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Fifty Ninth Legislative Day

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by the Honorable Dominick J. Ruggiero, President of the Senate, at 4:23 o'clock P.M.

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 34 Senators present and 3 Senators absent as follows:

PRESENT – 34: The Honorable President Ruggiero and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

ABSENT –3: Senators DaPonte, Doyle and Morgan.

INVOCATION

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

(See Appendix for Invocation)

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Fifty Eighth Legislative Day of the 2017 proceedings is read in part.

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

GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Crowley and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President welcomes to the Chamber John Miskovsky, MD.

COMMUNICATIONS

The Honorable President presents the following communications:

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

June 13, 2017

The Honorable Dominick J. Ruggerio
President of the Senate
State House, Room 318
Providence, RI 02903

Dear President Ruggerio:

Please be advised that I will be unable to attend Senate session on Tuesday, June 13, 2017, I am out of state on business.

Sincerely,

James E. Doyle, II
Senator, District- 8
Pawtucket

Read and placed on file.

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

June 13, 2017

Honorable Dominick J. Ruggerio
President of the R. I. Senate
318 State House
Providence, RI 02903

Dear President Ruggerio:

Please be advised and let the record reflect that I will be absent from the Chamber on Tuesday, June 13, 2017, due to illness. I would appreciate your recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Elaine J. Morgan
DEPUTY MINORITY WHIP

Read and 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. 5177 SUB A

BY O'Brien, Kazarian, Marshall, Bennett, Solomon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM (Requires the department of elementary and secondary education to consider incorporating substance abuse education and suicide prevention into the health education curriculum.)

{LC564/A/1}

Referred to the Committee on Education.

House Bill No. 6231

BY Marshall, Knight, Casey, Bennett

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION--TOWN OF WARREN (Increases various property tax exemptions available in the town of Warren.)

{LC2722/1}

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

House Bill No. 6206 SUB A

BY Fogarty, Tanzi, Craven, McEntee, Carson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY - PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (Renames the College of Pharmacy building on Greenhouse Road at the University of Rhode Island in Kingston, as "Paramaz Avedisian '54 Hall.")

{LC2667/A/1}

Referred to the Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs'

**REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE**

Chairman Picard, from the Committee on Commerce, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 5620 SUB A

(Dept. of Business Regulations)

BY O'Grady, Keable, Casey, Marshall

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE APPRAISAL MANAGEMENT COMPANIES (Provides for the registration and oversight of appraisal management companies operating in this state.)

{LC1745/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 6000 SUB A**BY** Marszalkowski, Casimiro, Shekarchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- CREDIT UNIONS

(Transfers the expulsion power of members to credit union management from the board of directors, provides written notice to the member of expulsion, and establishes a ten (10) business day appeal procedure to the board of directors.)

{LC2226/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 5291

(by request)

BY Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -

SECURITIZATION ACT (Repeals The Public Utility Securitization Act (§§39-1-1 to 60), passed in 1997.)

{LC424/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5619 SUB A**BY** Jacquard, Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS (Distinguishes real estate agents' duties regarding establishing property values from the duties of professional appraisers.)

{LC1116/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5647 SUB A as amended

(Secretary of State)

BY Ackerman, O'Brien, Edwards, Solomon, McKiernan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND PARTNERSHIPS - RHODE ISLAND NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT (Simplifies process for foreign corporations to obtain certificate of authority by producing only certificate of good standing legal assistance from incorporating state or country.)

{LC1782/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5223 SUB A**BY** Solomon, Phillips, Coughlin, Johnston, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - CONDOMINIUM LAW - INSURANCE

(Entitles a condominium owner to obtain a copy of a damage appraisal within fourteen days.)

{LC912/A/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Chairwoman Gallo, from the Committee on Education, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measure:

House Bill No. 5016

BY McNamara, Azzinaro, Canario, Lancia, Solomon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS (Requires the assessment to examine the status of each school building's safety be completed by November 1 of the year mandated.)

{LC194/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE

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

House Bill No. 5484

(Quonset Development Corp.)

BY Craven, Casimiro

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (Provides that the Quonset Development Corporation may purchase and obtain water service from any city, town, water district, or other water supply authority.)

{LC1364/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5540

(Dept. of Environmental Management)

BY Marszalkowski, Shekarchi, Ackerman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- DOGS (Appoints an animal control officer to the rabies control board.)

{LC1344/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5575

(Dept. of Administration)

BY Carson, Regunberg, Ruggiero, Donovan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- STATEWIDE MUNICIPAL SOLAR PERMIT (Requires the Rhode Island office of energy resources, in consultation with the building commission to promulgate rules and regulations to create a statewide solar photovoltaic permit application.)

{LC1352/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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

The Appointment of Eric J. Beane VICE Elizabeth Roberts as the Secretary of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 742

BY Nesselbush, Lombardi, Fogarty, Quezada, Crowley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PHYSICAL THERAPISTS (Modernizes the definition of physical therapy, the right to use the title of physical therapist and includes practice beyond the scope of physical therapy as a grounds for discipline.) {LC2473/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 5670

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PSYCHOLOGISTS (Increases psychology board from 5 to 7 members and allows delegations of disciplinary hearings to a hearing officer.) {LC1756/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5680

(Dept. of Health)

BY Bennett, Kazarian, Hull, Lombardi, O'Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES (Repeals the law which provides enhanced penalties of a fine of not more than \$250/ imprisonment for not more than 6 months for disclosure of health care information with respect to an individual diagnosis and treatment of a sexually transmitted disease.) {LC1354/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Chairman Ciccone, from the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

House Bill No. 5273

BY Nunes, Nardolillo, Serpa, Morgan, Roberts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT (Changes the date of the annual meeting of the Coventry Fire District from the second Tuesday of December to the second Wednesday of November.) {LC595/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5616**BY** Winfield**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- DIVISION OF FIRE SAFETY (Bars adjusters and contractors from premises under investigation by the fire marshal until premises are released, and provides penalties for violation.)

{LC1971/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 6094**BY** Nardolillo, Chippendale, Roberts, Morgan, Serpa**ENTITLED**, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF COVENTRY (Validates and ratifies amendments to the Home Rule Charter of the town of Coventry, which amendments were adopted and approved by the electors of the town of Coventry on November 8, 2016.)

{LC2429/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar,

House Bill No. 6102**BY** Phillips, Morin, Casey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF WOONSOCKET (Validates and ratifies amendments to the Home Rule Charter of the city of Woonsocket, which amendments were adopted and approved by the electors of the city of Woonsocket on November 8, 2016.)

{LC2446/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

Chairwoman Lynch Prata, from the Committee on Judiciary, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 539**BY** Goodwin, McCaffrey, Ruggerio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES (Makes driving under the influence with any child under thirteen (13) years of age in the vehicle a felony punishable by up to five (5) years imprisonment, a five thousand dollar (\$5,000) fine, and a loss of license of up to two (2) years.)

{LC1996/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 5456

(by request)

BY Shekarchi, Casimiro, Williams, Vella-Wilkinson, Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- CHILD RESTRAINT SYSTEMS (Requires infants and toddlers under two (2) years of age or weighing less than thirty pounds (30 lbs.) be retrained in rear-facing car seats.)

{LC1321/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 5701

(Board of Elections)

BY Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES (Gives local boards discretion to designate times and places where optical scan voting equipment and sample ballots are exhibited for instructional purposes.)

{LC1840/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 6008 as amended

(Board of Elections)

BY Vella-Wilkinson, Jacquard, Shekarchi, Casimiro, Ajello**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - PRIMARY ELECTIONS (Allows a person appointed as a primary official to be an employee of the United States, of this state, or of any city or town of this state.)

