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Twenty-Eighth Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed, President of the Senate, at 4:14 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 36 Senators present and 2 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 2: Senators Maher, Sheehan.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Twenty-seventh Legislative Day of the 2011 proceedings is read in part.

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

COMMUNICATIONS

The Honorable President presents the following communications:

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

March 28, 2011

Mr. Joseph R. Brady
Secretary of the Senate
Room 145, State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Mr. Brady:

As the sponsor of 2011-S. 468 and pursuant to Senate Rule 4.1, I am withdrawing the above legislation.
Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Maryellen Goodwin
Senate Majority Whip

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

Also:

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

March 31, 2011

Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed
President of the Senate
318 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Madam President:

I am writing to inform you that I will be absent from Legislative Session today, Thursday, March 31, 2011, as I am ill.

Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

James C. Sheehan
Senator – District 36

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

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**

March 30, 2011

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 23-19-6 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment of the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation:

Sheila Dormody of Providence

VICE
Carole Bell
(resigned)

for a term expiring July 1, 2013.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

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

March 30, 2011

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 23-19-6 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment of the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation:

Geraldine Ann DiPaolo of North Providence

for a term expiring July 1, 2013.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

Also:

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

March 30, 2011

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section 23-19-6 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment of the Rhode Island Resource Recovery Corporation:

Geoffrey Kirkman of Providence

VICE
Brad Gorham
(resigned)

for a term expiring July 1, 2013.

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

Sincerely,

Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor

Read and referred to the Committee on Environment and Agriculture.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON LABOR**

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

Senate Bill No. 418

BY Senators Ruggerio, DiPalma, Lombardo, Miller, Ottiano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY (would allow the department of labor and training to verify employee quarterly wage report information for the Workforce Investment Board) {LC1464/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 788 (Labor & Training)**BY** Senators McCaffrey, Miller, Doyle**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTACTORS (would require prevailing wage contractors and subcontractors to file their payroll records with the public works project's awarding authority on a department of labor and training-issued form) {LC2075/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 792 (Dept. of Labor & Training)**BY** Senators Jabour, Crowley, Metts, Walaska**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - LABOR AND THE PAYMENT OF DEBTS - PREVAILING WAGE (would provide that the removal of debris from a public works site is subject to prevailing wage requirements) {LC1250/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 793 (Dept. of Labor & Training)**BY** Senators DaPonte, Felag, Pichardo, Walaska**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- EMPLOYMENT SECURITY -- BENEFITS (would amend the provisions for triggering the state extended benefits program) {LC2077/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE

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

Senate Bill No. 168**BY** Senator Felag**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES (would allow firefighter motor vehicle registration plates to be issued to trucks owned by individual firefighters, provided that the truck is not used for business and/or commercial purposes)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 456**BY** Senators Felag, Sosnowski, Paiva Weed, DiPalma**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION IN OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSED WEAVER'S COVE OFFSHORE BERTH FOR LIQUEFIED NATURAL GAS (would raise the cap on net-metering, provide further definition to net-metering facilities and related crediting mechanisms, and would also provide incentives for municipal and other governmental authorities to invest in renewable generation facilities) {LC1399/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 815****BY** Senator Lanzi**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE STONE HILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL'S ROBOTICS TEAM ON ITS INAUGURAL PARTICIPATION IN THE RHODE ISLAND FIRST LEGO LEAGUE COMPETITION {LC2343/1}

Senator Lanzi requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Lanzi moves passage, seconded by Senators Algiere, Ruggerio and the entire Senate.

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

YEAS- 30: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Moura, Ottiano, Picard, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Lanzi and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber students from the Stone Hill Elementary School Robotics Program, Robert Cooke, Jessica Cooke, Sofia Lanzi, Kayla DeLomba, Jake DeLomba, Brent Spaziano, Corey Spaziano, Christopher St. Jean, Lauren St. Jean, G. Medha, Alessandra Negalha, Rachel DeBlasio, Julia DeBlasio, Casey M. Regine, Jacob Ruggieri, Joshua Ruggieri, Joseph Ruggieri, Geoffrey Downey, Frank Rocchio, Alexis Zeoli, Juliana E. Johnson, Michael M. Abatecola, Puoa Pheng Khang, Samuel Lewis, Sydine Nunes, James Galli, Alison D'Elena, Kailyn D'Elena, Siena Parente, Jing Liu, Sagarika Ghosh and Teacher Melissa Daneau.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 816****BY** Senators Pichardo, Nesselbush, Tassoni**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION HONORING CÉSAR ESTRADA CHÁVEZ (1927-1993)
{LC2370/1}

Senator Pichardo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Pichardo moves passage, seconded by the Senators Ruggerio, Metts, Sosnowski and Goodwin.

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

Senate Bill No. 817**BY** Ciccone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- ASSAULT
{LC2386/1}

Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. 2011-S 808**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE NORTH PROVIDENCE DIVISION II BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM ON WINNING THE RHODE ISLAND DIVISION II BOYS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP**2. 2011-S 809****BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE NORTH PROVIDENCE/JOHNSTON CO-OP BOYS HOCKEY TEAM ON WINNING THE RHODE ISLAND DIVISION III BOYS STATE HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP**3. 2011-S 810****BY Cote****ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE MOUNT ST. CHARLES BOYS HOCKEY TEAM AND HEAD COACH BILL BELISLE ON WINNING THE RHODE ISLAND BOYS DIVISION I HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP

4. 2011-S 811**BY Cote**

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE MOUNT SAINT CHARLES GIRLS DIVISION I HOCKEY TEAM ON WINNING THE 2011 RHODE ISLAND GIRLS HOCKEY DIVISION I STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

5. 2011-S 813**BY DiPalma**

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES ON THE PASSING OF ELMER E. CORNWELL, JR.

