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Fifty-seventh Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Daniel P. Connors, Deputy President Pro Tempore of the Senate, at 4:07 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, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 1: Senators Lanzi.

INVOCATION

The Honorable Deputy President Pro Tempore, by unanimous consent, presents Senator Breene, to deliver the invocation.

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

The Honorable Deputy President Pro Tempore, by unanimous consent, presents Senator Breene, to lead the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

APPROVAL OF RECORD

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

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

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable Deputy President Pro Tempore presents the following communication:

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

June 10, 2008

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

Dear President Montalbano:

I am writing this letter to respectfully notify you that I will be absent from Senate Session today, Tuesday, June 10, 2008.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Beatrice A. Lanzi
Senator – District 26

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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

House Resolution No. 7909

BY Dennigan, Slater, Ferri, Naughton, Lewiss

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY, DEVELOP A STRATEGY, AND PROMOTE INTEROPERABILITY OF ALL ASPECTS OF ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD UTILIZATION IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC1979/1}

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

Also:

House Resolution No. 7466 (Lieutenant Governor)

BY Lewiss, Church, Ferri, Gemma, Slater

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A JOINT TASK FORCE TO STUDY ALL ASPECTS OF HEALTH CARE REFORM RELATING TO THE HEALTHY RHODE ISLAND REFORM ACT OF 2008 - PART VIII {LC1360/1}

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

Also:

House Resolution No. 7571

BY Dennigan, Church, Fox, Ajello, Slater

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND ESTABLISH HEALTH CARE REFORM MODELS TO EXPAND HEALTH CARE COVERAGE AND TO DECREASE HEALTH CARE COSTS FOR RHODE ISLAND RESIDENTS {LC1985/1}

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

Also:

House Bill No. 7916 SUB A as amended

BY Fox, Naughton, Rice, Handy, Segal

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (create long-term contracting standards for the development of renewable energy) {LC2188/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7809 SUB A as amended

BY Segal, Rice, Lewiss, Kennedy, Gallison

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- RENEWABLE ENERGY STANDARD (require that on and after 1/1/09, each electric supplier or distribution company providing standard offer to 50,000 customers or more, would give their customers a credit equal to each kilowatt retail rate for renewable energy resources) {LC2003/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7517 SUB A as amended

BY Almeida, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE CONSULTANT REGULATION (provide that mortgage foreclosure consultants be called certified personal finance consultants) {LC1386/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 7523 SUB A as amended

BY Walsh, Segal, Gallison, Lewiss, Silva

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES {LC184/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Corporations.

Also:

House Bill No. 8257 SUB A as amended

BY Scott, Walsh

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 {LC2888/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 8256 SUB A

BY Scott, Walsh

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 {LC2887/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 7350

BY Shanley, Williamson, Diaz, Malik, Loughlin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- CIGARETTE TAX (cap the maximum tax for cigars at fifty cents (\$.50) for each cigar) {LC1257/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 7975

BY Lewiss, Jackson, Scott

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- ESTATE AND TRANSFER TAXES -- LIABILITY AND COMPUTATION (provide that wills/ trust executed prior to September 12, 1981 that

contain marital deductions formula clauses shall be constructed and interpreted in a manner/provide for the optimum federal estate tax marital deduction) {LC1277/1}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 8227 SUB A as amended

BY Scott, Walsh

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 {LC2837/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Finance.

Also:

House Bill No. 7457 SUB A as amended

BY Ajello, Segal, Handy, Rice, Walsh

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- STATE POLICE ("hate crime" expanded to mean any crime motivated by bigotry/bias/threatened, attempted, or completed acts that appear after investigation/motivated by racial, religious, ethnic, sexual orientation, gender identity, expression or disability prejudice) {LC1583/1/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

Also:

House Bill No. 7149 SUB A

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

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE {LC524/2/A}

Received and referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTIONAL AND REGULATORY ISSUES**

Senator Goodwin, from the Committee on Constitutional and Regulatory Issues, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Resolution No. 3045

BY Senators Perry, Levesque C, Sosnowski, Pichardo, Miller

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING DCYF TO UNDERTAKE SEVERAL REFORMS AND TO REPORT QUARTERLY TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES {LC2973/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3046

BY Senator Goodwin

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL SENATE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS RELATED TO THE GROWING GRAFFITI PROBLEM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC2872/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2043

BY Senators Tassoni, Doyle, McBurney, Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- REGULATION OF VICIOUS DOGS (would add the director of the defenders of animals or his or her designee to the hearing panel which decides whether a dog should be declared vicious.)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2791

BY Senator Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES (would authorize the city of Providence to exempt the Wickenden Street area from the provisions of the general laws that prohibits class B, C, or I retail alcohol beverage licenses.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3032**BY** Senators Levesque C, Felag, Bates**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES (would allow the Bristol Town board of licenses to issue a liquor license to the Belvedere Hotel despite being within 200 feet of a place of worship.) {LC2937/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar

Also:

Senate Bill No. 3033**BY** Senator Moura**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL LICENSES (would allow for limited Class B licenses for certain property located in the state.) {LC2896/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 3085****BY** Senator Miller**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION HONORING CHESTER W. BARROWS AND ALICE HAYES BARROWS {LC3078/1}