{LC1834/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 6085**BY** McNamara, Vella-Wilkinson, Bennett, Shanley, Shekarchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS (Allows the city council of Warwick to confer upon its municipal court the jurisdiction to apply the provisions of chapter 44 of title 34 regarding abandoned property.)

{LC2428/1}

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Cynthia Hiatt VICE Camille Vella Wilkinson to the Commission of Human Rights for a term expiring July 1, 2022.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Peri Ann Aptaker, Esq. VICE Letitia Carter (resigned) to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2018.

Read and ordered to be placed on the Consent Calendar.

NEW BUSINESS**Senate Resolution No. 957****BY** Ruggerio, Goodwin, Ciccone, Metts, Jabour**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF EVELYN V. FARGNOLI

{LC2880/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator Goodwin requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Goodwin moves passage, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Algieri, Lynch Prata, Satchell, gee, Jabour and Quezada.

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

CONSENT CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. 2017-H 6114**BY** Marshall**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

2. 2017-H 6137**BY** Amore**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

3. 2017-H 6167**BY** Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

4. 2017-H 6180**BY** Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

5. 2017-H 6181 as amended**BY** Ruggiero**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

6. 2017-H 6191**BY** Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

7. 2017-H 6195**BY** Almeida**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Upon motion of Senator McCaffrey, seconded by Senator Algiere, the following measures on today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote:

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algiere, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

CALENDAR

In order for the day is taken up as follows:

1. 2017-S 237 SUB A**BY** Metts**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS-CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS - PAROLE

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

Senator Goodwin orders to place this item on Thursday, June 15th Calendar.

2. 2017-S 552 SUB A**BY** Fogarty**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

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

Senator Fogarty moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Archambault, Lombardi, and Nesselbush.

The bill marked substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

3. 2017-S 566

BY Gallo

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

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Goodwin, Lynch Prata, Coyne, Calkin, Satchell, Felag, Ciccone, Metts, Quezada, amend Algieri.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

4. 2017-S 704

BY Fogarty

ENTITLED, AN ACT ENABLING THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE TO EXEMPT CERTAIN PROPERTY FROM TAXATION

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators McCaffrey, Nesselbush and Gee.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

5. 2017-S 805 SUB A

BY Crowley

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

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

Senator Crowley moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Archambault, Gee, Gallo, Ciccone, Sosnowski, Coyne and DiPalma.

The bill marked substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

6. 2017-S 194

BY Ruggerio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - BARBERS AND HAIRDRESSERS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Fogarty moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lynch Prata, Archambault, Lombardo, Paolino, and Raptakis.

Senator Lombardi recuses from the bill.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 33 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative and 1 recused as follows as follows.

YEAS - 33: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

RECUSED - 1: Senator Lombardi.

7. 2017-S 512

BY Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES - POLICE AND FIREFIGHTERS RESIDENCY

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Lombardi moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Fogarty, Archambault, DiPalma, and Gee.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

8. 2017-S 513

BY McCaffrey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - ELECTRICIANS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Gallo, Lombardi, Arhcambult, Sheehan, Kettle, and Fogarty.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 33 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 33: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

9. 2017-S 674**BY** Ciccone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' ARBITRATION

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardo, Lombardi, Fogarty, Goodwin, Raptakis, Seveney, and DiPalma.

Senators Kettle and Satchell recuse from the bill.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative and 2 members recused as follows.

YEAS - 32: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.**NAYS - 0:****RECUSED - 2:** Senators Kettle, and Satchell.**10. 2017-S 675****BY** Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator Lombardi moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Archambault, Gee, Jabour, Lombardo, Nesselbush and Goldin.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.**NAYS - 0:**

11. 2017-S 716**BY McCaffrey****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY - BENEFITS**

Committee on Labor recommends passage.

Senator McCaffrey moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, Fogarty, Nesselbush, Metts, Archambault, Gee, Goldin and DiPalma.

The act is read and passed, on a roll call vote, 34 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows.

YEAS - 34: The Honorable President Ruggerio and Senators Algieri, Archambault, Calkin, Ciccone, Conley, Cote, Coyne, Crowley, DiPalma, Felag, Fogarty, Gallo, Gee, Goldin, Goodwin, Jabour, Kettle, Lombardi, Lombardo, Lynch Prata, McCaffrey, Metts, Miller, Nesselbush, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Satchell, Seveney, Sheehan, Sosnowski.

NAYS - 0:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Senator Cote announces that the Committee on Commerce will meet today at the rise, in Room 212 of the State House.

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

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

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

Senator Crowley announces that the Committee on Housing and Municipal Government will meet tomorrow at the rise, in the Senate Lounge of the State House.

Senator Metts announces that the Committee on Education will meet tomorrow at the rise, in Room 313 of the State House.

Senator McCaffrey announces that Senator Louis P. DiPalma received the East Bay Community Action Program Public Service Award for 2017.

Senator McCaffrey wishes Kristen Silvia a Happy Birthday.

Senate Majority Leader McCaffrey congratulates his Chief of Staff Jake Bissaillon on being sworn in to the Massachusetts Bar Association.

TRANSMITTAL

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

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Goodwin, seconded by Senator McCaffrey the Senate adjourns at 4:47 o'clock P.M, in memory of *Former Providence Council President Evelyn V. Fagnoli*.

Robert L. Ricci
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SENATOR PAUL W. FOGARTY**

Heavenly Father, we ask you to teach us to give and not count the cost, and to labor and not ask for rewards. Above all, teach us that it is only what we give in love and service to others which endures forever. Amen.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2017:**

1. **The Appointment of Cynthia Hiatt VICE Camille Vella Wilkinson to the Commission of Human Rights for a term expiring July 1, 2022.**

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

2. **The Appointment of Peri Ann Aptaker, Esq. VICE Letitia Carter (resigned) to the Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2018.**

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

3. **2017-H 5291**
BY Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -
SECURITIZATION ACT

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

4. **2017-H 5619 SUB A**
BY Jacquard
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL
ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS

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

5. **2017-H 5647 SUB A as amended**
BY Ackerman
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS, AND
PARTNERSHIPS - RHODE ISLAND NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT

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

6. 2017-H 5223 SUB A**BY** Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY - CONDOMINIUM LAW - INSURANCE

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

7. 2017-H 5016**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Education recommends passage in concurrence.

8. 2017-H 5484**BY** Craven**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.

9. 2017-H 5540**BY** Marszalkowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- DOGS

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.

10. 2017-H 5575**BY** Carson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- STATEWIDE MUNICIPAL SOLAR PERMIT

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage in concurrence.

11. 2017-H 5670**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - PSYCHOLOGISTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

12. **2017-H 5680**
 BY Bennett
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES

 Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.
13. **2017-H 5273**
 BY Nunes
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE COVENTRY FIRE DISTRICT

 Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.
14. **2017-H 5616**
 BY Winfield
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- DIVISION OF FIRE SAFETY

 Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.
15. **2017-H 6094**
 BY Nardolillo
 ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE TOWN OF COVENTRY

 Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.
16. **2017-H 6102**
 BY Phillips
 ENTITLED, AN ACT VALIDATING AND RATIFYING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HOME RULE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF WOONSOCKET

 Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.
17. **2017-H 5456**
 BY Shekarchi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- CHILD RESTRAINT SYSTEMS

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.
18. **2017-H 5701**
 BY Solomon
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES

 Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

19. 2017-H 6008 as amended**BY** Vella-Wilkinson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS - PRIMARY ELECTIONS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage as amended in concurrence.

20. 2017-H 6085**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Appendix
CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2017:

- 1. 2017-S 439**
BY Calkin
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ALL STUDENTS COUNT ACT

Committee on Education recommends passage.
- 2. 2017-S 560**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION-RHODE ISLAND UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ACT

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.
- 3. 2017-S 637 SUB A**
BY DiPalma
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.
- 4. 2017-S 784**
BY Archambault
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FISH AND WILDLIFE -- WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AREAS

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.
- 5. 2017-S 785**
BY Sosnowski
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT--MARINE FISHERIES

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

6. **2017-S 887**
 BY Sosnowski
 ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE
 COMMISSION TO STUDY THE RHODE ISLAND WATER RESOURCES BOARD
 AND WATER SUPPLY

Committee on Environment & Agriculture recommends passage.

7. **2017-S 831 SUB A**
 BY Miller
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- HEALTH INSURANCE
 COVERAGE -- THE MARKET STABILITY AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT

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

8. **2017-S 479**
 BY Lombardi
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY - STATE BUILDING
 CODE

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

9. **2017-S 481 SUB A**
 BY McCaffrey
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- SUBDIVISION OF
 LAND

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

10. **2017-S 73 SUB A**
 BY Coyne
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING CRIMINAL OFFENSES - UNIFORM ACT ON THE
 PREVENTION OF AND REMEDIES FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING

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

11. **2017-S 282 SUB A**
 BY Lynch Prata
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT - THE
 HEALTHY PREGNANCIES FOR INCARCERATED WOMEN ACT

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

12. 2017-S 614 SUB A**BY** Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES - ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN

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

13. 2017-S 835 SUB A**BY** Quezada**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES - FRAUD AND FALSE DEALING

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

14. 2017-S 932 SUB A**BY** Lombardi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS -- 38 STUDIOS, LLC

Committee on Rules, Government Ethics and Oversight recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of Substitute A.

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 15, 2017:**1. The Appointment of Eric J. Beane VICE Elizabeth Roberts as the Secretary of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services.**

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends that the Senate give its Advice and Consent to this nomination.

2. 2017-S 237 SUB A**BY** Metts**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS-CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS - PAROLE

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

3. 2017-S 742**BY** Nesselbush**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PHYSICAL THERAPISTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

4. **2017-S 539**
 BY Goodwin
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES - MOTOR
 VEHICLE OFFENSES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

5. **2017-H 5620 SUB A**
 BY O`Grady
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS - REAL
 ESTATE APPRAISAL MANAGEMENT COMPANIES

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

6. **2017-H 6000 SUB A**
 BY Marszalkowski
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- CREDIT
 UNIONS

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

Appendix

TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR

House Bill No. 6114**BY** Marshall, Bennett

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Dr. John K. Conboy to join Katherine Fitzsimmons and Thomas E. Skuba in marriage on or about October 6, 2017, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)
{LC2470/1}

House Bill No. 6137**BY** Amore

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Stefan Petrella to join Melissa S. Calcagni and Sean T. Cottrell in marriage on or about July 8, 2017, within the Town of North Kingstown, Rhode Island.)
{LC2582/1}

House Bill No. 6167**BY** Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows The Honorable Raymond A. Hull to join Brenda Lee Rezendes and Thomas W. Carroll in marriage on or about June 25, 2017, within the City of Cranston, Rhode Island.)
{LC2598/1}

House Bill No. 6180**BY** Hull

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows the Honorable David Cicilline to join Jessica M. Eericks and Darren L. Hull in marriage on or about August 26, 2017, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)
{LC2599/1}

House Bill No. 6181 as amended**BY** Ruggiero

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Jeffrey Hark to join Chelsea Phelps and Ryan Emery in marriage on or about October 6, 2018, within the Town of Middletown, Rhode Island.)
{LC2619/1}

House Bill No. 6191**BY** Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Arthur Ricci, III, to join Lisa M. Press and Richard A. Slater in marriage on or about August 6, 2017, within the City of Cranston, Rhode Island.)
{LC2631/1}

House Bill No. 6195

BY Almeida

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Sofia Thorng to join Pia Saab and Thorng Chann in marriage on or about June 17, 2017, within the City of Providence, Rhode Island.)

{LC2662/1}