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Fifty-third Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, at 4:22 o'clock P.M.

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

PRESENT – 38: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 0:

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fifty-second Legislative Day of the 2008 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Sosnowski and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Grazyna Chylinska and Sylvia Boquish of South Kingstown.

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**

May 29, 2008

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 42-140.1-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Rhode Island Energy Efficiency and Resource Management Council:

**Joseph E. Newsome of Providence
(Representing Low Income User)**

for a term expiring April 1, 2011.

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

Sincerely,



Donald L. Carcieri
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE**

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

House Bill No. 7439 SUB A as amended

BY Rice, Shanley, Walsh

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES (add "farms" to the list of items necessary in a real estate disclosure form) {LC1468/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7522 SUB A**BY** Pacheco, Gorham, Church, Carter, Winfield**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FISH AND WILDLIFE - - GENERAL PROVISIONS (prohibit the importation, transportation, dispersion, distribution, introduction, selling, purchasing, or possessing of non-native (exotic) invasive aquatic plants) {LC2104/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

House Bill No. 7467 SUB B**BY** Naughton, McNamara, Coderre E, Dennigan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - BREASTFEEDING - PROMOTES THE INTERESTS OF MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH {LC1704/1/B}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2479 SUB A**BY** Senators Doyle, McBurney, Tassoni, Connors**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - NURSES (would allow certified nurse practitioners to prescribe medicine in accordance with state formulary of registered nurse practitioners) {LC2100/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2679 SUB A as amended**BY** Senators Paiva-Weed, Perry, Levesque C, Blais, Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE ACT OF 2008 {LC1827/2/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2398 SUB A (Children, Youth and Families)**BY** Senator Gibbs**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- LICENSING AND MONITORING OF CHILD CARE PROVIDERS AND CHILD PLACING AGENCIES {LC1735/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON LABOR

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

Senate Bill No. 2406 (Labor & Training)

BY Senator Bates

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR - TEMPORARY DISABILITY INSURANCE - BENEFITS (amend the waiting week requirement to begin the waiting week on the Sunday of the week in which a claimant files a claim for benefits) {LC1729/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2147

BY Senators Lanzi, Ciccone, Badeau, Ruggerio, Maselli

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- FIREFIGHTERS' ARBITRATION (provide that all contractual benefits conferred under an existing contract would continue until a new agreement is reached through arbitration or by agreement between the parties)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2579

BY Senators Ruggerio, Doyle, Connors, McCaffrey, Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MEDIATION (provide for the payment of certain costs pertaining to compulsory mediation)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2588

BY Senators Ruggerio, McBurney, Doyle, McCaffrey, Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS (waive responsibility of the state and public agencies for directly holding sub-contracts in certain construction projects, unless the result would be a direct cost benefit)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2580**BY** Senators Ruggerio, Goodwin, Connors, McCaffrey, DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' ARBITRATION (require the state to pay the cost of compulsory mediation involving municipal employees)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2059 SUB A as amended**BY** Senators Raptakis, DaPonte, Ciccone, Tassoni, Maselli**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES (would adjust the minimum wage annually using the consumer price index) {LC29/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 3054****BY** Senator Bates**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING NICOLAS R. MARISCAL ON ATTAINING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT

Senator Bates requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Bates moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3055**BY** Senators Levesque C, Gibbs**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE 175TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF SAINT PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Senator Levesque requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by Senator Gibbs and the entire Senate.

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

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 29, 2008:

14. 2008-S 2032**BY Raptakis****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF LICENSES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Raptakis moves passage, seconded by Senators Sosnowski, McCaffrey, Ciccone, Paiva Weed, Ruggerio, Felag, Fogarty, Sheehan, Jabour, Algieri, Tassoni and many others.

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 as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

20. 2008-S 2517**BY Sosnowski****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- SEARCH
WARRANTS -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators Breene, Algieri, Paiva Weed, McCaffrey, Jabour, Sheehan and Raptakis.

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 as follows:

YEAS- 33: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gibbs, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

1. 2008-S 2849 SUB A as amended**BY Montalbano J****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS**

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 3, 2008.

2. 2008-S 2850 as amended

BY Montalbano J

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

Committee on Corporations recommends passage as amended.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 3, 2008.

3. 2008-S 2851 SUB A

BY Montalbano J

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS
-- RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARD**

Committee on Corporations 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 3, 2008.

