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Forty-Third Legislative Day

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by The Honorable Valarie J. Lawson, President of the Senate, at 4:11 o'clock P.M.

ROLL CALL

The roll is called and a quorum is declared present with 38 Senators present and 0 Senator absent as follows:

PRESENT –38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

ABSENT – 0:

INVOCATION

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

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

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

APPROVAL OF RECORD

The Senate Journal of the Forty-Second of the 2026 proceedings is read in part.

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

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026:**

1. ***The Appointment of Nicholas Insana VICE Edward Owens to the Fire Education and Training Coordinating Board for a term expiring January 31, 2029.***

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

2. **2026-H 7026 SUB A**
BY Read

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE NATHAN BRUNO AND JASON FLATT ACT

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

3. **2026-H 7064**
BY Shallcross Smith
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -- MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

Committee on Health & Human Services recommends passage in concurrence.

4. **2026-H 7071 SUB A**
BY Boylan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY -- PROTECTION OF TREES AND PLANTS GENERALLY -- RHODE ISLAND INVASIVE PLANT MANAGEMENT ACT

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

5. **2026-H 8025**
 BY Edwards
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
 TAXATION

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

6. **2026-H 7090**
 BY McNamara
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- PRIMARIES FOR ELECTION
 OF DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONVENTIONS AND FOR PRESIDENTIAL
 PREFERENCE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

7. **2026-H 7096**
 BY Furtado
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
 REGISTRATION FEES

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

8. **2026-H 7371**
 BY Shallcross Smith
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING
 ORDINANCES

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

9. **2026-H 8604 SUB A**
 BY Shallcross Smith
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX

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

10. **2026-H 8026 SUB A**
 BY Edwards
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
 TAXATION

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

11. 2026-H 8614**BY** Furtado**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION FEES

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

12. 2026-H 7242**BY** McGaw**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
TAXATION

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

13. 2026-H 7619**BY** Spears**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FISH AND WILDLIFE -- LICENSING

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

14. 2026-H 7673**BY** Cortvriend**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS --
MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL OF PROPERTY

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

15. 2026-H 8506**BY** Giraldo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RELATING TO
CENTRAL FALLS PENSION PLAN

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

16. 2026-H 8580**BY** Edwards**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE NORTH TIVERTON FIRE DISTRICT

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

17. 2026-H 7809**BY** Marszalkowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- STATE TAX OFFICIALS

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

18. 2026-H 7972 SUB A**BY** Shanley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- STATE PURCHASES

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

19. 2026-H 8094**BY** Dawson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MISCELLANEOUS RULES

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

20. 2026-H 8627**BY** Caldwell**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES

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

21. 2026-H 8171 SUB A**BY** Caldwell**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- FOOD-AS-MEDICINE PILOT PROGRAM

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

22. 2026-H 8253**BY** Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -- RETIREMENT SYSTEM -- CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS

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

23. 2026-H 8008 SUB A**BY** Speakman**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY CURRENT CONDOMINIUM LAW AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO TRANSPARENCY, ACCOUNTABILITY AND ONGOING AFFORDABILITY OF CONDOMINIUMS IN RHODE ISLAND

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

24. 2026-H 7576**BY** Kislak**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS -- ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

25. 2026-H 7424**BY** Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- COLLABORATIVE PHARMACY PRACTICE

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

Upon motion of Senator Ciccone, 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 – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Appendix**CALENDAR****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026:**

1. *The Reappointment of Erin Donovan-Boyle (Representative of Small Business) to the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for a term expiring February 1, 2030.*

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

Senator Britto moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Gallo, LaMountain, Mack, McKenney, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 members voting in the affirmative, and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Bell, and Quezada.

2. *The Reappointment of Brenda Dann-Messier (Representative of Higher Education) to the Rhode Island Commerce Corporation for a term expiring February 1, 2030.*

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

Senator Britto moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Murray, Paolino, Sosnowski, Thompson, Urso, Valverde, Zurier.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 members voting in the affirmative, and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Bell, and Quezada.

3. *The Appointment of Farouk Rajab VICE Dale Venturini to the Rhode Island Convention Center Authority for a term expiring June 30, 2030.*

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

Senator Britto moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative, and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Quezada.

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Britto and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Farouk Rajab.

4. *The Appointment of Melissa Travis VICE Thomas Magliocchetti to the Energy Efficiency and Resource Management Council for a term expiring April 1, 2031.*

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

Senator Sosnowski moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Raptakis, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 36 members voting in the affirmative, and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Bell, and Pearson.

5. *Appointment of Michelle Reddish VICE Kimberly R. Ahern to the Rhode Island Cannabis Control Commission for a term expiring May 17, 2032.*

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

Senator LaMountain moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, Euer, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative, and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator LaMountain and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Michelle Reddish.

6. ***The Reappointment of Robert B. Jacquard to the Rhode Island Cannabis Control Commission for a term expiring May 17, 2032.***

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

Senator LaMountain moves that the advice and consent of the Senate be given this appointment, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Zurier.

The advice and consent of the Senate is given, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative, and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Upon suggestion of Senator Gallo and by unanimous consent, the Honorable President, welcomes to the Chamber Robert B. Jacquard.

7. **2026-S 3334**
BY DiPalma
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIFE SCIENCE HUB ACT

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage.

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, Famiglietti, Felag, Murray, Sosnowski, Vargas, Zurier.

Senator DiPalma offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2026 -- S 3334

AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIFE SCIENCE HUB
ACT

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 3334, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIFE SCIENCE HUB ACT", as follows:

1. On page 5, line 17, by deleting the language "Sections 42-64.14-6, 42-64.14-7, 42-64.14-13, 42-64.14-15 and 42-64.14-21", and by inserting in place thereof the language "Section 42-64.14-6".

2. On page 5, line 18, by deleting the language "are" and by inserting in place thereof the language "is".

3. On page 8, line 9, through page 11, line 31, by deleting all language therein.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator DiPalma

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative, 0 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

8. 2026-S 2678

BY Britto

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TEACHERS' RETIREMENT

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian.

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 and 1 abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 37: Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

ABSTAINED-1: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson.

9. 2026-S 2365 SUB A

BY Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX

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

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

10. 2026-S 3327 SUB A

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

11. 2026-S 2841**BY** Lauria**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

12. 2026-S 2834 SUB A**BY** Valverde**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- MATERNAL AND
CHILD HEALTH SERVICES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTH CARE NEEDS --
EARLY INTERVENTION EXTENSION--BRIDGE TO PRESCHOOLCommittee on Finance recommends indefinite postponement of the original bill and passage of
Substitute A.

Senator Valverde moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

13. 2026-S 2829 SUB A**BY** Murray**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES

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

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

14. 2026-S 2828 SUB A**BY** Murray**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- THE RHODE ISLAND
WORKS PROGRAM

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

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

Senator Murray offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2026 -- S 2828 SUBSTITUTE A****AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- THE RHODE ISLAND WORKS
PROGRAM**

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 2828 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- THE RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 1, by deleting the language ", 40-5.2-20".
2. On page 10, lines 2 through 34, by deleting all of the language appearing on those lines.
3. On page 11, lines 1 through 34, by deleting all of the language appearing on those lines.
4. On page 12 lines 1 through 31, by deleting all of the language appearing on those lines.
5. On page 13, lines 14 and 15, by deleting the language ", except for the provisions of § 405.2-20(c) which shall take effect July 1, 2026".

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Murray

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative, 0 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, Vargas.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

15. 2026-S 2823 SUB A

BY Vargas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX

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

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

16. 2026-S 2676

BY Urso

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$150,000 TO THE MAIN STREET RHODE ISLAND PROGRAM

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator Urso moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Vargas.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

17. 2026-S 2667 SUB A

BY Vargas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- THE RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM--RHODE ISLAND CHILD CARE IS ESSENTIAL ACT

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

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

Senator Vargas offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2026 -- S 2667 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- THE RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM--RHODE ISLAND CHILD
CARE IS ESSENTIAL ACT

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 2667 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES --
THE RHODE ISLAND WORKS PROGRAM--RHODE ISLAND CHILD CARE IS ESSENTIAL ACT", as follows:

1. On page 1, line 1, by deleting the language "Sections 40-5.2-20 and 40-5.2-35", and by inserting the language "Section 40-5.2-20".
2. On page 1, line 2, by deleting the word "are", and by inserting the word "is".
3. On page 2, lines 16 through 19, by deleting all the language thereon.
4. On page 2, line 20, by restoring "~~(e)~~", and by deleting "[\(d\)](#)".
5. On page 2, line 32, by restoring "~~(d)~~", and by deleting "[\(e\)](#)".
6. On page 3, line 4, by restoring "~~(e)~~", and by deleting "[\(f\)](#)".
7. On page 3, line 8, by restoring "~~(f)~~", and by deleting "[\(g\)](#)".
8. On page 3, line 22, by restoring "~~(g)~~", and by deleting "[\(h\)](#)".
9. On page 3, line 25, by restoring "~~(h)~~", and by deleting "[\(i\)](#)".
10. On page 3, line 29, by restoring "~~(i)~~", and by deleting "[\(j\)](#)".
11. On page 3, line 31, by restoring "~~(j)~~", and by deleting "[\(k\)](#)".
12. On page 4, line 2, by restoring "~~(k)~~", and by deleting "[\(l\)](#)".
13. On page 4, lines 15 through 30, by deleting all the language thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Vargas

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative, 3 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 35: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 3: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Rogers.

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 34 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 4 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

18. 2026-S 2555 SUB A

BY McKenney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE SUPPORT AND ACCESS TO BILINGUAL EDUCATION ACT

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

Senator McKenney moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Burke, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Gallo, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

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 2 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Morgan, Rogers.

19. 2026-S 2045 SUB A

BY Kallman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT

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

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

Senator Kallman offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2026 -- S 2045 SUBSTITUTE A

AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 2045 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT", as follows:

1. On page 2, lines 1 through 7, by deleting all language therein, and by inserting in place thereof the language:

"(3) "Family or household member" shall have the same meaning as set forth in § 12-29-2."

2. On page 2, line 13, by deleting the language "covered individual", and by inserting in place thereof the language:

"person duly and in good faith attending a court proceeding in which such person is a party or potential witness, or in which a family or household member is a party or potential witness."

3. On page 2, line 13, after the language "[while](#)", by deleting the language ":",
4. On page 2, lines 14 through 21, by deleting all language therein and by inserting in place thereof the language:

["going to, remaining at, and returning from the place of such court proceeding, unless such civil arrest is supported by a judicial warrant or judicial order authorizing such civil arrest, including body attachments and material witness warrants."](#)
5. On page 2, line 22, by deleting the language "[\(d\) It may be punishable as contempt of court](#)", and by inserting in place thereof the language "[\(b\) It may constitute contempt of court and false imprisonment](#)".
6. On page 3, line 8, by deleting the language "[and rulemaking](#)".
7. On page 3, line 9, by deleting the language "[\(a\)](#)".
8. On page 3, between lines 12 and 13, by inserting the language "[12-34-7. Courthouse arrest procedures; rulemaking.](#)"
9. On page 3, line 13, by deleting the language "[\(b\)](#)".
10. On page 3, lines 14 and 15, by deleting the language "[including, but not limited to,](#)" and by inserting in place thereof the language "[to ensure](#)".
11. On page 3, line 19, by deleting the language ":" and by inserting in place thereof the language ":"
12. On page 3, line 21, by deleting the language ":" and by inserting in place thereof the language ":"
13. On page 3, line 23, by deleting the language ":" and by inserting in place thereof the language "[, including body attachments and material witness warrants.](#)"
14. On page 3, line 25, by deleting the language "[; or](#)" and by inserting in place thereof the

language "[, including body attachments and material witness warrants.](#)"

15. On page 3, line 28, by deleting the language "[12-34-7.](#)" and by inserting in place thereof the language "[12-34-8.](#)"

16. On page 3, line 32, by deleting the language "[12-34-8.](#)" and by inserting in place thereof the language "[12-34-9.](#)"

17. On page 3, lines 33 and 34, by deleting the language "The provisions of this chapter shall be liberally construed to promote access to the courts and participation in judicial proceedings."

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Kallman

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative, 5 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Quezada, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis.

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Acosta, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Lauria, Mack, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 6 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo,

Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, Rogers.

20. 2026-S 2722

BY Vargas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE --
PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- CAUSES OF ACTION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

21. 2026-S 2733 SUB A

BY Dimitri

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST

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

Senator Dimitri moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 25 members voting in the affirmative and 13 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 25: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso,

NAYS – 13: Senators Acosta, Bell, DiMario, Euer, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, Mack, Quezada, Ujifusa, Valverde, Vargas, and Zurier.

22. 2026-S 2940 SUB A

BY Vargas

ENTITLED, SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR JUVENILE HEARING BOARDS

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

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Zurier.

Senator Vargas offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT

TO

2026 -- S 2940 SUBSTITUTE A

SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND
PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR JUVENILE HEARING BOARDS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 2940 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled “SENATE RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR JUVENILE HEARING BOARDS”, as follows:

1. On page 1, line 2, by deleting the language "at least seventeen (17) but no more than".

2. On page 1, lines 11 and 12, by deleting the language "no less than three (3), but up to five (5) current members of a Juvenile Hearing Board, preferably from the cities of Central Falls, Pawtucket, Cranston, or Providence to be appointed by the President of the Senate; and one of whom shall be a representative from SEIU Local #580 to be appointed by the president of SEIU Local #580" and inserting the language "and six (6) current members or coordinators of an existing Juvenile Hearing Board to be appointed by the President of the Senate".

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Vargas

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative, 0 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Gu, Lauria, Mack, Murray, Sosnowski, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 38 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 0 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

23. 2026-S 2958 SUB A**BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

24. 2026-S 3290 SUB A**BY** LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT

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

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

ABSTAINED-1: Senator Bissaillon.

25. 2026-S 3361**BY** LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

Senator LaMounatin offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2026 -- S 3361****AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE**

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 3361, entitled “AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE”, as follows:

1. On page 2, line 5, by deleting the language “[/or](#)”.
2. On page 3, lines 8 and 9, by deleting the language “nine (9) months” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.
3. On page 3, line 10, by deleting the language “nine-month (9)” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.
4. On page 3, line 14, by deleting the language “nine (9) months” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.
5. On page 3, line 24, by deleting the language “nine (9) months” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator LaMountain

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 35 Senators voting in the affirmative, 2 Senator voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 35: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Morgan, and Paolino.

ABTAINED-1: Senator Pearson.

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 32 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 5 Senator voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senator de la Cruz, Euer, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

ABTAINED-1: Senator Pearson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Senator Tikoian would like to wish a Happy Birthday to Kristen Silvia, Deputy Chief of Staff/Director of Legislation.

