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# **JOURNAL**

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# HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Tuesday, May 20, 2025

Thirty-Fifth Day

The House of Representatives meets at the State House in Providence on Tuesday, May 20, 2025, and is called to order at 4:31 o'clock P.M. by the Honorable K. Joseph Shekarchi, Speaker.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 73 members present and 2 members absent as follows:

**PRESENT** – 73: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, , Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, and Voas.

**ABSENT** – 2: Representatives Kennedy and Perez.

#### INVOCATION

The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi presents Representative Teresa A. Tanzi, who delivers the Invocation and leads the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

(For Invocation, see Appendix, this Journal.)

#### APPROVAL OF RECORD

By unanimous consent, the House Journal of Thursday, May 15, 2025, is approved.

#### COMMUNICATIONS

Representative Ramon A. Perez is unable to attend session today, Tuesday, May 20, 2025. Representative Brian Patrick Kennedy is unable to attend session today, Tuesday, May 20, 2025.

#### **CALENDAR**

From the Calendar are taken:

#### IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 20, 2025:

#### 1. 2025-H 5484 SUB A

**BY** Carson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

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

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski and Representative Cotter.

Chairman Solomon and Representative Lima discuss the act.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 73 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 73: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

#### 2. 2025-H 5547

**BY** Solomon

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski and Representative Carson.

Chairman Solomon discusses the act.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 73 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 73: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

#### 3. 2025-H 5575 SUB A

**BY** Solomon

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- LONG TERM CONTRACTING STANDARDS FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY

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

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Representatives Abney, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Caldwell, Casey, Casimiro, Cortvriend, Costantino, Craven, Cruz, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fellela, Fogarty, Hull, Kazarian, Knight, Lima, McEntee, McGaw, Noret, O'Brien, Phillips, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Speakman, Spears.

Chairman Solomon, Representatives Carson, Cotter, Morales, Minority Leader Chippendale and Representative Handy discuss the act.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 73 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 73: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

#### 4. 2025-H 6033 SUB A

BY Hull

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

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

Chairman Solomon moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Cotter, Speakman, Sanchez, Phillips, Shallcross Smith, Cortvriend, Lombardi, Edwards, Bennett, Morales and Deputy Majority Whip Ackerman.

Chairman Solomon and Representative Sanchez discuss the act.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 74 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 74: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

#### 5. 2025-H 5822

**BY** Phillips

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- SOLAR SITING ADVISORY TASKFORCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Chairman Solomon moves the passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Phillips, Morales, Speakman, and Casey.

Chairman Solomon discusses the act.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 74 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 74: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

#### 6. 2025-H 5847 SUB A

BY Read

**ENTITLED**, HOUSE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND PROVIDE FINDINGS AND POTENTIAL SOLUTIONS TO ADDRESS THE FLOODING OF THE PAWTUXET RIVER

Committee on Environment and Natural Resources recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Chairman Bennett moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Marszalkowski, Read, Carson, Phillips, Cortvriend, Edwards, Solomon, McNamara, Casimiro, Noret, Deputy Majority Whip Ackerman and Majority Whip Kazarian.

Chairman Bennett discusses the resolution.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 74 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 74: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Newberry, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

**RECUSED - 0:** 

#### 7. 2025-H 5050

**BY** Phillips

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage.

Chairwoman Alzate moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski, Representatives Shallcross Smith, Casey, Phillips, Messier, and Deputy Majority Whip Ackerman.

Chairwoman Alzate, Representatives Newberry and Carson discuss the act.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 73 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 73: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

#### 8. 2025-H 5376

BY Donovan

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage.

Chairwoman Alzate moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski and Representative Cotter.

Chairwoman Alzate discusses the act.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 73 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 73: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski,

McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, Noret, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

**NAYS - 0:** 

**RECUSED - 0:** 

#### 9. 2025-H 6148

BY McNamara

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage.

Chairwoman Alzate moves passage of the act, seconded by Majority Leader Blazejewski and Representative Corvese.

Chairwoman Alzate discusses the act.

