

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

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Thursday, April 10, 2014

Thirty-fifth 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 4:23 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, Archambault, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, DaPonte, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

ABSENT – 2: Senators Bates, Crowley.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Thirty-fourth Legislative Day of the 2014 proceedings is read in part.

Upon suggestion of Senator Cool Rumsey 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**

April 10, 2013

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

Dear Secretary Brady:

I am respectfully requesting the withdrawal of,

Senate Bill No. 2672

BY Ciccone, Archambault, Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

(This act would add correctional investigators and correctional officers to the definition of "police officer" for the purposes of those public safety officials entitled to payment of full salary if disabled in the line of duty.)

{LC4543/1}

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Frank A. Ciccone, III
State Senator D~7

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

Also:

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

April 10, 2014

The Honorable Lincoln D. Chafee
Governor, State of Rhode Island
The State House
Providence, RI 02903

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

Re: I-195 Redevelopment District Commission

Dear Governor and Madam President:

Thank you for nominating me to serve as a member of the I-195 Redevelopment District Commission and for the Senate Committee on Commerce's unanimous approval of my nomination. It is an honor to have been asked to serve on the Commission because it will play a central role in the future economic development of the City of Providence and the State of Rhode Island.

My nomination has been placed on the Senate's Consent Calendar for final consideration today. I respectfully request that the Senate not consider my nomination and that my nomination instead be withdrawn for the reasons outlined below.

My law firm and I take seriously our ethical obligations to our clients. We also believe that the Commission and its members have a high ethical duty to the public. Anticipating the potential for conflicts, I disclosed to the Governor's office prior to my nomination that if confirmed I would (i) publically disclose any conflicts involving my law firm's clients and (ii) recuse myself from voting or participating on any matters involving firm clients. Furthermore, I notified my firm that I would not work on any client projects related to the Commission. The firm and I adopted these ethical policies because we believe that it is essential that the Commission's work be conducted with integrity and transparency – and to avoid the appearance of any possible conflict.

As I have learned more about intentions of firm clients, and become aware of the Commission's precedent regarding members, law firms and conflicts which would effectively prevent and Hinckley Allen lawyers from representing any current or future clients before the Commission, I believe that it would be best to decline the opportunity to join the Commission. Therefore, in order to avoid the possible appearance or even the perception of conflict that could compromise the Commission's important work, I respectfully request that my nomination be withdrawn.

Thank you again for the honor and opportunity to serve.

Sincerely yours,

Patrick A. Rodgers

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 Bill No. 7541

(Business Regulation/Revenue)

BY Finn, O'Grady, Kazarian, Kennedy, Keable

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - SELF INSURANCE (This act would transfer the responsibility of determining whether an entity qualifies as a self-insurer from the division of motor vehicles to the department of business regulation.)

{LC4488/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Commerce.

House Bill No. 7964

BY Craven, Costa, Shekarchi, Ackerman, Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS - PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS (Would subject state public works apprenticeship programs to federal laws and regulation requirements.)

{LC5116/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

TRANSFER OF BILLS

Senator DaPonte, in accordance with Senate Rule 6.14, moves to transfer the following bills from the Committee on Finance to the Committee on Commerce:

Senate Bill No. 2457

(Administration)

BY Felag, Sosnowski, Lynch, Bates, Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES ACT (This act would align the review of administrative rules with the refiling of rules and regulations process.)

{LC4239/1}

Read and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

Senate Bill No. 2480

(Administration)

BY Lynch, Felag, Bates, Conley, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --

REGULATORY FAIRNESS IN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES (This act would amend the process for submission of economic impact statements, and eliminate a number of exclusions which are set forth in the existing statute.)

{LC4240/1}

Read and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Senator Felag from the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Reappointment of Barbara A. Petrarca of North Kingstown to the Scenic Highway Board for a term expiring January 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Michael J. DeLuca of Narragansett to the Scenic Highway Board for a term expiring January 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Myrna C. George of Wakefield to the Scenic Highway Board for a term expiring January 31, 2016.