Senator de la Cruz would like to wish a Happy Birthday to Brandon S. Bell, Senate Minority Leader Chief of Staff.

26. 2026-S 3365**BY Gallo****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MOTOR VEHICLE APPRAISAL PROVISION**

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage.

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 33 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

27. 2026-S 2330 SUB A**BY Britto****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION AND TITLING**

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Gu, Lauria, McKenney, Sosnowski, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

28. 2026-S 2506 SUB A

BY Sosnowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- SANITATION IN FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Tikoian, Urso, and Vargas.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

29. 2026-S 3362

BY Quezada

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

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Quezada moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Vargas.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

30. 2026-S 3366

BY Felag

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

Committee on Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs recommends passage.

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

31. 2026-H 7030 SUB B

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- HEALTHCARE
WORKER PLATFORM ACT

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 35 members voting in the affirmative and 3 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 35: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 3: Senators Bell, de la Cruz, and Morgan.

32. 2026-H 7538 SUB A

BY Tanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE BY HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS NOTIFICATION ACT

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

Senator Lauria moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

33. 2026-H 8005 SUB A**BY** Giraldo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING ORDINANCES

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

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 35 members voting in the affirmative and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 35: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan.

34. 2026-H 8046**BY** Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE-- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- FEES

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Mack, McKenney, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas.

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 Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

35. 2026-S 3262 as amended**BY** de la Cruz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION -- GLOCESTER -- EXEMPTION OF ELDERLY AND DISABLED PERSONS

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

Senator de la Cruz moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, 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 Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

36. 2026-H 8436 as amended**BY** Chippendale**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION -- GLOCESTER -- EXEMPTION OF ELDERLY AND DISABLED PERSONS

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

Senator de la Cruz moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Patalano, Rogers, Sosnowski, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, 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 Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

37. 2026-H 8435**BY** Azzinaro**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Famiglietti, Felag, McKenney, Patalano, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

38. 2026-S 3080 SUB B**BY** Britto**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK AND JOBS ACT

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

39. 2026-H 7879 SUB A**BY** Cortvriend**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS --
THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK AND JOBS ACT

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

40. 2026-H 7625 SUB A**BY** Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- DEPARTMENT
OF HEALTH

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

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 34 members voting in the affirmative and 4 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

41. 2026-H 7079 SUB A**BY** Craven**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE --
EXPUNGEMENT OF CRIMINAL RECORDS

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 35 members voting in the affirmative and 3 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 35: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Quezada, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 3: Senators Morgan, Patalano, Raptakis.

42. 2026-H 8605 SUB A**BY** Abney**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PAY
CERTAIN CLAIMS

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

43. 2026-H 8527**BY** Cotter

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SERVING THE TOWNS OF CHARLESTOWN, RICHMOND AND HOPKINTON, CONSISTING OF ONE OR MORE BUILDINGS ON A SINGLE CAMPUS, AND IMPROVEMENTS AT THE SWITCH ROAD CAMPUS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, COSTS OF LAND ACQUISITION, DEMOLITION, DESIGN, HEALTH AND SAFETY PROJECTS, PLAYGROUNDS, LANDSCAPING, PAVING, AND ALL EXPENSES INCIDENTAL THERETO, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$116,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING AID AT A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OR STATE SHARE RATIO OF NOT LESS THAN 61% AT THE TIME OF ISSUANCE, WHICH RATE OR RATIO MAY INCREASE TO 65% AT PROJECT COMPLETION

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Morgan.

44. 2026-H 7866**BY** Baginski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- UNFAIR CLAIMS SETTLEMENT PRACTICES ACT

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

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 33 members voting in the affirmative and 5 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, and Rogers.

45. 2026-H 7923 SUB A

BY Dawson

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

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

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Patalano.

46. 2026-H 8501

BY Blazejewski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTES AND STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, seconded by Acosta, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

47. 2026-H 7377 SUB A

BY Carson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- LOCAL CANVASSING
AUTHORITIES

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Patalano, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

48. 2026-S 3185 SUB A

BY de la Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM
MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS

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

Senator de la Cruz moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

49. 2026-H 8028 SUB A

BY Place

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM
MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS**

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

Senator de la Cruz moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

50. 2026-S 3169 SUB A as amended**BY** Tikoian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES -- CASEY'S LAW

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

Senator Tikoian moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Bell.

51. 2026-H 8384 SUB A**BY** Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES -- CASEY'S LAW

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

Senator Tikoian moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Bell.

52. 2026-S 3060 SUB B as amended**BY** Appollonio**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS ACT

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

Senator Appollonio moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

53. 2026-H 8579 SUB A as amended**BY** Spears**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS ACT

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

Senator Appollonio moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Paolino, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, as amended, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

54. 2026-S 2929 SUB A**BY** Burke**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

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

Senator Burke moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas,

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

55. 2026-H 7962 SUB A**BY** McEntee**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
EMPLOYMENT SECURITY

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

Senator Burke moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Patalano, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

56. 2026-S 2912 SUB A as amended**BY** Bissaillon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Mack, Paolino, Patalano, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

57. 2026-H 8101 SUB A as amended**BY** Speakman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Morgan, Murray, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

58. 2026-S 2334 SUB B**BY** Gallo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- RHODE ISLAND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTING

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

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

59. 2026-H 7495 SUB A**BY** Boylan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- RHODE ISLAND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTING

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

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

60. 2026-S 2342 SUB B**BY** Lawson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
RESTRICTIONS ON SELF-SERVICE CHECKOUT STATIONS ACT

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 32 members voting in the affirmative and 6 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, Rogers, and Ujifusa.

61. 2026-H 7290 SUB A**BY** Cotter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --
RESTRICTIONS ON SELF-SERVICE CHECKOUT STATIONS ACT

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 32 members voting in the affirmative and 6 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, Rogers, Ujifusa.

62. 2026-S 2292 SUB A**BY** DiPalma**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISARMING A PEACE OFFICER

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 33 members voting in the affirmative and 5 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senators Acosta, Bell, Kallman, Mack, and Quezada.

63. 2026-H 7753 SUB A**BY** Read**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISARMING A PEACE OFFICER

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

Senator DiPalma moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, Famiglietti, Felag, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 33 members voting in the affirmative and 5 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senators Acosta, Bell, Kallman, Mack, and Quezada.

64. 2026-S 2650 as amended**BY** Ciccone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COUNCIL ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Kallman, LaMountain, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 34 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

65. 2026-H 8252 as amended**BY** Diaz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COUNCIL ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Kallman, Mack, Patalano, Quezada, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 34 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

66. 2026-S 2047 SUB A**BY** Acosta**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GENERAL PROVISIONS

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

Senator Acosta moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 32 members voting in the affirmative and 6 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, Rogers, and Thompson.

67. 2026-H 7198 SUB A**BY** Felix**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GENERAL PROVISIONS

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

Senator Acosta moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 32 members voting in the affirmative and 6 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, Rogers, and Thompson.

68. 2026-S 3059 SUB B**BY** Britto**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY FREEDOM OF CHOICE--FAIR COMPETITION AND PRACTICES

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, McKenney, Murray, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissailon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

69. 2026-H 8582 SUB A**BY** Caldwell**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY FREEDOM OF CHOICE--FAIR COMPETITION AND PRACTICES

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissailon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

70. 2026-H 8155**BY** Diaz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION

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

Senator Vargas moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

71. 2026-H 8004 SUB A**BY** Craven**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE-- COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Sosnowski, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 22 members voting in the affirmative and 16 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 22: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Sosnowski, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 16: Senators de la Cruz, DiMario, Euer, Felag, Lauria, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, Rogers, Quezada, Pearson, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, and Valverde.

72. 2026-H 8400 SUB A**BY** Casimiro**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

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

Senator Valverde moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, and Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 29 members voting in the affirmative and 9 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 29: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Ciccone, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 9: Senators Burke, de la Cruz, Dimitri, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Rogers, and Thompson.

73. 2026-H 7683**BY** McEntee**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TEACHERS' RETIREMENT

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

Senator Britto moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative and 1 member abstained as follows:

YEAS – 37: Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

ABSTAINED-1: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson.

74. 2026-H 7606 SUB A as amended**BY** Carson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- LIBRARY EBOOK CONTRACTS

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

Senator McKenney moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, as amended, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

75. 2026-H 7585**BY** Voas**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION

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

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

76. 2026-H 7415 SUB A**BY** Messier**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHMENT OF
CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Patalano, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

Senator de la Cruz offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2026 -- H 7415 SUBSTITUTE A/2**

AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHMENT OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- H 7415 SUBSTITUTE A, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHMENT OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS", as follows:

1. On page 3, line 8, by deleting the language "[final](#)" and inserting in place thereof the language "[preliminary](#)".
2. On page 4, line 16, by deleting the language "[final](#)" and inserting in place thereof the language "[preliminary](#)".
3. On page 7, line 9, by deleting the language "[or final approval](#)".
4. On page 10, line 6, by deleting the language "[or final approval](#)".
5. On page 12, line 7, by deleting the language "[or final approval](#)".

Respectfully submitted,

Senator de la Cruz

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The motion to amend fails passage upon a roll call vote with 11 Senators voting in the affirmative, 26 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 11: Senators Acosta, Britto, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Lauria, Morgan, Paolino, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Valverde, Zurier.

NAYS – 26: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas.

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 6 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators Acosta, de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Quezada, and Rogers.

77. 2026-H 7865 SUB A

BY Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- WEATHER-RELATED LOSSES

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

Senator Sosnowski moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

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

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Bell.

78. 2026-H 7163

BY Donovan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- FOUNDATION LEVEL SCHOOL SUPPORT

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

Senator Bell moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Burke, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Murray, Paolino, Sosnowski, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 34 members voting in the affirmative and 4 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 34: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, and Rogers.

79. 2026-H 7183

BY Kislak

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- BUILDING BENCHMARKING AND REPORTING ACT OF 2026

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

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Britto, Burke, DiMario, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 32 members voting in the affirmative and 5 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 32: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, and Rogers.

80. 2026-H 7020

BY J. Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
VETERINARY PRACTICE

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

Senator Thompson moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, Sosnowski, Thompson, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 29 members voting in the affirmative and 9 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 29: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, and Zurier.

NAYS – 9: Senators de la Cruz, DiMario, Euer, Morgan, Paolino, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, and Valverde.

81. 2026-H 7202

BY Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE --
PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- CAUSES OF ACTION -- THE RHODE ISLAND
FEDERAL CONSTITUTION DEFENSE ACT

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 31 members voting in the affirmative and 7 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 7: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, and Rogers.

82. 2026-H 7477 SUB A

BY Voas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- UNIFORM PARTNERSHIP ACT -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT

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

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Britto, Burke, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Pearson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 36 members voting in the affirmative and 2 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 2: Senators Bell, Quezada.

83. 2026-H 7434 SUB A

BY Giraldo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Britto, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, McKenney, Murray, Rogers, Sosnowski, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 31 members voting in the affirmative and 7 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Quezada, Pearson, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 7: Senators Appollonio, de la Cruz, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, Rogers, and Sosnowski.

THE SENATE STANDS IN RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Tikoian, seconded by Senate Majority Leader Ciccone the Senate stands in recess at 6:33 o'clock P.M.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A message from the House of Representatives transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

House Bill No. 7654

BY Dawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE (Allows for sending of the notice under power of sale and rights of active military servicemembers by USPS First Class Mail and/or an overnight delivery service, instead of by USPS certified mail return receipt requested.)
{LC5019/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2704 SUB A

BY Gu, Bissaillon, McKenney, Murray, Burke, Mack, DiMario, Kallman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS --

ACQUISITION OF LAND (Provides that cities or towns may, by ordinance, designate "special ways" throughout the city or town which would be subject to alternative regulations to preserve its cultural, historic or scenic character.)
{LC5503/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 3184 SUB B**BY** Ciccone, Burke, Famiglietti, Raptakis, Tikoian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- NURSES

(Provides and clarify procedures for the administration of deep sedation and general anesthesia by certain types of nurses.)

{LC6266/B/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 7740 SUB A**BY** McNamara, Corvese, Chippendale**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- NURSES

(Provides and clarifies procedures for the administration of deep sedation and general anesthesia by certain types of nurses.)

{LC5183/A/2}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 2734 SUB B**BY** Gu, Bissaillon, DiMario, Euer, Burke, Murray, Kallman, LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT (Requires owners or landlords who rent shoreline property to provide their tenants, before the start of the tenancy, with a detailed, written disclosure regarding public shoreline access rights.)

{LC4471/B/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 8110 SUB A**BY** Cortvriend, Kazarian, Spears, McGaw**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT (Requires owners or landlords who rent shoreline property to provide their tenants, before the start of the tenancy, with a detailed, written disclosure regarding public shoreline access rights.)

{LC5380/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 3066 SUB B as amended**BY** Lawson, Murray, Ciccone, Tikoian, LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- CHILDREN'S MOBILE RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION SERVICES (Establishes a statewide mobile response and stabilization services program to provide rapid crisis response and short-term stabilization for children and youth in their natural environments.)
{LC6098/B/2}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 8180 SUB A as amended**BY** Casimiro, Tanzi, Donovan, Spears, Potter, Alzate, Stewart, McGaw, Shallcross Smith**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- CHILDREN'S MOBILE RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION SERVICES (Establishes a statewide mobile response and stabilization services program to provide rapid crisis response and short-term stabilization for children and youth in their natural environments.)
{LC5248/A/2}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Resolution No. 8351 SUB A as amended**BY** McNamara, Cortvriend, Ackerman, Tanzi, Kislak, Ajello, Furtado, Brien, Sanchez, Phillips**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY RHODE ISLAND'S EDUCATION FUNDING FORMULA AND EDUCATION FINANCE SYSTEM (Creates a special joint legislative commission to make a comprehensive study of Rhode Island's education funding formula and education finance system.)
{LC6182/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 3000 SUB B**BY** Lauria, DiMario, Tikoian, Valverde, Murray, Vargas, Ujifusa, Mack, Acosta, Kallman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES (Requires licensed retailers authorized to sell intoxicating beverages to provide a lid to a consumer upon request.)
{LC5090/B/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 7975 SUB A**BY** Speakman, Spears, Boylan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(Requires licensed retailers authorized to sell intoxicating beverages to provide a lid to a consumer upon request.)

{LC5547/A/2}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 8463 SUB A**BY** Read, Noret, Brien, Chippendale, Casey, Corvese, O'Brien, Fascia, Santucci, Cotter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST (Makes it

unlawful for a person in the custody of the department of corrections to use any force or weapon to resist a lawful request or directive.)

{LC6330/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 3316 SUB A as amended**BY** Rogers, de la Cruz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT REGARDING MOTIONS AT THE TOWN OF SCITUATE ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING (Amends a public law regarding the fixing of time for the election of officers in the town of Scituate by requiring prior notice and posting of motions to be made from the floor at the annual financial town meeting of the town of Scituate.)

{LC6497/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 8546 as amended**BY** Quattrocchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT REGARDING MOTIONS AT THE TOWN OF SCITUATE ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING (Amends a public law regarding the fixing of time for the election of officers at the town of Scituate's annual financial town meeting.)

{LC6458/1}

Placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 7630 SUB A**BY** Tanzi, Ajello, Spears, Boylan, Donovan, Carson, Cotter, Shanley, Felix, McGaw**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS

INSURANCE POLICIES (Requires that reimbursement rates for licensed mobile response and stabilization services be equal to or greater than the prevailing integrated state Medicaid rate for mobile response and stabilizations services as established by EOHHS.)

{LC5129/A/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8529 SUB A**BY** Baginski, Slater**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE RHODE ISLAND

LIFE SCIENCE HUB ACT (Amends the compositions of the Rhode Island life science hub

board of directors and amends the I-195 redevelopment district commission and provides

additional amendments to the powers and duties of the commission.)

{LC6426/A/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8483**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(Allows for the issuance of a Class BV license for the property located at 1814 Broad Street in the city of Cranston.)

{LC6394/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8620**BY** Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE

REPAIR, CONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF STORM DRAINS AND

DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS, AND THE REMEDIATION AND MITIGATION OF

DRAINAGE AND FLOODING PROBLEMS, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN

\$4,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes

Cranston to issue not more than \$4,000,000 general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the repair, construction and rehabilitation of storm drains and drainage improvements, and

remediation and mitigation of drainage and flooding problems.)

{LC6567/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8621

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, DEMOLITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR, ALTERATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes Cranston to issue not more than \$2,000,000 general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the acquisition, demolition, construction, improvement, renovation, repair, alteration, furnishing and equipping of public buildings in the city.)
{LC6570/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8622

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR AND ALTERATION OF PLAYGROUNDS, ATHLETIC FIELDS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT IN THE CITY BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes the city of Cranston to issue not more than \$4,000,000 general obligation bonds/temporary notes for the acquisition, construction, improvement, renovation, repair and alteration of playgrounds, athletic fields and related equipment in the city.)
{LC6571/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8623

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND BRIDGES IN THE CITY INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PAVING, DRAINAGE, TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES, ROAD MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT, SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AND LANDSCAPING AND ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes the city of Cranston to issue not more than \$8,000,000 general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the design, construction, repair, rehabilitation and improvement of streets, sidewalks and bridges in the city.)
{LC6572/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8624

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION AND REPAIR OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes the city of Cranston to issue not more than Eight Million Dollars (\$8,000,000) general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the acquisition, improvement, renovation and repair of fire and public safety equipment in the city.)
{LC6574/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8625

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE AND/OR ACQUISITION OF LAND AND BUILDINGS, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE CITY (Authorizes Cranston to issue no more \$25,000,000 obligation bonds, notes, evidences of indebtedness to finance the purchase and/or acquisition of land/buildings, construction, renovation, improvement, alteration, repair, landscaping, furnishing, equipping)
{LC6573/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 8069 SUB A

BY Donovan, Boylan, Tanzi, Alzate, Speakman, Cortvriend, Casimiro, Cruz, Furtado, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS (Requires shooting ranges to post signs in any area in which shooting occurs that contain the following language: "WARNING: If you or a loved one is experiencing distress and/or depression, call the 988 Suicide and Crisis hotline or text "HOME" to 741741".)
{LC5207/A/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

House Bill No. 7452 SUB A**BY** Craven, DeSimone, Casimiro, O'Brien, Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION AND TITLING (Permits the implementation of a system of electronic registration and titling of motor vehicles, by the DMV and would require that rules and regulations to implement the provisions of this chapter, would be promulgated by the administrator of the DMV.)
{LC4649/A/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar.

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Honorable Valarie J. Lawson, President of the Senate, on Thursday, June 11th at 8:33 o'clock P.M

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR II****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026:****1. 2026-H 7630 SUB A****BY** Tanzi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES

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

2. 2026-H 8529 SUB A**BY** Baginski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIFE SCIENCE HUB ACT

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

3. 2026-H 8483**BY** McNamara

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

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

4. 2026-H 8620**BY** Paplauskas

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE REPAIR, CONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF STORM DRAINS AND DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS, AND THE REMEDIATION AND MITIGATION OF DRAINAGE AND FLOODING PROBLEMS, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

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

5. 2026-H 8621**BY** Paplauskas

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, DEMOLITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR, ALTERATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

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

6. 2026-H 8622**BY** Paplauskas

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR AND ALTERATION OF PLAYGROUNDS, ATHLETIC FIELDS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT IN THE CITY BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

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

7. 2026-H 8623**BY** Paplauskas

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND BRIDGES IN THE CITY INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PAVING, DRAINAGE, TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES, ROAD MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT, SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AND LANDSCAPING AND ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

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

8. 2026-H 8624**BY** Paplauskas

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION AND REPAIR OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR

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

9. 2026-H 8625**BY** Paplauskas

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE AND/OR ACQUISITION OF LAND AND BUILDINGS, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE CITY

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

10. 2026-H 8069 SUB A**BY** Donovan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS

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

11. 2026-H 7452 SUB A**BY** Craven

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

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

Upon motion of Senator Tikoian, 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 – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Appendix

CALENDAR II

IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026:

1. **2026-H 7654**
BY Dawson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE
AND SALE

Committee on Judiciary recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, seconded by Bell, Britto, Dimitri, Dipalma, Felag, Thompson, and Urso.

Senator LaMountain offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2026 -- H 7654**

AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- H 7654, entitled “AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE”, as follows:

1. On page 2, line 5, by deleting the language “[/or](#)”.
2. On page 3, lines 8 and 9, by deleting the language “nine (9) months” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.
3. On page 3, line 10, by deleting the language “nine-month (9)” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.
4. On page 3, line 14, by deleting the language “nine (9) months” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.

5. On page 3, line 24, by deleting the language “nine (9) months” and inserting in place thereof the language “[one year](#)”.

Respectfully submitted,

Senator LaMountain

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 33 Senators voting in the affirmative, 4 Senator voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 4: Senators de la Cruz, Euer, Morgan, and Paolino.

ABSTAINED-1: Senator Pearson.

Senator LaMountain moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, DiMario, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, Lauria, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 6 Senators voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Euer, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, and Rogers.

ABSTAINED-1: Senator Pearson.

RECONSIDERATION**House Bill No. 7654 as amended****BY** Dawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE AND SALE (Allows for sending of the notice under power of sale and rights of active military servicemembers by USPS First Class Mail and/or an overnight delivery service, instead of by USPS certified mail return receipt requested.)
{LC5019/1}

Senator Kallman requests reconsideration.

Unanimous consent for reconsideration is granted.

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Lauria, Mack, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

Senator Kallman offers the following written motion to amend:

FLOOR AMENDMENT**TO****2026 -- S 2045 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED****AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT**

Madam President:

I hereby move to amend 2026 -- S 2045 SUBSTITUTE A, AS AMENDED, entitled "AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT", as follows:

1. On page 3, line 13, by deleting the language ", including body attachments and material witness warrants".

Respectfully submitted,

Senator Kallman

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The motion to amend prevails upon a roll call vote with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative, 6 Senator voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Quezada, Pearson, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, and Rogers.

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, as amended, seconded by Senators The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bissaillon, Britto, DiMario, Euer, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Pearson, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, as amended, upon a roll call vote, with 31 Senators voting in the affirmative, and 6 Senators voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Quezada, Pearson, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, and Rogers.

2. 2026-S 2704 SUB A

BY Gu

**ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS --
ACQUISITION OF LAND**

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

3. 2026-S 3184 SUB B**BY** Ciccone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
NURSES

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, LaMountain, Murray, Tikoian, Urso.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

4. 2026-H 7740 SUB A**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS --
NURSES

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

Senator Ciccone moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, LaMountain, Murray, Rogers, Tikoian, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

5. 2026-S 2734 SUB B**BY** Gu**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, DiPalma, LaMountain, Urso, and Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Morgan.

6. 2026-H 8110 SUB A**BY** Cortvriend**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT

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

Senator Gu moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Morgan.

7. 2026-S 3066 SUB B as amended**BY** Lawson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
CHILDREN'S MOBILE RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION SERVICES

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

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, and Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “B” as amended is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

8. 2026-H 8180 SUB A as amended**BY** Casimiro**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
CHILDREN'S MOBILE RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION SERVICES

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

Senator Murray moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, LaMountain, Lauria, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

9. 2026-H 8351 SUB A as amended**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY RHODE ISLAND'S EDUCATION FUNDING FORMULA AND EDUCATION FINANCE SYSTEM

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

Senator Gallo moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, and Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 37:, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

ABSTAINED-1: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson.

10. 2026-S 3000 SUB B**BY** Lauria**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

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

Senator Lauria moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Burke, DiMario, Gu, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Morgan.

11. 2026-H 7975 SUB A**BY** Speakman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

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

Senator Lauria moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Pearson, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 37 members voting in the affirmative and 1 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 37: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 1: Senator Morgan.

12. 2026-H 8463 SUB A**BY** Read**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST

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

Senator Dimitri moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Appollonio, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, LaMountain, Lauria, Murray, Pearson, Rogers, Tikoian.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 25 members voting in the affirmative and 13 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 25: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, LaMountain, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso.

NAYS – 13: Senators Acosta, Bell, DiMario, Euer, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, Mack, Quezada, Ujifusa, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

13. 2026-S 3316 SUB A as amended**BY** Rogers**ENTITLED**, AN ACT REGARDING MOTIONS AT THE TOWN OF SCITUATE
ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING

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

Senator Rogers moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Bell, Bissaillon, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Felag, Gallo, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Tikoian, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

14. 2026-H 8546 as amended**BY** Quattrocchi**ENTITLED**, AN ACT REGARDING MOTIONS AT THE TOWN OF SCITUATE
ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING

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

Senator Rogers moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

THE SENATE STANDS IN RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Tikoian, seconded by Senate Majority Leader Ciccone the Senate stands in recess at 8:58 o'clock P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by the Honorable Valarie J. Lawson, President of the Senate, on Thursday, June 11th at 9:54 o'clock P.M

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Chairman DiPalma, from the Committee on Finance, reports back, with recommendation of passage of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 2452

BY DiMario, Acosta, Britto, Zurier, Mack, McKenney, Gallo, Valverde, Murray, Bell
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- BUILDING OPPORTUNITIES IN OUT-OF-SCHOOL TIME (Provides \$100,000 to support the mental health and emotional well-being of children in OST settings.)
{LC4834/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

Senate Bill No. 3152

BY Patalano, Ciccone, Burke, Thompson, LaMountain, Dimitri, DiPalma, Gallo, Raptakis, Appollonio
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- STATE POLICE (Amends the pension benefits for both current and former Rhode Island State Police members.)
{LC5846/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSING AND MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

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

House Bill No. 7046

BY Donovan, Speakman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blithewold, Inc., located at 101 Ferry Road, Bristol, Rhode Island.)
{LC3146/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 7373

BY Felix, Stewart, Shallcross Smith, Messier, Cruz, Tanzi, Furtado, Kazarian, Spears, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blackstone Valley Advocacy Center located in the city of Pawtucket.)
{LC4487/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

Senate Bill No. 3370

BY Mack, Bissaillon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Amos House, provided it remains a qualified tax-exempt corporation pursuant to § 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code.)
{LC6586/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A message from the House of Representatives transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

Senate Bill No. 2036 SUB A as amended

BY Ujifusa, Felag, Lauria

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blithewold, Inc., located at 101 Ferry Road, Bristol, Rhode Island. Effective retroactively to 12/31/2025.)
{LC3148/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

Senate Bill No. 2123 SUB B**BY** Urso, Kallman, Britto, Acosta

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blackstone Valley Advocacy Center located in the city of Pawtucket. Effective retroactively to December 31, 2025 and affects next levy issued by the city or town where property is located.)
{LC3218/B/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 8484**BY** Casimiro, Alzate, Stewart, Kazarian, Giraldo, Voas, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Amos House, provided it remains a qualified tax-exempt corporation pursuant to § 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code.)
{LC6340/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 8040 SUB A as amended**BY** Speakman, Edwards, Giraldo, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING ORDINANCES (Prohibits any city or town from enacting any zoning ordinance that would place restrictions on residential NARR-certified recovery residences that are not applicable to other residential homes.)
{LC5798/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 7360 SUB A as amended**BY** Batista, Knight, Speakman, Cruz, Felix, Tanzi, Morales, McEntee, Diaz, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT (Protects people attending Rhode Island court proceedings from civil arrest without a judicial warrant, ensures court access, sets enforcement rules, and provides remedies for violations.)
{LC3707/A/1}

Placed on the Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 7734

(Dept. of Environmental Management)

BY Cortvriend, Speakman, Bennett, McGaw, Spears**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- CONSUMER PFAS BAN ACT OF 2024 (Amends the Consumer PFAS Ban Act of 2024 by clarifying enforcement provisions.)

{LC4930/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 8547 SUB A**BY** McEntee, Caldwell, Craven**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT (Establishes a separate domestic violence calendar within the superior court to handle felony domestic violence cases.)

{LC6413/A/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 7088**BY** Azzinaro, Shallcross Smith, Corvese, McNamara, Fellela, Solomon, Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Creates special motor vehicle registration plates for vehicles based on the not-for-profit entity Rhode Island Fire Chiefs Honor Flight Hub.)

{LC3377/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar#3.

House Bill No. 8333 SUB A**BY** Diaz, Felix, Batista, Perez, Giraldo, Slater, Solomon, Alzate, Stewart, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Empowers the division of motor vehicles to make available special motor vehicle registration plates for the not-for-profit entity, Dominican independence and heritage award committee of RI.)

{LC5031/A/1}

Placed on the Consent Calendar#3.

Appendix**CONSENT CALENDAR III****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026:**

1. **2026-H 7734**
 BY Cortvriend
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- CONSUMER
 PFAS BAN ACT OF 2024

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

2. **2026-H 8547 SUB A**
 BY McEntee
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--
 COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT

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

3. **2026-H 7088**
 BY Azzinaro
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
 REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

4. **2026-H 8333 SUB A**
 BY Diaz
 ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
 REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES

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

Upon motion of Senator Ciccone, 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 – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Pearson, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

Appendix**CALENDAR III****IN ORDER FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 11, 2026:****3. 2026-S 3370 SUB A****BY Mack****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION**

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

Senator Mack moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute "A" is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

1. 2026-S 2452**BY DiMario****ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- BUILDING OPPORTUNITIES IN OUT-OF-SCHOOL TIME**

Committee on Finance recommends passage.