4. 2008-S 2852 SUB A as amended

BY Montalbano J

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT
- RHODE ISLAND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION**

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 3, 2008.

5. 2008-S 2283 SUB A as amended

BY Perry

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -
BREASTFEEDING - PROMOTES THE INTERESTS OF
MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH**

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

Senator Perry moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque, Metts, Paiva Wee, Doyle, Ruggerio, Pichardo, Gibbs and several others.

Senator Perry, seconded by Senators Lanzi, Pichardo, Doyle, Levesque and Ruggerio, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2008 -- S 2283 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - BREASTFEEDING - PROMOTES THE INTERESTS OF
MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2283 SUBSTITUTE A AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - BREASTFEEDING - PROMOTES THE INTERESTS OF MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH", as follows:

1. On page 1, delete lines 5 through 18.
2. On page 2, line 1, delete the numerals "23-13.5-2" and insert the following numerals in place thereof "23-13.5-1".
3. On page 2, line 3, delete the numerals "23-13.5-3" and insert the following numerals in place thereof "23-13.5-2".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR PERRY

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, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gibbs, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Perry moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Levesque and Gibbs.

Senators Levesque discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, 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, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6. 2008-S 2519

BY Algieri

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

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Algieri moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Ruggerio, Raptakis and Ciccone.

Senator Algieri, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Ciccone, Levesque Ruggerio, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2008 -- S 2519

AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2519, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES", as follows:

On page 1, line 3, by deleting the language "Operation of unregistered vehicle a misdemeanor" and inserting in place thereof the following language "Operation of unregistered vehicle".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR ALGIERE

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Algieri moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators McCaffrey Blais Bates and Felag.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

7. 2008-S 2774 SUB A

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- SALES AND USE TAXES
-- PERSONAL INCOME TAX -- EXEMPTIONS FOR WRITERS,
COMPOSERS AND ARTISTS

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

Senator Paiva Weed moves passage, seconded by Senators Algieri and Moura.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2008-S 2905

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Doyle moves passage, seconded by Senators Moura McBurney, DaPonte and Issa.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

9. 2008-S 2906

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET - TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, June 3, 2008.

10. 2008-S 2923

BY Gallo

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- FOOD STAMP
EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING PROGRAM**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Felag, Levesque, Sosnowski, Metts and Pichardo.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 1 Senator abstaining as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ABSTAINED- 1: Senator Lanzi

11. 2008-S 2924

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Pichardo, Sosnowski, Paiva Weed, Ruggerio, Walaska, Gallo and Issa.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

12. 2008-S 3001

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAWS SECTION 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$350,000 BONDS BY THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO FINANCE IMPROVEMENTS TO SCHOOL BUILDINGS INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDING CORPORATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by Senators Felag and Ciccone.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

13. 2008-S 3009

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- BRISTOL SENIOR RESIDENT PROPERTY TAX SERVICE PROGRAM

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by Senators Felag and Bates.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

15. 2008-S 2166

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - SEXUAL
OFFENDER REGISTRATION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Connors moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque, Doyle, Gallo, Jabour, DaPonte, Metts and Picard.

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

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

TO

2008 -- S 2166

AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - SEXUAL OFFENDER REGISTRATION

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2166, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - SEXUAL OFFENDER REGISTRATION", as follows:

(1) On page 3, lines 8 through 18, by deleting the entire language and inserting the following language in place thereof:

"(v) Duties of the director of the department of corrections/director of the department of children, youth and families. Not less than sixty (60) days prior to release of any person subject to this chapter, the director of the department of corrections or, in the event the person is a juvenile, the director of the department of children, youth and families, or their respective designees, shall seek verification that the duties of the sex offender board of review and any other state agency have been fulfilled as specified in section 11-37.1-6 et seq. In the event that the director of the department of corrections or, in the event

the person is a juvenile, the director of the department of children, youth and families, cannot obtain verification, he or she shall, no less than thirty (30) days prior to the release of a person subject to this chapter, file with the presiding judge of the superior court or, in the case of a juvenile, the chief judge of the family court, a petition in the nature of mandamus, seeking compliance with this chapter. The court shall promptly, but no less than ten (10) days from the filing of the petition, hold a hearing on the petition. The court may, in its discretion, enter any orders consistent with this chapter to compel compliance, however, the court may not delay the release of any person subject to this chapter for the failure of the sex offender board of review or any state agency to fulfill its obligations under this chapter."

