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Forty-seventh 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 4:41 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 35 Senators present and 3 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

ABSENT – 3: Senators Doyle, Miller, Moura.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Forty-sixth Legislative Day of the 2011 proceedings is read in part.

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

COMMUNICATION

The Honorable President presents the following communication:

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

May 24, 2011

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

Dear Madam President:

Please be advised that due to illness, I will be absent from the Senate session today. I would appreciate your recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Bethany L. Moura
SENATOR, DISTRICT 19

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

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

House Bill No. 5767

BY Dickinson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE KINGSTON WATER DISTRICT -- BONDS

(would amend the provisions of the public laws creating the Kingston Water District to authorize the district to pay interest, principal or sinking fund installments out of district revenue.)

{LC1658/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 151**BY** Senators DeVall, DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING HATTIE IDE CHAFFEE NURSING HOME TO RECEIVE, HOLD, TRANSMIT AND CONVEY REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE TO AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 614 SUB A (Revenue)**BY** Senator DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWNS AND CITIES (would enhance capital market access for cities/towns/districts by providing that general obligation bonds, notes and other financing obligations of cities/towns/districts have a lien on ad valorem taxes (as defined in the act) and general fund revenues) {LC2072/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 618 SUB A (Revenue)**BY** Senator DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- BUDGET COMMISSIONS (require the state to indemnify and hold harmless any fiscal overseer, budget commission member, receiver, administration, finance officer acting in accordance with chapter 45-9, "An Act Relating to Cities and Towns - Providing for Financial Stability") {LC2069/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 619 SUB A (Revenue)**BY** Senator DaPonte**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES (would clarify provisions in chapter 45-9 - Budget Commissions, to address issues that have arisen in the administration of the chapter, including statutory provisions regarding indemnity) {LC1949/2/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Senator McCaffrey from the Committee on Judiciary, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 926**BY** Senator DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Patrick J. Droney to join Cali M. Laux and Anthony J. Parlapiano in marriage on or about July 6, 2012, within the Town of Middletown, Rhode Island) {LC2512/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 951**BY** Senator DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Edward L. Burke to join Erin Kathleen Fair and Patrick Ryan in marriage within the Town of Middletown, Rhode Island, on or about June 25, 2011) {LC2557/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 953**BY** Senators Sheehan, Cote

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow The Honorable Peter C. DiGangi to join Karla Marguerite Greco and Matthew Thomas Kirk in marriage on or about August 13, 2011, within the Village of Saunderstown, Rhode Island) {LC2560/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Bill No. 6075**BY** Azzinaro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (would allow Thomas Kraemer to join Karri Barker and Brian Wright in marriage within the Town of Westerly, Rhode Island, on or about June 11, 2011.) {LC2506/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 333**BY** Senators McCaffrey, Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES (would allow the results of a breath test to be given to a person at the time of the test)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 334**BY** Senators Goodwin, Crowley, Lanzi, Nesselbush, Gallo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT (would add the crime of cyberstalking and cyberharassment pursuant to section 11-52-4.2 to the list of crimes and offenses that constitute domestic violence)

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 924**BY** Senators McCaffrey, Ruggerio, Goodwin, Algieri, Jabour**ENTITLED**, AN ACT ESTABLISHING A REAPPORTIONMENT COMMISSION (would create an 18 member special commission on reapportionment whose purpose is to draft and to report to the general assembly an act to reapportion the districts of the general assembly and the state's US Congressional districts) {LC2558/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 925 SUB A**BY** Senators McCaffrey, Jabour**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURES -- COUNSELING (would provide that with respect to domestic violence cases and cases of dui of liquor or drugs, a court may permit a service member or veteran to complete any court-approved counseling program administered by the Veterans' Administration) {LC2479/1/A}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

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:

Nomination of Michael P. Lewis (reappointment) as Director of the Department of Transportation.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, May 31, 2011.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 983**

BY Senators Fogarty P, Sosnowski, Paiva Weed, Felag and Maher

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING "SAVE THE LAKES" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC2616/1}