Senator DiMario moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Patalano, Pearson, Raptakis, Thompson, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

2. 2026-S 3152 SUB A

BY Patalano

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

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

Senator Patalano moves passage of the act, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, Kallman, Lauria, McKenney, Pearson, Raptakis, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

4. 2026-S 2036 SUB A as amended

BY Ujifusa

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

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

Senator Ujifusa moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

5. 2026-S 2123 SUB B

BY Urso

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

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

Senator Urso moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Felag, Gu, Lauria, Mack, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Thompson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas.

The bill marked Substitute “B” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

6. 2026-H 8484

BY Casimiro

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

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

Senator Mack moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, DiMario, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, McKenney, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 38 members voting in the affirmative and 0 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 38: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

7. 2026-H 8040 SUB A as amended

BY Speakman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING ORDINANCES

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

Senator Bissaillon moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Pearson, Tikoian, Urso, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 33 members voting in the affirmative and 5 members voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 33: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, McKenney, Murray, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 5: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Raptakis, and Rogers.

8. 2026-H 7360 SUB A as amended

BY Batista

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR COURTS ACT

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

Senator Kallman moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Felag, Lauria, Mack, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

The bill marked Substitute “A” is read and passed and the original bill indefinitely postponed, by unanimous consent, in concurrence, upon a roll call vote, with 31 members voting in the affirmative and 6 member voting in the negative as follows:

YEAS – 31: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Murray, Quezada, Pearson, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 6: Senators de la Cruz, Morgan, Paolino, Patalano, Raptakis, and Rogers.

9. 2026-H 7046

BY Donovan

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

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Felag moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Kallman, Lauria, Patalano, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, 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 Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

10. 2026-H 7373

BY Felix

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

Committee on Housing & Municipal Government recommends passage in concurrence.

Senator Urso moves passage of the act, seconded by Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Famiglietti, Felag, Gu, LaMountain, Luria, Mack, Morgan, Quezada, Pearson, Thompson, Tikoian, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, in concurrence, 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 Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Pearson, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A message from the House of Representatives transmits with announcement of passage, of the following measures:

House Bill No. 8611

BY Marszalkowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAXATION OF BANKS (Amends the apportionment and allocation of income for purposes of taxation relating to the taxation of banks.) {LC6561/1}

Recommended for Immediate Consideration.

Senator DiPalma requests unanimous consent for immediate consideration.

Unanimous consent for immediate consideration is granted.

Senator DiPalma moves passage, seconded by The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, Famiglietti, Felag, Kallman, Murray, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Zurier.

The act is read and passed, by unanimous consent, upon a roll call vote with 36 Senators voting in the affirmative and 0 Senators voting in the negative and 1 member abstaining as follows:

YEAS – 36: The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson, Senators Acosta, Appollonio, Bell, Bissaillon, Britto, Burke, Ciccone, de la Cruz, DiMario, Dimitri, DiPalma, Euer, Famiglietti, Felag, Gallo, Gu, Kallman, LaMountain, Lauria, Mack, Morgan, Murray, Paolino, Patalano, Quezada, Raptakis, Rogers, Sosnowski, Thompson, Tikoian, Ujifusa, Urso, Valverde, and Vargas, Zurier.

NAYS – 0:

ABSTAINED-1: Senator Pearson.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE ADDRESSES THE CHAMBER

The Honorable President Valarie J. Lawson addresses the Seante Chamber.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Senate Majority Whip David P. Tikoian and Senate President Pro Tempore Hanna M. Gallo announce that Secretary of the Senate, Helena S. Reid will be retiring.

THE SENATE STANDS IN RECESS

Upon motion of Senator Tikoian, seconded by Senator de la Cruz, the Senate stands in Recess at 10:21 o'clock P.M.

HELENA S. REID

Secretary of the Senate

JOHN S. BAXTER

Reading Clerk

JOHN D. MANNI

Senate Voting Clerk

AL GREEN

Sound System Technician

GABRIEL REI

Deputy Clerk of the Senate

Appendix**INVOCATION****SENATOR HANNA M. GALLO**

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**TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR ON TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 2026****Senate Bill No. 2182 SUB B**

BY Appollonio, LaMountain, Urso, Vargas, Quezada, Valverde, Famiglietti, Euer, McKenney
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS'
AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES (Exempts an individual in foster or adoptive homes from the
fee associated with drivers education classes at the community college of Rhode Island.)
{LC3680/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8603 SUB A

BY Casimiro, Giraldo, McNamara, Read, Cotter, Donovan, Shallcross Smith, Spears, Hopkins
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- OPERATORS'
AND CHAUFFEURS' LICENSES (Exempts an individual in foster or adoptive homes from the
fee associated with drivers education classes at the community college of Rhode Island.)
{LC6527/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2292 SUB A

BY DiPalma, LaMountain, Burke, Tikoian, McKenney, Paolino, Raptakis, Euer
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISARMING A PEACE
OFFICER (Makes it a felony for any person to remove or attempt to remove any firearm or other
weapon or any communication device from any peace officer or investigator of the department of
attorney general.)
{LC4203/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7753 SUB A

BY Read, Chippendale, Santucci, Noret, Serpa, Spears, O'Brien, Fascia, Corvese, Fellela
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- DISARMING A PEACE
OFFICER (Makes it a felony for any person to remove or attempt to remove any firearm or other
weapon or any communication device from any peace officer or investigator of the department of
attorney general.)
{LC5246/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2334 SUB B

BY Gallo, Ciccone, Tikoian, LaMountain, Felag, Burke, Gu, Murray, Bissaillon, Famiglietti
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- RHODE ISLAND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTING (Authorizes the use of campaign funds for security related expenses, including home and office security systems and ongoing monitoring, in response to threats arising from their public service or candidacy.)
{LC3983/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7495 SUB A

BY Boylan, Tanzi, Baginski, Kazarian, Ajello, Stewart, McGaw, Dawson, Messier, Furtado
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- RHODE ISLAND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENDITURES REPORTING (Authorizes the use of campaign funds for security related expenses, including home and office security systems and ongoing monitoring, in response to threats arising from their public service or candidacy.)
{LC4553/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2342 SUB B

BY Lawson, LaMountain, Bissaillon
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- RESTRICTIONS ON SELF-SERVICE CHECKOUT STATIONS ACT (Places limits on the number of self-service checkout stations a grocery store can have and on the workload of employees assigned to monitor those checkout stations.)
{LC4473/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7290 SUB A

BY Cotter, Spears, Carson, Donovan, Corvese, Morales, Read, Kislak, Ajello, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- RESTRICTIONS ON SELF-SERVICE CHECKOUT STATIONS ACT (Places limits on the number of self-service checkout stations a grocery store can have and on the workload of employees assigned to monitor those checkout stations.)
{LC4054/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2350 SUB A**BY** DiPalma, Gallo, Valverde, Morgan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

(Requires the department of elementary and secondary education and DOH to adopt policies, rules and regulations for the administration of seizure rescue medications for children who have been medically identified as having epilepsy/seizure disorder.)

{LC4209/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7481 SUB A**BY** Fogarty, Cortvriend, Alzate, Boylan, Carson, Shallcross Smith, Spears, Kazarian, Handy, Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

(Requires the department of elementary and secondary education and DOH to adopt policies, rules and regulations for the administration of seizure rescue medications for children who have been medically identified as having epilepsy/seizure disorder.)

{LC4743/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2504 SUB A**BY** Ciccone, Urso, Felag, Burke, Dimitri**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --

WAREHOUSE WORKER PROTECTION ACT (Requires employers to provide each employee of a warehouse distribution center, upon hire, with written description of quotas applicable to the employee within defined time periods and adverse employment action for failure to meet the quota.)

{LC5054/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7364 SUB A**BY** Shanley, Slater, Bennett, Craven, Knight**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --

WAREHOUSE WORKER PROTECTION ACT (Requires employers to provide each employee of a warehouse distribution center, upon hire, with written description of quotas applicable to the employee within defined time periods and adverse employment action for failure to meet the quota.)

{LC4101/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2647 SUB B**BY** Appollonio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- COMMERCIAL KITCHEN EXHAUST SYSTEM INSPECTION AND CLEANING, LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT (Establishes the commercial kitchen exhaust system inspection and cleaning licensing and certification act. Requires entities inspecting or cleaning commercial exhaust systems to be licensed and insured.)
{LC5335/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7857 SUB A**BY** Noret, Casey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- COMMERCIAL KITCHEN EXHAUST SYSTEM INSPECTION AND CLEANING, LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT (Establishes the commercial kitchen exhaust system inspection and cleaning licensing and certification act. Requires entities inspecting or cleaning commercial exhaust systems to be licensed and insured.)
{LC5334/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2650 as amended**BY** Ciccone, Acosta, Mack, Quezada, Vargas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COUNCIL ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION (Provides any student, who meets the requirements of this section, with an exemption from paying nonresident tuition at Rhode Island public universities, colleges, or community colleges.)
{LC5305/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8252 as amended**BY** Diaz, Slater, Batista, Felix

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- COUNCIL ON POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION (Provides any student, who meets the requirements of this section, with an exemption from paying nonresident tuition at Rhode Island public universities, colleges, or community colleges.)
{LC5981/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2734 SUB B**BY** Gu, Bissaillon, DiMario, Euer, Burke, Murray, Kallman, LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT (Requires owners or landlords who rent shoreline property to provide their tenants, before the start of the tenancy, with a detailed, written disclosure regarding public shoreline access rights.)
{LC4471/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8110 SUB A**BY** Cortvriend, Kazarian, Spears, McGaw**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT (Requires owners or landlords who rent shoreline property to provide their tenants, before the start of the tenancy, with a detailed, written disclosure regarding public shoreline access rights.)
{LC5380/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2912 SUB A as amended**BY** Bissaillon, LaMountain**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY (Amends several definitions to the general law chapter relating to abandoned property, adds a definition for "eligible nonprofit corporation", provides criteria for when properties are considered abandoned or a public nuisance.)
{LC5851/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8101 SUB A as amended**BY** Speakman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY (Amends several definitions to the general law chapter relating to abandoned property, adds a definition for "eligible nonprofit corporation", provides criteria for when properties are considered abandoned or a public nuisance.)
{LC5686/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2929 SUB A

(Dept. of Labor and Training)

BY Burke, Felag, Tikoian, Patalano, Thompson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY (Eliminates the "until June 30, 2026" sunset on the increase in the total amount of earnings a partial-unemployment insurance claimant can receive before being entirely disqualified for unemployment insurance benefits.)

{LC5369/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7962 SUB A

(Dept. of Labor and Training)

BY McEntee, Caldwell, Spears, O'Brien, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS --

EMPLOYMENT SECURITY (Eliminates the "until June 30, 2026" sunset on the increase in the total amount of earnings a partial-unemployment insurance claimant can receive before being entirely disqualified for unemployment insurance benefits.)

{LC5368/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3000 SUB B**BY** Lauria, DiMario, Tikoian, Valverde, Murray, Vargas, Ujifusa, Mack, Acosta, Kallman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(Requires licensed retailers authorized to sell intoxicating beverages to provide a lid to a consumer upon request.)

{LC5090/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7975 SUB A**BY** Speakman, Spears, Boylan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(Requires licensed retailers authorized to sell intoxicating beverages to provide a lid to a consumer upon request.)

{LC5547/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3080 SUB B**BY** Britto, McKenney, Bissaillon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK AND JOBS ACT (Establishes the thermal energy network & jobs act facilitating study of the technology to determine if goals can be met by implementing thermal energy networks in Rhode Island/creates a task force of interested parties to be an advisory committee.)
{LC5832/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7879 SUB A**BY** Cortvriend, Handy, Boylan, McGaw, Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- THERMAL ENERGY NETWORK AND JOBS ACT (Facilitates the study of thermal energy technology to determine if these goals can be met by the implementation of thermal energy networks in Rhode Island.)
{LC4920/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3184 SUB B**BY** Ciccone, Burke, Famiglietti, Raptakis, Tikoian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- NURSES (Provides and clarify procedures for the administration of deep sedation and general anesthesia by certain types of nurses.)
{LC6266/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7740 SUB A**BY** McNamara, Corvese, Chippendale

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- NURSES (Provides and clarifies procedures for the administration of deep sedation and general anesthesia by certain types of nurses.)
{LC5183/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2036 SUB A as amended**BY** Ujifusa, Felag, Lauria**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blithewold, Inc., located at 101 Ferry Road, Bristol, Rhode Island. Effective retroactively to 12/31/2025.) {LC3148/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7046**BY** Donovan, Speakman**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blithewold, Inc., located at 101 Ferry Road, Bristol, Rhode Island.) {LC3146/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 2123 SUB B**BY** Urso, Kallman, Britto, Acosta**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blackstone Valley Advocacy Center located in the city of Pawtucket. Effective retroactively to December 31, 2025 and affects next levy issued by the city or town where property is located.) {LC3218/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7373**BY** Felix, Stewart, Shallcross Smith, Messier, Cruz, Tanzi, Furtado, Kazarian, Spears, Potter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Blackstone Valley Advocacy Center located in the city of Pawtucket.) {LC4487/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3155 SUB A**BY** Thompson, Pearson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the property of the nonprofit Mount St. Rita Health Centre located in Cumberland, RI. The exemption would be effective as of December 31, 2025.)
{LC6234/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8348 SUB A**BY** Marszalkowski, Ackerman, Voas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the property of the nonprofit Mount St. Rita Health Centre located in Cumberland, RI. The exemption would be effective as of December 31, 2025.)
{LC6129/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3185 SUB A**BY** de la Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS (Exempts property that consists of the lake bed and Wilson's Reservoir in the town of Burrillville from taxes.)
{LC6271/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8028 SUB A**BY** Place, Newberry

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- DAM MANAGEMENT DISTRICTS (Exempts property that consists of the lake bed and Wilson's Reservoir in the town of Burrillville from taxes.)
{LC4797/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3262 as amended**BY** de la Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION -- GLOCESTER -- EXEMPTION OF ELDERLY AND DISABLED PERSONS (Amends the current statute governing exemptions from property taxes for elderly and the disabled in the town of Gloucester.)
{LC6380/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8436 as amended**BY** Chippendale, Place, Santucci

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION-PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION -- GLOCESTER -- EXEMPTION OF ELDERLY AND DISABLED PERSONS (Amends the current statute governing exemptions from property taxes for elderly and the disabled in the town of Gloucester.)
{LC6307/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3316 SUB A as amended**BY** Rogers, de la Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT REGARDING MOTIONS AT THE TOWN OF SCITUATE ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING (Amends a public law regarding the fixing of time for the election of officers in the town of Scituate by requiring prior notice and posting of motions to be made from the floor at the annual financial town meeting of the town of Scituate.)
{LC6497/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8546 as amended**BY** Quattrocchi