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR LEVESQUE

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Connors moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Levesque and Doyle.

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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

16. 2008-S 2231

BY McBurney

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE
-- CLAIMS**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator McBurney moves passage, seconded by Senators Doyle, Tassoni, Jabour, Levesque and McCaffrey.

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

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

17. 2008-S 2314 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - BAIL AND RECOGNIZANCE

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

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque and Jabour.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, 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, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

18. 2008-S 2486

BY Connors

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Connors moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque and McCaffrey.

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

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

19. 2008-S 2489**BY Jabour****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- HISTORICAL ZONING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Jabour moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Moura, Pichardo, Metts and Ruggerio.

Senators Blais and Jabour discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

21. 2008-S 2550**BY Connors****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Connors moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey and Ciccone.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

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

NAYS- 0:

22. 2008-S 2709**BY Doyle****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, June 4, 2008.

23. 2008-S 2823

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Levesque moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Ciccone and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative and 5 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 31: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 5: Senators Bates, Blais, Breene Gibbs, Revens.

24. 2008-S 2873

BY Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
PRIVATE DETECTIVE ACT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Levesque, Paiva Weed and Jabour.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

25. 2008-S 2916 SUB A

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISORDERLY
CONDUCT

Committee on Judiciary 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 Thursday, June 5, 2008.

26. 2008-H 8014 SUB B

BY Fox

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

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

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

The bill marked Substitute "B" 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 Montalbano and Senators Algieri, Alves, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lanzi, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Bates announces that the Committee on Corporations will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 212 of the State House.

Senator Lenihan announces that the Committee on Government Oversight will meet Monday, June 2, 2008, at 3:30 o'clock P.M. in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

Senator Doyle announces that the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 210 of the State House.

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

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.

RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Paiva Weed, seconded by Senator Algieri, and upon suggestion of Senator Ciccone, the Senate stands at recess at 5:06 o'clock P.M.

CALLED TO ORDER

The Senate is called to order by the Honorable Joseph A. Montalbano, President of the Senate, on Tuesday, June 3, 2007, at 4:13 o'clock P.M.

**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. 8096

BY Walsh, Scott, Coderre E

ENTITLED, AN ACT TOWNS AND CITIES -- ORDINANCES {LC2576/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8060

BY Vaudreuil, Menard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- SEWER CHARGES (provide for a real estate lien in the town of Cumberland for all properties which have unpaid sewer charges and would allow the town council to set and enforce sewer fees) {LC2485/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7485

BY Petrarca, Winfield

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SMITHFIELD TO ESTABLISH BY ORDINANCE A TAX EXEMPTION FOR REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED BY THE GRODEN CENTER, INC., LOCATED IN THE TOWN OF SMITHFIELD {LC1388/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7199

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE KINGSTON WATER DISTRICT - BONDS (increase the maximum amount of the Kingston Water District Bonding Authority from two million dollars (\$2,000,000) to four million dollars (\$4,000,000))

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8133

BY Coderre E, Kilmartin, O'Neill, Rose, Dennigan

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010 {LC2532/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8191

BY Coderre E, Kilmartin, San Bento, O'Neill

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010 {LC2531/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8136

BY Coderre E, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose, San Bento

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010 {LC2537/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8134

BY Coderre E, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose, San Bento

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER AND SANITATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$300,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010 {LC2534/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8030

BY Fellela, Petrarca, Smith, Ucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON TO FINANCE THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWERS FOR THE MEMORIAL PLAT SEWER PROJECT WHICH INCLUDES ALL OR A PORTION OF MILLS DRIVE, POCOTTE DRIVE, ANROLD DRIVE, MONGONE DRIVE, RICHARDSON DRIVE, HARRINGTON DRIVE, CORRINE DRIVE, PINWOOD AVENUE AND CENTRAL AVENUE; AND FOR THE CHERRY HILL SEWER PROJECT WHICH INCLUDES ALL OR A PORTION OF CHERRY HILL ROAD, OLD CHERRY HILL ROAD, CHRYSANTHY COURT, SETIAN CIRCLE, KERN ACRE DRIVE, CAVALCADE BOULVDARD, BALSAM COURT, HEMLOCK COURT, WOODCREST DRIVE, CYNTHIA DRIVE, WORCESTER AVENUE, PRESCOTT AVENUE, HOLLAND AVENUE, ROWENA DRIVE, BIRCHWOOD DRIVE AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$7,100,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (financing by the Town of Johnston to authorize the town of Johnston to finance the design and construction of sanitary sewers for the Memorial Plat Sewer Project) {LC2253/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8132

