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Sixty-fourth 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 4:25 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 38 Senators present and 0 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 38: 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, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

ABSENT – 0:

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

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

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

**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. 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 be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

Senate Bill No. 90

BY Ottiano, Bates, DiPalma, Felag, Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX - ESTABLISHMENT OF ARTS DISTRICT (would establish a new arts district within the town of Bristol for purposes of the tax exemption provided to writers, composers, and other artists.) {LC455/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 244

BY Fogarty

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES (would authorize the town of Burrillville, commencing in 2013 for taxes assessed as of December 31, 2012, and thereafter, to amend its current 2 tier tax classification system by increasing its ratable taxable properties into 4 separate classes) {LC899/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 673

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION - VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS {LC1946/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 808

BY Paiva Weed, DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCORPORATION OF CONGREGATION JESHUAT ISRAEL IN THE CITY OF NEWPORT {LC2190/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 990

BY Hodgson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION (would authorize the town of East Greenwich to enact a series of residential tax exemptions.) {LC2738/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 191 SUB A

BY Doyle, Nesselbush, DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - FUNDING OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS (would change the formula in granting access for reimbursement of charter school housing costs.) {LC570/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 521 SUB A

(Attorney General)

BY Miller, Ruggerio, Goldin, DaPonte, DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE (would require that Rhode Island's financial resource be divested from companies doing business in Iran, and would establish a procedure for such divestment. Further, this act would set forth the procedure to be followed by the state of Rhode Island should) {LC1517/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 942

(Governor)

BY DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION (would regulate and impose certain disclosure requirements upon the sale or brokering of tax credits issued by or on behalf of the state.) {LC2391/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 251 SUB A

BY Conley, Miller, Lombardi, Satchell, Archambault

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS," PASSED AT THE MAY SESSION, 1870, AS AMENDED {LC1358/A/2}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 609 SUB A

BY Sheehan, Ciccone, DiPalma, Sosnowski, Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- QUASI-PUBLIC CORPORATIONS ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY ACT
{LC1737/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 26 SUB A

BY Archambault

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BRYANT UNIVERSITY (would amend the 1949 act used to incorporate the Bryant College of Business Administration to reflect its current name of Bryant University. This name change would be retroactive to August 25, 2004.) {LC52/A/3}

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 measures:

Senate Bill No. 279 SUB A

BY Lynch, Goodwin, Ottiano, Miller, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - PALLIATIVE CARE AND QUALITY OF LIFE - SERVICES AND EDUCATION (would establish a state advisory council on palliative care and quality of life, a palliative care consumer and professional information and education program and a palliative care access initiative in Rhode Island.) {LC782/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 691 SUB A

BY Miller, Nesselbush, Cool Rumsey, Sheehan, Goldin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE LICENSING ACT {LC1600/A/4}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

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. 6138

BY Serpa, Nunes, Morgan, O'Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF WEST WARWICK (would permit the town of West Warwick to move the date of its financial town meeting to June 25, 2013) {LC2619/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 202 SUB A

BY Doyle, Nesselbush, Crowley, Conley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY (would clarify the types of proceeding in which injunctive or other relief may be granted in matters involving minimum building or housing standards.) {LC973/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 283

BY Raptakis, Kettle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - GENERAL POWERS (would regulate the location and use of, asphalt batching or continuous mixing facilities in the town of Coventry. This act would also allow for the continued operation of any facility in existence prior to the enactment of this act.) {LC1051/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 322 SUB A**BY** McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES (would prevent a municipality from taxing a new single-family dwelling unit/residential condominium unit at its full and fair cash value for as long as said new dwelling or condominium unit is not occupied, has never been occupied, and is for sale) {LC1002/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 985

(by request)

BY Paiva Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- AWARD OF MUNICIPAL CONTRACTS (would allow the town of Jamestown to enact, by ordinance, a local preference for the award of municipal contracts. The preference may be up to 10% higher than the lowest bid price or the lowest evaluated or responsive bid price.) {LC2706/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate stands at recess at 4:27 o'clock P.M. until the call of the chair.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, on Tuesday, June 18, 2013, at 5:34 o'clock P.M.

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**

June 13, 2013

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-14.5-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment as Health Insurance Commissioner:

Kathleen C. Hittner, MD of Warwick

Vice
Christopher F. Koller

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

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

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Resolution No. 999

BY Sheehan, Hodgson, Lombardi, Satchell, Metts

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF E. RICHARD DURFEE

{LC2801/1}

Senator Sheehan requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

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

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

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Bill No. 6221 as amended

BY Mattiello, Hearn, Shekarchi, Serpa, Tomasso

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING, AND ATHLETICS -- CASINO GAMING (authorize the RI state police through its gaming enforcement unit to monitor & investigate all criminal activity associated with casino gaming. create various criminal offenses related to casino gaming, & repeal the RI Gaming Control & Revenue Act.)

