME

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

**3. 2013-S 998****BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE REPORTING AND EXPIRATION DATES OF THE SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO UNDERTAKE A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION AND NOTIFICATION LEGISLATION IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

**4. 2013-H 5376****BY McNamara****ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM--CPR TRAINING

Committee on Health &amp; Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

**5. 2013-H 5454 SUB A****BY Ucci****ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - WIRELESS TELEPHONE REGULATORY MODERNIZATION ACT

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

**6. 2013-H 5689 SUB A****BY** Jacquard**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 concurrence.

**7. 2013-H 5700****BY** Williams**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -  
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY-CONTRIBUTIONS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

**8. 2013-H 5701****BY** Winfield**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --  
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY--GENERAL PROVISIONS

Committee on Labor recommends passage in concurrence.

**9. 2013-H 6062 SUB A****BY** Ackerman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS

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

**Appendix****CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 2013:**

1. **2013-S 992**  
**BY** Goodwin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

2. **2013-S 836 SUB A**  
**BY** Sheehan  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - MUNICIPAL STREETLIGHT INVESTMENT ACT

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

3. **2013-S 77 SUB A**  
**BY** Doyle  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - DISTRESSED AREAS ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION ACT

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

4. **2013-S 981**  
**BY** Felag  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

5. **2013-S 991**  
**BY** Felag  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE STONE BRIDGE FIRE DISTRICT TO ISSUE GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND/OR NOTES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,500,000) TO FINANCE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS TO ITS WATER SYSTEM

Committee on Finance recommends passage.



6. **2013-S 615 SUB A**  
**BY** Goodwin  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- LONG-TERM CARE SERVICE REFORM FOR MEDICAID ELIGIBLE INDIVIDUALS

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

**IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2013:**

1. **2013-S 647 SUB B**  
**BY** Nesselbush  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

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

2. **2013-S 496 SUB A**  
**BY** Doyle  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - CURRICULUM

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

3. **2013-S 261 SUB A**  
**BY** Ruggiero  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY

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

**IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 2013:**

1. **2013-S 457**  
**BY** McCaffrey  
**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

**Appendix****BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****House Bill No. 5085 SUB A****BY** Gallison, Azzinaro, Marshall, Messier, Fellela**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - FRATERNAL CODE (would exempt certain military associations organized before 1880 from the laws regulating fraternal benefit societies)

{LC372/A/1}

**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}

**Senate Bill No. 186 as amended****BY** Crowley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES-CENTRAL FALLS (would authorize the city council of the city of Central Falls to increase the amount of time for tax exemptions for certain improvements to qualifying real and personal property from 5 years to 10 years.) {LC386/1}**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}**House Bill No. 5782**

(Transportation)

**BY** Johnston, Keable, Blazejewski, Guthrie**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES (would clarify the meaning of divided highway as any highway that has been divided into two (2) roadways by leaving an unpaved intervening space or by a physical barrier) {LC1466/1}**House Bill No. 6044****BY** Canario, Edwards, Gallison, Finn**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CITIES AND TOWNS - THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH MUNICIPAL COURT (would authorize the town of Portsmouth to create a municipal court.)

{LC2449/1}

**Senate Bill No. 238 SUB A**

**BY** Gallo, Ottiano, Goodwin, Lynch, Sosnowski

**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.) {LC881/A/2}