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Tuesday, May 21, 2024

Twenty-Sixth Legislative Day

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by The Honorable Matthew L. LaMountain, Deputy Senate President Pro Tempore, at 4:13 o'clock P.M.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT –34: Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

ABSENT – 3: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, and Senators Paolino, and Tikoian.

INVOCATION

The Honorable Deputy Senate President Pro Tempore, by unanimous consent, presents Senator DiPalma to deliver the invocation.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

The Honorable Deputy Senate President Pro Tempore, by unanimous consent, presents Senator DiPalma, to lead the Senate in the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Twenty-Fourth Legislative Day of the 2024 proceedings is read in part.

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

COMMUNICATIONS

The Honorable Deputy President Pro Tempore of the Senate presents the following communications:

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May 21, 2024

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

Dear President Ruggerio:

Please be advised and let the record reflect that I will be absent from the Chamber today, Tuesday, May 21, 2024.

Please record my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,



Dawn Euer
Senator – District 13

DE/moj

cc: Helena Reid, Secretary of the Senate

Placed on file.

SENATOR
THOMAS J. PAOLINO
District 17

DEPUTY MINORITY LEADER

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State of Rhode Island



Senate Chamber

Committee on
Education

Committee on
Finance

May 21, 2024

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

Dear Mr. President:

Please be advised and let the record reflect that I will be absent from the Senate session on Tuesday May 21, 2024 due to illness.

Thank you for accepting my request to vote by limited -directed proxy.

I would appreciate you recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal.

Respectfully submitted

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Thomas J. Paolino". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Thomas J. Paolino
Deputy Minority Leader

Placed on file.

SENATOR
DAVID P. TIKOIAN
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Municipal Government

Committee on Judiciary

Committee on Rules,
Government Ethics & Oversight

May 21, 2024

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

Dear Mr. President,

Please be advised and let the record reflect that I will not be Session today, May 21, 2024. I will be voting by Proxy.

I would appreciate your recording my letter in the appropriate Senate Journal.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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David P. Tikoian
Senator ~ District 22

DPT/djc

cc: Secretary of the Senate

IN THE SENATE
Read and Ordered to be
PLACE ON FILE

MAY 21 2024

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John B. Stetson".
Reading Clerk

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE GOVERNOR

The Honorable President Pro Tempore presents the following communication from His Excellency, The Governor, transmitting the following appointments and requesting the advice and consent of the Senate thereto:



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 20, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,

I have the honor to inform you in accordance with the provisions of Section § 20-3-1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Rhode Island Marine Fisheries Council:

Melva Trevino Pena
(Representative of Conservation)

Vice
Michael Rice

For a term expiring April 1, 2028.

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

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

Cc: Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, Senate Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 20, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,

I have the honor to inform you in accordance with the provisions of Section § 46-23-4.1 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Coastal Resource Management Council:

Jeffrey M. Willis
Executive Director

For a term at the pleasure of the Governor.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Daniel J. McKee".

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

Cc: Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, Senate Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 20, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,

I have the honor to inform you in accordance with the provisions of Section § 46-23-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Coastal Resource Management Council:

Patricia G. Reynolds

(Elected/Appointed, Coastal Community with a Population over 25k)
(City of Newport, Director of Planning and Development)

For a term expiring January 31, 2026.

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

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

Cc: Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, Senate Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 15, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,

I have the honor to inform you in accordance with the provisions of Section § 42-75-3 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following reappointment to the Coastal Resource Management Council:

Joseph Russolino
(Public Member, Coastal Community)

For a term expiring January 31, 2027

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

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

Cc: Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, Senate Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 20, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,

I have the honor to inform you in accordance with the provisions of Section § 39-26.2-11 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the Distributed Generation Standard Contracts Board:

Hayley E. Kenyon
(Representative of Residential Users)

Vice
Jennifer Hawkins

For a term expiring May 31, 2027.

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

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

Cc: Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, Senate Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Environment and Agriculture.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 17, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE:

I have the honor to inform you that in accordance with the provisions of Section § 42-73-2 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment as the Child Advocate:

Katelyn E. Medeiros, Esq.

Vice

Jennifer Griffith, Esq.

For a term expiring May 17, 2029

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

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKee
Governor
DJM/ecd

cc:

Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, House Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. McKEE

May 17, 2024

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE,

I have the honor to inform you in accordance with the provisions of Section § 42-64-8 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I have made the following appointment to the **Rhode Island Commerce Corporation**

William C. Tsonos

Vice
Bernard Buonanno, III

For a term expiring February 1, 2027.