ENTITLED, AN ACT REGARDING MOTIONS AT THE TOWN OF SCITUATE ANNUAL FINANCIAL TOWN MEETING (Amends a public law regarding the fixing of time for the election of officers at the town of Scituate's annual financial town meeting.)
{LC6458/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7415 SUB A

BY Messier, Kislak, Casey, Furtado, Kazarian, Alzate, Sanchez, Serpa, Fogarty, Phillips
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHMENT OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Bars the council from granting approval to create or expand a charter school beginning operations in 26-27 school year and bars the state from approving or appropriating funds to a new charter school not approved before July 1, 2025.)
{LC4443/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7079 SUB A

BY Craven, Biah, Cortvriend, Shanley, O'Brien
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- EXPUNGEMENT OF CRIMINAL RECORDS (Permits those individuals convicted of multiple felonies and misdemeanors to have their records expunged and provides criteria for the court to consider in determining whether the person is of good character.)
{LC3887/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7003

BY McNamara, Shekarchi, Ackerman, Casey, Solomon, Morales, Paplauskas, Hopkins, Fascia, Boylan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS (Directs the state department of education to establish an anti-hazing policy in student athletics.)
{LC3202/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7026 SUB A

BY Read, Noret, Phillips, Donovan, Spears, Cotter, Paplauskas, Boylan, McNamara, Casimiro
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE NATHAN BRUNO AND JASON FLATT ACT (Directs middle and high schools which issue student identification cards to include on those cards on or before September 8, 2026, contact crisis telephone numbers for suicide prevention and substance use disorder prevention.)
{LC3427/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Resolution No. 7031 SUB A as amended**BY** Fellela, Messier, Hull, Hopkins, Serpa**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY SAFE STAFFING RATIOS IN HOSPITALS (Creates a 15-member joint commission to study and provide recommendations regarding safe staffing ratios in hospitals, and who would report back to the General Assembly by September 1, 2027, and expire on January 30, 2028.)
{LC3364/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7036**BY** Casimiro, Donovan, Spears, Shallcross Smith, Read, Kislak, Speakman, Roberts, Hopkins, Alzate**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN -- PROCEEDINGS IN FAMILY COURT (Requires every school district to render assistance and cooperation within its jurisdictional power to further the objects of this chapter, to wit, providing the courts with any information concerning a child as the court may require.)
{LC3167/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7041**BY** Bennett, Noret, Read, Hull, Shanley, Corvese, Dawson, Potter, Voas, McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- FIREFIGHTERS' ARBITRATION (Provides that all contractual provisions in a firefighters collective bargaining agreement continue until a successor agreement has been reached or an interest arbitration award has been rendered.)
{LC3174/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7066 SUB A**BY** Azzinaro, Kennedy, Lima, O'Brien, Boylan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- CASUALTY INSURANCE GENERALLY -- LIMITATIONS ON POLICY CANCELLATIONS AND RENEWALS (Amends the regulations on the cancellation and renewal of liability and property damage insurance for automobiles, homeowners insurance, residential fire insurance and components thereof.)
{LC4096/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7071 SUB A

BY Boylan, Bennett, Kislak, Santucci, McGaw, Carson, Speakman, Spears, Donovan, Cortvriend

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY -- PROTECTION OF TREES AND PLANTS GENERALLY -- RHODE ISLAND INVASIVE PLANT MANAGEMENT ACT (Prohibits the importation, disbursement, distribution, or sale, of any species of non-native (exotic) terrestrial invasive plants.)
{LC3172/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7090

BY McNamara, Corvese, Shekarchi, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- PRIMARIES FOR ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONVENTIONS AND FOR PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE (Changes the date for the election of delegates to the conventions from the fourth Tuesday in April to the first Tuesday in March 2028.)
{LC3947/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7092

BY Perez, Fellela, Slater, Corvese, Shallcross Smith, Felix, Hull, Hopkins, Fascia, Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- PRIMARIES FOR ELECTION OF DELEGATES TO NATIONAL CONVENTIONS AND FOR PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE (Amends certain signature requirements and deadlines regarding primaries for election of delegates to national conventions for presidential preference.)
{LC3930/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7094

BY Azzinaro, Shallcross Smith, Corvese, McNamara, Fellela, Solomon, Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- DECORATIONS (Establishes the Rhode Island orange heart medal to formally recognize Rhode Island veterans whose service exposed them to toxic herbicides, burn pits, or other hazardous agents.)
{LC3134/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7096**BY** Furtado, Boylan, Dawson, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --

REGISTRATION FEES (Includes veterans 75 years or older with a combined service connected disability rating of 70% as eligible for disabled veterans license plates.)

{LC3847/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7111**BY** Solomon, Casey**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PRODUCER LICENSING ACT

(Clarifies what a contract modification is, namely any change in producer compensation.)

{LC4171/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7122 SUB A**BY** Sanchez**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO

TAXATION (Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Community MusicWorks located in the city of Providence.)

{LC4105/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7135 SUB A**BY** Read, Noret, Cotter, Casey, Shanley, Casimiro, Hull, Corvese, Serpa, Paplauskas**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- OFFICE OF STATE FIRE

MARSHAL (Creates a program through which fire departments and fire districts are notified of locations of registrants of electric and hybrid motor vehicles can register their vehicles with their local fire department or fire district.)

{LC3426/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7163

BY Donovan, O'Brien, Casimiro, Boylan, Speakman, Messier, Furtado, Cortvriend, Kislak, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- FOUNDATION LEVEL SCHOOL SUPPORT (Prohibits participation in federal school voucher tax credit for contributions to scholarship-granting organizations unless both the general assembly and the governor approve such participation.)
{LC4210/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7173 as amended

BY Kennedy, Cotter, Fellela, Serpa, Diaz, Ackerman, Edwards, Solomon, Azzinaro, O'Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- FACILITATING BUSINESS RAPID RESPONSE TO STATE DECLARED DISASTER ACT OF 2024 (Incorporates broadband, internet, and wireless means into the crime of injuring electric and communication lines and authorizes municipalities to grant zoning relief for the protection of critical infrastructure.)
{LC4181/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7199 SUB A

BY Alzate, Craven, Casimiro, Speakman, Fogarty, Giraldo, Hull, Shanley, Felix, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- RESIDENTIAL LANDLORD AND TENANT ACT -- RHODE ISLAND SURVIVOR EARLY LEASE TERMINATION ACT (Grants tenants that are the victim of various forms of abuse including, but not limited to, sexual and domestic abuse and stalking, the right to terminate a lease agreement early without penalty or liability for rent. Effective 7/1/26.)
{LC3973/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7210

BY McEntee, Caldwell, Casimiro, Spears, Felix, Craven, Dawson, Speakman, O'Brien, Marszalkowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- UNIFORM PARTITION OF HEIRS' PROPERTY ACT (Adopts the uniform partition of heirs property act.)
{LC3372/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7222

BY Kislak, Fogarty, Carson, McGaw, Boylan, Speakman, Cortvriend, Handy, Bennett, Donovan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- PESTICIDE CONTROL
(Creates rodent integrated pest management pilot programs for municipalities that choose to participate. Reports to be approved by the municipality's mayor or administrator and submitted to the department of environmental management.)
{LC3805/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7229

BY Fascia, Perez, Fellela, Furtado, Messier
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Creates a special license plate for the charity Real Access Motivates Progress, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit.)
{LC3972/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7242

BY McGaw, Fogarty, Potter, Sanchez, Hull, Diaz, Giraldo, Stewart, Boylan, Cotter
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
TAXATION (Exempts certain urban and small farmers from sales taxes, real, tangible and personal property taxes and income taxes. This act would also define urban and small farmers and urban farmland.)
{LC4065/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7265

BY Knight, McEntee, Dawson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- THE RHODE
ISLAND SPECIAL DEPOSITS ACT (Establishes the Rhode Island Special Deposits Act to be governed by an account agreement between the bank and the depositor or its beneficiary.)
{LC4287/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7298**BY** Edwards**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES (Allows the town of Tiverton to apply different tax rates to all classes of property.)

{LC4125/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7308 SUB A**BY** Read, Potter, Noret, Casimiro, Hopkins, Cotter, Donovan, Spears**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- PARKING FACILITIES AND PRIVILEGES (Creates a new registration plate for qualified individuals to possess an "adaptive vehicle license plate" to accommodate the transportation needs of an individual with a significant mobility impairment.)

{LC4162/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7332**BY** Hull, Lombardi, Fogarty, DeSimone, Tanzi, Felix, Azzinaro, Alzate, Bennett, Slater**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- DUTIES OF UTILITIES AND CARRIERS (Requires all public utilities to maintain a customer service facility within the state to perform services such as addressing customer inquiries and accepting bill payments.)

{LC4618/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7342 SUB A**BY** Carson, Cortvriend, Boylan, Speakman, McGaw, Fogarty, Spears, Casimiro, Tanzi, Cotter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- SCHOOL WASTE RECYCLING AND REFUSE DISPOSAL (Amends certain provisions relative to school waste recycling and refuse disposal and requires reports of waste audits by educational entities and reports of program participation by vendors.)

{LC3438/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7358**BY** Baginski, Paplauskas**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES (Requires all write-in votes, regardless of qualification, to be reported and published by the state board of elections, on its website.)
{LC3495/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7361 SUB A**BY** Shanley, Slater, Solomon, Bennett, Craven, Knight**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS -- QUALITY SELF-DIRECTED SUPPORTS ACT OF 2026 (Ensures that more developmentally disabled adults can self-direct the care they need and want, by incorporating collective bargaining rights into the self-directed supports program.)
{LC4100/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7371**BY** Shallcross Smith, Fellela, Diaz, Slater, Hull, Messier, Donovan, Fogarty, Ackerman, McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING ORDINANCES (Sets the zoning statewide for “family child care homes” to no fewer than twelve (12) children maximum.)
{LC4489/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7376 SUB A as amended**BY** Donovan, Fogarty, Cotter, Potter, Cruz, Edwards, Shallcross Smith, Carson, Speakman, Spears**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Allows for a special RI license plate to raise awareness for colon cancer and would be designed by the partnership to reduce cancer in RI and honoring the late Maryellen Goodwin.)
{LC4491/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7407

(Governor/Attorney General)

BY Baginski, Fogarty, Hull, Cortvriend, Biah, Hopkins, Serpa, Corvese, Fellela, Slater
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE HOSPITAL CONVERSIONS ACT (Hospital Conversions act amended to authorize AG and DOH to permit expedited review application for hospital insolvency proceedings. Sunsets in one year.)
{LC4673/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7416 SUB A

BY Spears, Kazarian, Stewart, Fogarty, Cotter, Speakman, McEntee, DeSimone, Read, Shanley
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- GUARANTEED ADMISSION FOR EAGLE SCOUT AND GOLD AWARD RECIPIENTS (Grants automatic admission to state public institutions for qualified Eagle Scout and Gold award recipients from the Girl Scouts.)
{LC4517/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7452 SUB A

BY Craven, DeSimone, Casimiro, O'Brien, Shanley
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- ELECTRONIC REGISTRATION AND TITLING (Permits the implementation of a system of electronic registration and titling of motor vehicles, by the DMV and would require that rules and regulations to implement the provisions of this chapter, would be promulgated by the administrator of the DMV.)
{LC4649/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7491

(Providence)

BY Kislak, Lombardi, Hull, Slater, DeSimone, Ajello, Sanchez, Lima, Perez, Diaz
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PROVIDENCE TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES TO FUND THE PROVIDENCE HOUSING TRUST FUND TO FINANCE AFFORDABLE MULTI-FAMILY HOUSING PROJECTS IN THE CITY (Authorizes the city of Providence to issue not more than \$25,000,000 in general obligation bonds and notes to fund the providence housing trust fund to finance affordable multi-family housing projects in the city.)
{LC4701/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7507

BY Corvese, McNamara, Brien, Azzinaro, DeSimone, Read, Bennett, Noret, Fascia, Slater
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE --
PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- JUDGMENTS, ORDERS, AND DECREES (Requires that
notice of a judgment lien be sent within ten (10) business days of the recording of the lien.)
{LC4806/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7513 SUB A

BY Corvese, Brien, DeSimone, Read, Azzinaro, Shanley, Noret
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- REAL
ESTATE SALES DISCLOSURES (Provides protocols for radon inspection relative to real estate
transactions and provides time frames and conditions for testing and mitigation.)
{LC4923/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7520 SUB A

BY Corvese, Brien, DeSimone, Read, Azzinaro, Shanley, Noret
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- LIABILITY INSURANCE --
UNINSURED MOTORIST COVERAGE (Adds property damage to statutory underinsured
motor coverage, rather than just uninsured motorist coverage, as it is presently.)
{LC4854/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7568

BY Noret, Cortvriend, Shallcross Smith, Nardone, Place, Speakman, Costantino, Read,
Solomon, Santucci
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF
LOCAL TAXES (Allows the waiver of interest on overdue taxes for commercial properties.)
{LC3888/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7576

BY Kislak, Potter, Serpa, Cortvriend, McGaw, Boylan, Caldwell, Cotter, Spears, Carson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC RECORDS -- ACCESS TO PUBLIC RECORDS (Makes traffic accident data a public record, subject to federal law.)
{LC4897/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7585

(General Treasurer)

BY Voas, Giraldo, Solomon, Potter, Dawson, Read, O'Brien, McNamara, Boylan, Fogarty
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION (Permits hit and run victims suffering serious bodily injury to recover under the crime victim compensation program.)
{LC4639/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7606 SUB A as amended

BY Carson, Morales, Cortvriend, Fogarty, Cotter, Donovan, Spears
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- LIBRARY EBOOK CONTRACTS (Establishes enforcement limitations on contract terms for the licensing of electronic books or digital audiobooks to libraries to preclude the library from being subject to unfair sales practices.)
{LC5146/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7608

BY Dawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC UTILITIES AND CARRIERS -- OPERATION OF RAILROADS GENERALLY (Provides that no train or light engine would be used in connection with the movement of freight could be operated unless it had a crew consisting of at least 2 persons, would also include the imposition of fines upon a company for violation of the act.)
{LC5020/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7613 SUB A

(Dept. of Revenue)

BY Marszalkowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAX PREPARERS ACT OF 2013

(Provides penalties for tax preparers that purposefully mislead their clients or act as ghost preparers of tax returns and requires the tax administrator publish a list of tax preparers who have had their privileges to prepare returns revoked or suspended.)

{LC4981/A/3}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7634

(Dept. of BHDDH)

BY Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE, DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS -- MENTAL HEALTH LAW

(Provides that advanced practice registered nurses have the same immunity from liability as physicians and surgeons.)

{LC4955/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7638

(Judiciary)

BY Read, Noret, Hopkins, Brien, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- RIGHT-OF-WAY (Amends the general law relative to right-of-way of pedestrians to reference the schedule of violations for the adjudication of traffic offenses contained in § 31.41.1-4.)