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Also:

Reappointment of Richard C. Youngken of South Kingstown to the Scenic Highway Board for a term expiring January 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Sue L. Barker of Jamestown to the Scenic Highway Board for a term expiring January 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2826

BY Walaska

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING BILATERAL TRADE RELATIONS
AND TAIWAN'S PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
{LC5217/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

House Resolution No. 7117

BY Kennedy, Keable, San Bento, Coderre, Naughton

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION REAFFIRMING THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE
STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND TAIWAN, COMMENDING TAIWAN'S ROLE AS
PEACEMAKER IN THE EAST CHINA SEA, AND SUPPORTING BILATERAL TRADE
RELATIONS AND TAIWAN'S PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
{LC3483/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2423

(National Guard)

BY Felag, Pichardo, Lombardi, Walaska, McCaffrey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE - VETERANS' AFFAIRS (This act would add the adjutant general of the Rhode Island National Guard or his or her designee as a member of the Rhode Island Veterans' services strategic plan advisory committee.)

{LC4250/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2425 SUB A

(Human Services)

BY Felag, Pichardo, Lombardi, McCaffrey, Walaska**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A DESERT STORM AND DESERT SHIELD MEMORIAL AT THE RHODE ISLAND VETERANS' CEMETERY (creates a seven (7) member commission regarding establishing a Desert Storm and Desert Shield Memorial at the Rhode Island Veterans' Cemetery, and report to the General Assembly on or before March 4, 2015 and commission would expire July 1, 2015.)

{LC4220/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2728**BY** Pichardo, Felag, Jabour, Picard, Metts**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE RHODE ISLAND DELEGATION TO THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS SUPPORT FEDERAL LEGISLATION THAT WOULD AWARD THE CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL TO THE 65TH INFANTRY REGIMENT, KNOWN AS THE BORINQUENEERS, FOR THEIR HONORABLE MILITARY SERVICE

{LC5096/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2731**BY** Felag, Walaska, Pichardo, Lynch, DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE (This act will change the currently observed date for Vietnam Veteran's Day from May 15 to March 29 every year.)

{LC5021/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2828

BY Walaska, Felag, McCaffrey, Lynch, Lombardi

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING UNITED STATES SENATE RESOLUTION 378 AND CONDEMNING RUSSIAN MILITARY AGGRESSION AGAINST UKRAINE

{LC5227/1}

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:

Appointment of Timothy J. Mills (Municipal Harbormaster) VICE Matthew Calouro to the Derelict and Abandoned Vessel and Obstruction Removal Commission for a term expiring May 31, 2016.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Christopher J. Behan (Representing City of Newport) to the Fort Adams Foundation for a term expiring January 31, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Greg Hall (Representing Fort Adams Trust Board of Directors) to the Fort Adams Foundation for a term expiring January 31, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Lee R. Whitaker, AICP (Representing the Historic Preservation Commission) to the Fort Adams Foundation for a term expiring January 31, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Appointment of Robert J. Paquette, CPRP (Chief, DEM Division of Parks and Recreation) to the Fort Adams Foundation for a term expiring January 31, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Guy N. Lefebvre (Public Member) of North Kingstown to the Rhode Island Rivers Council for a term expiring January 1, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of James A. Cole of Charlestown to the Rhode Island Rivers Council for a term expiring January 1, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Judith A. Hadley (Member with Conservation Organization Experience) of Lincoln to the Rhode Island Rivers Council for a term expiring January 1, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

Also:

Reappointment of Veronica M. Berounsky (Member with Conservation Organization Experience) of Narragansett to the Rhode Island Rivers Council for a term expiring January 1, 2017.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Resolution No. 2895

BY Cool Rumsey, Gallo, Crowley, Goldin

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL 10TH OF 2014 TO BE "CHILD CARE AWARENESS DAY" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC5396/1}

Senator Cool Rumsey requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Cool Rumsey moves passage, seconded by Senator Goldin.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2894

BY O'Neill, Hodgson, Cote, Sheehan, Raptakis

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING APRIL, 2014, AS "AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

{LC5427/1}

Senator O'Neill requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator O'Neill moves passage, seconded by Senators Satchell, DiPalma, Cool Rumsey, Sheehan, Lombardi, Lombardo, Kettle, Ruggerio, McCaffrey, Walaska, Metts, Fogarty and Gallo.

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

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2896

BY Miller

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING PROFOUND SYMPATHY ON THE PASSING OF ROBERT MCCUTCHEON
{LC5398/1}

Senator Miller requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Miller moves passage, seconded by Senator Ruggerio.

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

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2897

BY Ruggerio, Jabour, Felag, Miller, Goldin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS - MOBILE TELEPHONES (Requires advanced mobile communication devices (smartphones) be equipped with technology that can disable the device if stolen.)
{LC5084/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Commerce.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2898

BY Miller, Ruggerio, Pichardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT (This act would provide economic incentives and assistance for the redevelopment of 111 Westminster Street using a public-private partnership.)
{LC5423/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Finance.

Also:

Senate Bill No 2899**BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - WEAPONS (This act would permit Providence fire department arson investigators to carry firearms statewide.)

{LC5432/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee Senate Judiciary.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

Senator Goodwin requests that item # 3 on today's Consent Calendar be recommitted to the Committee on Commerce.

1. **Reappointment of Barbara A. Hunger to the I-195 Redevelopment District Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2017.**
2. **Reappointment of Diana L. Johnson to the I-195 Redevelopment District Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2017.**
4. **Reappointment of Elizabeth Francis to the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for a term expiring February 1, 2018.**
5. **Reappointment of Karl Wadensten to the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for a term expiring February 1, 2018.**
6. **Reappointment of Oscar T. Hebert (representing small business) to the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for a term expiring February 1, 2018.**
7. **Reappointment of Captain J. Peter Fritz of Cranston to the State Pilotage Commission for a term expiring May 1, 2016.**
8. **Reappointment of Captain E. Howard McVay, Jr. of Riverside to the State Pilotage Commission for a term expiring May 1, 2016.**
9. **Reappointment of Russell W. Hahn of Saunderstown to the Rhode Island Airport Corporation for a term expiring June 1, 2018.**
10. **2014-S 2855**
BY Paiva Weed
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING BARBARA AND JIMMY WINTERS ON BEING SELECTED AS 2014 NEWPORT DAILY NEWS COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD WINNERS

11. **2014-S 2854**
 BY Paiva Weed
 ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING DAVE MCLAUGHLIN
 ON BEING SELECTED AS ONE OF THE 2014 NEWPORT DAILY NEWS
 COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD WINNERS
12. **2014-S 2812**
 BY McCaffrey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
13. **2014-S 2813**
 BY Miller
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
14. **2014-S 2818**
 BY O'Neill
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
15. **2014-S 2819**
 BY McCaffrey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
16. **2014-S 2850**
 BY McCaffrey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
17. **2014-S 2851**
 BY McCaffrey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
18. **2014-H 7589**
 BY Cimini
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
19. **2014-H 7590**
 BY Naughton
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
20. **2014-H 7592**
 BY Ucci
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
21. **2014-H 7693**
 BY Ruggiero
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

22. **2014-H 7849**
 BY Handy
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
23. **2014-H 7852**
 BY Marshall
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
24. **2014-H 7892**
 BY Ajello
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
25. **2014-H 7893**
 BY Azzinaro
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
26. **2014-H 7894**
 BY Tomasso
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
27. **2014-H 7924**
 BY Lally
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
28. **2014-H 7925**
 BY Lally
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
29. **2014-H 7926**
 BY McNamara
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
30. **2014-H 7949**
 BY Amore
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
31. **2014-H 7950**
 BY Tanzi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

32. **2014-H 7951**
 BY Shekarchi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
33. **2014-H 7962**
 BY Ajello
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
34. **2014-H 7963**
 BY Azzinaro
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
35. **2014-H 7972**
 BY Ajello
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
36. **2014-H 7973**
 BY Fox
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
37. **2014-H 7980**
 BY Martin
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES
38. **2014-H 8008**
 BY Giarrusso
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

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 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, Archambault, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, DiPalma, Doyle, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Hodgson, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch, McCaffrey, Miller, Nesselbush, O'Neill, Ottiano, Pearson, Picard, Pichardo, Raptakis, Ruggerio, Satchell, Sheehan, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 0:

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.

(See Appendix for List)

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 Cote announces that the Committee on Commerce 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.

