
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, February 6, 2025

TIME: Rise of the House

PLACE: Room 135 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [5035](#)

BY Kazarian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC38/1} (Allows Ryan Kenny and Brenna Sorokin to join Simran Bhajan Nebhnani and Louis Charles Miyara in marriage on April 26, 2025, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island.)

01/10/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5048](#)

BY Azzinaro, Fellela, Serpa, Casimiro, Kennedy, Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC39/1} (Creates special motor vehicle registration plates for vehicles based on the not-for-profit entity Rhode Island Fire Chiefs Honor Flight Hub.)

01/15/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5049](#)

BY Azzinaro, Fellela, Serpa, Casimiro, Kennedy, Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC51/1} (Removes the requirement that the applicant for a Bronze Star Medal license plate pay a registration fee or transfer charge.)

01/15/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5050](#)

BY Phillips, Casey, J. Brien, Cruz, Alzate, Stewart, Voas, Giraldo, Messier, Marszalkowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC156/1} (Creates a special license plate for the Blackstone Valley Tourism Council, Inc. that would support the Blackstone River Valley Environmental Clean-up and Education Fund.)

01/15/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5051](#)

BY Azzinaro, Edwards, Fellela, Casimiro, Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO RENAMING THE NEW SAKONNET BRIDGE, AQUIDNECK ISLAND {LC445/1} (Names the new Sakonnet Bridge as the “Staff Sergeant Christopher Potts Sakonnet Bridge.”)

01/15/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5141](#)

BY Bennett, Solomon, Edwards, McNamara, Kislak, Giraldo, Slater, Diaz, Azzinaro, Costantino

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC328/1} (Establishes a motor vehicle license plate to honor Roger Williams.)

01/22/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [5191](#)

BY Bennett, Cotter, Carson, Dawson, Baginski, Phillips, Shanley, Cortvriend, Boylan, Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- STATE EMBLEMS {LC84/1} (Designates as the state music, the genre of rhythm and blues which contains elements of pop, soul, funk, hip-hop, and electronic music.)

01/24/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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