{LC5102/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7639**BY** Ajello, Cortvriend, Corvese, Place, Cruz, Kislak, Handy, Boylan, Donovan, Cotter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- GENETIC INFORMATION PRIVACY ACT (Requires a direct-to-consumer genetic testing company, as defined, to provide a consumer with certain information regarding the company's policies and procedures regarding use of genetic data.)

{LC5027/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7640

(Judiciary)

BY McEntee, Caldwell, Knight, Dawson, Spears, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--COURTS -- COURT ADMINISTRATION (For purposes of the judicial security act permits an authorized agent to file a written notice with a state, county, or municipal agency on behalf of a protected individual.)

{LC5105/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7643

(Judiciary)

BY Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE-- PROCEDURE IN PARTICULAR ACTION -- SMALL CLAIMS AND CONSUMER CLAIMS (Simplifies the assessment of filing fees required to appeal from small claims and consumer matters adjudicated by the district court.)

{LC5101/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7648

(Judiciary)

BY McEntee, Caldwell, Knight, Dawson, O'Brien, Spears, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- SEXUAL ASSAULT (Requires the electronic filing of domestic violence/sexual assault forms by law enforcement agencies, and enhances the information to be included on the reporting forms.)

{LC5099/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7649**BY** Dawson, McEntee, Boylan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- UNIFORM ACT ON PREVENTION OF AND REMEDIES FOR HUMAN TRAFFICKING (Requires that all monies received from the payment of fines under the Uniform Act on Prevention of and Remedies for Human Trafficking be deposited into the into the violent crimes indemnity account within the general fund.)

{LC5007/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7674 SUB A

(Dept. of Administration)

BY Edwards, Cortvriend, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- STATE PURCHASES (Defines public-private partnerships and provides the framework to encourage the use of public-private partnerships for proposals for state purchases.)
{LC4963/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7683**BY** McEntee, Serpa, O'Brien, Spears, Caldwell, Biah, Donovan, Phillips, Messier, Furtado**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- TEACHERS' RETIREMENT

(Increases monthly minimum benefit for a spouse, domestic partner, former spouse.)

{LC4940/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7731 SUB A**BY** Read, Noret, Fascia, Corvese, Santucci, Donovan, McNamara, Casey, Serpa, Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUPILS

(Strengthens school security measures, including the establishment of a RI school emergency response committee to develop additional recommendations for school security measures and requiring an annual school safety assessment by all school districts.)

{LC5131/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7734

(Dept. of Environmental Management)

BY Cortvriend, Speakman, Bennett, McGaw, Spears**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- CONSUMER PFAS BAN ACT OF 2024 (Amends the Consumer PFAS Ban Act of 2024 by clarifying enforcement provisions.)

{LC4930/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7763 SUB A**BY** Shallcross Smith, Boylan, Fellela, DeSimone**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MAINTENANCE OF PRIVATE EASEMENTS AND RIGHTS-OF-WAY (Repeals certain provisions of the law regarding maintenance of private easements and rights of way.)
{LC4995/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7774 SUB A**BY** Speakman, Cortvriend, Casey, Shekarchi, Giraldo, Alzate, Spears, Boylan, Kazarian, Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- STATE BUILDING CODE (Amends the state building code and would require that the state adopt the 2024 International Residential Code and prohibit the state building committee from adopting amendments for one to four residential dwelling units until 2030.)
{LC5049/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7778**BY** Noret, Morales, Azzinaro, Read, Fascia, Shallcross Smith, Biah, Messier, Serpa, Fellela
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- LOW AND MODERATE INCOME HOUSING (Amends the current law on low-income housing to include moderate-income housing and eliminates the income percentages used to determine qualifications for low or moderate income housing.)
{LC4937/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7809

(Dept. of Revenue)

BY Marszalkowski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- STATE TAX OFFICIALS (Extends the timeframe for the division of taxation to review nonresident contractor cases and provide a specific penalty for noncompliance with the statute's withholding requirements.)
{LC4983/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7859 SUB A

(Dept. of Business Regulation)

BY Kennedy, Edwards, O'Brien, Serpa, Azzinaro, Phillips, Diaz, Shallcross Smith**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- DOMESTIC INSURANCE

COMPANIES (Provides an update to certain insurance sections of law to update or eliminate outdated sections of the insurance law.)

{LC5413/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Resolution No. 7952**BY** Diaz, Shallcross Smith, Casimiro, Edwards, Donovan, Cruz**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION AMENDING THE JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A PERMANENT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION ON CHILD CARE IN RHODE ISLAND

(Amends the membership of the permanent legislative commission on child care with twenty-seven (27) members to ensure that the state has high quality and affordable childcare and early learning services network.)

{LC5306/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7972 SUB A**BY** Shanley, Corvese, Cruz, Casimiro, Casey, Solomon, Dawson, Cotter, Spears, Bennett**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- STATE

PURCHASES (Amends the process for creating and governing project labor agreements ("PLA").)

{LC5171/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7976**BY** Fogarty, Tanzi, Spears, McEntee, Stewart**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER

STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (Renames the University of Rhode Island football practice field, located at 5E West Alumni Avenue, Kingston, RI 02881, to the "Mark S. Cruise '81 '84 Football Practice Field.")

{LC5599/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Resolution No. 8008 SUB A**BY** Speakman, Boylan

ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY CURRENT CONDOMINIUM LAW AND PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO TRANSPARENCY, ACCOUNTABILITY AND ONGOING AFFORDABILITY OF CONDOMINIUMS IN RHODE ISLAND (Creates a 16-member commission to study current condominium law and provide recommendations for improvements, and who would report back to the General Assembly by December 31, 2027, and would expire on March 15, 2028.)
{LC5529/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8040 SUB A as amended**BY** Speakman, Edwards, Giraldo, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING ORDINANCES (Prohibits any city or town from enacting any zoning ordinance that would place restrictions on residential NARR-certified recovery residences that are not applicable to other residential homes.)
{LC5798/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8050

(Judiciary)

BY McEntee, Caldwell, Spears, O'Brien, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- CAUSES OF ACTION (Provides immunity for mediators and staff employed by the family court in the family court mediation program from financial liability for certain claims arising out of their participation in the program.)
{LC5103/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8069 SUB A**BY** Donovan, Boylan, Tanzi, Alzate, Speakman, Cortvriend, Casimiro, Cruz, Furtado, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- WEAPONS (Requires shooting ranges to post signs in any area in which shooting occurs that contain the following language: "WARNING: If you or a loved one is experiencing distress and/or depression, call the 988 Suicide and Crisis hotline or text "HOME" to 741741".)
{LC5207/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8091

(Dept. of Human Services)

BY Caldwell, McEntee, O'Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- LICENSING OF YOUTH CAMPS (Aligns the implementation date of youth camp licensing within the operational, and statutory framework of the Rhode Island department of human services and department of children, youth and families.)
{LC5322/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8092

(DCYF)

BY Caldwell, McEntee, Spears, Dawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN (Adds staff of day camps and residential camps for youth to the definition of "person responsible for a child's welfare" within the chapter on abused and neglected children.)
{LC5361/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8106

(Lieutenant Governor)

BY Casey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ESTATES IN REAL PROPERTY (Prohibits restrictive covenants related to grocery stores.)
{LC4778/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8123

(Rhode Island National Guard)

BY Azzinaro, Costantino, Read, Solomon, Noret, Kennedy

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- DECORATIONS (Creates three (3) new awards for Rhode Island National Guard members and would provide eligibility for the Rhode Island star for certain civilian government employees and military and civilian leaders of foreign governments.)
{LC5434/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8125

BY Azzinaro, Corvese, Fellela, Santucci, Phillips, Costantino, Read, Solomon, Noret, Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MILITARY AFFAIRS AND DEFENSE -- MILITARY CHILD ACT (Defines "military-connected student" and permits military-connected students to enroll by remote registration upon presentation of military orders confirming the parent or guardian be stationed in this state during the current or following school year.)
{LC5801/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8155

(General Treasurer)

BY Diaz, Giraldo, Alzate, Stewart, Kennedy, Fellela, Furtado, Kislak, Ajello, Hull
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION (Under the emergency fund for victims, increases the share of a victim's total award that may be used for relocation related expenses but not increase total compensation available to a victim.)
{LC4642/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8171 SUB A

BY Caldwell, Slater, Kislak, Spears

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- FOOD-AS-MEDICINE PILOT PROGRAM (Establishes a food as medicine pilot program and task force to be administered by the executive office of health and human services.)
{LC5424/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8253

BY Hull, Place, Bennett, Edwards, Slater, Phillips, Noret

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -- RETIREMENT SYSTEM -- CONTRIBUTIONS AND BENEFITS (Allows a police officer to be reemployed by a state agency or department for purposes of working a state-funded detail subject to certain restrictions.)
{LC5998/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8294 SUB A**BY** Speakman, Boylan, Carson, Spears, McGaw, Knight, Baginski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- ABANDONED PROPERTY (Amends chapter 44 of title 34 to establish energy storage systems on certain lands consistent with a municipality's comprehensive plan.)

{LC5964/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8614**BY** Furtado, Messier, Dawson, Boylan, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --

REGISTRATION FEES (Disabled veteran license plate may be transferred to veterans' spouse or issued to veteran or veterans spouse.)

{LC6562/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Appendix**TRANSMITTED TO THE GOVERNOR ON THURSDAY, JUNE 18, 2026****Senate Bill No. 2047 SUB A**

BY Acosta, LaMountain, Mack, Quezada, Vargas, Ujifusa, Britto, Gu, Murray, McKenney, Urso

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GENERAL PROVISIONS (Further delineates the definitions of felony, misdemeanor and petty misdemeanor.) {LC3802/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3059 SUB B

BY Britto, Murray, Lawson, Ciccone, Tikoian, LaMountain

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY FREEDOM OF CHOICE--FAIR COMPETITION AND PRACTICES (Imposes certain duties, transparency, and accountability from pharmacy benefits managers and pharmacy benefits management services.) {LC5060/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3060 SUB B as amended

BY Appollonio, Murray, Lawson, Ciccone, Tikoian, LaMountain

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS ACT (Requires pharmacy benefit managers to apply for certificate of authority from the office of health insurance commissioner to operate such a business in this state and empowers the commissioner to oversee pharmacy benefit managers and penalize violations.) {LC5062/B/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3066 SUB B as amended

BY Lawson, Murray, Ciccone, Tikoian, LaMountain

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- CHILDREN'S MOBILE RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION SERVICES (Establishes a statewide mobile response and stabilization services program to provide rapid crisis response and short-term stabilization for children and youth in their natural environments.) {LC6098/B/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

Senate Bill No. 3169 SUB A as amended

(Governor)

BY Tikoian, Ciccone, LaMountain, de la Cruz, Burke, Raptakis, Sosnowski, McKenney, Dimitri, Patalano**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES -- CASEY'S LAW (Creates an enhanced penalty defined as "road rage" to be applied in addition to penalties for convictions of certain motor vehicle offenses.)
{LC6054/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7198 SUB A**BY** Felix, McEntee, Knight, Lombardi, Cruz, Morales, Alzate, Potter, Furtado, Place**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- GENERAL PROVISIONS (Further delineate the definitions of felony, misdemeanor and petty misdemeanor.)
{LC3856/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8582 SUB A**BY** Caldwell, Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY FREEDOM OF CHOICE--FAIR COMPETITION AND PRACTICES (Imposes certain duties, transparency, and accountability from pharmacy benefits managers and pharmacy benefits management services.)
{LC6502/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8579 SUB A as amended**BY** Spears, Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGERS ACT (Requires pharmacy benefit managers to apply for certificate of authority from DBR to operate such a business in this state. Empowers the health insurance commissioner to oversee pharmacy benefit managers and penalize violations.)
{LC6503/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8180 SUB A as amended**BY** Casimiro, Tanzi, Donovan, Spears, Potter, Alzate, Stewart, McGaw, Shallcross Smith**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- CHILDREN'S MOBILE RESPONSE AND STABILIZATION SERVICES (Establishes a statewide mobile response and stabilization services program to provide rapid crisis response and short-term stabilization for children and youth in their natural environments.)

{LC5248/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8384 SUB A

(Governor)

BY Corvese, Noret, Azzinaro, Kennedy, Casey, Brien, O'Brien, Craven, Solomon, Phillips**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MOTOR VEHICLE OFFENSES -- CASEY'S LAW (Creates an enhanced penalty defined as "road rage" to be applied in addition to penalties for convictions of certain motor vehicle offenses.)

{LC6022/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7002**BY** Corvese, Noret, Brien, Azzinaro**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- BOARD OF MEDICAL LICENSURE AND DISCIPLINE (Prohibits healthcare providers and health plans from denying the payment of a medical bill, solely because the bill may have arisen from a third-party claim.)

{LC3564/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7020**BY** Brien, Solomon, Baginski, Serpa, Lima**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- VETERINARY PRACTICE (Authorizes veterinarians to establish a client-patient relationship through electronic means, subject to limitations and requirements such as Vet making a good faith effort to determine if care should be provided through telemedicine instead of in person.)

{LC3494/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7040

BY Bennett, Noret, Read, Hull, Shanley, Corvese, Dawson, Voas, McNamara, Kazarian
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MUNICIPAL
POLICE ARBITRATION (Extends provisions of an existing collective bargaining agreement for
municipal police arbitration purposes until a successor agreement is reached or an interest
arbitration award is rendered.)
{LC3175/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7064

BY Shallcross Smith, Bennett, Fogarty, McNamara, Perez, Carson, Casimiro, Azzinaro,
Donovan, Fellela
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS -- MENTAL
HEALTH COUNSELORS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS (Changes the
direct client contact hour requirements for applicants for licensure of marriage and family
therapist associate and applicants for licensure of marriage and family therapist.)
{LC3825/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7088

BY Azzinaro, Shallcross Smith, Corvese, McNamara, Fellela, Solomon, Kennedy
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES --
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Creates special motor vehicle registration plates for vehicles
based on the not-for-profit entity Rhode Island Fire Chiefs Honor Flight Hub.)
{LC3377/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7183

BY Kislak, Fogarty, Carson, McGaw, Boylan, Speakman, Cortvriend, Handy, Bennett, Donovan
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- BUILDING
BENCHMARKING AND REPORTING ACT OF 2026 (Establishes a program for the energy
and water benchmarking of large buildings in Rhode Island and a standard for their energy
performance.)
{LC4069/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7202**BY** Potter, McEntee, Morales, Kislak, Sanchez, Speakman, Ajello, Stewart, Cruz, Giraldo**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE --
PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- CAUSES OF ACTION -- THE RHODE ISLAND FEDERAL
CONSTITUTION DEFENSE ACT (Creates the Rhode Island Federal Constitution defense act.)
{LC4055/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7349 SUB A**BY** Spears, Carson, Messier, Speakman, Shanley, McEntee, Baginski, Kazarian, Cotter,
Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE,
DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AND HOSPITALS -- OVERSIGHT OF ARTIFICIAL
INTELLIGENCE TECHNOLOGY IN MENTAL HEALTH CARE ACT (Establishes
regulations regarding the use of artificial intelligence in mental health care treatments.)
{LC4589/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7350 SUB A as amended**BY** Spears, Carson, Messier, Speakman, Shanley, McEntee, Baginski, Kazarian, Cotter,
Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW--GENERAL REGULATORY
PROVISIONS -- ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE COMPANION MODELS (Creates additional
safety features for AI companion technology that include addressing suicidal ideation, potential
physical harm or financial harm to others expressed by a user. It also requires notification the AI
companion does not have human emotions.)
{LC4590/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7360 SUB A as amended**BY** Batista, Knight, Speakman, Cruz, Felix, Tanzi, Morales, McEntee, Diaz, Potter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- PROTECT OUR
COURTS ACT (Protects people attending Rhode Island court proceedings from civil arrest
without a judicial warrant, ensures court access, sets enforcement rules, and provides remedies
for violations.)
{LC3707/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7424**BY** Solomon, Casimiro, Casey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- COLLABORATIVE PHARMACY PRACTICE (Expands the existing law regarding collaborative practice agreements between pharmacists and physicians to allow other healthcare providers to enter into such agreements and removes the definition of “collaborative practice committee.”)
{LC3360/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7434 SUB A**BY** Giraldo, Kazarian, Fogarty, Speakman, Alzate, Diaz, Stewart, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- CONDUCT OF ELECTION AND VOTING EQUIPMENT, AND SUPPLIES (Prohibits ICE employees, agents or officials from being within two hundred feet (200 ft) of any polling place during voting.)
{LC4030/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7475

(General Treasurer)

BY Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC FINANCE -- RHODE ISLAND SECURE CHOICE RETIREMENT SAVINGS PROGRAM ACT (Makes several technical amendments to the Rhode Island secure choice retirement savings program act necessary for continued administration and inter-state partnership.)
{LC4644/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7477 SUB A**BY** Voas, Chippendale

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND PARTNERSHIPS -- UNIFORM PARTNERSHIP ACT -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY ACT (Replaces the existing limited liability company act with a newer and updated model act.)
{LC4088/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7494

(Board of Elections)

BY Shanley, Dawson, Kennedy, Brien, Kazarian, Casimiro, Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS -- MAIL BALLOTS (Requires the board of elections to establish a secure area for the public observation of mail ballot processing and require the mail ballot voter's signature be compared to the signature on file within the state central voter registration system.)

{LC4580/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7547

(General Treasurer)

BY Furtado, Stewart, McGaw, Dawson, Cotter, Potter, Donovan, Alzate, Messier, Kislak**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- CRIMINAL INJURIES COMPENSATION (Permits victims of stalking to recover for expenses related to relocation or home modification under the crime victim compensation program.)

{LC4643/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Resolution No. 7579**BY** Solomon, Biah, Hull, Shekarchi, Felix, Lombardi, Sanchez, Diaz, O'Brien, Giraldo**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION REPEALING RHODE ISLAND'S RATIFICATION OF THE CORWIN AMENDMENT (Repeals the General Assembly's previous ratification of the Corwin Amendment.)

{LC4802/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7619

(Dept. of Environmental Management)

BY Spears, McEntee, Donovan, Boylan, Tanzi, Fogarty, Cotter, Speakman, Felix, McGaw**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FISH AND WILDLIFE -- LICENSING (Allows any member of a federally recognized Indian tribe located in Rhode Island to receive recreational freshwater and saltwater fishing licenses free of charge.)

{LC4931/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7625 SUB A

(Dept. of Health)

BY Donovan, Speakman, Boylan, Spears, Tanzi, Kislak, Giraldo, Stewart, Fogarty, Carson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (Commencing January 1, 2027, mandates insurers provide health insurance coverage without cost-share requirements for vaccinations recommended by the DOH and mandates the coverage for the medical assistance program and managed care organizations.)
{LC4819/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7630 SUB A

BY Tanzi, Ajello, Spears, Boylan, Donovan, Carson, Cotter, Shanley, Felix, McGaw
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- ACCIDENT AND SICKNESS INSURANCE POLICIES (Requires that reimbursement rates for licensed mobile response and stabilization services be equal to or greater than the prevailing integrated state Medicaid rate for mobile response and stabilizations services as established by EOHHS.)
{LC5129/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7642

(Judiciary)

BY Donovan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- DISTRICT COURT PRACTICE (Provides amendments to the assessment of filing fees required to appeal from certain matters adjudicated by the district court.)
{LC5100/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7653

(Judiciary)

BY Felix, Alzate, Kazarian, Tanzi, Sanchez, Furtado

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION ACT (Allows for the electronic filing of domestic violence/sexual assault reporting forms by law enforcement agencies, enhances the information to be included on the reporting forms, and clarifies that the reporting forms should be submitted monthly.)
{LC5098/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7656

(General Treasurer)

BY McEntee, Caldwell, Read, Spears, McNamara, Bennett, O'Brien, Dawson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -- RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC EMPLOYEE PENSION REVOCATION AND REDUCTION ACT (Authorizes the state retirement board to revoke or reduce an individual's pension benefit if that individual is convicted or pleads guilty or no contest to a felony sex crime related to their public office or public employment.)

{LC4646/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7673

(Dept. of Environmental Management)

BY Cortvriend, Carson, Tanzi, McGaw**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- MANAGEMENT AND DISPOSAL OF PROPERTY (Authorizes the department of environmental management to enter into leases of up to forty (40) years at State Pier #9 in Newport, Chase Marina in Tiverton, and all other ports and marine facilities owned and operated by the department.)

{LC4929/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7677

(CRMC)

BY Spears, Cortvriend, McEntee, Carson, Boylan, Fogarty, Tanzi, Caldwell, Shanley, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO WATERS AND NAVIGATION -- COASTAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT COUNCIL (Provides that the legislature would be the body that negotiates on behalf of the state for all activities occurring in, on and over state submerged land extending beyond twenty-five (25) acres.)

{LC4997/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7840 SUB A**BY** DeSimone, Baginski, Slater**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- REAL ESTATE BROKERS AND SALESPERSONS (Requires any person in the business of selling, assigning or buying an equitable interest in real estate without taking legal title to such property, to be licensed as a real estate broker or salesperson and to comply with the disclosure requirements.)

{LC4880/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7865 SUB A

(Dept. of Business Regulation)

BY Kennedy, Solomon, Edwards, O'Brien, Serpa, Spears, Cotter, Azzinaro, Diaz, Shallcross Smith**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- WEATHER-RELATED LOSSES

(Provides a framework through which the department of business regulation can seek grants to fund a home hardening program.)

{LC5410/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7866**BY** Baginski, Slater, Casey, DeSimone, Biah**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- UNFAIR CLAIMS SETTLEMENT

PRACTICES ACT (Raises the percentage from eighty percent (80%) to eighty-five percent (85%) regarding declaring a vehicle a total loss.)

{LC4758/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7867

(Dept. of Business Regulation)

BY Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS -- LICENSED ACTIVITIES

(Establishes requirements for capital, liquidity, and corporate governance including: audit, risk management, and board oversight, for nonbank mortgage servicers.)

{LC5415/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7869 SUB A

(Dept. of Transportation)

BY Cotter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- SIZE, WEIGHT,

AND LOAD LIMITS (Provides a series of updates to size, weight, and load regulations for commercial and specialized vehicles.)

{LC5789/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7870

(Dept. of Transportation)

BY Hull, Bennett, Biah, Shallcross Smith, Azzinaro**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- DEFINITIONS AND GENERAL CODE PROVISIONS (Clarifies when mobile equipment can travel on a public highway as an incidentally permitted practice limited to the active participation in an active work zone.)

{LC5111/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7960 as amended

(Dept. of Labor and Training)

BY Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- PAYMENT OF WAGES (Eliminates prescribed timelines for hearing and determination in certain enforcement actions before the department labor and training to align with reasonable practice.)

{LC5370/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 7989 SUB A**BY** Baginski, Biah**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Exempts certain vehicles that are not manufactured with the proper front plate registration bracket from the requirement that motor vehicles display a front facing registration plate.)

{LC5266/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8001 SUB A**BY** Shekarchi, Voas, DeSimone, Biah, Noret, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- STATE BUILDING CODE -- ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT (Authorizes municipalities to make an emergency declaration under limited circumstances to allow for the construction and use of SAFE Units on a temporary basis which have specialized requirements and exemptions from the state fire and building codes.)

{LC5591/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8004 SUB A**BY** Craven

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT (Provides technical amendments relating to comprehensive planning and land use, subdivision of land, zoning ordinances and low- and moderate-income housing.)
{LC5900/A/2}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8005 SUB A**BY** Giraldo, Voas, Cruz, Morales

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- ZONING ORDINANCES (Amends the standards and limitations on permitted parking requirements for dwelling units.)
{LC5899/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8025**BY** Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Allows the town of Tiverton to authorize, by ordinance, a real estate tax credit for seniors over the age of sixty-five (65) years.)
{LC5670/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8026 SUB A**BY** Edwards

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION (Repeals the Tiverton tax credit for totally disabled veterans and includes a veteran's unmarried widow or widower for a tax credit in the amount of four hundred dollars (\$400) or greater.)
{LC5732/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8046**BY** Corvese, Read, Dawson, Casey, Kennedy, DeSimone, Azzinaro, Noret, Phillips**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- FEES (Establishes a set service rate of seventy dollars (\$70.00) for the service of all writs, citations or subpoenas.)

{LC5810/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8060 SUB A**BY** Solomon**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- IMPERSONATION AND IDENTITY FRAUD (Protects individuals and businesses from those who knowingly impersonate an entity with the intent of facilitating fraud. This act would also protect individuals and businesses from digital forgery.)

{LC5466/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8094

(Attorney General)

BY Dawson**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- MISCELLANEOUS RULES (Restores law enforcement discretion, allowing officers to issue a verbal warning when appropriate or pursue misdemeanor or felony charges in more egregious cases where a child is left unattended in a motor vehicle.)

{LC5622/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8104 SUB A**BY** McEntee, Spears, Caldwell, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO PROPERTY -- MORTGAGES OF REAL PROPERTY (Limits mortgage prepayment rules to mortgages on owner-occupied properties with one to four (4) dwelling units.)

{LC5422/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8128**BY** Casey

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND PROFESSIONS -- PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY (Updates the state's public accountancy act for consistency with the 9th edition of the Uniform Accountancy Act, as issued by NASBA and AICPA in July 2025.)
{LC5945/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8232 as amended**BY** Chippendale, Santucci, Place

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE FORMATION OF A REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT EMBRACING THE TOWNS OF FOSTER AND GLOCESTER (Changes the date of the regional school district financial meeting for the Foster-Glocester regional school district to March 24, 2026.)
{LC5988/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8247**BY** Casimiro, Stewart, Cruz, Shallcross Smith, Slater, Bennett, Read, Potter, Giraldo, Diaz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT (Changes the term of drug court to recovery court.)
{LC5924/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8297

(Secretary of State)

BY Read, Noret, McGaw

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES (Amends the refiling process for rules and regulations under the administrative procedures act by implementing a confirmation and attestation system to confirm agency rules and regulations are active and effective.)
{LC5961/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8324 SUB A

(Secretary of State)

BY Shallcross Smith, Casey, Fogarty, Hull, Azzinaro, DeSimone, Casimiro, Solomon, Furtado, Messier**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE -- SECURED TRANSACTIONS (Makes a series of amendments and adds new provisions of law to address business identity theft and deceptive solicitations sent to businesses and the unauthorized formation of entities.)

{LC6142/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8333 SUB A**BY** Diaz, Felix, Batista, Perez, Giraldo, Slater, Solomon, Alzate, Stewart, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES (Empowers the division of motor vehicles to make available special motor vehicle registration plates for the not-for-profit entity, Dominican independence and heritage award committee of RI.)

{LC5031/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Resolution No. 8351 SUB A as amended**BY** McNamara, Cortvriend, Ackerman, Tanzi, Kislak, Ajello, Furtado, Brien, Sanchez, Phillips**ENTITLED**, JOINT RESOLUTION CREATING A SPECIAL JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION TO STUDY RHODE ISLAND'S EDUCATION FUNDING FORMULA AND EDUCATION FINANCE SYSTEM (Creates a special joint legislative commission to make a comprehensive study of Rhode Island's education funding formula and education finance system.)

{LC6182/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8400 SUB A**BY** Casimiro, Craven, McEntee, Caldwell, Finkelman, Solomon, Kazarian**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- QUONSET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION (Prohibits the operation of any thermal waste conversion facility such as pyrolysis within the Quonset Point/Davisville Industrial Park and expires on June 1, 2027.)

{LC6214/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8435**BY** Azzinaro, Kennedy**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(Allows for the issuance of a Class B license for the property located at 102 Granite Street, in the town of Westerly.)

{LC6308/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8437**BY** McNamara, Handy, Lima**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

(Changes tax exemptions to tax credits in the city of Cranston.)

{LC6280/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8463 SUB A**BY** Read, Noret, Brien, Chippendale, Casey, Corvese, O'Brien, Fascia, Santucci, Cotter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST (Makes it unlawful for a person in the custody of the department of corrections to use any force or weapon to resist a lawful request or directive.)

{LC6330/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8474 SUB A**BY** Blazejewski, Shekarchi, Kazarian, Biah, DeSimone, Slater, Kislak, Ajello, Diaz, Hull**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY -- PERMANENT JOINT COMMITTEE ON NAMING ALL NEW BUILDINGS, BRIDGES, EDIFICES AND OTHER STATE CONSTRUCTIONS (Makes the bridge over Smith Street and Route 95, the George Nee Bridge.)

{LC6318/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8483**BY** McNamara**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL LICENSES

(Allows for the issuance of a Class BV license for the property located at 1814 Broad Street in the city of Cranston.)

{LC6394/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8484**BY** Casimiro, Alzate, Stewart, Kazarian, Giraldo, Voas, Slater**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION

(Exempts from taxation the real and tangible personal property of Amos House, provided it remains a qualified tax-exempt corporation pursuant to § 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code.)

{LC6340/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8488**BY** Cortvriend, McGaw, Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE TOWN OF PORTSMOUTH TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$41,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, ADDITIONS, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE TOWN (Authorizes the Town of Portsmouth to issue bonds and notes in amount not exceeding \$41,000,000 to finance construction, additions, renovation, improvement, alteration, repair, furnishing and equipping of schools and school facilities throughout the town.)

{LC6355/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8506**BY** Giraldo, Alzate, Voas**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- RELATING TO CENTRAL

FALLS PENSION PLAN (Amends the terms of the pension plan set forth in the respective collective bargaining agreements in effect on July 1, 2026, between Central Falls and the labor organizations representing members of the Central Falls plan.)