Senator Pichardo 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 Nesselbush announces that the Committee on Health and Human Services will meet today, at the rise of the Senate, in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Lombardi the Senate adjourns at 4:34 o'clock P.M.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SENATOR CATHERINE COOL RUMSEY**

Almighty God, we thank you for this day. We thank you for awakening us with a renewed spirit and the vigor to live each day to the fullest. We thank you for the love, comfort and impenetrable bond we share with our families and with your divine spirit. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2014:**

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Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

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15. **2014-S 2826**
BY Walaska
ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING BILATERAL TRADE
RELATIONS AND TAIWAN'S PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL
ORGANIZATIONS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

16. 2014-H 7117**BY** Kennedy

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION REAFFIRMING THE FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND TAIWAN, COMMENDING TAIWAN'S ROLE AS PEACEMAKER IN THE EAST CHINA SEA, AND SUPPORTING BILATERAL TRADE RELATIONS AND TAIWAN'S PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2014:**

1. **2014-S 2639**
 BY Jabour
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
2. **2014-S 2272 as amended**
 BY Algieri
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- FORM AND EFFECT OF
 CONVEYANCES

 Committee on Finance recommends passage as amended.
3. **2014-S 2778**
 BY Ruggerio
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - BUDGET
 COMMISSIONS

 Committee on Finance recommends passage.
4. **2014-S 2231 SUB A**
 BY Sosnowski
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR
 VEHICLE OFFENSES

 Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and
 passage of Substitute A.
5. **2014-S 2235**
 BY Fogarty
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
6. **2014-S 2238**
 BY Algieri
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE -
 PRACTICE IN PROBATE COURTS

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
7. **2014-S 2590**
 BY Crowley
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - LOBBYING

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

8. **2014-S 2655**
 BY Conley
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- ASSAULTS

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
9. **2014-S 2670**
 BY Lynch
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE - CAPITOL POLICE
 OFFICERS' POWERS

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
10. **2014-S 2820**
 BY Lombardi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.
11. **2014-S 7259 SUB B**
 BY Mattiello
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -
 COURTS - COURT ADMINISTRATION

 Committee on Judiciary recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and the
 Substitute A and passage of Substitute B.
12. **2014-H 7550**
 BY Craven
 ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN TO
 ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES TO AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$4,900,000 TO
 FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE
 TOWN, PRIMARILY FOR THE WICKFORD COMMERCIAL AREA, INCLUDING
 THE ACQUISITION OF LAND THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION
 OF SEWER ASSESSMENTS AND USER FEES

 Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.
13. **2014-H 7551**
 BY Craven
 ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF NORTH KINGSTOWN TO
 ISSUE BONDS AND NOTES TO AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING \$6,600,000 TO
 FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS IN THE
 TOWN, PRIMARILY FOR POST ROAD NORTH, INCLUDING THE ACQUISITION
 OF LAND THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE IMPOSITION OF SEWER
 ASSESSMENTS AND USER FEES

 Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 2014:****1. 2014-S 2423****BY** Felag**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -
VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

2. 2014-S 2425 SUB A**BY** Felag**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT COMMISSION
TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING A DESERT STORM AND
DESERT SHIELD MEMORIAL AT THE RHODE ISLAND VETERANS' CEMETERYCommittee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite
postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.**3. 2014-S 2728****BY** Pichardo**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE
RHODE ISLAND DELEGATION TO THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS AND THE
UNITED STATES CONGRESS SUPPORT FEDERAL LEGISLATION THAT WOULD
AWARD THE CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL TO THE 65TH INFANTRY
REGIMENT, KNOWN AS THE BORINQUENEERS, FOR THEIR HONORABLE
MILITARY SERVICE

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

4. 2014-S 2731**BY** Felag**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL
OBSERVANCE

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

5. 2014-S 2828**BY** Walaska**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING UNITED STATES SENATE
RESOLUTION 378 AND CONDEMNING RUSSIAN MILITARY AGGRESSION
AGAINST UKRAINE

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

6. **2014-H 7964**

BY Craven

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -
 PAYMENT OF DEBTS BY CONTRACTORS

Ordered to be placed on the Calendar for passage in concurrence.

Appendix**BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR****House Bill No. 7589****BY** Cimini

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Judith Kaye to join Indigo Karida Bethea and Jerediah Gonzalez in marriage on or about June 21, 2014, within the Town of North Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC4861/1}

House Bill No. 7590**BY** Naughton, Ferri, McNamara, Shekarchi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Nathan Pierce to join Mandy J. Bernier and Jeffrey J. Budzinski in marriage on or about June 27, 2014, within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island.)