{LC2783/1}

Senator Goodwin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Lynch, Bates, O'Neill and Lynch.

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

NAYS- 0:

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

6. **2013-H 5689 SUB A**
BY Jacquard
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - FRAUD AND ABUSE
7. **2013-H 5700**
BY Williams
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY-CONTRIBUTIONS
8. **2013-H 5701**
BY Winfield
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY--GENERAL PROVISIONS
9. **2013-H 6062 SUB A**
BY Ackerman
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS

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, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

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.

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

Senator Goodwin seconded by Senators Metts, Jabour and Ruggerio, offers the following written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2013 -- S 992

AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2013 -- S 992, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS", as follows:

(1) On page 3, line 28, by deleting the language "Providence redevelopment agency," and inserting in place thereof the language "redevelopment agency of any city or town with more than one hundred thousand (100,000) residents,".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR GOODWIN

The motion to amend prevails 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, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Goodwin moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Ruggerio and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, 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, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

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.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 19, 2013.

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.

Senator Doyle moves passage, seconded by Senators Crowley, Nesselbush, Lynch, Ruggerio, Hodgson, Archambault and Conley.

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

NAYS- 0:

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

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Bates, 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 Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin,

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

NAYS- 0:

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.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators DiPalma and Ottiano.

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

NAYS- 0:

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.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Doyle, Jabour, Metts, Gallo, Lombardo, Satchell, 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 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, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

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 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 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 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 Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet on Thursday, June 20th, at 2:00 o'clock P.M., in Room 211 of the State House.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Algieri and upon suggestion of Senator Sheehan the Senate adjourns at 5:48 o'clock P.M. in memory of E. Richard Durfee.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR ROGER A. PICARD

Almighty Father, remind us that we are governed by sympathy; and the extent of our sympathy is determined by that of our sensibility. Amen.

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2013:

- 1. 2013-H 6030**
BY O`Grady
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
MADE IN RHODE ISLAND MANUFACTURING COLLABORATIVE OF 2013

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

- 2. 2013-H 6138**
BY Serpa
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOWN OF WEST WARWICK

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

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

- 1. 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.

- 2. 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.

- 3. 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.

- 4. 2013-S 261 SUB A**
BY Ruggerio
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.

- 2. 2013-S 26 SUB A**
BY Archambault
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BRYANT UNIVERSITY

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

3. **2013-S 90**
BY Ottiano
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PERSONAL INCOME TAX - ESTABLISHMENT OF ARTS DISTRICT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4. **2013-S 191 SUB A**
BY Doyle
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - FUNDING OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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

5. **2013-S 244**
BY Fogarty
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

6. **2013-S 251 SUB A**
BY Conley
ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE RHODE ISLAND SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS," PASSED AT THE MAY SESSION, 1870, AS AMENDED

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

7. **2013-S 521 SUB A**
BY Miller
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE

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

8. **2013-S 609 SUB A**
BY Sheehan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- QUASI-PUBLIC CORPORATIONS ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY ACT

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

9. **2013-S 673**
BY McCaffrey
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION - VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
10. **2013-S 808**
BY Paiva Weed
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE INCORPORATION OF CONGREGATION JESHUAT ISRAEL IN THE CITY OF NEWPORT
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
11. **2013-S 942**
BY DaPonte
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
12. **2013-S 990**
BY Hodgson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION
- Committee on Finance recommends passage.
13. **2013-S 279 SUB A**
BY Lynch
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - PALLIATIVE CARE AND QUALITY OF LIFE - SERVICES AND EDUCATION
- Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
14. **2013-S 691 SUB A**
BY Miller
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENCE LICENSING ACT
- Committee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
15. **2013-S 202 SUB A**
BY Doyle
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY
- Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends indefinite postponement of

the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

16. 2013-S 283

BY Raptakis

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - GENERAL POWERS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

17. 2013-S 322 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES

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

18. 2013-S 985

BY Paiva Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- AWARD OF MUNICIPAL CONTRACTS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Appendix**BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****House Bill No. 6221 as amended****BY** Mattiello, Hearn, Shekarchi, Serpa, Tomasso**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING, AND ATHLETICS -- CASINO GAMING (authorize the RI state police through its gaming enforcement unit to monitor & investigate all criminal activity associated with casino gaming. create various criminal offenses related to casino gaming, & repeal the RI Gaming Control & Revenue Act.)

{LC2783/1}

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}

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}

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}

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}

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}

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)

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