BY Coderre E, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose, San Bento

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010 {LC2536/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8081

BY Vaudreuil, Menard

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- THE TOWN OF CUMBERLAND -- HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION (allow the Cumberland town council to provide a yearly homestead exemption to owners of qualifying residential and mixed use property) {LC2484/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8095**BY** Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE HOLDINGS OF THE WATCH HILL CHAPEL SOCIETY (increase the limit on the amount of property that may be held by the Watch Hill Chapel Society from \$1,500,000 to \$10,000,000) {LC2609/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 8120**BY** Coderre E, Kilmartin, Dennigan, Rose, San Bento

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010 {LC2535/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

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**

May 30, 2008

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I am hereby withdrawing, without prejudice, the June 15, 2007 appointment of Kathleen A. Swann, Ph.D. to the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education.

Sincerely,



Donald L. Carcieri
Governor

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS**

Senator Walaska, from the Committee on Corporations, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 7113 (Business Regulation)**BY** Carter, Gallison, Rose, Malik, Fellela**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- TRAVEL AGENCIES (repeal the licensing of travel agencies)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7723 SUB A**BY** Singleton, Moffitt, Corvese, McCauley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY-- REVERSE MORTGAGES (create new requirements and guidelines in the application process for mortgagors offering reverse loan mortgages) {LC2092/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7728 (Business Regulation)**BY** Watson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE (would require the filing of an annual actuarial opinion by all domestic property and casualty insurers) {LC1883/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 7497 SUB A as amended**BY** Jacquard**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE RHODE ISLAND AUTOMOBILE REPOSSESSION ACT (permit notice of default on auto lease or loan/via first class mail/permit time when notice is deemed to be given to defaulter upon actual delivery of notice or three business days following mailing of notice to consumer's last known address) {LC1820/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Bill No. 8262 SUB A**BY** Rice, Fox, Gallison, Costantino, Segal**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE SERVICES (would require senators and representatives to pay a share for their health insurance benefits equal to ten

percent (10%) of the cost of benefits and would prohibit any payment for waiving health insurance benefits.) {LC2883/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 7051

BY Kennedy, Walsh, Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - VETERANS' BENEFITS - WESTERLY

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 7662

BY Diaz, Slater, Almeida

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS (remove the fine of (\$500) that the bureau of licenses of Providence is authorized to impose as a fine upon any person, firm, or corp for the violation of any law, ordinance, condition, rule, or regulation applicable to the license) {LC1996/1}

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

Also:

House Bill No. 8314

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow the Honorable Scott Avedisian to join Suzanne O. Fry and William A. Manchester, Jr. in marriage within the Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island) {LC2949/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 8299

BY Handy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Edward M. Cardoza to join Kately n Keaveney and Matthew Malin in marriage) {LC2928/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Resolution No. 8332**BY** Church, Moffitt, Schadone**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CREATE A TASK FORCE ON YOUTH FINANCIAL LITERACY IN ORDER TO DEVELOP A STATEWIDE STRATEGY, ACTION PLAN, AND MARKETING PLAN FOR INCREASING MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS' KNOWLEDGE OF PERSONAL FINANCIAL LITERACY {LC2999/1}

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

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 3056****BY** Senators Issa, Bates, Jabour**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO CREATE A TASK FORCE ON YOUTH FINANCIAL LITERACY IN ORDER TO DEVELOP A STATEWIDE STRATEGY, ACTION PLAN, AND MARKETING PLAN FOR INCREASING MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS' KNOWLEDGE OF PERSONAL FINANCIAL LITERACY {LC3000/1}

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3057**BY** Senators Paiva-Weed**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC2994/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3058**BY** Senator Revens**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES {LC3020/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3059**BY** Senators Ciccone, Ruggerio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF NORTH PROVIDENCE TO TAKE LAND BY EMINENT DOMAIN {LC2991/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3060**BY** Senator McBurney**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COOPERATIVE SERVICE AMONG SCHOOL DISTRICTS {LC3009/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Education