Read and passed, on a roll call vote, 72 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS - 72: The Honorable Speaker Shekarchi and Representatives Abney, Ackerman, Ajello, Alzate, Azzinaro, Baginski, Batista, Bennett, Biah, Blazejewski, Boylan, Brien, Caldwell, Carson, Casey, Casimiro, Chippendale, Cortvriend, Corvese, Costantino, Cotter, Craven, Cruz, Dawson, DeSimone, Diaz, Donovan, Edwards, Fascia, Felix, Fellela, Finkelman, Fogarty, Furtado, Giraldo, Handy, Hopkins, Hull, Kazarian, Kennedy, Kislak, Knight, Lima, Lombardi, Marszalkowski, McEntee, McGaw, McNamara, Messier, Morales, Nardone, O'Brien, Paplauskas, Phillips, Place, Potter, Quattrocchi, Read, Roberts, Sanchez, Santucci, Serpa, Shallcross Smith, Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Speakman, Spears, Stewart, Tanzi, Voas.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 0:

By unanimous consent, the House returns to:

#### PROXY VOTES

Majority Leader Blazejewski announces, pursuant to Rule 33(e), authorizing Proxy Votes, he has received a request from Speaker Pro Tempore Kennedy to be recorded in the affirmative for items #1 through #9.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chairman Baginski and Speaker Shekarchi extend their deepest condolences to Jennifer, Michael, and their family on the passing of her father, Guilherme "Djeme" Lopes Freitas. He lived a life filled

with purpose and compassion. After immigrating to the United States with nothing but determination in his heart, he became a cornerstone for his family and a guiding light for all who knew him. Their thoughts are with the Lopes Freitas family during this difficult time.

#### **NOW PRESIDING**

At 5:00 o'clock P.M., the Honorable Speaker Shekarchi yields the rostrum to the Honorable Deputy Speaker Hull.

#### **GUESTS**

Representative Batista acknowledges and congratulates his constituent, Keily Marie Avila, on her election as President of the Student Government at the Community College of Rhode Island. She is accompanied by her parents, Jorge Avila and Mildred Santiago, the owners of PC Tech, whom Representative Batista warmly welcomes to the House. He also congratulates them on the recent opening of their third store in Warwick. Deputy Speaker Hull extends a warm welcome to them.

#### **GUESTS**

Representative Sanchez warmly welcomes constituent Stanley Fallon, a dedicated employee of the Rhode Island Public Transportation Authority who has been with the organization for over 50 years. Speaker Deputy Hull also extends a warm welcome to him in the House.

Chairman Bennett welcomes Butler Hospital workers who are here today, rallying for fair wages and a fair contract in their workplace.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Chairman Casey announces that the Committee on Municipal Government & Housing will meet today, at the rise of the House, in Room 101 of the State House.

Representative Shallcross Smith extends her heartfelt congratulations to Robert Gray, who turned 100 years old on May 18, 2025. He is a World War II veteran who served in the United States Army from August 11, 1943, to December 6, 1945, holding the rank of Private First Class in the Army's Yankee Division, based in Boston. She wishes him many more happy and healthy birthdays.

Chairman Abney announces that the Committee on Finance will meet today, at the rise of the House, in Room 35 of the State House.

Chairman Azzinaro announces that the annual Military and Veterans Outreach Day event will be held tomorrow, Wednesday, May 21, 2025, on the second floor of the State House. All members are invited to attend.

Chairwoman Serpa announces that the Committee on Oversight will meet tomorrow at 4:00 p.m. in Room 101 of the State House.

Chairwoman Donovan announces that the Committee on Health & Human Services will meet today, at the rise of the House, in Room 135 of the State House.

Chairman Shanley announces that the Committee on State Government & Elections will meet today, at the rise of the House, in the House Lounge of the State House.

Majority Leader Blazejewski announces that the next House session will be held on Thursday, May 22, 2025, at 4:00 p.m. There will be no session tomorrow; however, the House Finance Committee and the Oversight Committee will both be meeting at 4:00 p.m.

Majority Leader Blazejewski, on behalf of the House of Representatives, congratulates Finance Committee Chairman Marvin Abney for being honored earlier today by the Rhode Island Alliance of Boys & Girls Club for his leadership and dedication to the youth of Rhode Island.

#### **RULE 7D**

### The following bills were received pursuant to Rule 7D:

Representative Kislak -An Act relating to Public Utilities-Carriers Regulatory Powers of Administration

Representative Shanley -An Act relating to Taxation- Collection of Taxes Generally

By unanimous consent, the House returns to:

#### **TRANSMITTAL**

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

(For Transmittals to Governor, see Appendix of this Journal.)

#### **DESK HELD OPEN**

The Honorable Deputy Speaker Hull announces that the desk will be held open.