Senator Fogarty requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senators Maher, Gallo, Sosnowski, Tassoni and Kettle.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Fogarty and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Judy Colcula, Rico Colcula, Ruth Ruthien and Flonenca Beauregant.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 984**

BY Senator Lanzi

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION HONORING THE BRAIN INJURY ASSOCIATION OF RHODE ISLAND {LC2582/1}

Senator Gallo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Algieri, Ruggerio, Pichardo, Metts, Shibley, Lombardo, Goodwin and Jabour.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Lanzi and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Mike Baker, President of the Brain Injury Association of Rhode Island Board of Directors, Elizabeth Connallon, Lisa Onorato, Caitlyn Connallon and Lindsey Cairone.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 980**

BY Senator Lombardo

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF RUSSELL JOHN ARCHIBALD {LC2705/1}

Senator Lombardo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Lombardo moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio and Metts.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 981

BY Senator Bates

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND CONGRATULATING THE COACHES AND MEMBERS OF THE BARRINGTON HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE OLYMPIAD TEAM {LC2733/1}

Senator Bates requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

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

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Steve Lamontagne, Fiona Paine, Utkarsh Shah, Pierre Karashchuk, Lauren Thompson, Holly Gildea, Nell Klimpert, Amy Entin, Will Klimpert, Nate Kilmpert, David Modica, Timothy Conner, Olivia Justynski, Haley Theroux, Jack Liang, Kassidy O'Donnell, Makenna Kobrin, Rahul Chander, Amy Nicodemos and Becky Ferri.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 982**

BY Senators Bates, Sosnowski, DiPalma, Nesselbush and Pinga

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE BARRINGTON HIGH SCHOOL MATH TEAM ON PLACING FOURTH IN THE NEW ENGLAND MATH COMPETITION {LC2734/1}

Senator Bates requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Bates moves passage, seconded by Senators Algieri, Ruggerio and Felag.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Bates and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber students from the Barrington High School Math Team, Matthew Holmes, Stephen Lamontagne, Olivia Justynski, Pierre Karashchuk, Jack Liang, Cassidy Laidlaw and Coach Robery Marley.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. **2011-S 912**

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION ENDORSING THE STATE'S EDUCATION STRATEGIC PLAN KNOWN AS TRANSFORMING EDUCATION IN RHODE ISLAND

2. **2011-H 5466**

BY Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MANDATED BENEFITS

3. **2011-H 5728**

BY Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - OPTICIANS

4. **2011-H 5102**

BY Kennedy

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

5. 2011-H 5516**BY Lally**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS

Upon motion of Senator Ruggerio, seconded by Senator Algieri, the measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, 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, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

CALENDAR**IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2011:****1. 2011-S 179****BY Ruggerio**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW - GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS - UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES - CONSUMER EMPOWERMENT AND IDENTITY THEFT PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Corporations recommends passage.

Senator Ruggerio moves passage, seconded by Senators Goodwin, Sheehan, O'Neill and Metts.

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, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

2. 2011-S 631**BY Pichardo**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- BURGLARY AND BREAKING AND ENTERING

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Pichardo moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Nesselbush, Jabour and Lynch.

Senators Perry, Pichardo and Hodgson discuss the act.

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 Algiere, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

3. 2011-S 666

BY Metts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- CHILDREN

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

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

NAYS- 0:

4. 2011-S 741 SUB A

BY Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION

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

Senator Nesselbush moves passage, seconded by Senators Jabour, Metts and Pichardo.

The bill marked Substitute "A" 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 Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Bates, Ciccone, Cote, Crowley, DaPonte, DeVall, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lanzi, Lombardo, Lynch, Maher, McCaffrey, Metts, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Perry, Picard, Pichardo, Pinga, Ruggerio, Sheehan, Shibley, Sosnowski, Tassoni, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

5. 2011-H 5576

BY Flaherty

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY

Committee on Corporations recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Picard moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio and DiPalma.