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3061**BY** Senators Levesque C**ENTITLED**, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAWS SECTION 16-7-44 APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,100,000 BONDS BY THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO FINANCE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT PORTSMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL INCLUDING SUCH IMPROVEMENTS AS ARE NECESSARY TO COMPLY WITH STATE MANDATED FIRE CODE REGULATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDING CORPORATION {LC3005/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3062 (by request)**BY** Senator Algieri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY {LC2988/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3063**BY** Senator Algieri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION {LC2989/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3064**BY** Senator Algieri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE RYSE SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,447,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH

TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID AT A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OF NOT LESS THAN 56% {LC2829/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3065

BY Senator Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE CHARIHO HIGH SCHOOL AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SWITCH ROAD CAMPUS, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, A MAINTENANCE FACILITY, TRACK, PARKING AND UTILITY AND SECURITY UPGRADES BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$17,847,00 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID AT A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OF NOT LESS THAN 56% {LC2828/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3066

BY Senator Algieri

ENTITLED, AN ACT (I) AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, DEMOLITION, ALTERATION, REPAIR, ADDITIONS, PAVING, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF THE CHARIHO MIDDLE SCHOOL BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,706,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR AND (II) PROVIDING THAT THE PRINCIPAL OF, REDEMPTION PREMIUM AND INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES ISSUED FOR THE PROJECT WILL BE BORNE BY THE MEMBER TOWNS IN EQUAL SHARES, WITH EACH TOWN PAYING ONE-THIRD OF THE COSTS AND SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE SCHOOL HOUSING AID AT A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OF NOT LESS THAN 56% {LC2827/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3067

BY Senators Levesque C, Bates, Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES {LC2975/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3068

BY Senators Felag, Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO A TAX AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWN OF TIVERTON AND TIVERTON POWER, INC. {LC3022/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3069

BY Senator Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION - CIGARETTE TAX {LC3008/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3070

BY Senators Gallo, Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE EDUCATION ADEQUACY ACT {LC2964/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3071

BY Senator Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- PROCEDURE IN PARTICULAR ACTIONS {LC2995/1}

Read and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator DaPonte, seconded by Senator Algieri the Senate adjourns at 4:10 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday June 3, 2008.

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR DAVID E. BATES

Lord, grant us Your higher wisdom to our leaders and our people. By Your grace, enable us to dwell together with unity of spirit and bonds of peace. Amen.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2008:****1. 2008-S 2849 SUB A as amended****BY Montalbano J****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS**

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

2. 2008-S 2850 as amended**BY Montalbano J****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -
PUBLIC BUILDINGS**

Committee on Corporations recommends passage as amended.

3. 2008-S 2851 SUB A**BY Montalbano J****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS
-- RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARD**

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

4. 2008-S 2852 SUB A as amended**BY Montalbano J****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT
- RHODE ISLAND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION**

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

5. 2008-S 2906**BY Doyle****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET - TAXATION**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

6. 2008-S 2709**BY Doyle****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CONDUCT OF ELECTION
AND VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

7. **2008-S 2160 SUB A as amended**

BY Blais

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- UMBILICAL
CORD BLOOD BANK ACT

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

8. **2008-S 2631 SUB A**

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - ELECTRONIC
WASTE PREVENTION, REUSE, AND RECYCLING ACT

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

9. **2008-S 2771 SUB A**

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - PLASTIC
BOTTLE AND CONTAINER LABELING ACT

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

10. **2008-S 2797**

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

11. **2008-S 2798 SUB A as amended**

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION

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

12. **2008-S 2853 SUB A as amended**

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY

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

13. 2008-S 2484 SUB A**BY Pichardo****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE HEALTH AND SAFETY - HEALTHY RHODE ISLAND REFORM ACT OF 2008

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

14. 2008-S 2673**BY Breene****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PHARMACIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

15. 2008-S 2676 SUB A**BY Gallo****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PSYCHOLOGISTS

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

16. 2008-S 2839 SUB A**BY Gibbs****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - HEALTH CARE REGULATORY RESOURCES

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

17. 2008-H 7281**BY Naughton****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH CARE QUALITY PROGRAM -- MONITORING THE OCCURRENCE OF PRESSURE ULCERS IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

18. 2008-H 7487**BY DeSimone****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.