#### COMMUNICATION FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Honorable Senate transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

#### Senate Bill No. 103

**BY** Urso, Murray, Britto, Gu, Valverde, Pearson, Appollonio, Vargas, Lawson, Acosta **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES (Mandates all insurance contracts, plans or policies provide insurance coverage for the expense of diagnosing and treating infertility, for women between the ages of 25 and 42 years including preimplantation genetic diagnosis (PGD) in conjunction with IVF.) {LC272/1} 05/21/2025 Referred to House Health & Human Services

#### Senate Bill No. 610 SUB A

(OHIC)

BY Lawson, Tikoian, Murray, Lauria, Britto, Burke, Bissaillon, Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT

INSURANCE POLICIES (Adds several consumer protections to existing Medicare Supplement law.) {LC1359/A/1}

05/21/2025 Referred to House Health & Human Services

#### Senate Bill No. 705

**BY** DiMario, Valverde, Lauria, Lawson, Bissaillon, Acosta, Murray, Euer, Kallman **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES (Requires insurance coverage for all community health workers' services to include health and promotion coaching, health education and training, health system navigation and resource coordination services, care planning and follow-up care recommendations.) {LC1159/1} 05/21/2025 Referred to House Health & Human Services

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### House Bill No. 6353

**BY** Hopkins, Brien, Cotter, Nardone

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- THE PRIMARY CARE PRESERVATION ACT (Authorizes a physician practice to charge a practice support contribution; provided that, the amount does not exceed \$120 per year, per patient, enrolled in a healthcare insurance plan, (excluding Medicaid and traditional Medicare).) {LC2909/1} 05/21/2025 Introduced, referred to House Corporations

#### House Bill No. 6354

**BY** Azzinaro

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES (Liquor licenses in Westerly required to have liability insurance.) {LC2945/1} 05/21/2025 Introduced, referred to House Municipal Government & Housing

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

At 5:00 o'clock P.M. on motion of Representative Boylan, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Raymond E. Pesola; on motion of Representative Baginski, and as a further mark of respect to the memory of Guilherme "Djeme" Lopes Freitas seconded by Leaders Blazejewski and Chippendale the House adjourns, on a unanimous rising vote.

Diane M. DePina Recording Clerk

# **APPENDIX**

### **INVOCATION**

### REPRESENTATIVE TERESA A. TANZI

Dear God, we come to you this hour asking for your blessing as we gather here today. We pray for guidance in our deliberations. Help us to always be mindful that we carry the hopes of those we serve. Amen.

#### **APPENDIX**

#### **CALENDAR**

#### IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 22, 2025:

#### 1. 2025-H 6165 SUB A

**BY** Spears

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

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

#### 2. 2025-H 5611

**BY** Noret

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- PUBLIC BUILDINGS

Committee on State Government & Elections recommends passage.

#### 3. 2025-H 5563

BY Dawson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- THE HUMAN TRAFFICKING PREVENTION NOTICE ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

#### 4. 2025-H 5250 SUB A

BY Biah

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- HOLIDAY BUSINESS

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

#### 5. 2025-H 5841

**BY** Stewart

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- OFFENSES PERTAINING TO SCHOOLS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

#### 6. 2025-H 5251 SUB A

BY Read

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- RIGHTS AND DUTIES TEACHERS GENERALLY -- SEPTEMBER 11 CLASSROOM MOMENT OF SILENCE

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

#### 7. 2025-H 5645

BY Dawson

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- LEVY AND SALE ON EXECUTION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

#### 8. 2025-H 6159

**BY** Craven

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS -- COURT SECRETARIES, COURT REPORTERS, AND ELECTRONIC COURT REPORTERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

### 9. 2025-H 6306

**BY** McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Special Legislation recommends passage.

#### 10. 2025-S 201

**BY** Felag

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AMENDMENTS TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF TIVERTON

Committee on Municipal Government & Housing recommends passage in concurrence.

#### 11. 2025-S 720

**BY** Ciccone

**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Municipal Government & Housing recommends passage in concurrence.

# 12. 2025-S 844

**BY** DiPalma

 $\ensuremath{\mathbf{ENTITLED}}$  , AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

Committee on Municipal Government & Housing recommends passage in concurrence.

Francis McCabe
Clerk of the House

Friday, May 16, 2025

# **APPENDIX**

# CONSENT CALENDAR