General Law Committee

MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, January 31, 2019

12:00 PM in Room 1C of the LOB

The meeting was called to order at 12:05PM by Chairman, Rep. D'Agostino M. 091. The following committee members were present:

Senators: Bradley D. S23; Fonfara J. S01; Kissel J. S07; Leone C. S27; Witkos K. S08

Representatives: Ackert T. 008; Allie-Brennan R. 002; Altobello E. 082; Candelaria J. 095; Candelora V. 086; Cheeseman H. 037; D'Agostino M. 091; D'Amelio A. 071; Luxenberg G. 012; Orange L. 048; Rutigliano D. 123

Absent were:

Senators: McCrory D. S02

Representatives: Arconti D. 109; Gibson B. 015

Representative D'Agostino asked if there were any remarks from the committee leadership. Senator Witkos explained that items on the agenda are to be reviewed and discussed.

Representative D'Agostino requested for a motion to have bills listed in Section 3, items 1-9 to be reserved for a subject public hearing.

Proposed Bills 1-9 to be reserved for public hearing

1. Proposed S.B. No. 9 AN ACT ADJUSTING FEES FOR OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES, CERTIFICATIONS AND REGISTRATIONS. (GL)
2. **Proposed S.B. No. 48** AN ACT REQUIRING MANUFACTURERS OF BRAND NAME PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO PROVIDE SAMPLES OF SUCH DRUGS TO MANUFACTURERS OF GENERIC PRESCRIPTION DRUGS. (PH,GL)

3. **Proposed S.B. No. 263** AN ACT CONCERNING HOME HEALTH CARE REGISTRIES. (GL)

4. **Proposed S.B. No. 434** AN ACT CONCERNING EVENT TICKET SALES. (GL)

5. **Proposed S.B. No. 647** AN ACT STREAMLINING THE LIQUOR CONTROL ACT. (GL)

6. **Proposed H.B. No. 5267** AN ACT CONCERNING FAIR REIMBURSEMENT TO RETAIL DEALERS OF POWER EQUIPMENT. (GL)

7. **Proposed H.B. No. 5139** AN ACT CONCERNING TOBACCO BARS. (PH,GL)

8. **Proposed H.B. No. 5703** AN ACT CONCERNING ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF CURRENCY AS PAYMENT IN LOCAL BUSINESSES. (GL)

9. **Proposed H.B. No. 5813** AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF HONEY AND MAPLE SYRUP. (GL)

The motion was made by Senator Witkos to reserve items 1-9 for a subject matter public hearing. Motion seconded by Representative Rutigliano.

**MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 YEA, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT**

Representative D’Agostino requested a motion be made to raise concepts listed in section 4, items 1-7

**CONCEPTS TO BE RAISED**

1. AN ACT CONCERNING THE LIQUOR CONTROL ACT
2. AN ACT CONCERNING WHOLESALER PERMITS UNDER THE LIQUOR CONTROL ACT
3. AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSED BUILDING TRADE EXAMINING BOARDS
4. AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO LICENSING AND ENFORCEMENT STATUTES (DCP)
5. AN ACT CONCERNING THE LICENSING OF LEASING AGENTS (DCP)
6. AN ACT CONCERNING REVISIONS TO THE PHARMACY AND DRUG CONTROL STATUTES (DCP)
7. AN ACT CONCERNING MINOR AND TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE DCP STATUTES (DCP)

The motion was made by Senator Fonfara to raise concepts 1-7 and seconded by Representative Rutigliano.

**MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT**

Representative D’agostino requested a motion be made to make a change of reference in section 5, items 1-6

**PROPOSED BILLS TO BE REFERRED TO OTHER COMMITTEES**

1. **Proposed H.B. No. 5414** AN ACT CONCERNING PYRRHOTITE TESTING AT QUARRIES. (GL)
Change of reference: Planning and Development
The motion was made by Senator Fonfara and seconded by Senator Witkos.

MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT
2. Proposed H.B. No. 5702 AN ACT CONCERNING QUARRY STANDARDS AND TESTING. (GL)

Change of reference: Planning and Development
The motion was made by Senator Fonfara and seconded by Representative Cheeseman.

MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT
3. Proposed S.B. No. 78 AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES IN FOOD PACKAGING AND FIREFIGHTER FOAM. (GL)

Change of Reference: Public Health
The motion was made by Senator Fonfara and seconded by Representative Cheeseman.

MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT
4. Proposed S.B. No. 478 AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF VENDORS AT PARKVILLE MARKET. (GL)

Change of Reference: Planning and Development
The motion was made by Senator Fonfara and seconded by Representative Cheeseman.

MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT
5. Proposed S.B. No. 605 AN ACT PROHIBITING INQUIRIES REGARDING THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN OF PERSONS OF ASIAN DESCENT. (GL)

Change of Reference: Education
The motion was made by Senator Fonfara and seconded by Representative Cheeseman.

MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT
6. Proposed H.B. No. 6040 AN ACT CONCERNING TRANSFERS OF TITLE TO CERTAIN RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS SITUATED IN MUNICIPALITIES IMPACTED BY CRUMBLING CONCRETE FOUNDATIONS. (GL)

Change of Reference: Planning and Development
The motion was made by Senator Fonfara and seconded by Representative Cheeseman.

MOTION PASSED ON A ROLL CALL VOTE, 16 AYE, 0 NAY, 3 ABSENT
Representative D’Agostino announced the next committee meeting will be held on February 7, 2019 at 2PM. Public hearing scheduled for February 14, 2019 will be changed. Public hearing for February 19, 2019 will remain on the schedule.

The meeting was recessed 12:09PM.
The meeting was adjourned at 5PM.