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

NAYS- 0:

6. 2011-H 5579 SUB B

BY Medina

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

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

Upon suggestion of Senator Ruggerio, and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 26, 2011.

7. 2011-H 5598 SUB A

BY Lally

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

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

Senator Tassoni moves passage, seconded by Senators DeVall and Picard.

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

NAYS- 0:

TRANSMITTAL

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Pichardo and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Amauris Raul Torres Arias, Mayor of Jicome, Esperanza D.R, along with his father Marcos Torres.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Walaska announces that the Committee on Environment and Agriculture will meet tomorrow, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 211 of the State House.

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

Senator Sheehan announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet tomorrow, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 212 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 the Senate Lounge 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.

Senator Lombardo announces that the Committee on Labor will meet tomorrow, at the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

Senator Lynch announces that the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs will meet tomorrow, at the rise of the Senate, in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

Senator Goodwin congratulates the son of Senator Paul Fogarty, Patrick Fogarty on graduating from Merrimack College.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator Ruggerio, and upon suggestion of Senator Lombardo the Senate adjourns at 5:18 o'clock P.M. in memory of Russel John Archibald.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR DONNA M. NESSELBUSH

Holy mother, Father God remind us to be guided by good judgment, tempered with sympathy;
Remind us to temper our sympathy with sensibility. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR**

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2011:

1. 2011-S 926

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

2. 2011-S 951

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

3. 2011-S 953

BY Sheehan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

4. 2011-H 5767

BY Dickinson

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE KINGSTON WATER DISTRICT --
BONDS**

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

5. 2011-H 6075

BY Azzinaro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2011:****1. 2011-S 913****BY DiPalma****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - SCHOOL COMMITTEES
AND SUPERINTENDENTS**

Committee on Education recommends passage.

2. 2011-S 956**BY Felag****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION - RHODE ISLAND
CERTIFICATION STANDARDS BOARD**

Committee on Education recommends passage.

3. 2011-S 957 as amended**BY Gallo****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CAREER AND
TECHNICAL EDUCATION**

Committee on Education recommends passage as amended.

4. 2011-S 299 SUB A**BY Ottiano****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION**

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

5. 2011-S 475 SUB A**BY Sheehan****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- HEALTH CARE
SERVICES--UTILIZATION REVIEW ACT**

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

6. 2011-S 770 SUB A as amended**BY Crowley****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT

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

7. 2011-S 871 SUB A**BY Picard****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE,
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS

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

8. 2011-S 875 SUB A**BY Perry****ENTITLED,** SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL SENATE
COMMISSION TO STUDY RHODE ISLAND EMERGENCY
DEPARTMENT ROOM DIVERSION

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

9 2011-S 132**BY Picard****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - GAMBLING AND
LOTTERIES - BINGO

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

10 2011-S 797**BY Goodwin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- CREDIT
UNIONS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

11 2011-S 798**BY Goodwin****ENTITLED,** AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
VIDEO LOTTERY TERMINAL

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2011:**1. 2011-S 151****BY DeVall**

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING HATTIE IDE CHAFFEE NURSING HOME TO RECEIVE, HOLD, TRANSMIT AND CONVEY REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE TO AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

2. 2011-S 614 SUB A**BY DaPonte**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - INDEBTEDNESS OF TOWNS AND CITIES

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

3. 2011-S 618 SUB A**BY DaPonte**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- BUDGET COMMISSIONS

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

4. 2011-S 619 SUB A**BY DaPonte**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES

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

5. 2011-S 333**BY McCaffrey**

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

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

6. 2011-S 334**BY Goodwin**

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

7. 2011-S 924**BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED, AN ACT ESTABLISHING A REAPPORTIONMENT COMMISSION**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

8. 2011-S 925 SUB A**BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURES --
COUNSELING**

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

9. 2011-H 5579 SUB B**BY Medina****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS**

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

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 31, 2011:**1. Nomination of Michael P. Lewis (reappointment) as Director of the Department of Transportation..**

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate