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Thursday, June 7, 2007

Fifty-second Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, at 4:33 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 37 Senators present and 1 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 37: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 1: Senator Metts.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fiftieth Legislative Day of the 2007 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Mrs. Rhode Island America 2007, Christina Balletto and her husband Mr. Gary Balletto.

Upon suggestion of Senator Felag and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Lori Nunes of Bristol.

Upon suggestion of Senator Sheehan and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Chris and Anne Burke and their son Chris Burke, all of the town of North Kingston.

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

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

June 7, 2007

Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano
President of the Senate
318 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear President Montalbano:

Please accept this letter as notification that I will be unable to attend Senate Session today, Thursday, June 7, due to being away on business.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

James E. Doyle, II
Senator – District 8
Pawtucket

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 1083**

BY Senators DaPonte, Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 10, 2007 AS "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3309/1}

Senator DaPonte requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by Senators Paiva Weed, Alves, Felag and Connors.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1084

BY Senator Levesque C

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF CHARLES S. GREEN {LC3269/1}

Senator Levesque requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1085

BY Senators Levesque C, Paiva-Weed, Perry, Gibbs, Sheehan

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE ADOPTION OF ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORDS AND HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE SYSTEMS THAT IMPROVE THE QUALITY, SAFETY AND VALUE OF HEALTH CARE {LC3264/1}

Senator Levesque requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by Senators Pichardo and Sheehan.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1086

BY Senator Blais

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING GREGG VIGNEAU ON ATTAINING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT {LC3295/1}

Senator Blais requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1087

BY Senator Blais

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING WILLIAM HENRY COLE IV ON ATTAINING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT {LC3292/1}

Senator Blais requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 1088

BY Senator Blais

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING ALAN SOUSA ON ATTAINING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT {LC3291/1}

Senator Blais requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, item 6 (07-H 5678 Sub A) is removed from the Consent Calendar, and placed on today's Calendar.

1 2007-H 5023

BY Gemma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
MOTOR VEHICLES REPARATIONS ACT

2 2007-H 5135**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES**3 2007-H 5328****BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- PARTY COMMITTEES
AND CONVENTIONS**4 2007-H 5387****BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - LAW PRACTICE**5 2007-H 5666 SUB A as amended****BY San Bento****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -
OPTOMETRISTS**7 2007-H 5736 SUB B****BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH
MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS**8 2007-H 5862 SUB A****BY Slater****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**9 2007-H 5956 as amended****BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS - NURSES**10 2007-H 5961****BY O'Neill****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES**11 2007-H 6228****BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Upon motion of Senator Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 2007:

1 2007-S 1038

BY Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GAMBLING
AND LOTTERIES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

Senator Lanzi moves passage, seconded by Senators Goodwin, Maselli and Issa.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Miller, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Paiva Weed

NOW PRESIDING

The Honorable President Joseph A. Montalbano yields the rostrum to, the Honorable Daniel P. Connors, Deputy President Pro Tempore at 4:50 o'clock P.M.

CALENDAR

2 2007-S 875 SUB A as amended

BY Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - DATING VIOLENCE
"LINDSAY ANN BURKE ACT"

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Lanzi, and without objection, ordered to be placed at the bottom of the Calendar.

3 2007-S 892 SUB A

BY Blais

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -
COURTS - JUDICIAL SELECTION**

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

Senator Blais moves passage, seconded by Senators Breene and Montalbano.

Senator Blais, seconded by Senator Breene, offers the following written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T

2007 -- S 892 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - JUDICIAL SELECTION

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2007 -- S 892 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE - COURTS - JUDICIAL SELECTION", as follows:

On page 1, line 18, after the word "commission" insert the following language "unless such individuals withdraw from future consideration in writing to the judicial nominating commission".

Respectfully submitted,

SENATOR BLAIS
LC02351/3

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Blais moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Montalbano and Breene.

Senators Fogarty, Sheehan, Montalbano, Levesque and Miller discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 2 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 2: Senators Lenihan, Sheehan

NOW PRESIDING

The Honorable Daniel P. Connors, Deputy President Pro Tempore, yields the rostrum to, the Honorable President Joseph A. Montalbano at 5:25 o'clock P.M.

4 2007-S 974 SUB A as amended

BY Alves

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - REAL ESTATE
INVESTMENT TRUSTS

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Alves and without objection, ordered to be placed on the desk.