Senator Miller requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Miller moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 3086**BY** Senators Paiva-Weed, DaPonte, Bates**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 10, 2008 AS "DAY OF PORTUGAL" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC3082/1}

Senator DaPonte requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator DaPonte moves passage, seconded by the entire Senate.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator DaPonte and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Dr. Leonel Teixeira, Chancellor, Consulate General of Portugal, Mr. Miguel Teixeira, and Ms. Kelly Viana.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

- 1 Nomination of William A. Brackett (reappointment) of Coventry to the Rhode Island State Council on the Arts for a term expiring March 1, 2011.**
- 2 Nomination of Amy Beretta (reappointment) of East Greenwich to the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education or a term expiring January 31, 2011.**
- 3 Nomination of Michael J. DeLuca (appointment) to the Scenic Highway Board for a term expiring January 31, 2010.**
- 4 Nomination of Charles E. Vandemoer (appointment) of Wakefield VICE Sharon Pavignano to the Rhode Island Rivers Council for a term to expire January 1, 2011.**
- 5 Nomination of Scott D. Lajoie (reappointment) of Warwick to the Rhode Island Clean Water Finance Agency for a term expiring March 1, 2010.**
- 6 Nomination of Everett A. Petronio, Jr. (reappointment) of Cranston to the Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2011.**
- 7. 2008-H 7463 SUB A
BY Baldelli-Hunt
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY
OF PUPILS**

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 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 10, 2008:

1. **2008-S 2058****BY Raptakis****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- REGISTRATION OF VOTERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Raptakis moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey and Gibbs.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote with 28 Senators voting in the affirmative and 3 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 28: Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 3: Senators Felag, Jabour, Pichardo.

2. **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.

Senator Raptakis moves passage, seconded by Senators Issa, Sheehan, Ruggerio, Paiva Weed, Metts and Cote.

Senator Raptakis, seconded by Senators Issa and Metts, offers the following written motion to amend.

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

TO

2008 -- S 2059 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED

AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2008 -- S 2059 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO

LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MINIMUM WAGES", as follows:

(1) On page 1, line 17, by deleting the word "cent" and inserting in place thereof the words "increment of five cents".

(2) On page 1, line 18, by deleting the word "previous" and inserting in place thereof the words "most recent calendar".

(3) On page 2, by deleting lines 2 through 5.

(4) On page 2, line 6, by deleting the letter "(g)" and inserting in place thereof the letter "(f)".

Respectfully submitted,
SENATOR RAPTAKIS

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: Senators Algieri, Bates, Blais, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Raptakis moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Issa.

Senator Issa discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 32: Senators Algieri, Breene, Ciccone, Connors, Cote, DaPonte, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gibbs, Goodwin, Issa, Jabour, Lenihan, Levesque, Maselli, McBurney, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Paiva Weed, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Revens, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senators Tassoni, and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber the family of Senator Doyle.

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.

Senator Doyle announces that the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

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

Senator Ciccone announces that the Committee on Labor will meet tomorrow, at 3:30 o'clock P.M. in Room 212 of the State House.

TRANSMITTAL

By unanimous consent, some 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.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator DaPonte, seconded by Senator Algieri, the Senate adjourns at 4:27 o'clock P.M.

RAYMOND T. HOYAS, JR.
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR KEVIN A. BREENE

Heavenly Father, grant that we may never abuse our office nor the knowledge that has been given to us.
Amen.

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2008:

1. 2008-S 3045

BY Perry

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING DCYF TO UNDERTAKE SEVERAL REFORMS AND TO REPORT QUARTERLY TO THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

2. 2008-S 3046

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL SENATE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS RELATED TO THE GROWING GRAFFITI PROBLEM IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2008:****1. 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.

2. 2008-S 2455 as amended**BY Sosnowski****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage as amended.

3. 2008-S 2628 SUB A**BY Sosnowski****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT
-- DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT --
DIVISIONS

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

4. 2008-S 2806 SUB A**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CHILDREN WITH
DISABILITIES

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

5. 2008-S 2925**BY Doyle****ENTITLED,** AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR
THE RENOVATION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS
IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING
THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000
BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS
THEREFOR, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ANY BONDS OR NOTES
ISSUED PURSUANT TO FINANCING AGREEMENTS WITH THE RHODE
ISLAND HEALTH AND EDUCATIONAL BUILDING CORPORATION, TO

FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL
YEARS 2009 AND 2010

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

6. **2008-S 2475 SUB A**

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
PHYSICAL THERAPISTS

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

7. **2008-S 2677 SUB A as amended**

BY Perry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH

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

8. **2008-S 2866**

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HEALTH CARE
SERVICES - UTILIZATION REVIEW ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

9. **2008-S 2707**

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- VOTING DISTRICTS AND
OFFICIALS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

10. **2008-H 7057 SUB A as amended**

BY Lewiss

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE
-- COPAYMENTS

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

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 12, 2008:

1. **2008-S 2709**

BY Doyle

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CONDUCT OF ELECTION

AND VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

2. **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.

3. **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.

4. **2008-S 2043**

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- REGULATION OF VICIOUS DOGS

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

5. **2008-S 2791**

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

6. **2008-S 3032**

BY Levesque C

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.

7. **2008-S 3033**

BY Moura

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES - RETAIL LICENSES

Committee on Constitutional & Regulatory Issues recommends passage.