19. 2008-H 7724**BY Story****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- LONG TERM CARE INSURANCE

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

20. 2008-H 7734

BY Story

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- OFFICE OF
STATE MEDICAL EXAMINERS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 4, 2008:

1. 2008-S 2211 SUB A

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY
-- EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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

2. 2008-S 2398 SUB A

BY Gibbs

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
LICENSING AND MONITORING OF CHILD CARE PROVIDERS
AND CHILD PLACING AGENCIES

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

3. 2008-S 2479 SUB A

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
NURSES

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

4. 2008-S 2679 SUB A as amended

BY Paiva-Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE ACT
OF 2008

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

5. 2008-S 2059 SUB A as amended**BY Raptakis****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
MINIMUM WAGES

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

6. 2008-S 2147**BY Lanzi****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
FIREFIGHTERS' ARBITRATION

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

7. 2008-S 2406**BY Bates****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR - TEMPORARY DISABILITY
INSURANCE - BENEFITS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

8. 2008-S 2579**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
MEDIATION

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

9. 2008-S 2580**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' ARBITRATION

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

10. 2008-S 2588**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

11. 2008-H 7113**BY Carter****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
TRAVEL AGENCIES

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

12. 2008-H 7199**BY Shanley****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE KINGSTON WATER DISTRICT - BONDS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

13. 2008-H 7439 SUB A as amended**BY Rice****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES

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

14. 2008-H 7467 SUB B**BY Naughton****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - BREASTFEEDING - PROMOTES THE INTERESTS OF MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH

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

15. 2008-H 7485**BY Petrarca****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF SMITHFIELD TO ESTABLISH BY ORDINANCE A TAX EXEMPTION FOR REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY OWNED BY THE GRODEN CENTER, INC., LOCATED IN THE TOWN OF SMITHFIELD

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

16. 2008-H 7497 SUB A as amended**BY Jacquard****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO THE RHODE ISLAND AUTOMOBILE REPOSSESSION ACT

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

17. 2008-H 7522 SUB A**BY Pacheco****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FISH AND WILDLIFE - - GENERAL PROVISIONS

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

18. 2008-H 7723 SUB A**BY Singleton****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY-- REVERSE MORTGAGES

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

19. 2008-H 7728**BY Watson****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

20. 2008-H 8030 SUB A**BY Fellela**

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF JOHNSTON TO FINANCE THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWERS FOR THE MEMORIAL PLAT SEWER PROJECT WHICH INCLUDES ALL OR A PORTION OF MILLS DRIVE, POCOTTE DRIVE, ARNOLD DRIVE, MONGONE DRIVE, RICHARDSON DRIVE, HARRINGTON DRIVE, CORRINE DRIVE, PINWOOD AVENUE AND CENTRAL AVENUE; AND FOR THE CHERRY HILL SEWER PROJECT WHICH INCLUDES ALL OR A PORTION OF CHERRY HILL ROAD, OLD CHERRY HILL ROAD, CHRYSANTHY COURT, SETIAN CIRCLE, KERN ACRE DRIVE, CAVALCADE BOULEVARD, BALSAM COURT, HEMLOCK COURT, WOODCREST DRIVE, CYNTHIA DRIVE, WORCESTER AVENUE, PRESCOTT AVENUE, HOLLAND AVENUE, ROWENA DRIVE, BIRCHWOOD DRIVE AND TO ISSUE NOT MORE THAN \$7,100,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

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

21. 2008-H 8060**BY Vaudreuil**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- SEWER CHARGES

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

22. 2008-H 8081**BY Vaudreuil**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- THE TOWN OF CUMBERLAND -- HOMESTEAD EXEMPTION

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

23. 2008-H 8095**BY Lewiss****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE IN THE HOLDINGS OF THE WATCH HILL CHAPEL SOCIETY

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

24. 2008-H 8096**BY Walsh****ENTITLED,** AN ACT TOWNS AND CITIES -- ORDINANCES

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

25. 2008-H 8120**BY Coderre E****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

26. 2008-H 8132**BY Coderre E****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS AND SIDEWALKS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$1,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

27. 2008-H 8133**BY Coderre E****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$700,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

28. 2008-H 8134**BY Coderre E**

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF THE SEWER AND SANITATION SYSTEM IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$300,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

29. 2008-H 8136**BY Coderre E**

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$200,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

30. 2008-H 8191**BY Coderre E**

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$600,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 2008:**1. 2008-S 2916 SUB A****BY McCaffrey**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISORDERLY CONDUCT

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

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 2008:

1. 2008-S 2961

BY Issa

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE 10A VALIDATION AND
RATIFICATION OF THE CITY CHARTER OF THE CITY OF
CENTRAL FALLS

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.