6. 2011-S 814**BY Tassoni**

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXTENDING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF FORMER RHODE ISLAND STATE REPRESENTATIVE THE HONORABLE RAYMOND C. CHURCH

Upon motion of Senator Ruggerio, seconded by Senator Algiere, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, 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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 2011:

1. Nomination of Regina Marie Costa Gibb (appointment) VICE Jametta O. Alston as Child Advocate for a term of five years from the date of Senate Confirmation.

Committee on Judiciary recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

Senator Bates seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Lynch, Felag, Gallo, Ruggerio, Jabour, Doyle, DaPonte and Algiere moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, 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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Child Advocate Regina Marie Costa Gibb along with her father Julio Costa, mother Shelia Costa and sons Michael and Jayson Gibb.

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2. Nomination of Joseph Anthony Montalbano (appointment) of North Providence as Clerk/Magistrate of the Rhode Island District Court..

Committee on Judiciary recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

Senator McCaffrey seconded by Senators Bates, Ciccone, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Jabour, Lanzi, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska moves that advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment.

Senators Doyle, Walaska, DaPonte, Fogarty, Goodwin, Pichardo, Perry, Felag and Ruggerio discuss the appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given this appointment, 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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Ruggerio, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 5: Senators Kettle, Moura, O'Neill, Pinga, Shibley.

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber newly appointed Magistrate of the Rhode Island District Court Joseph A. Montalbano along with his wife Linda, his father Anthony Montalbano, brothers John Montalbano, Mark Montalbano, sisters Kathy McCaughy, Joan Diorio and Elizabeth Sarkisian.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber Magistrate R. David Cruise, former state Senator Stephen Alves and his wife Debby Alves, former Senate President William V. Irons, Honorable John Sabatini, Honorable John McBurney, Kenneth Marandola, Robert Kando, Daniel Ryan, Tracey McConnell, Bill Gasbarro and Carla Ciccone.

Upon suggestion of Senator McCaffrey and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber District Court Chief Judge Jeanne E. Lafazia, Associate Judge Colleen M. Hastings and Magistrate Joseph P. Ippolito, Jr.

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3. 2011-S 200

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- NEWBORN SCREENING PROGRAM

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senators Perry, Metts, Crowley and DaPonte.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Moura, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

4. 2011-S 113

BY DeVall

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

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator DeVall moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio and Algieri.

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 as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5. 2011-S 208

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senators DiPalma, Bates, Ottiano and Crowley.

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 as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

6. 2011-S 538

BY Tassoni

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, April 6, 2011.

7. 2011-S 544

BY Crowley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC RAIL CORPORATION ACT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Crowley moves passage, seconded by Senators Tassoni, O'Neill and Miller.

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 as follows:

YEAS- 34: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2011-S 549**BY Lynch****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION**

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Walaska, McCaffrey, Hodgson and DeVall.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, , Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

9. 2011-S 550**BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT
- DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT**

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage, seconded by Senators Tassoni, Lombardo, Felag and Ruggerio.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

10. 2011-S 554**BY Fogarty P****ENTITLED, AN ACT IN AMENDMENT OF AN ACT ENTITLED "AN ACT TO
INCORPORATE THE HARMONY FIRE DISTRICT" PASSED AT
THE JANUARY SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, A.D.
1945, AS AMENDED**

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senators Tassoni, Nesselbush and Walaska.

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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Goodwin orders that bill 2011 S-544 be placed on the Senate desk.

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 Felag announces that the Committee on Finance will meet Tuesday, April 5, 2011, at 2:00 o'clock P.M., in Room 211 of the State House.

Senator DeVall announces that the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 212 of the State House.

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

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Algiere the Senate adjourns at 5:18 o'clock P.M.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SENATOR JAMES E. DOYLE, II**

Gracious God, you are the source of all authority and the power that trumps all others. Guide, protect, enlighten and inspire these thirty-eight men and women with all the resources they will need to sit well in these very special seats.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 5, 2011:****1. 2011-S 87 SUB A****BY Paiva Weed****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
HEALTH CARE--HEALTH BENEFIT EXCHANGE

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

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 2011:**1. 2011-S 538****BY Tassoni****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

2. 2011-S 186**BY Algieri****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - HAZARDOUS
WASTE CLEANUP

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

3. 2011-S 456**BY Felag****ENTITLED,** SENATE RESOLUTION IN OPPOSITION TO THE PROPOSED
WEAVER'S COVE OFFSHORE BERTH FOR LIQUEFIED
NATURAL GAS

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

4. 2011-S 418**BY Ruggerio****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

5. 2011-S 788**BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS --
LABOR AND PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTACTORS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

6. 2011-S 792**BY Jabour****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -
LABOR AND THE PAYMENT OF DEBTS - PREVAILING WAGE

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

7. 2011-S 793**BY DaPonte****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY -- BENEFITS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.