

THE CONNECTICUT GENERAL ASSEMBLY

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Friday, April 20, 2018

(The House of Representatives was called to order at 10:54 o'clock a.m., Representative Lemar of the 96th District in the Chair.)

SPEAKER LEMAR (96TH):

(Gavel) The House of Representatives is now in session. Will all members and guests please rise and direct your attention to our guest Chaplain, Emily Luna of Manchester.

GUEST CHAPLAIN EMILY LUNA:

Let us pray.

Lord, let Your grace shine upon our legislators as they come together to create laws that will benefit all the citizens of our great State. Amen.

SPEAKER LEMAR(96TH):

Now Damaris Mensah and Dalynne Furlough, of East Hartford will lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.

DAMARIS MENSAH AND DALYNNE FURLOUGH:

(All) I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

SPEAKER LEMAR (96TH):

Thank you, it is great to be joined by these two young students from East Hartford today. Everyone here, you are here to witness a Technical Session of the House of Representatives. It is a simple procedural duty that we carry out each day to move the Calendar to move items to their appropriate places. So thank you very much for joining us. I am Roland Lemar. I will be acting as Speaker today. I am from New Haven. We are joined by Kevin Ryan of Montville, Norwich and a few other places in Eastern Connecticut who will be acting as our Majority Leader. Is there any business on the sitting Clerk's desk?

CLERK:

Yes, Mr. Speaker. The Clerk has a communication from His Excellency the Governor. It

is dated April 13, 2018. It is a corrected letter, Mr. Speaker concerning the nomination of Maureen E. Driscoll of Fairfield to be a Workers' Compensation Commissioner.

SPEAKER LEMAR (96TH):

Refer to the Committee on Judiciary.

CLERK:

Mr. Speaker, there is no further business on the Clerk's desk.

SPEAKER LEMAR (96TH):

The Chair recognizes Representative Ryan of the 139th District.

REP. RYAN (139TH):

Mr. Speaker, being that it is a Tech Session, we really don't care how we look, I would say with there being no further business on the Clerk's desk, I move that we adjourn subject to the Call of the Chair.

SPEAKER LEMAR (96TH):

Is there objection? Hearing no objection, the House stands adjourned subject to the Call of the Chair. (Gavel)

(On motion of Representative Ryan of the 139th District, the House adjourned at 10:56 o'clock a.m., to meet again at the Call of the Chair).

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