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Forty-first 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 4:17 o'clock P.M.

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

YEAS- 36: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski, Walaska.

NAYS- 2: Senators DaPonte, Sheehan.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fortieth Legislative Day of the 2014 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Hodgson and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber members of the Providence College Republican's Club Leah Towe, Kelly Anne Girandola, Tyler Stein, Kristine Bucci, Susan Willis, and Natalie Andreach.

Upon suggestion of Senator Lombardi and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Alexandra Diwan, intern for Senator Lombardi.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Honorable President presents the following communications:

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS STATE HOUSE May 6, 2014 VIA HAND DELIVERY Honorable M. Teresa Paiva Weed President of the Senate Room 318, State House Providence, RI 02903 Dear Madam President, Please be advised that I will be absent from the Senate session on May 6, 2014, due to a family matter. I would appreciate your recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal. Thank you for your assistance. Sincerely, Daniel DaPonte Senator- District 14

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

Also:

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

May 6, 2014

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

Dear Madam President,

Please be advised that I will be unable to attend the Senate session today, Tuesday, May 6, 2014, due to illness.

Warmest personal regards, I remain,

Sincerely,

James C. Sheehan
Senator- District 36

Read and ordered to be placed on file.

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT**

Senator Pichardo from the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

Senate Bill No. 2806
BY Ruggerio, Ciccone, O'Neill, Archambault, Nesselbush
ENTITLED, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF NORTH PROVIDENCE
{LC5284/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

Senate Bill No. 2514
(Health)

BY Ottiano, Nesselbush, Crowley, Sosnowski, Walaska
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - DENTISTS AND DENTAL HYGIENISTS (This act would enable a dentist to be issued a limited registration to engage in the practice of dentistry if the dentist holds a position that is a CODA-accredited post-doctoral dental education program.)
{LC4266/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2519

BY Goldin, Satchell, Ottiano, Sosnowski, Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LACTATION CONSULTANT PRACTICE ACT OF 2014 (This act would authorize the director of the department of health to establish rules for the licensing of lactation consultants.)
{LC4744/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2525

BY Jabour, Crowley, Lombardi, Lombardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES (Would require pharmacies, pursuant to the request of the prescribing practitioner to provide a fill status notification to the practitioner for electronic prescriptions.)
{LC4863/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2562

(Health)

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LEAD POISONING PREVENTION ACT (Streamlines licensing and certification procedures for environmental lead inspectors and contractors. Revises factors to be considered for imposing a civil fine for violations of Lead, Poisoning, Prevention Act.)
{LC4267/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Also:

Senate Resolution No. 2877

BY Miller, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Ottiano, Cool Rumsey

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PRESENT A PLAN FOR AN INTEGRATED PRIMARY CARE AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND HEALTH PROMOTION PILOT PROGRAM
{LC5298/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar for Thursday May 8, 2014.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

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

Senate Bill No. 2891

BY Nesselbush

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow The Honorable Gina Raimondo to join Marianne Monte and Lisa Carcieri in marriage on or about May 21, 2014, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC5408/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

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

Senate Bill No. 2335 SUB A

BY DiPalma, Felag, Ottiano, Miller, DaPonte

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- RHODE ISLAND TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE FUND -- CREATION -- ALLOCATIONS TO FUND (would provide a new method to fund transportation and bridge costs in RI. The act would establish the RI transportation infrastructure fund as a restricted receipt account within the RI intermodal surface transportation fund)

{LC4371/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Wednesday, May 7th, 2014.

Also:

Senate Bill No. 2326

BY DiPalma, Paiva Weed

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS (would authorize the city of Newport to increase the cruise ship fees by one dollar (\$1.00) per passenger for landing and one dollar (\$1.00) per passenger for embarking)

{LC4323/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, May 8th, 2014.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 2980**

BY Sosnowski, Goodwin

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE SONS OF LIBERTY SPIRITS COMPANY AND FOUNDER MIKE REPPUCCI ON WINNING THE BEST FLAVORED WHISKY CATEGORY AT THE WORLD WHISKIES AWARDS

{LC5367/1}

Senator Sosnowski requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Sosnowski moves passage, seconded by Senator Miller, Gallo, Felag, Goodwin, Goldin, Algiere and Satchell.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Sosnowski, Goodwin and Felag and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Charlie Reppucci, Mike Reppucci and Danny Murphy, owners of the Sons of Liberty Distillery in South Kingstown, RI.

NEW BUSINESS

Senate Resolution No. 2981

BY O'Neill, Cote, Fogarty

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE 32 FRESHMEN AT NORTH SMITHFIELD HIGH SCHOOL WHO WON THE RHODE ISLAND "WE THE PEOPLE" COMPETITION

{LC5618/1}

Senator O'Neill requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator O'Neill moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Lynch, Fogarty, Lombardi, Satchell, Cote and Algiere.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator O'Neill, Gallo and Cote and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Mrs. Natalie O'Brien, Honors Program American Government Teacher and the following 32 freshmen students from North Smithfield High School Charley Matthew Annunziata, Alex Bourque, MacKenzie Chartier, Lauren Cloutier, Amanda Connell, Kevin Crowshaw, John DerBedrosian, Jacob DiSpirito, Jacob Forbes, Michaela Gamache, Nicolas Hanoian, Alexander Helm, Rebecca Holliday, Faith Jacobson, Kristin Lafferty, Erica Lemieux, Cullen MacDonald, Jacob Malo, Matthew Mandeville, Tommaso Marsella, Christopher Matulaitis, Rachel Palazini, Abigail Palmer, Benjamin Palmer, Nolan Parent, Gennaro Pasquariello, Jennifer Pasquariello, Morgan Perry, Kyle Peterson, Brooke Schobel, Andrew Stevens and Miranda Zuba for winning the Rhode Island "We the People" Competition.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Bill No. 2982****BY** Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -- RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PENSION REVOCATION AND REDUCTION ACT (Provides the superior court have jurisdiction to adjudicate proceedings initiated pursuant to any municipal ordinance providing for the revocation or reduction of municipal pensions upon conviction of any circumstance constituting dishonorable service.)

{LC5615/1}

Read and ordered to the Committee on Finance.

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. 2014-S 2861**BY** Gallo

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION CONVENE WITH STAKEHOLDERS TO ESTABLISH A NEW FRAMEWORK FOR COMPREHENSIVE K-12 SCHOOL COUNSELOR PROGRAMS

2. 2014-S 2863**BY** Crowley

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF RHODE ISLAND, IN COOPERATION WITH THE GOVERNOR'S WORKFORCE BOARD, EXPAND ITS OFFERING OF INDUSTRY-RECOGNIZED CREDENTIALS

3. 2014-S 2864**BY** Picard

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THE RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION TO INCLUDE IN ITS NEXT ROUND OF SCHOOL COUNSELOR PREPARATION PROGRAM APPROVAL REVIEWS A GREATER EMPHASIS ON STRATEGIES AND SKILLS IN ORDER TO ALLOW SCHOOL COUNSELORS TO MORE EFFECTIVELY SUPPORT WORKFORCE READINESS IN K-12 SETTINGS

4. 2014-S 2890**BY** DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

5. 2014-S 2944**BY** Lombardi

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 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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 06, 2014:

1. 2014-S 2457

BY Felag

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

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

Senator Felag moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, Lynch and Pichardo.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

2. 2014-S 2480 SUB A

BY Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
REGULATORY FAIRNESS IN ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES

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

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Picard and Cote.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

4. 2014-S 2225

BY Ruggerio

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF COUNTRY OF ORIGIN LABELING (COOL) FOR PHARMACEUTICALS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Ruggerio moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller Metts Lombardi, O'Neill, Archambault and Goldin.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

3. 2014-S 2858

BY Lynch

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - RHODE ISLAND REGULATORY REFORM ACT

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Gallo, Pichardo, Lombardi, Lombardo, Ruggerio, Goodwin, Felag, Sosnowski and Archambault.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

5. **2014-S 2278**
 BY Sheehan
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - COMPREHENSIVE
 CHILDREN'S JEWELRY SAFETY ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Upon suggestion of Senator Goodwin and without objection, ordered to be placed on the Calendar for Thursday May 8, 2014.

6. **2014-S 2502**
 BY Gallo
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- HEALTH CARE
 SERVICES--UTILIZATION REVIEW ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Pearson and Satchell.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

7. **2014-S 2506 SUB A as amended**
 BY Goldin
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - ASSISTED LIVING
 RESIDENCE ACT

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

Senator Goldin moves passage, seconded by Senators Goodwin, Satchell, Gallo, Ruggerio, Miller and Pearson.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed, as amended, 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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

8. 2014-S 2523 SUB A

BY Ottiano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

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

Senator Ottiano moves passage, seconded by Senators Algieri, Ruggerio, Gallo, Lynch,

Nesselbush, Metts, Jabour, Hodgson, Archambault, Satchell, Goldin, Raptakis and O'Neill.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

9. 2014-S 2530

BY Ottiano

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES EXAMINE AND REFINE ITS CURRENT POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR TRANSITION PLANNING FOR 18-21 YEAR OLDS WHO HAVE EXITED THE CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Ottiano moves passage, seconded by Senators Picard, Sosnowski, Nesselbush, Fogarty, Jabour, Lynch, Lombardi, Satchell, Cool Rumsey and Goldin.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

10. 2014-S 2561**BY** Goodwin**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Miller, Nesselbush, Ottiano, Satchell and Crowley.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

11. 2014-S 2801 SUB A**BY** Jabour**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MENTAL ILLNESS AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS

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

Senator Jabour moves passage, seconded by Senators Pearson, Nesselbush, Sosnowski, Metts, Felag, Ottiano, Cool Rumsey, Goldin and Algieri.

Senator Miller seconded by Senator Jabour, offers the following written motion to amend.

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2014 -- S 2801 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MENTAL ILLNESS AND
SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2014 -- S 2801 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE - INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MENTAL ILLNESS AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS", as follows: 1. On page 2, line 10, by deleting the language "subsections (b) and (c) of this

section:" and by inserting the following language in place thereof: "this chapter:"

2. On page 5, line 31, by deleting the word "or".

3. On page 5, line 32, after the word "disorders", by inserting the following language:

"; or (D) With a Rhode Island licensed hospital with a designated program for the treatment of substance use disorders".

4. On page 6, line 12, by deleting the language: "This act shall take effect on October 1, 2014" and by inserting the following language in place thereof:

"Sections 1 and 2 of this act shall take effect upon passage and shall apply to plans offered, issued or renewed after January 1, 2015. Section 3 of this act shall take effect on October 1, 2014. Section 4 of this act shall take effect upon passage."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Miller

The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

Senator Jabour moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senator Miller.

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

YEAS- 35: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

12. 2014-S 2813 as amended**BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

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

Senator Miller moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey.

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: The Honorable President Paiva Weed and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

13. 2014-S 2104**BY** Fogarty**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - GENERAL POWERS - BACKGROUND CHECKS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage, seconded by Senator McCaffrey

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

14. 2014-S 2281**BY** Lynch**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE REPEALER

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Lynch moves passage, seconded by Senators Fogarty, McCaffrey, Goodwin, Picard Algieri, Lombardi, Lombardo, DiPalma and Cool Rumsey.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

NAYS- 0:

15. 2014-S 2712 SUB A

BY Goodwin

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL PROVISIONS

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

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators Ruggerio, McCaffrey and Lombardi.

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, Archambault, Bates, Ciccone, Conley, Cool Rumsey, Cote, Crowley, 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, Sosnowski.

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

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

Senator Ottiano announces that the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans' Affairs will meet tomorrow, the rise of the Senate, in Room 310 of the State House.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin seconded by Senator Bates the Senate adjourns at 4:56 o'clock P.M.

JOSEPH R. BRADY
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SENATOR V. SUSAN SOSNOWSKI**

Dear God, let us be ever mindful of those people across the globe who are striving for independence. Be with them in their struggles for freedom and justice. Afford them the courage and strength to attain their goals just as our forefathers did years ago in claiming independence for Rhode Islanders. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 07, 2014:**

1. **2014-H 8000**
 BY Handy
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

2. **2014-H 8001**
 BY O'Brien
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

3. **2014-H 8005**
 BY Azzinaro
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 08, 2014:

1. **2014-S 2877**
 BY Miller
 ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION RESPECTFULLY REQUESTING THAT THE
 RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PRESENT A PLAN FOR AN
 INTEGRATED PRIMARY CARE AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND HEALTH
 PROMOTION PILOT PROGRAM

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 07, 2014:**

1. **2014-S 2335 SUB A**
 BY DiPalma
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- RHODE ISLAND
 TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE FUND -- CREATION -- ALLOCATIONS
 TO FUND

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

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 08, 2014:

1. **2014-S 2278**
 BY Sheehan
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - COMPREHENSIVE
 CHILDREN'S JEWELRY SAFETY ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

2. **2014-S 2540**
 BY Pearson
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - AMBULANCE
 SERVICE COORDINATING ADVISORY BOARD

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

3. **2014-S 2617 SUB A**
 BY Gallo
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES

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

4. **2014-S 2651**
 BY Lombardi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS - UNIFORM
 CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ACT

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

5. **2014-S 2891**
 BY Nesselbush
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

6. **2014-S 2326**
 BY DiPalma
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

7. **2014-S 2514**
 BY Ottiano
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -
 DENTISTS AND DENTAL HYGIENISTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

8. **2014-S 2519**
 BY Goldin
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LACTATION
 CONSULTANT PRACTICE ACT OF 2014

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

9. **2014-S 2525**
 BY Jabour
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -
 GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON DISABILITIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

10. **2014-S 2562**
 BY Goodwin
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LEAD POISONING
 PREVENTION ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

11. **2014-S 2806**
 BY Ruggerio
 ENTITLED, AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF NORTH PROVIDENCE

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

12. **2014-H 7164 SUB A**
 BY Corvese
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
 LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends indefinite
postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

Appendix

BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR

Senate Bill No. 2813 as amended

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (This act would allow Elizabeth Ann Vorro to join Michael J. Fournier and David A. Liddle in marriage on or about May 18, 2014, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

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