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

Sincerely,

Daniel J. McKee
Governor

Cc: Honorable Dominick Ruggerio, Senate President
Honorable Ryan W. Pearson, Senate Majority Leader
Honorable Jessica de la Cruz, Senate Minority Leader

RHODE ISLAND STATE HOUSE, PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND 02903

Referred to the Senate Committee on Commerce.

IMMEDIATE CONSIDERATIONS**Senate Resolution No. 3081****BY** Ujifusa, Gu**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION CELEBRATING MAY 21, 2024, AS "KOREA DAY" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
{LC6140/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator Ujifusa requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Ujifusa moves passage, seconded by Senators Gu, Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Valverde, and Zurier.

The resolution is read and passed upon a voice vote.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Upon the suggestion of Senator Ujifusa and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President Pro Tempore, welcomes to the Chamber from the Korean Consulate in Boston and the Korean American Association of Rhode Island (KAARI) Jae-hui Kim, Consul General, Soon Bok Hong, Deputy Consul General, Giho Lee, Consul, Angela Sharkey, KAARI President, Bongsup Cho, KAARI Building Committee Director, Heonjo Park, KAARI Board of Directors President, Richard Mende, Commander, Dongsup Kum, Pastor - The Way of Life Korean Church, Nare Kim, singer of both the American and Korean national anthems, Hyosung Kim, Researcher, Bermjoon Kim, Operation Specialist, Jae Ho Jung, Assistant, Yejin Cho, Internship Public Diplomacy, Kangsoon King, Director of Korean American Association of RI, Donghee Lee, Director of Korean American Association of RI, Public Relation Chungshi Lee, Korean American Association of RI, Elder Dongsoo Lee, former Korean American Association of RI Won Lau, former Korean American Association of RI.

Senate Resolution No. 3082**BY** Gallo**ENTITLED**, SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 21, 2024, TO BE "COX IMPACT DAY" IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
{LC3938/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator Gallo requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Gallo moves passage, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Felag, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Valverde, and Zurier.

The resolution is read and passed upon a voice vote.

Senate Resolution No. 3083

BY Rogers

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF "NATIONAL EMS WEEK" ON MAY 19-25, 2024, IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC5957/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator Rogers requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Rogers moves passage, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Valverde, and Zurier.

The resolution is read and passed upon a voice vote.

Senate Resolution No. 3084

BY Kallman

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING “PERIOD POVERTY AWARENESS WEEK” ON MAY 20-28, 2024, IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND {LC6127/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator Kallman requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator Kallman moves passage, seconded by Senators Gu, Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Lauria, Lawson,

Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Valverde, and Zurier.

The resolution is read and passed upon a voice vote.

Senate Resolution No. 3085

BY de la Cruz

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF GLEN D. BIDDISCOMBE, SR.

{LC6033/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator de la Cruz requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator de la Cruz moves passage, seconded by Senators Gu, Acosta, Bell, Bissailon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Valverde, and Zurier.

The resolution is read and passed upon a rising vote.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Upon the suggestion of Senator de la Cruz and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President Pro Tempore, welcomes to the Chamber the Family of Glen Biddiscombe; Debra Biddiscombe (Wife), Chris Westhaver (Daughter), Joshua Westhaver (Grandson), Sharon & Susan Biddiscombe (Sisters), Samantha Phillips (Niece), Brendan Bartley (Boyfriend of Samantha).

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2024:

1. 2024-H 7384

BY Slater

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

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage in

concurrence.

2. **2024-H 7469**

BY Carson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- INTERSTATE
COMPACT ON INDUSTRIALIZED/MODULAR BUILDINGS

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

3. **2024-H 7606**

BY Handy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- CASUALTY INSURANCE
RATING

Committee on Commerce recommends passage in concurrence.

4. **2024-H 7747 SUB B**

BY Caldwell

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

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

5. **2024-H 7755**

BY McGaw

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

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

6. **2024-H 7841**

BY J. Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage in
concurrence.

7. **2024-H 7889**

BY Serpa

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

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

8. 2024-H 8029**BY** Place

ENTITLED, AN ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH RHODE ISLAND GENERAL LAWS § 16-7-44, APPROVING THE ISSUANCE OF \$6,400,000 BONDS BY THE TOWN OF BURRILLVILLE TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE TOWN, AND ALL ATTENDANT EXPENSES INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURAL COSTS

Committee on Finance recommends passage in concurrence.

9. 2024-H 8085**BY** Casimiro

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

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

10. 2024-H 8106**BY** Corvese

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO THE NORTH PROVIDENCE CHARTER -- THE SALVATORE MANCINI CENTER ON AGING

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

11. 2024-S 3080**BY** Lawson

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF GEORGE A. DONOVAN

Ordered on the Consent Calendar.

Upon motion of Senator Pearson, seconded by Senator de la Cruz, the following measures on Today's Consent Calendar, by unanimous consent, are read and passed, upon a roll call vote:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR TUESDAY, MAY 21, 2024:**

1. ***The Appointment of Dr. Jerome M. Larkin, MD as the Director of the Department of Health for a 5 year term.***

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

Senator Miller moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by Senators Pearson, Gallo, Sosnowski, DiPalma, Zurier, Burke, Ujifusa, Felag, Valverde, McKenney.

Senators DiPalma, de la Cruz, and Felag discuss the appointment.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 34 members voting in the affirmative, and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Bell and DeLuca.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Upon the suggestion of Senator DiPalma and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President Pro Tempore, welcomes to the Chamber Dr. Jerome M. Larkin, MD., son Samuel Larkin, Seema Dixit, Sandra Powell, Natasha Rybaki, Bunny Sengooba.

2. **2024-S 2142**

BY Cano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- RHODE ISLAND EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION WORKFORCE DATA ACT

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Cano moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Gallo, DiPalma, Lauria, DiMario, Mack.

Senator Cano, seconded by Senators McKenney, Ujifusa, Britto offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2024 -- S 2142****AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- RHODE ISLAND EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION
WORKFORCE DATA ACT**

Mr. President:

I hereby move to amend 2024 -- S 2142, entitled “AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- RHODE ISLAND EARLY CARE AND EDUCATION WORKFORCE DATA ACT”, as follows:

1. On page 1, lines 1 and 2 by deleting all language thereon and by inserting in place thereof the following language:

"SECTION 1. Legislative findings.

The general assembly hereby finds that:

(1) Front-line educators working in licensed child care and early learning programs are the backbone of the state's early education and afterschool system. Consistent data and information about this workforce is needed to better support professional development, to inform of policy decisions, and to evaluate the impact of strategic investments.

(2) In 2022, one million dollars (\$1,000,000) in funding from the American Rescue Plan Act was allocated to the department of human services to establish a statewide early care and education workforce registry data system.

(3) As of 2023, according to the National Workforce Registry Alliance, Rhode Island was one of only eight (8) states that did not have a functioning early care and education workforce

registry."

2. On page 1, between lines 2 and 3 by inserting the following language:

"SECTION 2. Title 16 of the General Laws entitled "EDUCATION" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following chapter:"

3. On page 1, lines 8 through 18 by deleting all language thereon.

4. On page 2, line 1, by deleting the language "[registry](#)".

5. On page 2, line 2, by deleting the language "[16-114-3](#)", and by inserting in place thereof the language "[16-114-2](#)".

6. On page 2, line 19, by deleting the number "2", and by inserting in place thereof the number "3".

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Cano

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LC004213/2
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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative, 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Senator Cano moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Pearson, Zurier, Quezada, Kallman.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 37 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senators voting in the negative as follows

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissailon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

3. 2024-S 2516

BY Lauria

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Lauria moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Burke, Gallo, Ujifusa.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissailon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

4. 2024-S 2530

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION SUPPORTING CONTINUED FOCUS AND ACTIONS FOR IMPROVED COORDINATION BETWEEN AGENCIES RESPONSIBLE FOR EARLY CHILDHOOD AND EARLY LEARNING PROGRAMS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lawson, DiPalma, Gu, Cano, Lauria, and Ujifusa.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

5. 2024-S 2741

BY Murray

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Valverde, Cano, Gallo, Britto, DiMario.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

6. 2024-S 2742

BY McKenney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LIBRARIES -- STATE LIBRARY

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator McKenney moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Kallman, Murray, Gallo, Britto, and Gu.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

7. 2024-S 2743

BY Acosta

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CERTIFICATION OF TEACHERS

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Acosta moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Pearson, Gallo, DiMario, Mack, Bissaillon, Lombardi, Cano, Bell, Valverde, and Ujifusa.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

8. 2024-S 2805

BY Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INCORPORATING THE RHODE ISLAND COMMISSION FOR NATIONAL AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators DiPalma, Felag, Burke, and Zurier.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

9. 2024-S 2807

BY Cano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- SHEILA C. "SKIP" NOWELL
ACADEMY

Committee on Education recommends passage.

Senator Cano moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Gallo, DiMario, Zurier, Lauria, and Mack.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

10. 2024-S 2397

BY Cano

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Cano moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Kallman, Felag, Miller, and Acosta.

Senator Miller discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

11. 2024-S 2618

BY DiPalma

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
RHODE ISLAND OLMSTEAD PLAN COMMISSION ACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lawson, Miller, Lombardi, Mack, Gu, Burke, Murray, and Ujifusa.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

12. 2024-S 2719

BY DiMario

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
RHODE ISLAND DRUG COST REVIEW COMMISSION

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator DiMario moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Pearson, Gallo, DiPalma, Lombardi, Zurier, Gu, Murray, Cano.

Senators Bell, Ujifusa, Miller, Raptakis, DiPalma, and Lauria discuss the act.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 29 members voting in the affirmative and 8 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 29: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 8: Senators Bell, de la Cruz, DeLuca, Morgan, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Ujifusa.

13. 2024-S 2723

BY Pearson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
THE RHODE ISLAND HEALTH CARE REFORM ACT OF 2004 -- HEALTH
INSURANCE OVERSIGHT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Pearson moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Gallo, Sosnowski, DiPalma, Zurier, Gu, Cano, Bell, Valverde.

Senator Lauria discusses the act.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

14. 2024-S 2816 SUB A

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- OFFICE OF
STATE MEDICAL EXAMINERS

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Felag, Miller, Cano, Burke, Quezada, DiPalma.

Senators Bell and Miller discuss the act.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Bell.

15. 2024-S 2818

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LICENSING OF HEALTHCARE FACILITIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Cano moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Lombardi, DiMario, Zurier, Bissaillon, Murray.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

16. 2024-S 2820

BY Valverde

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

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Valverde moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Murray, Kallman, Zurier, Bissaillon.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

17. 2024-S 2872

BY Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY --
COMPREHENSIVE DISCHARGE PLANNING

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

Senator Miller moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Felag, Zurier, McKenney, Murray, Valverde.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

18. 2024-H 7471

BY Tanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
OPERATORS' AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Felag, DiPalma, Bissaillon, McKenney.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 36 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Dominick Ruggerio, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Cano, Ciccone, de la Cruz, De Luca, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Lawson, Lombardi, Mack, McKenney, Miller, Morgan, Paolino, Pearson, Picard, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, and Zurier.

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Picard announces that the Senate Committee on Commerce will meet at the rise of the senate in room 212.

Senator Valverde announces that the Senate Committee on Health and Human Services will meet at the rise of the senate in the senate lounge.

Senator Raptakis announces that the Senate Committee on Judiciary will meet Thursday, May 23rd at the rise of the senate in room 313.

Senator Cano announces that the Senate Committee on Education will meet Thursday, May 23rd at 3:30pm in room 212

Senator Felag announces that the Senate Committee on Finance will meet Thursday, May 23rd at the rise of the senate in room 211.

RECESS

Upon the Motion of Senator Lawson, seconded by Senator Pearson, and upon suggestion of Senator de la Cruz, the Senate stands in Recess at 5:39 o'clock P.M. *in memory of Glen D. Biddiscombe, Sr.*

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE**

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

The Reappointment of Marc Crisafulli to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2027.

Placed on the Calendar.

The Appointment of Melinda F. Penney VICE Michael McNally to the I-195 Redevelopment Commission for a term expiring October 3, 2027.

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2740 SUB A

BY LaMountain

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AERONAUTICS -- AIRPORTS AND LANDING FIELDS (Designates the appropriate authority on air space issues as the president and CEO of the Rhode Island airport corporation and aligns certain job titles with their proper responsibilities relative to aeronautics.)
{LC5646/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 7663 as amended

(Secretary of State)

BY Cortvriend, Fogarty, Handy, McGaw, Finkelman, Dawson, Nardone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- VITAL RECORDS (Requires the division of vital records to ensure that the records are accessible to the local registrars and grant local registrars the authority to issue certified copies of certificates and records.)
{LC4671/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 7509 SUB A

BY Finkelman, Shanley, Batista, Vella-Wilkinson, Perez, Noret, Dawson, O'Brien, Morales, Cotter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES (Provides that gift certificates issued by state-chartered institutions of higher education would be exempt from the provisions of the gift certificate statute relating to expiration, escheatment, reissuance and refund.)
{LC4378/A/1}

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 Scott Gendron (Expert Electronic Databases) VICE Michael Oliver to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Mykahla Gardiner (Health Care Advocate) VICE Sam Salganik to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Christin L. Zollicoffer (Rep. of Minority or Underserved) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Michael R. Dwyer (Experience with HIPPA) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2025.

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Annie Gjelsvik (Experience in Epidemiology) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

The Appointment of Christopher T. Burks (Business Professional & Health Care) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2025.

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2380

BY Bissaillon, DiMario, Gallo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- MEDICAL ASSISTANCE -- PRESCRIPTION DRUGS (Prohibits prior authorization or a step therapy protocol for the prescription of a nonpreferred medication on their drug formulary used to assess or treat an enrollee's bipolar disorder, schizophrenia or schizotypal.)
{LC4628/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2382

BY Miller, Sosnowski, Felag, Gallo, McKenney, Euer, Pearson, LaMountain, Lauria, Murray

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES -- LIFETIME LIMITS (Repeals the authority of the health insurance commissioner to enforce any act of Congress/decision of federal court invalidating or repealing the prohibition of annual lifetime limits on health insurance in this state.)
{LC4906/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2400

BY DiPalma, Ciccone, Valverde, Lauria, Miller, Lawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- WHOLESALE PRESCRIPTION DRUG IMPORTATION PROGRAM (Establishes the Wholesale Prescription Drug Importation Program for the importation of wholesale prescription drugs from Canada to provide savings to Rhode Island consumers.)
{LC4053/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2608

BY DiMario, Miller, Lauria, Cano, Valverde, Lawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (Requires executive office of health and human services to establish an early childhood mental health hub program focused on improving access to infant and early childhood mental health services for children under age 6 and their families.)
{LC4532/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2705**BY** DiMario, DiPalma, Lawson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES (Requires the department of children, youth and families (DCYF) to conduct periodic comprehensive needs assessments to determine whether the department's programs and services meet the needs of children and families.)

{LC4840/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2725**BY** Valverde, Pearson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- DEFENDING AFFORDABLE PRESCRIPTION DRUG COSTS ACT (Prohibits any health insurer, pharmacy benefit manager, or other third-party payor from discriminating against any 340B entity participating in a drug discount program.)

{LC5419/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by The Honorable Hanna M. Gallo, Senate President Pro Tempore, on Thursday, May 23rd at 4:10 o'clock P.M.

ADJOURNMENT

Upon motion of Senator Pearson, seconded by Senator de la Cruz, and the Senate adjourns at 4:14 o'clock P.M.

HELENA S. REID
Secretary of the Senate

Appendix

INVOCATION

SENATOR LOUIS P. DIPALMA

Dear Lord, in the days ahead there will be many choices before us as we work to make our State a greater place to live. Help us to work together to reach common ground and find positive solutions for the benefit all of our people. Amen.

Appendix**TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 22, 20024****House Bill No. 7469**

(Dept. of Business Regulation)

BY Carson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- INTERSTATE COMPACT ON INDUSTRIALIZED/MODULAR BUILDINGS (Repeals the Interstate Compact on Industrialized/Modular Buildings in its entirety.)
{LC4390/1}

Transmitted to Governor.

House Bill No. 7755**BY** McGaw

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of the Little Compton Game Club.)
{LC5404/1}

Transmitted to Governor.

House Bill No. 7384

(Dept. of BHDDH)

BY Slater, Diaz, Hull, O'Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (Renames the "Roosevelt Benton Youth Assessment Center" as the "Roosevelt Benton Center".)
{LC4426/1}

Transmitted to Governor.

House Bill No. 8085**BY** Casimiro, Craven

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Wildlife Rehabilitators Association of Rhode Island (Wildlife Clinic of Rhode Island), a Rhode Island domestic nonprofit corporation, located in North Kingstown, Rhode Island.)
{LC5736/1}

Transmitted to Governor.

House Bill No. 7889**BY** Serpa**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Increases the real property exemptions of veterans and the elderly residing in the Town of West Warwick.)
{LC5355/1}

Transmitted to Governor.

House Bill No. 8106**BY** Corvese, O'Brien, Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE NORTH PROVIDENCE CHARTER -- THE SALVATORE MANCINI CENTER ON AGING (Amends the charter of the Town of North Providence to create a new department entitled the "Salvatore Mancini Center on Aging.")
{LC5743/1}

Transmitted to Governor.

Appendix

CONSENT CALENDAR

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2024:

1. ***The Appointment of Scott Gendron (Expert Electronic Databases) VICE Michael Oliver to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.***

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

2. ***The Appointment of Mykahla Gardiner (Health Care Advocate) VICE Sam Salganik to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.***

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

3. ***The Appointment of Christin L. Zollicoffer (Rep. of Minority or Underserved) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.***

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

4. ***The Appointment of Michael R. Dwyer (Experience with HIPPA) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2025.***

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

5. ***The Appointment of Annie Gjelsvik (Experience in Epidemiology) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2026.***

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

6. ***The Appointment of Christopher T. Burks (Business Professional & Health Care) to the Health Information Exchange Commission for a term expiring June 1, 2025.***

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

7. **2024-H 7509 SUB A**

BY Finkelman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL
REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

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

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, MAY 23, 2024:****1. 2024-S 2273****BY** Euer**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL
REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- UNFAIR SALES PRACTICES

Committee on Commerce recommends passage.

2. 2024-S 2013 SUB A**BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- PRESCRIPTION
DRUG COST PROTECTIONCommittee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the
original bill and passage of Substitute A.**3. 2024-S 2075 SUB A****BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICESCommittee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the
original bill and passage of Substitute A.**4. 2024-S 2183****BY** LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
COUNSELING COMPACT

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

5. 2024-S 2184 SUB A**BY** DiMario**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
SOCIAL WORK LICENSURE COMPACTCommittee on Health & Human Services recommends indefinite postponement of the
original bill and passage of Substitute A.

6. 2024-S 2378 SUB A**BY** DiMario**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.

7. 2024-S 2389**BY** Miller**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS
INSURANCE POLICIES

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage.

8. 2024-S 2606 SUB A**BY** DiMario**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS
INSURANCE POLICIES

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

9. 2024-S 2607 SUB A**BY** DiMario**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS
INSURANCE POLICIES

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

10. 2024-S 2997**BY** de la Cruz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE
HARRISVILLE FIRE DISTRICT AND ESTABLISHING THE CLEAR RIVER
ELECTRIC AND WATER DISTRICT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

11. 2024-S 2469 SUB A**BY** Bissaillon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
ELECTRICIANS

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

12. **2024-S 3068**
 BY Ciccone
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
 WORKERS' COMPENSATION -- BENEFITS
- Committee on Labor recommends passage.
13. **2024-S 3039**
 BY Ciccone
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
 LICENSES
- Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.
14. **2024-S 3069**
 BY Zurier
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
 LICENSES
- Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.
15. **2024-S 3070**
 BY Quezada
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL
 LICENSES
- Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

State of Rhode Island



Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

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(Bill Number)

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(Advice & Consent, Order of Business, or Amendment Number)

* If voting on a Consent Calendar or Bill Bundle, please attach a copy

☒ APPROVE☐ DISAPPROVE

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas J. PaolinoSenator Paolino

(print name)

5/21/24

Date

Senate District 17

NOTARY

State of Rhode Island

County of Providence

On this 21 day of May, 2024, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Senator Paolino, personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed on this document in my presence.

Brandon S. Bell
Notary Public SignatureBrandon S. Bell

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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

#1 ☐ 2024-H
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 (Advice & Consent, Order of Business, or Amendment Number)
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☒ APPROVE☐ DISAPPROVE

Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas J. Paulino
 Senator Paulino (print name)
 Senate District 17

5/21/24
 Date

NOTARY

State of Rhode Island
 County of Providence

On this 21 day of May, 2024, before me, the undersigned notary public,
 personally appeared Senator Paulino, personally known to me to be
 the person whose name is signed on this document in my presence.

[Signature]
 Notary Public Signature

Brandon S. Bell
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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

#2 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2142
(Bill Number)

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Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas J. Paolino
Senator Paolino (print name)
Senate District 175/21/24
Date

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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

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☒ 2024-S 2516
(Bill Number)

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Thomas J. Paolino
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5/21/24
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Senate District 17

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Senate Chamber

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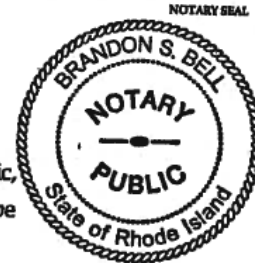
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Senate Chamber

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☒ 2024-S

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(Bill Number)

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Respectfully Submitted,

Thomas J. Padlino

 Senator Padlino (print name)
Senate District 17

Date

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NOTARY

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County of Providence

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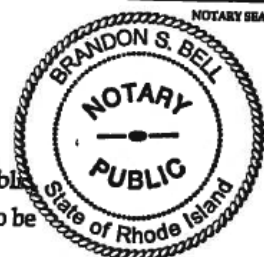
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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

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Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

#6 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2742
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 Senate District 17

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Senate Chamber

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17 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2743
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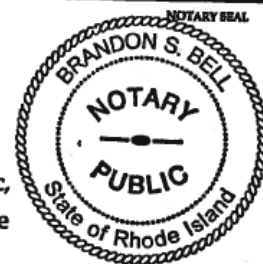
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Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

#8 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2805
 (Bill Number)

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9 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2807
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Senate Chamber

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Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

#10 ☐ 2024-H 2397
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Thomas J. Paulino
Senator Paulino (print name)
Senate District 175/21/24
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State of Rhode Island
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Senate Chamber

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Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

#11 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2618
 (Bill Number)

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 Senate District 17

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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

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Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2023-2024, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

212 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2719
(Bill Number)

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115 ☐ 2024-H
☒ 2024-S 2818
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Senate Chamber

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 (Bill Number)

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 Senate District 17

5/21/24
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Respectfully Submitted,

Handwritten signature of David P. Tikoian in blue ink.

Date 05/21/2024

Senator David P. Tikoian

Senate District 22

NOTARY

State of Rhode Island

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On this 21st day of May, 2024, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Senator David P. Tikoian, personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed on this document in my presence.

Handwritten signature of Helena S. Reid in blue ink.
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Appointment of Dr. Jerome M. Larkin, MD

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Respectfully Submitted,

Date 05/21/2024

Senator David P. Tikoian

Senate District 22

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Senator David P. Tikoian

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Senate Chamber

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Senate Chamber

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Senate Chamber

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Senate Chamber

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☒ 2024-S 2805

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☒ 2024-S 2618

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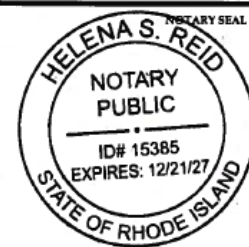
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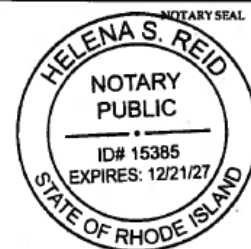
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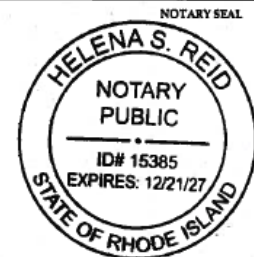
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☒ 2024-S 2872

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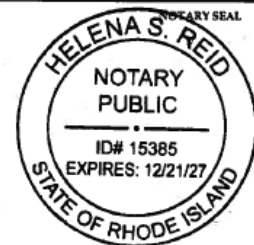
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☐ 2024-H 7471

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Respectfully Submitted,

Dominick J. Ruggerio
 Senator Dominick J. Ruggerio
 Senate District 4

Date 05/21/2024

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Appointment of Dr. Jerome M. Larkin, MD

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Senator Dominick J. Ruggerio

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Senator Dominick J. Ruggerio

Senate District 4

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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

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☒ 2024-S 2742

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Senate Chamber

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☒ 2024-S 2743

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☐ 2024-H

☒ 2024-S 2805

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☒ 2024-S 2807

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☒ 2024-S 2397

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☒ 2024-S 2618

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☒ 2024-S 2719

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☒ 2024-S 2816 SubA

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☒ 2024-S 2872

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☒ 2024-H 7471

☐ 2024-S

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