{LC6396/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8509**BY** Donovan**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Joseph Couto to join Brandon Kemmy and Jacqueline Manousos in Marriage on or about August 2, 2026, within the Town of Tiverton, Rhode Island.)

{LC6412/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8524**BY** Corvese, Kennedy, Azzinaro, Solomon, Casey, McEntee, Noret, Read**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- WORKERS' COMPENSATION--GENERAL PROVISIONS (Amends various sections of the workers' compensation statute relative to the court's jurisdiction and the court's authority.)

{LC6432/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8501**BY** Blazejewski**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTES AND STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION (Re-enacts certain chapters of title 45 relating to towns and cities and provides various technical statutory construction edits throughout the general laws.)

{LC6193/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8525**BY** Noret, Read**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- LEVY AND ASSESSMENT OF LOCAL TAXES (Authorizes the town of Coventry to apportion the tax levy proportionately between residential and commercial properties.)

{LC6407/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8527**BY** Cotter, Kennedy, Spears

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CHARIHO REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT TO FINANCE THE CONSTRUCTION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SERVING THE TOWNS OF CHARLESTOWN, RICHMOND AND HOPKINTON, CONSISTING OF ONE OR MORE BUILDINGS ON A SINGLE CAMPUS, AND IMPROVEMENTS AT THE SWITCH ROAD CAMPUS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, COSTS OF LAND ACQUISITION, DEMOLITION, DESIGN, HEALTH AND SAFETY PROJECTS, PLAYGROUNDS, LANDSCAPING, PAVING, AND ALL EXPENSES INCIDENTAL THERETO, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$116,000,000 BONDS AND/OR NOTES THEREFOR, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING AID AT A REIMBURSEMENT RATE OR STATE SHARE RATIO OF NOT LESS THAN 61% AT THE TIME OF ISSUANCE, WHICH RATE OR RATIO MAY INCREASE TO 65% AT PROJECT COMPLETION (Authorizes the Chariho Regional School District to finance the construction, furnishing and equipping of an elementary school and to issue not more than \$116,000,000 bonds and/or notes.)

{LC6409/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8529 SUB A**BY** Baginski, Slater

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- THE RHODE ISLAND LIFE SCIENCE HUB ACT (Amends the compositions of the Rhode Island life science hub board of directors and amends the I-195 redevelopment district commission and provides additional amendments to the powers and duties of the commission.)

{LC6426/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8547 SUB A**BY** McEntee, Caldwell, Craven

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE--COURTS -- SUPERIOR COURT (Establishes a separate domestic violence calendar within the superior court to handle felony domestic violence cases.)

{LC6413/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8558 SUB A**BY** McNamara, Solomon, Bennett, Hopkins, Shanley**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO TOWNS AND CITIES -- GENERAL POWERS -- CITY OF WARWICK (Grants the city of Warwick the authority to sell the property located at 34 Warwick Lake Avenue, without regard for statutory limitations pursuant to § 45-2-6, to clear the title to said property.)

{LC6472/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8580

(Tiverton)

BY Edwards, Kennedy, Azzinaro, Bennett, Cortvriend**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO THE NORTH TIVERTON FIRE DISTRICT (Amends the act which incorporated the North Tiverton fire district and reduces the number of tax assessors, subsequent to any voluntary resignations, from six (6) to four (4) after the annual 2026 meeting.)

{LC6504/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8586 SUB A**BY** DeSimone, McEntee, Kazarian, Corvese**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO HIGHWAYS -- RHODE ISLAND TURNPIKE AND BRIDGE AUTHORITY (Provides that motor vehicle rental companies be entitled to establish non-liability for toll violations, administrative fees, and fines by providing a rental or lease agreement as prima facie evidence that a lessee was the vehicle operator.)

{LC6496/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8588**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE PLANNING, EVALUATION, DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND RECONSTRUCTION OF SANITARY SEWERS AND STORM SEWERS IN THE CITY AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$4,000,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the planning, evaluation, design, construction, equipping and reconstruction of sanitary sewers and storm sewers.)

{LC6514/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8589**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE RENOVATION, CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC RECREATION FACILITIES IN THE CITY INCLUDING LAND ACQUISITION AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$2,000,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the renovation, construction, reconstruction and equipping of public recreation facilities.)
{LC6515/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8590**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, REPAIR, ALTERATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$5,000,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the construction, renovation, improvement, repair, alteration, furnishing and equipping of public buildings.)
{LC6516/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8591**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIR AND EQUIPPING OF BRIDGES AND ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$2,000,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the construction, reconstruction, repair and equipping of bridges.)
{LC6517/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8592**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, REPAIR AND EQUIPPING OF STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND OTHER TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DRAINAGE AND LANDSCAPING AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$2,000,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the design, construction, reconstruction, repair and equipping of streets and sidewalks.)
{LC6518/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8593**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT AND REPLACEMENT OF ROAD SAFETY INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES IN THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,500,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$2,500,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the improvement and replacement of road safety infrastructure and traffic control devices.)
{LC6519/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8594**BY** Messier, Stewart, Alzate, Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PAWTUCKET TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPAVING OF STREETS IN THE CITY AND AUTHORIZING THE FINANCING THEREOF, INCLUDING THE ISSUE OF NOT MORE THAN \$3,000,000 BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR, TO FUND THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR THE TWO FISCAL YEARS 2028 AND 2029 (Authorizes the city of Pawtucket to issue not more than \$3,000,000 general obligation bonds and notes to finance the repaving of streets in the city.)
{LC6520/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8595

BY McGaw, Fogarty, Donovan, Potter, Cotter, Speakman, Kislak, Carson, DeSimone, Kazarian
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT
INSURANCE POLICIES (Expands guaranteed issue rights for Medigap plan enrollees who enroll
outside of a plan's initial enrollment period.)
{LC6489/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8602

BY McEntee
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Noah David
Lloyd to join Lucia Helen Given and Noah Alexander Moroski in Marriage on or about September
27, 2026, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)
{LC6547/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8604 SUB A

BY Shallcross Smith, Fellela, Cortvriend, Santucci, Messier, Furtado, Nardone, Fogarty, Tanzi,
Carson
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- PERSONAL INCOME TAX (Provides the
tax administration may prescribe regulations requiring returns of information to be made and filed on
or before Feb 28 of each year consistent with applicable thresholds for information filings under the
federal Internal Revenue Code.)
{LC6536/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Resolution No. 8605 SUB A

BY Abney
ENTITLED, JOINT RESOLUTION MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO PAY CERTAIN
CLAIMS (Authorizes the appropriation to pay certain claims.)
{LC6539/A/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8611**BY** Marszalkowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO TAXATION -- TAXATION OF BANKS (Amends the apportionment and allocation of income for purposes of taxation relating to the taxation of banks.)
{LC6561/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8620**BY** Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE REPAIR, CONSTRUCTION AND REHABILITATION OF STORM DRAINS AND DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENTS, AND THE REMEDIATION AND MITIGATION OF DRAINAGE AND FLOODING PROBLEMS, BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes Cranston to issue not more than \$4,000,000 general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the repair, construction and rehabilitation of storm drains and drainage improvements, and remediation and mitigation of drainage and flooding problems.)
{LC6567/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8621**BY** Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter

ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, DEMOLITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR, ALTERATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS IN THE CITY BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes Cranston to issue not more than \$2,000,000 general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the acquisition, demolition, construction, improvement, renovation, repair, alteration, furnishing and equipping of public buildings in the city.)
{LC6570/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8622

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION, REPAIR AND ALTERATION OF PLAYGROUNDS, ATHLETIC FIELDS AND RELATED EQUIPMENT IN THE CITY BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$4,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes the city of Cranston to issue not more than \$4,000,000 general obligation bonds/temporary notes for the acquisition, construction, improvement, renovation, repair and alteration of playgrounds, athletic fields and related equipment in the city.)
{LC6571/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8623

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIR, REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND BRIDGES IN THE CITY INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PAVING, DRAINAGE, TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES, ROAD MAINTENANCE EQUIPMENT, SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS AND LANDSCAPING AND ALL COSTS INCIDENTAL OR RELATED THERETO BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes the city of Cranston to issue not more than \$8,000,000 general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the design, construction, repair, rehabilitation and improvement of streets, sidewalks and bridges in the city.)
{LC6572/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8624

BY Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter
ENTITLED, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO FINANCE THE ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, RENOVATION AND REPAIR OF FIRE AND PUBLIC SAFETY EQUIPMENT BY THE ISSUANCE OF NOT MORE THAN \$8,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND NOTES THEREFOR (Authorizes the city of Cranston to issue not more than Eight Million Dollars (\$8,000,000) general obligation bonds and temporary notes for the acquisition, improvement, renovation and repair of fire and public safety equipment in the city.)
{LC6574/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8625**BY** Paplauskas, Fascia, Baginski, Handy, Bennett, McNamara, Quattrocchi, Potter**ENTITLED**, AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CRANSTON TO ISSUE NOT TO EXCEED \$25,000,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, NOTES AND OTHER EVIDENCES OF INDEBTEDNESS TO FINANCE THE PURCHASE AND/OR ACQUISITION OF LAND AND BUILDINGS, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATION, REPAIR, LANDSCAPING, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING OF SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL FACILITIES THROUGHOUT THE CITY (Authorizes Cranston to issue no more \$25,000,000 obligation bonds, notes, evidences of indebtedness to finance the purchase and/or acquisition of land/buildings, construction, renovation, improvement, alteration, repair, landscaping, furnishing, equipping)
{LC6573/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

House Bill No. 8627**BY** Caldwell, Craven, Dawson, O'Brien**ENTITLED**, AN ACT RELATING TO SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGES (Allows Meghan Elizabeth McEntee to join Taylor Lauren Criscuolo and Michael Joseph McEntee Jr., in marriage on or about September 25, 2026, within the Town of Narragansett, Rhode Island.)
{LC6592/1}

Transmitted to the Governor.

APPENDIX

VETOED BY THE GOVERNOR ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24, 2026

Senate Bill No. 2260

BY Kallman, Britto, DiMario, Gu, Valverde, Lauria, Euer, Vargas, Urso, Mack

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- BUILDING BENCHMARKING AND REPORTING ACT OF 2026 (Establishes a program for the energy and water benchmarking of large buildings in Rhode Island and a standard for their energy performance.)

{LC4068/1}

Vetoed by Governor.

APPENDIX
GOVERNORS VETO MESSAGE



STATE OF RHODE ISLAND
OFFICE OF GOVERNOR DANIEL J. MCKEE

June 24, 2026

TO THE HONORABLE, THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE:

In accordance with the provisions of article IX, section 14 of the Rhode Island Constitution and section 43-1-4 of the Rhode Island General Laws, I transmit, with my disapproval, 2026-S2260 – “An Act Relating to Health and Safety – Building Benchmarking and Reporting Act of 2026” (the “Act”).

The Act would establish a mandatory statewide building energy benchmarking and reporting program applicable to residential, commercial, institutional, and campus properties containing twenty-five thousand square feet or more. The Act would require the Office of Energy Resources (“OER”) to identify covered properties, administer a new statewide reporting and compliance program, publish annual benchmarking information, and develop enforcement mechanisms for noncompliance.

I share the General Assembly’s interest in improving building energy efficiency and increasing transparency regarding energy use; however, I am unable to approve this legislation because it directly conflicts with the building benchmarking and performance standards framework that was proposed by my Administration and adopted by the General Assembly in the FY 2027 budget, H7127Aaa.

The FY 2027 budget establishes a deliberate and achievable framework that begins with state-owned, state-occupied facilities. The Act imposes new reporting and compliance obligations on private property owners without providing technical assistance or financial support to facilitate compliance. At a time when Rhode Island continues to face housing affordability challenges and businesses are managing rising costs, the Act would create new administrative burdens and potential penalties without the resources necessary to support compliance.

Rather than building upon the framework enacted in the budget, this Act creates a separate program with conflicting implementation dates, reporting requirements, and administrative obligations. As a result, the legislation would create uncertainty regarding program administration and divert agency resources away from implementation of the benchmarking and performance standards program enacted as part of the State’s budget.

The Act also represents a significant unfunded mandate for OER. The legislation requires OER to identify covered properties, administer a statewide reporting and compliance program, and enforce its requirements, yet provides no additional funding, personnel, or implementation resources.

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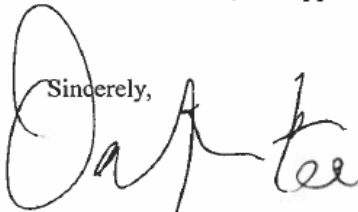
Compounding these challenges, neither OER nor any other state agency currently maintains a comprehensive inventory of buildings subject to the Act.

Relatedly, the Act includes reporting deadlines for OER that precede the collection of much of the data necessary to generate the required reports. These inconsistencies raise practical implementation concerns and further demonstrate the challenges associated with implementing the Act within its demanded timeframe.

The framework enacted through the FY 2027 budget represents a more practical and sustainable path forward and does not place any burden on residential and commercial properties. Further, the State can build the expertise, systems, and data infrastructure necessary for long-term success while leading by example.

For these reasons, I disapprove of this legislation and respectfully urge your support of this veto.

Sincerely,

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Daniel J. McKee
Governor

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Senate Chamber

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Senator V. Susan Sosnowski

Date 06/11/26

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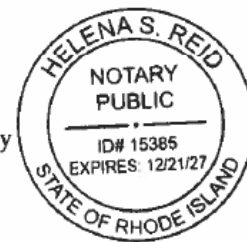
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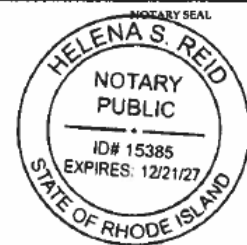
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Senate Chamber

VOTE BY PROXY

To the Honorable President of the Senate:

Pursuant to Rule 8.13 of the Rules of the Senate for the Years 2025-2026, and with your consent, I hereby cast my vote by proxy on the following matter before the Senate:

☐ 2026-H

☒ 2026-S 2036-Sub A

(Bill Number)

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

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Respectfully Submitted,

Senator V. Susan Sosnowski

Date 06/11/26

Senate District 37

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NOTARY SEAL

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County of Providence

On this 11th day of June, 2026 before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Senator V. Susan Sosnowski, personally known to me to be the person whose name is signed on this document in my presence.

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☒ 2026-S

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2123 Sub A

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☒ 2026-H 8484

☐ 2026-S

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☒ 2026-H 8040 Sub A
☐ 2026-S

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☒ 2026-H 7360 SubA
☐ 2026-S

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☒ 2026-H 7046

☐ 2026-S

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Handwritten signature of Senator V. Susan Sosnowski in blue ink.

Senator V. Susan Sosnowski

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☒ 2026-H 7373

☐ 2026-S

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