{LC4899/1}

House Bill No. 7592**BY** Ucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow John Coughlin to join Sharon R. Lambert and Michael A. Cacchiotti in marriage on or about June 28, 2014, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)

{LC4811/1}

House Bill No. 7693**BY** Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Paul Knierim to join Katelyn Heather Rood and David Russell O'Brien in marriage on or about June 22, 2014, within the City of Newport, Rhode Island.)

{LC4903/1}

House Bill No. 7849**BY** Handy, Lombardi, Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Sister Ann Keefe to join Kathleen Nee and Carlos Zambrano in marriage on or about August 23, 2014, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC4333/1}

House Bill No. 7852**BY** Marshall

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Tracy Brousseau to join Charles Galligan and Kerry Crane in marriage on or about August 16, 2014, within the Town of Bristol, Rhode Island.)

{LC5047/1}

House Bill No. 7892**BY** Ajello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow William Dapkus to join Jeremy Cox and Gillian Levy in marriage on or about August 30, 2014, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC5074/1}

House Bill No. 7893**BY** Azzinaro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Robert Lippmann to join Molly Murkett and Daniel Bruno in marriage on or about August 2, 2014, within the Town of Westerly, Rhode Island.)

{LC5099/1}

House Bill No. 7894**BY** Tomasso

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Julian Manzo to join Shelby L. Pereira and José A. DeFaria in marriage on or about May 31, 2014, within the Town of Burrillville, Rhode Island.)

{LC5094/1}

House Bill No. 7924**BY** Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Peter Monopoli to join Khiara M. LaBrie and David A. Doorley in marriage on or about October 12, 2014, within the Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island.)

{LC5173/1}

House Bill No. 7925**BY** Lally

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow James Clement O'Brien to join Alita Ann Mitchell and William Thomas Hill in marriage on or about October 25, 2014, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)

{LC5174/1}

House Bill No. 7926**BY** McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow the Honorable Scott Avedisian to join Robert Morris Russell and Maureen Ann McGovern in marriage on or about July 12, 2014, within the City of Warwick, Rhode Island.)

{LC5166/1}

House Bill No. 7949**BY** Amore

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow the Honorable Joanne M. DeMato to join Samantha Belzner and Craig R. Garrity in marriage on or about October 19, 2014, within the Village of West Kingston, Rhode Island.)

{LC5206/1}

House Bill No. 7950**BY** Tanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Steven B. Nelson to join Bethany Ann Nelson and Daniel Joseph Amaral in marriage on or about July 12, 2014, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)

{LC5212/1}

House Bill No. 7951

(by request)

BY Shekarchi, Morin, Phillips, Casey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Normand F. Peloquin to join Beth M. Martin and Robert Edward Miller, Jr., in marriage on or about October 11, 2014, within the Village of Slatersville, Rhode Island.)

{LC5190/1}

House Bill No. 7962**BY** Ajello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Vera Broekhuysen to join Tamara Emile Cohen and Saravananathan Subramanian in marriage on or about May 3, 2014, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC5223/1}

House Bill No. 7963**BY** Azzinaro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow The Honorable Robert E.P. Elmer, III, to join Kara Supczak and Ethan LeDoux in marriage on or about May 31, 2014, within the Town of Westerly, Rhode Island.)

{LC5232/1}

House Bill No. 7972**BY** Ajello

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Sally A. Lajoie to join Cassandra Rejane Barrette and Adam Edward Almeida in marriage on or about October 18, 2014, within the Village of Mapleville, Rhode Island.)

{LC5274/1}

House Bill No. 7973**BY** Fox

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Hollie Blum to join Edward Sohn and Kellyn Hulme in marriage on or about May 25, 2014, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC5265/1}

House Bill No. 7980**BY** Martin, Abney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Joan Barnicle to join Robert Schuyler Sabin and Molly Ruth White in marriage on or about October 17, 2014, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)

{LC5288/1}

House Bill No. 8008**BY** Giarrusso

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Richard A. Ciccone, Esq., to join Rachele Ciccone and Daniel Krawetz in marriage on or about May 10, 2014, within the Town of West Greenwich, Rhode Island.)

{LC5356/1}