5 2007-S 131 SUB A

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RADON
CONTROL

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

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senator Connors.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 29 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 29: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, Miller, Paiva Weed, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6 2007-S 1051 SUB A**BY Fogarty P****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- SANITATION IN
FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 12, 2007.

7 2007-S 783 SUB A as amended**BY Felag****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES

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

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senator Paiva Weed.

Senator Felag, seconded by Senator Gallo, offers the following written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T

2007 -- S 783 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2007 -- S 783 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES", as follows:

1. On page 2, lines 10 through 17, by deleting all language therein and inserting in place thereof the following language:

"(c) Any person found in violation of subsection 31-27-22(b) while having one or more passengers in their motor vehicle shall be subject to imprisonment for not more than five (5) years, a fine of not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and be required to perform no more than one hundred (100) hours of public community restitution. The person's license to operate a motor vehicle shall be suspended for no less than one year. This enhanced sentence is to be served in addition and consecutively to the sentence provided for the underlying offense."

2. On page 2, line 18, by deleting the letter and parentheses "(c)" and inserting in place hereof the letter and parentheses "(d)".

3. On page 2, line 18, by deleting the language "(b) or section 31-27-22.1 – 31-27- 22.3" and inserting in place thereof the language "31-27-22(b).

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR FELAG
LC01265/2

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Paiva Weed Ruggerio, Gallo, Jabour, Sheehan Walaska, McCaffrey and Bates.

Senator Felag discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8 2007-H 5735 SUB B

BY Kilmartin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RADON
CONTROL

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 13, 2007.

9 2007-H 6033 SUB B

BY Kilmartin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - INSURANCE -
HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY COVERAGE

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

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by Senator Connors.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Issa.

10 2007-H 6305

BY Watson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE EAST GREENWICH FIRE DISTRICT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Lenihan moves passage, seconded by Senator Raptakis.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote with 30 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 30: Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

11 2007-H 5678 SUB A

BY Serpa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -
PHARMACIES

Senator Alves moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque and Walaska.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

2 2007-S 875 SUB A as amended

BY Lanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - DATING VIOLENCE
"LINDSAY ANN BURKE ACT"

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

Senator Lanzi moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Pichardo, Maselli, Paiva Weed, Algieri, Breene, Blais, McCaffrey, Ruggerio, Goodwin, Connors, Gallo, Raptakis Sheehan and many others.

Senator Levesque, seconded by Senators Connors and Lanzi, offers the following written motion to amend.

F L O O R A M E N D M E N T

2007 -- S 875 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - DATING VIOLENCE "LINDSAY ANN BURKE ACT"

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2007 -- S 875 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - DATING VIOLENCE "LINDSAY ANN BURKE ACT"", as follows:

1. On page 2, line 12, after the word "students" by inserting the language "at school".
2. On page 2, line 16, by deleting the second appearance of the language "dating violence" and by inserting in lieu thereof the language "such incidents".
3. On page 2, line 18, after the word "policy" by inserting the language "and handbook".
4. On page 2, line 19, by deleting the language following the words "conduct for" to the end of the sentence and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "students at school."
5. On page 3, between lines 13 and 14, by inserting the following language:

"(iii) "At school" means in a classroom on or immediately adjacent to such school premises, on a school bus or other school-related vehicle, at an official school bus stop, or at any school sponsored activity or event whether or not it is on school grounds."

Respectfully submitted, SENATOR LEVESQUE LC01262/3
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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 27 Senators voting in the affirmative and 4 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 27: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, DaPonte, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 4: Senators Felag, Jabour, Raptakis, Tassoni.

Senator Lanzi moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Levesque.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Connors, DaPonte, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 211 of the State House.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, all Senate 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.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator DaPonte, seconded by Senator Algieri, and upon suggestion of Senator Levesque the Senate stands at recess at 5:46 o'clock P.M. in memory of Charles S. Green.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, on Tuesday, June 12, 2007, at 4:12 o'clock P.M.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Resolution No. 6502

BY Murphy, Mumford

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ENACTING LEGISLATION TO EMPOWER PRIMARY CARE PROVIDERS TO JOINTLY NEGOTIATE WITH HEALTH INSURERS {LC3290/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues.

Also:

House Resolution No. 6235

BY Church, Costantino, Schadone, Sullivan, Lewiss

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY YOUTH FINANCIAL EDUCATION (create a 15 member special legislative commission whose purpose it would be to study the status and future of youth personal financial education in Rhode Island's middle and high schools) {LC2767/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues.

Also:

House Bill No. 6352 SUB A

BY Trillo, Loughlin, Long

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- UNIFORM BOAT TITLE ACT (allow for the transfer or sale of a watercraft or vessel without a certificate of title for vessels which are thirty (30) years old or more) {LC2982/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 5874

BY Dennigan, Rose, Kilmartin, O'Neill, McManus

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS (allow high school juniors and seniors to be appointed as election officials) {LC1469/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

House Bill No. 5517 SUB A**BY** Lally, Jackson, O'Neill, Petrarca**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COLLECTION OF FINES AND COSTS (amend the process for the collection of overdue court fines, costs, and fees) {LC1227/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

House Bill No. 6247 (Secretary of State)**BY** Serpa, Fellela, Silva, Melo, Vaudreuil**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT (allow mergers of foreign and domestic entities with domestic corporations) {LC2832/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations

Also:

House Bill No. 6249 (Secretary of State)**BY** Mattiello, DeSimone, Brien, Giannini, Ucci**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, PARTNERSHIPS -- CONVERSIONS (provide for comprehensive changes with respect to conversions of business entities) {LC2833/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations

Also:

House Bill No. 6241 (Secretary of State)**BY** O'Neill, Melo, Jackson, Petrarca, Schadone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS (provide for service of process on a foreign limited liability company whose registration has been cancelled/also instituted as an associated fee for foreign limited liability companies and foreign limited liability partnerships) {LC2831/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations

Also:

House Bill No. 6248 (Secretary of State)**BY** Corvese, Schadone, San Bento, Shanley, Rose**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- BUSINESS CORPORATIONS (allow corporations which have dissolved prior to the effective date stated on their articles of incorporation to forego paying the franchise tax) {LC2837/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations

Also:

House Bill No. 6245

BY Corvese, Schadone, San Bento, Shanley, Rose

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS -- RHODE ISLAND BUSINESS CORPORATIONS ACT, AND RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY ACT (clarify indemnity provisions and procedures for dissolution under the RI Business Corporation Act, and update references to such act in The RI Limited Liability Company Act) {LC2835/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations

Also:

House Bill No. 6246 (Secretary of State)

BY Jackson, Schadone, Vaudreuil, Gablinske, Silva

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS - THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT (require the name and address of the authorized person filing the articles of organization for a limited liability company to be included on the articles of organization) {LC2830/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations

Also:

House Bill No. 5708 SUB A

BY Kennedy, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY (amend the provisions regarding the licensing of CPA's both for initial applicants and for individuals already licensed by another jurisdiction) {LC2178/2/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 6345

BY DeSimone, Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE RHODE ISLAND STUDENT LOAN AUTHORITY (correct the number of the members of the board of directors of the Rhode Island Student Loan Authority from seven (7) members to six (6) members) {LC2961/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Government Oversight

Also:

House Bill No. 6131 as amended

BY Naughton, Slater, Williams, San Bento, Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION (create the Rhode Island community support academy) {LC2434/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Education

Also:

House Bill No. 6371 SUB A

BY Gablinske, Picard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES (amend the general laws by adding a chapter thereto providing for school pupil transportation vehicles) {LC3006/4/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Education

Also:

House Bill No. 6143 SUB A as amended

BY Sullivan, Ginaitt, Segal, Moffitt, Savage

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ESTABLISHING THE SMART DEVELOPMENT FOR A CLEANER BAY ACT OF 2007 (deal with the proper control and treatment of stormwater) {LC2528/3/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture

Also:

House Bill No. 5169

BY Malik, Corvese, Schadone, McNamara, Carter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO RELIEF OF INJURED AND DECEASED FIRE FIGHTERS AND POLICE OFFICERS ("police officers" to mean any chief/other member of the police dept regularly employed/any executive high sheriff/deputy sheriff/member of the fugitive task force/capitol police officer/permanent environmental police officer/criminal investigator of DEM)

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Labor

Also:

House Bill No. 5941 as amended

BY Jackson, Rice, Gallison, O'Neill, Sullivan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - RHODE ISLAND REAL ESTATE TIME-SHARE ACT (permit the taxation of time-share developments based on the resale value of interval weeks as well as any other identifiable and commonly accepted methods of appraisal as a basis for arriving at value conclusions) {LC1666/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

House Bill No. 6473 SUB A

BY Costantino, Fox, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FINANCING CORPORATION {LC3239/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

House Bill No. 6223

BY Malik, Gablinske

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - HISTORIC RESIDENCE - TAX CREDIT (allow owners of historic commercial structures in Warren to apply for tax credits even if the owner is depreciating the structure in accordance with federal law) {LC2759/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

House Bill No. 6051 SUB A

BY Costantino, Lewiss, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- FOUNDATION LEVEL SCHOOL SUPPORT {LC1564/3/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

House Bill No. 5912 as amended

BY Lewiss, Costantino, Kennedy, McNamara, Handy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - HEALTH INSURANCE - - COPAYMENTS (require deductibles copayments and other forms of patient financial responsibly for hospital services to be collected by insurers) {LC2168/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

House Bill No. 6434

BY San Bento

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF THE CHARTER OF SWANEE REALTY CORPORATION {LC3133/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6411**BY** Fox

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- LIGHTING EQUIPMENT AND REFLECTORS (allow forward viewing or rotating beam emergency lights on hospital emergency response vehicles) {LC3083/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.

Also:

House Bill No. 6486**BY** Gorham, Moffitt

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF SECTION 9 OF AN ACT PASSED AT THE JANUARY SESSION A.D. 1942 ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE WESTERN COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT" AS AMENDED {LC3114/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Housing and Municipal Government.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT**

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

House Bill No. 6099**BY** Gorham

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF SECTIONS 3 AND 4 OF CHAPTER 905 OF THE PUBLIC LAWS OF 1912, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE CHEPACHET FIRE DISTRICT, " AS AMENDED {LC2432/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1060**BY** Senators Connors, Paiva-Weed, Goodwin, Pichardo, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- PUBLIC TRANSIT AUTHORITY (refine the powers and duties of the Rhode Island public transit authority) {LC3175/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1065**BY** Senator Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES TO AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$105,000,000 TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION

OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE TOWN INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION OF LAND THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION OF SEWER ASSESSMENTS AND SERVICE FEES {LC3233/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1066

BY Senator Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES TO AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$40,000,000 TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE TOWN INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION OF LAND THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION OF SEWER ASSESSMENTS AND SERVICE FEES {LC3232/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 1067

BY Senator Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COOPERATIVE SERVICE AMONG SCHOOL DISTRICTS (allow Northern R.I. Collaborative to purchase, take, receive, lease, take by gift, or otherwise acquire, own, hold, mortgage, finance, improve, or use realty and fixtures at 300 George Washington Highway Smithfield) {LC3152/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

House Bill No. 5296

BY Slater, Almeida, Diaz, Malik, McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS (eliminate Social Security benefits from being considered as "disqualifying income" in the determination of individual eligibility for unemployment benefits)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 41**BY** Senators Alves, Montalbano J, McCaffrey, Walaska, Paiva-Weed**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- ACQUISITION OF LAND (general assembly approval be required for any lease where the state is the tenant and the lease is 3 years or longer or the aggregate rent exceeds \$300,000)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 411 as amended**BY** Senators Levesque C, Sosnowski, Gibbs**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE -- FARMING (expand the definition of agricultural operations to include the production of fiber/also exempt agricultural products used for human consumption from the sales and use taxes) {LC1384/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 593 SUB A**BY** Senators Moura, Perry, Paiva-Weed, Maselli**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - THE RHODE ISLAND BEST RX PROGRAM (create the Rhode Island Best Rx Program to provide prescription drug assistance to the uninsured) {LC2106/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 409 SUB A**BY** Senators Alves, Paiva-Weed, Levesque C, Goodwin, McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION (delay for 2 years the revaluation time for cities and town who were not revaluated in 2006 or earlier and would delete the 2nd update for cities and towns and due them in 2008 and after) {LC1909/2/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Senator Roberts, from the Committee on Health and Human Services, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

House Bill No. 6125 SUB A**BY** Coderre E, Ajello, McNamara, Diaz, Naughton**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RHODE ISLAND COORDINATED HEALTH PLANNING ACT OF 2006 (make changes to the Rhode Island

coordinated health planning act of 2006 by establishing a health care planning council, including its powers and funding) {LC1750/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5383 SUB A

BY Handy, Pacheco, Ajello, Lewiss, Church

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- DENTISTS AND DENTAL HYGIENISTS {LC1323/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 6079 SUB B (Business Regulation/OHIC)

BY Kennedy, Mumford, Gablinske

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT (establish a task force to study the impact of merging the individual health insurance market) {LC1798/1/B}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Also:

House Bill No. 5770 SUB B (Elderly Affairs)

BY Singleton

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - ELDERLY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT (include self-neglect of the elderly under the jurisdiction of the department of elderly affairs) {LC1900/1/B}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

TRANSFER OF BILLS

Senator Walaska, in accordance with Senate Rule 6.14, moves to transfer the following bill from the Committee on Corporations to the Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues.

House Bill No. 5549 SUB A

BY Corvese, Long

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - UNFAIR CLAIMS SETTLEMENT PRACTICES ACT (unfair practice for an insurance company not to follow all components of a repair manual when appraising a damaged vehicle) {LC2021/1/A}

Read and referred to the Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues.

RECONSIDERATION

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, seconded by Senator Paiva Weed, (07-H 5023) **ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLES REPARATIONS ACT is reconsidered and ordered to be placed on Tuesday's Calendar, upon a roll call vote with 24 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 24: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Badeau, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Cote, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gibbs, Issa, Jabour, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Miller, Paiva Weed, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Algieri, seconded by Senator Ruggerio, the Senate adjourns at 4:14 o'clock P.M.

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SEANTOR DANIEL DAPONTE**

Heavenly Father, Join us today as we gather in a wider search for truth and purpose. In this quest, may we greet one another with open hearts and minds as we inspire each other to consider new questions and seek deeper meaning. Amen

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2007:

1 2007-S 986**BY Moura**

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO CREATE A SYSTEM THAT ENSURES THAT TRADE AGREEMENTS ARE DEVELOPED AND IMPLEMENTED USING A DEMOCRATIC, INCLUSIVE MECHANISM THAT ENSHRINES THE PRINCIPLES OF FEDERALISM AND STATE SOVEREIGNTY

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

2 2007-S 1063**BY Tassoni**

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CREATE INTERNET SAFETY CURRICULA

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

3 2007-H 5093 as amended**BY Petrarca**

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

Committee on Finance recommends passage as amended.

4 2007-H 5430 SUB A**BY Ginaitt**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

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

5 2007-H 5437 SUB B**BY Shanley**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY -- NOTIFICATIONS TO FARMERS

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

6 2007-H 5483 SUB B**BY Ginaitt**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the

original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

7 2007-H 5805 SUB B

BY Palumbo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- PROMOTION
OF PAPER BAG USE

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

8 2007-H 5902 SUB A as amended

BY Loughlin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE --
DECORATIONS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A as amended in concurrence.

9 2007-H 6134 SUB B

BY Palumbo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - GROCERY AND
LAUNDRY CARTS, MILK CASES, EGG BASKET, AND BAKERY
CONTAINERS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.

10 2007-H 6236 SUB B

BY Amaral

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- INDUSTRIAL
PROPERTY REMEDIATION AND REUSE

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

11 2007-H 6399

BY Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT TO VACATE THE FORFEITURE OR REVOCATION OF
THE CHARTER OF WICKFORD SERVICE, INC.

Ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2007:****1 2007-S 1051 SUB A****BY Fogarty P****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- SANITATION IN
FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS

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

2 2007-S 1043**BY Fogarty P****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

3 2007-S 1054**BY Alves****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BUSINESS CORPORATION
TAX

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

4 2007-H 5734 SUB B**BY Kilmartin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- THE
USE OF THE NAME OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

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

5 2007-H 5519 as amended**BY Lally****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -
JUDICIAL PENSIONS

Committee on Finance recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

6 2007-H 6185 SUB A**BY Mumford****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
ADJUDICATION OF TRAFFIC OFFENSES

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

7 2007-S 516 SUB A

BY Breene

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - MOTOR VEHICLE BODY REPLACEMENT PARTS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

8 2007-S 921

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

9 2007-S 959

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY TRANSPORTATION FOR AFTERSCHOOL AND CHILDCARE PROGRAMS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

10 2007-S 990

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE
-- EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

11 2007-H 5272 SUB A

BY Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY RENAMING THE RHODE ISLAND JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A in concurrence.

12 2007-H 6191

BY Williamson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- NOTICE AND HEARING ON LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

13 2007-H 6240**BY Petrarca****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SPORTS, RACING, AND ATHLETICS**

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage in concurrence.

14 2007-H 6187 SUB A**BY Mumford****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES --
PHARMACEUTICALS**

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

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2007:**1 2007-H 5735 SUB B****BY Kilmartin****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- RADON
CONTROL**

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

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate