The Senate was called to order at 12:23 p.m., the President in the Chair.

The Prayer was offered by Kathleen K. Zabel of Burlington, Connecticut.

The following is the prayer:

Please bless us with an inner strength so that our lives and our work may be a blessing on others.

PLEDGE

Senator Winfield of the 10th led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

ELECTION OF SENATE CLERK

The President of the Senate announced that the first order of business was the election of a Senate Clerk.


There being no further nominations, the vote was taken by acclamation. The President declared Michael Jefferson of New Haven, Connecticut elected as Clerk of the Senate and administered the Oath of Office to him.

Senator Looney of the 11th then appointed Americo Carchia of North Haven, Connecticut, Assistant Clerk of the Senate. Senate Clerk Michael Jefferson administered the Oath of Office to him.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HIS EXCELLENCY

The following communications were received from His Excellency, the Governor, read by the Clerk and referred to the Joint Standing Committee on Executive and Legislative Nominations:

January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:
Pursuant to Section 36a-11 and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Jorge L. Perez of Cheshire, to be Banking Commissioner, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor
February 1, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 17a-450(a) and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Miriam E. Dephin-Rittmon of Meriden, to be Commissioner of Mental Health and Addiction Services, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor
January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 10-500(a) and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Elizabeth Bye of West Hartford, to be Commissioner of Early Childhood, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor
January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 19a-754a(a) and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Victoria L. Veltri of Colchester, to be Executive Director of the Office of Health Strategy, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor
January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 4a-1 and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Joshua Geballe of Guilford, to be Commissioner of Administrative Services, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor
January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 29-1r(a) and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint James C. Rovella, of Old Saybrook, to be Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public Protection, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor

January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 21a-1 and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Michelle Seagull, of Glastonbury, to be Commissioner of Consumer Protection, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor

January 30, 2019

To the Honorable Senate:

Pursuant to Section 17a-210(a) and Sections 4-5 to 4-8, inclusive, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, appoint Jordan A. Scheff of Vernon, to be Commissioner of Developmental Services, to serve at the pleasure of the Governor, but no longer than March 1, 2023.

Ned Lamont
Governor

REPORT

The following report was received, read by the Clerk and referred to the Committee indicated:

Referred to the Committees on Judiciary, Public Safety and Appropriations

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

SENIATE AND HOUSE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

On motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the first reading of the following bills and resolutions was waived, the list of bills and resolutions as prepared by the Clerks was accepted, and the bills and resolutions referred to the Committees as indicated thereon in concurrence:

PUBLIC HEALTH
S.B. No. **795** (RAISED) PUBLIC HEALTH. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS', to protect physicians and other health care professionals who use automated external defibrillators in the scope of their practice or employment against civil liability when the automatic external defibrillator malfunctions.

S.B. No. **796** (RAISED) PUBLIC HEALTH. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINERS', to establish a sexual assault forensic examiners program.

**APPROPRIATIONS**

Proposed H.B. No. **6776** REP. HAMPTON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE FULL FUNDING OF THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM', to help improve the long term sustainability and solvency of the teachers' retirement system.

Proposed H.B. No. **6777** REP. MESKERS, 150th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING STATE PENSION LIABILITIES', to increase disclosure of state pension liabilities and extend the payment schedule for unfunded pension liabilities in order to reduce the burden on taxpayers posed by such liabilities.

Proposed H.B. No. **6778** REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th DIST. 'AN ACT MAKING GRANTS AVAILABLE FROM THE PUBLIC, EDUCATIONAL AND GOVERNMENTAL PROGRAMMING AND EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY INVESTMENT ACCOUNT (PEGPETIA)', to use PEGPETIA funds for their intended purpose of educating students and supporting school video services.

Proposed H.B. No. **6779** REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT ELIMINATING MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENTS, LONGEVITY PAYMENTS AND OVERTIME COMPENSATION FROM THE CALCULATION OF PENSIONS FOR STATE EMPLOYEES', to ensure that state employee pension calculations are based only on base salary.

Proposed H.B. No. **6780** REP. DILLON, 92nd DIST. 'AN ACT PROVIDING FOR FULL FUNDING OF STATE PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES FOR COLLEGES AND HOSPITALS', to provide municipalities with full payments in lieu of taxes for colleges and hospitals.

Proposed H.B. No. **6781** REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING FUNDING FOR STAFF TO CONDUCT SCHOOL SECURITY EVALUATIONS', to increase staffing levels at the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection to a level sufficient to complete all necessary school security evaluations.

Proposed H.B. No. **6782** REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR LEGAL SERVICES TO ASSIST OWNERS OF HOMES WITH CRUMBLING CONCRETE FOUNDATIONS', to assist homeowners with crumbling concrete foundations by providing them access to free legal services.

Proposed H.B. No. **6783** REP. WINKLER, 56th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING EXPENDITURES FOR THE KRONOS TIME MANAGEMENT SYSTEM', to save over twenty-five million dollars in implementation costs, including the installation and wiring of one thousand forty-one clocks, eight million dollars per year in software licensing fees, Kronos consultant and training fees and operational costs.

Proposed H.B. No. **6784** REP. CURREY, 11th DIST.; REP. MCCARTHY VAHEY, 133rd DIST. 'AN ACT EXCLUDING MILEAGE AND OTHER REIMBURSEMENTS TO LEGISLATORS FROM THE CALCULATION OF RETIREMENT INCOME', to eliminate any mileage or other reimbursements from the calculation of legislators' pensions.
Proposed H.B. No. 6785 REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF STATE-OWNED ASSETS TO ADDRESS THE STATE'S PENSION OBLIGATIONS WITHOUT RAISING TAXES', to generate revenue using state-owned assets in order to address the state's pension obligations without raising taxes.


Proposed H.B. No. 6787 REP. KOKORUDA, 101st DIST.; REP. CANDELORA, 86th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING FOR THE PURCHASE OF RETIREMENT CREDIT IN THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM', to allow for the purchase of retirement credit for certain teachers.

Proposed H.B. No. 6788 REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST. 'AN ACT EXCLUDING MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT FROM THE CALCULATION OF RETIREMENT INCOME FOR LEGISLATORS', to exclude mileage reimbursement from the calculation of legislators' pensions.

Proposed H.B. No. 6789 REP. WOOD, 141st DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FROM THE TOBACCO AND HEALTH TRUST FUND', to require the Tobacco and Health Trust Fund to be used for its statutorily designated purposes.

Proposed H.B. No. 6790 REP. MORIN, 28th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING GENERATORS IN STATE-FUNDED GROUP HOMES', to provide funding for generators in state-funded group homes.


Proposed H.B. No. 6792 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR REGIONAL FIRE TRAINING SCHOOLS', to appropriate funds for the operation of the regional fire training schools.

Proposed H.B. No. 6793 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING PORTIONS OF THE STATE BUDGET APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE EDUCATION COST SHARING FORMULA AND OTHER AID TO MUNICIPALITIES', to provide towns relief in the municipal budget process.

Proposed H.B. No. 6794 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING REDUCTIONS IN STATE AID TO MUNICIPALITIES AFTER NOVEMBER FIRST OF EACH FISCAL YEAR', to protect municipal funding.

Proposed H.B. No. 6795 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING AVAILABILITY OF THE BUDGET BILL PRIOR TO A VOTE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY', to provide transparency in the budget process.

Proposed H.B. No. 6796 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT EXCLUDING MILEAGE REIMBURSEMENT FROM THE CALCULATION OF RETIREMENT INCOME', to remove mileage reimbursements from the calculation of a state employee's pension benefit.

Proposed H.B. No. 6797 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING STATE REIMBURSEMENT TO MUNICIPALITIES FOR STATE MANDATES RELATED TO PUBLIC SAFETY', to provide municipalities relief from public safety mandates.
Proposed H.B. No. 6798 REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING UNFUNDED MANDATES ON MUNICIPALITIES', to provide municipalities relief from unfunded mandates.

Proposed H.B. No. 6799 REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL OF CERTAIN STATE CONTRACTS', to allow for legislative rejection of certain state contracts if either house of the General Assembly determines there are insufficient funds for full implementation of the contract.

Proposed H.B. No. 6800 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING MID-YEAR REDUCTIONS TO MUNICIPAL AID', to prohibit mid-year cuts to municipal aid.

Proposed H.B. No. 6801 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING COPAYS UNDER STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH CARE PLANS', to increase certain copays paid by state employees for health care services.

Proposed H.B. No. 6802 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING ELECTED OFFICIALS FROM RECEIVING A STATE PENSION', to prohibit elected officials from receiving a state pension.

Proposed H.B. No. 6803 REP. COOK, 65th DIST.; REP. HORN, 64th DIST.; SEN. WITKOS, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR THE WARNER THEATRE', to provide similar funding to the Warner Theatre in Torrington as is provided to other performing arts centers in Connecticut that are similar in scope and size.

**BANKING**

Proposed H.B. No. 6804 REP. GUCKER, 138th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING MORTGAGEES FROM CHARGING CERTAIN FEES TO A MORTGAGOR AFTER A DEFAULT ON A MORTGAGE LOAN', to prohibit mortgagees from charging fees to a mortgagor after a default on a mortgage loan, provided the mortgagor satisfies the conditions of an agreement to reinstate the loan.

**COMMERCE**

Proposed H.B. No. 6805 REP. MCGORTY, 122nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING TAX CREDITS AND STATE ASSISTANCE FOR SUSTAINABLE MANUFACTURING BUSINESSES THAT MOVE TO CONNECTICUT', to increase jobs and opportunity for state residents by encouraging sustainable manufacturing companies to move to Connecticut.

Proposed H.B. No. 6806 REP. PALM, 36th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CONNECTICUT CULTURAL FACILITIES FUND', to bolster the long-term viability of small and mid-sized cultural facilities in the state by providing an alternative to the traditional bonding process through the Connecticut Cultural Facilities Fund.

Proposed H.B. No. 6807 REP. MCCARTHY VAHEY, 133rd DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FUND TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO BUSINESSES TRANSITIONING TO EMPLOYEE-OWNED BUSINESSES', to establish a fund to assist businesses in transitioning to employee-owned businesses.

Proposed H.B. No. 6808 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INCENTIVE PROGRAM TO ENCOURAGE BUSINESSES TO RELOCATE TO THE CITY OF BRIDGEPORT', to create an incentive program to encourage businesses to relocate to the city of Bridgeport.

**EDUCATION**
Proposed H.B. No. 6809 REP. NAPOLI, 73rd DIST.; SEN. HARTLEY, 15th DIST. 'AN ACT REPEALING THE REQUIREMENT THAT SPECIAL EDUCATION TEACHERS PASS AN ADDITIONAL READING EXAMINATION', to address issues of special education teacher shortages in urban school districts by repealing the requirement that special education teachers pass an additional reading examination.

Proposed H.B. No. 6810 REP. ROTELLA, 43rd DIST.; REP. CONLEY, 40th DIST. 'AN ACT PERMITTING HOME ASSIGNMENT DAYS TO COUNT TOWARD THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY SCHOOL DAYS PER YEAR REQUIREMENT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES', to reduce the burden placed on school districts and families concerning the scheduling of school sessions when weather-related events or other natural disasters occur.

Proposed H.B. No. 6811 REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS', to expand the public school health curriculum.

Proposed H.B. No. 6812 REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE RACIAL COMPOSITION OF INTERDISTRICT MAGNET SCHOOL PROGRAM ENROLLMENT', to study the racial composition of interdistrict magnet school program enrollment.

Proposed H.B. No. 6813 REP. O'DEA, 125th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO THE SPECIAL EDUCATION HEARING PROCESS', to allow for an expedited process for special education hearings.

Proposed H.B. No. 6814 REP. COOK, 65th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR REGIONAL AGRICULTURAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION CENTERS', to achieve funding equity of the per student grant for agricultural science and technology education centers and the Technical Education and Career System.

Proposed H.B. No. 6815 REP. HALL, 59th DIST.; REP. SREDZINSKI, 112th DIST.; REP. CARPINO, 32nd DIST.; REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING REGIONAL SCHOOL SAFETY PLANNERS', to establish positions for regional school safety planners in the state.

Proposed H.B. No. 6816 REP. LANOUE, 45th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF FUNDING STREAMS FOR PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS', to explore alternative funding streams in order to support preschool programs.

Proposed H.B. No. 6817 REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST.; REP. SANTIAGO, 130th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEMOGRAPHICS OF MAGNET SCHOOLS', to ensure that local and regional boards of education are not penalized for falling short of demographic requirements for interdistrict magnet school programs.

Proposed H.B. No. 6818 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING STUDENT SUCCESS PLANS', to require that the student success plan for a student be shared with such student's parents or guardians at each parent-teacher conference.

Proposed H.B. No. 6819 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A STATE-WIDE STRATEGY ON READING SUCCESS', to build upon the success of the state's successful kindergarten to grade three literacy initiative.

Proposed H.B. No. 6820 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING GIFTED AND TALENTED STUDENT IDENTIFICATION', to require the development and
communication of a list of educational needs that are not likely to be met by the general education program at a child’s school after such child has been identified as gifted and talented.

Proposed H.B. No. 6821 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING HOMELESS STUDENTS AND ACCESS TO EDUCATION’, to require the dispute resolution process for homeless children and youths to be conducted in a manner similar to the residency dispute resolution process.

Proposed H.B. No. 6822 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROTECTION OF SCHOOL PERSONNEL IN COMMUNICATIONS RELATED TO SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES’, to protect teachers and related service professionals from retaliation for communicating honestly and freely at planning and placement team meetings or other occasions.

Proposed H.B. No. 6823 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION OF CHARTER SCHOOLS’, to make changes to the authorization process for state charter schools.

Proposed H.B. No. 6824 REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST.; REP. ORANGE, 48th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING INCENTIVES IN THE SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF GREEN SCHOOL FACILITIES’, to foster a green economy and combat climate change by providing incentives in the school building project grant program for the construction of green school facilities.

Proposed H.B. No. 6825 REP. JOHNSON, 49th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR ALLIANCE DISTRICTS THAT OFFER EARLY COLLEGE OPPORTUNITIES’, to provide funding for alliance districts to offer early college opportunities to students to pursue careers in major high tech industries in the state and to defray the cost of college for low income families.

Proposed H.B. No. 6826 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST.; REP. LINEHAN, 103rd DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROMOTION OF LIFELONG SUCCESS THROUGH SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL SKILLS BUILDING AND POSITIVE INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS FOR ALL CHILDREN’, to promote social and emotional skills building and positive interventions and supports for all children.

Proposed H.B. No. 6827 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST.; REP. D'AGOSTINO, 91st DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE LOW-INCOME STUDENT COUNT OF THE EDUCATION COST SHARING GRANT FORMULA’, to more accurately count low-income students for purposes of the education cost sharing grant formula.

Proposed H.B. No. 6828 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST.; REP. D'AGOSTINO, 91st DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL DISTRICT SUSTAINABILITY’, to encourage school district sustainability by requiring small school districts to consolidate so they can provide high-quality educational programs to their students and avoid high operational costs and state funding losses.

Proposed H.B. No. 6829 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING FISCALLY INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICTS’, to increase school district transparency and accountability by making school districts fiscally independent entities.

Proposed H.B. No. 6830 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING TEACHER PREPARATION FOR EARLY LITERACY’, to require that any program of teacher preparation leading to professional certification shall include twelve credit hours of instruction on the science of reading and its application.
Proposed H.B. No. 6831 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING LITERACY IMPROVEMENT', to ensure that every student reads at or above grade level by the end of grade three.

Proposed H.B. No. 6832 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE PLANNING COMMISSION FOR EDUCATION AND THE STRATEGIC MASTER PLAN FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION IN CONNECTICUT', to broaden the vision of the strategic master plan for public education in Connecticut and to ensure that it is fully implemented.

Proposed H.B. No. 6833 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PRINCIPAL INDUCTION PILOT PROGRAM', to partner with Connecticut businesses and education leaders to establish a principal induction pilot program that emphasizes principles of executive leadership and exposure to workforce development.

Proposed H.B. No. 6834 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MENTAL HEALTH CURRICULUMS OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS', to allow school districts to adopt or update mental health curriculums.

Proposed H.B. No. 6835 REP. HALL, 59th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH FROM MAKING RESCISSIONS TO A TOWN'S EDUCATION COST-SHARING GRANT DURING THE FISCAL YEAR', to prohibit the Governor from making rescissions to towns’ education cost-sharing grants during a fiscal year.

Proposed H.B. No. 6836 REP. PAVALOCK-D’AMATO, 77th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEVELOPMENT OF TRANSPARENT HIRING PRACTICES BY BOARDS OF EDUCATION', to establish transparency and promote fairness in the hiring of school employees.

Proposed H.B. No. 6837 REP. NAPOLI, 73rd DIST. 'AN ACT EXTENDING THE TIME FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO USE STATE AID', to allow a school district to use state aid distributed to the town for educational purposes over a two-year period.

ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Proposed H.B. No. 6838 REP. WINKLER, 56th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPALITIES’ USE OF THE MUNICIPAL GAIN', to specify that municipalities may use a municipal gain to provide broadband Internet access service to the public either directly or through a third-party provider.

Proposed H.B. No. 6839 REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING THE COMMISSIONER OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TO SET A GOAL TO PROCURE AT LEAST TWO THOUSAND MEGAWATTS OF ELECTRICITY DERIVED FROM WIND POWER GENERATED OFFSHORE OF THE STATE', to set a goal to procure at least two thousand megawatts of electricity derived from offshore wind power.

Proposed H.B. No. 6840 REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING GAS COMPANIES FROM RECOVERING COSTS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW NATURAL GAS PIPELINES FROM THEIR RATEPAYERS', to prohibit gas companies from recovering costs for the construction of new natural gas pipelines from their ratepayers.

FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Proposed H.B. No. 6841 REP. ACKERT, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF FUNDS FROM THE SMALL TOWN ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM OR THE URBAN ACT FOR THE REPAIR OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS WITH CRUMBLING CONCRETE', to prioritize the repair of crumbling public buildings due to defective concrete.
Proposed H.B. No. **6842** REP. CARNEY, 23rd DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING OCCUPANCY TAX DEPOSITS INTO THE TOURISM FUND', to ensure support for tourism, one of the most important economic drivers for our state.

Proposed H.B. No. **6843** REP. DATHAN, 142nd DIST. 'AN ACT PHASING OUT THE ESTATE AND GIFT TAXES', to phase out the estate and gift taxes over four years.

Proposed H.B. No. **6844** REP. O'DEA, 125th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING IMPROVEMENTS TO THE NEW CANAAN BRANCH LINE', to dedicate a portion of the proceeds of the special tax obligation bonds for Let's Go CT! transportation projects for improvements to the New Canaan Branch line.

**GENERAL LAW**

Proposed H.B. No. **6845** REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th DIST. 'AN ACT PROMOTING ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR PRICE FAIRNESS', to promote fairness in the retail pricing of alcoholic liquor.

Proposed H.B. No. **6846** REP. PAVALOCK-D'AMATO, 77th DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING BREWERY SALES LIMITS FOR OFF-PREMISE CONSUMPTION', to increase the sales limit for breweries for off-premises consumption to nine gallons.

Proposed H.B. No. **6847** REP. ARCONTI, 109th DIST.; REP. GODFREY, 110th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING THE USE OF SELF-SERVE ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR MACHINES BY CERTAIN PERMITTEES', to allow the use of self-serve alcoholic liquor machines on certain permit premises.

Proposed H.B. No. **6848** REP. GREEN, 55th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE OF CRAFT BEER IN GIFT BASKETS', to allow craft beer to be sold with gift baskets in the same way that wine is sold with gift baskets.

Proposed H.B. No. **6849** REP. ACKERT, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING APPROVED MEDICAL MARIJUANA PATIENTS TO GROW MARIJUANA PLANTS', to allow approved medical marijuana patients to grow a limited number of marijuana plants.

Proposed H.B. No. **6850** REP. ACKERT, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT CREATING A RECIPROCAL OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE AGREEMENT WITH NEW ENGLAND STATES FOR TRADE LICENSES', to create a reciprocal occupational licensure agreement with New England states for trade licenses.

Proposed H.B. No. **6851** REP. ACKERT, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT EXEMPTING CERTAIN TRADE LICENSE HOLDERS FROM CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS', to exempt certain trade license holders from continuing education requirements.

Proposed H.B. No. **6852** REP. ACKERT, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CONTRACTOR AND APPRENTICE HIRING RATIOS', to reduce the hiring ratio for apprentices.

Proposed H.B. No. **6853** REP. PHIPPS, 100th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING THE SALE OF OVER-THE-COUNTER DRUGS FROM VENDING MACHINES', to expand access to over-the-counter drugs.

Proposed H.B. No. **6854** REP. MACLACHLAN, 35th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CIDER PRODUCERS AND MANUFACTURER PERMITS', to create legal parity between cider producers and breweries.
Proposed H.B. No. 6855 REP. TERCYAK, 26th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR DIRECT CARE WORKERS', to develop guidelines to improve the level of training direct care workers receive.

Proposed H.B. No. 6856 REP. ARNONE, 58th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF PACKAGE STORE PERMITS', to reduce teenage drinking and improve the profits of package store owners.

Proposed H.B. No. 6857 REP. ZIOGAS, 79th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING ANY UNSOLICITED TELEPHONIC SALES CALLS TO INDIVIDUALS’ MOBILE TELEPHONES OR MOBILE ELECTRONIC DEVICES', to prohibit companies from making or causing to be made any unsolicited telephonic sales calls to individuals’ mobile telephones or mobile electronic devices.

Proposed H.B. No. 6858 REP. MACLACHLAN, 35th DIST. 'AN ACT EXEMPTING MAPLE PRODUCTS FROM REGULATION AS A COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCT', to exempt maple products from being subject to regulation as a cottage food product.

Proposed H.B. No. 6859 REP. DAVIS, 57th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A BUILDING FOUNDATION INSPECTOR LICENSE', to establish a building foundation inspector license.

Proposed H.B. No. 6860 REP. CONCEPCION, 4th DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING THE TWO-OUNCE SAMPLE LIMIT FOR DISTILLERIES', to increase the two-ounce sample limit for distilleries.

Proposed H.B. No. 6861 REP. ARCONTI, 109th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING GROCERY STORE BEER PERMITS', to allow convenience stores and self-service retail establishments to obtain grocery store beer permits.

Proposed H.B. No. 6862 REP. COOK, 65th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE IMPORTATION OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS', to lower the cost of prescription drugs.

Proposed H.B. No. 6863 REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE LEGALIZATION, TAXATION AND REGULATION OF THE RETAIL SALE AND USE OF MARIJUANA', to legalize and regulate the retail sale of marijuana and to utilize the current infrastructure to facilitate retail sales.

Proposed H.B. No. 6864 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING HOME INSPECTORS', to increase consumer protections as they relate to home inspectors.

Proposed H.B. No. 6865 REP. ALTOBELLO, 82nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CUSTOMARY AND REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR APPRAISERS', to ensure that Connecticut appraisers receive customary and reasonable compensation.

Proposed H.B. No. 6866 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING GROCERY STORE BEER PERMITS', to allow convenience stores and self-service retail establishments to obtain grocery store beer permits.

Proposed H.B. No. 6867 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING SNOW REMOVAL CONTRACTS WITH CONSUMERS IN THIS STATE’, to provide that each snow removal contractor entering into a snow removal contract with a consumer in this state shall not include an indemnification clause in such contract, and shall be liable for any and all damages arising from the presence of any snow or ice on any portion of the consumer’s property if such contractor is required to remove such snow or ice pursuant to such contract.
Proposed H.B. No. **6868** REP. GILCHREST, 18th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF ANY BOND REQUIRED OF A HOME INSPECTOR’, to require any bond required of a home inspector to be in an amount not less than twenty-five thousand dollars.

Proposed H.B. No. **6869** REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING CASH REFUNDS OF GIFT CARD BALANCES’, to increase the remaining gift card balance necessary for a consumer to request a cash refund.

Proposed H.B. No. **6870** REP. HALL, 59th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSED HOME INSPECTORS’, to allow licensed home inspectors to inspect for crumbling building foundations.

Proposed H.B. No. **6871** REP. RYAN, 139th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING SERVICE CONTRACT AGREEMENTS AND A REASONABLE RATE OF RETURN FOR CONSUMERS’, to require consumer goods service contract providers to provide a reasonable rate of return or a credit to consumers that enter into a service contract agreement but (1) never use the services provided under such agreement, or (2) pay service fees that exceed the replacement cost of the consumer good covered by the service contract.

Proposed H.B. No. **6872** REP. DE LA CRUZ, 41st DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE LABELING OF PRESCRIPTION DRUG CONTAINERS CONTAINING OPIATES’, to inform patients regarding the potency and possible negative consequences of taking prescription opiate drugs.

**GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS**


Proposed H.B. No. **6874** REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE DIVESTMENT OF STATE FUNDS FROM COMPANIES THAT HOLD PUERTO RICAN DEBT’, to authorize the State Treasurer to divest from any companies that hold the debt of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico due to the ongoing fiscal and humanitarian crisis on the island.

Proposed H.B. No. **6875** REP. ARESIMOWICZ, 30th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONVEYING A PARCEL OF STATE LAND IN THE TOWN OF BERLIN FOR FAIR MARKET VALUE’, to require the conveyance of a parcel of state land for fair market value.

Proposed H.B. No. **6876** REP. WINKLER, 56th DIST. ‘AN ACT CONCERNING THE COPYING OF PUBLIC RECORDS BY USING A HAND-HELD SCANNER’, to provide reasonable charges for when a person takes pictures of a public document with a camera or cell phone or scans public documents using a hand-held scanner.

Proposed H.B. No. **6877** REP. HAMPTON, 16th DIST. ‘AN ACT DESIGNATING "THE NUTMEG STATE" AS THE OFFICIAL STATE NICKNAME’, to more accurately reflect history and recognize one of Connecticut's original nicknames.

Proposed H.B. No. **6878** REP. MICHEL, 146th DIST. ‘AN ACT DESIGNATING AS A LEGAL HOLIDAY THE DAY IN NOVEMBER ON WHICH A REGULAR ELECTION IS HELD’, to designate as a legal holiday the day in November on which a state or municipal election is held.

**APPROPRIATIONS**
Proposed H.B. No. 6879 REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING THE PAYMENT OF SALARIES TO LEGISLATORS IN THE ABSENCE OF A BUDGET', to encourage the passage of a budget in a timely manner.

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Proposed H.B. No. 6880 REP. MICHEL, 146th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTORAL PRIVILEGES OF CERTAIN INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS AND PAROLEES', to provide for restoration of electoral privileges to individuals incarcerated as a result of felonies of certain classifications and retention of such privileges by individuals who may be so incarcerated in the future, as well as to restore the electoral privileges of convicted felons who are on parole.

Proposed H.B. No. 6881 REP. MICHEL, 146th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING RANKED-CHOICE VOTING IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS', to allow ranked-choice voting in municipal elections.

HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed H.B. No. 6882 REP. HORN, 64th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CHRISTMAS TREES IN STATE PUBLIC HIGHER EDUCATION DORMITORIES', to allow faculty and staff who live in state public higher education dormitories to have Christmas trees in their dormitories.

Proposed H.B. No. 6883 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST.; REP. BAKER, 124th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A "CORRECTIONS TO COLLEGE" PIPELINE FOR YOUTHFUL OFFENDERS', to create a "Corrections to College" pipeline program for youthful offenders reentering the community.

Proposed H.B. No. 6884 REP. KOKORUDA, 101st DIST.; REP. CANDELORA, 86th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO PROVIDE CONFIDENTIAL COUNSELING AND ADVOCACY SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT, STALKING OR INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE', to ensure that crisis counseling and advocacy services are available to victims of sexual assault, stalking or intimate partner violence at each residential campus of institutions of higher education.

Proposed H.B. No. 6885 REP. RYAN, 139th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING ACADEMIC FREEDOM AND WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION AT PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION', to protect any faculty member's right to free speech and academic expression at public institutions of higher education.

Proposed H.B. No. 6886 REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th DIST. 'AN ACT RESTRICTING THE EMPLOYMENT OF FAMILY MEMBERS IN THE SAME DEPARTMENT AT PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION', to eliminate the allowance for family members to be employed in the same department or division of a public institution of higher education.

Proposed H.B. No. 6887 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING APPRENTICESHIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR HIGH-GROWTH, HIGH-DEMAND JOBS', to establish a task force to identify high-growth, high-demand jobs and analyze the implementation and creation of partnerships that provide apprenticeship opportunities for such jobs.

Proposed H.B. No. 6888 REP. WOOD, 141st DIST.; REP. LAVIELLE, 143rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE MERGER OR CLOSURE OF INSTITUTIONS WITHIN THE CONNECTICUT STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES', to prohibit the merger or closure of institutions within the Connecticut State Colleges and Universities without the review and approval of the General Assembly.
Proposed H.B. No. 6889 REP. SIMMONS, 144th DIST. 'AN ACT PROVIDING EDUCATIONAL SUBSIDIES FOR STUDENTS STUDYING ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE, VIRTUAL REALITY, AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES OR QUANTUM COMPUTING,' to provide subsidies to students studying in fields related to emerging technologies if such students work in the state upon graduation.

Proposed H.B. No. 6890 REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; REP. TURCO, 27th DIST.; SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST.; REP. GILCHREST, 18th DIST.; REP. PALM, 36th DIST.; REP. SIMMONS, 144th DIST.; REP. LINEHAN, 103rd DIST.; REP. GARIBAY, 60th DIST.; REP. JOHNSON, 49th DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; REP. ELLIOTT, 88th DIST.; REP. HALL, 7th DIST.; REP. BORER, 115th DIST.; REP. VARGAS, 6th DIST.; REP. CURREY, 11th DIST.; REP. YOUNG, 120th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; REP. DATHAN, 142nd DIST.; REP. COOK, 65th DIST.; REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. WOOD, 29th DIST.; REP. SLAP, 19th DIST.; REP. ARCONTI, 109th DIST.; REP. DOUCETTE, 13th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. GUCKER, 138th DIST.; REP. GODFREY, 110th DIST.; REP. RILEY, 46th DIST.; REP. ORANGE, 48th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; REP. CONCEPCION, 4th DIST.; REP. WINKLER, 56th DIST.; REP. ARNONE, 58th DIST.; REP. MICHEL, 146th DIST.; REP. PHIPPS, 100th DIST.; REP. RYAN, 139th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING BEST PRACTICES BY INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN RESPONSE TO REPORTS OF SEXUAL ASSAULT, STALKING OR INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE,' to study the impact of the changes proposed to Title IX of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1972 and to ensure that students at institutions of higher education in the state are protected.

Proposed H.B. No. 6891 REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A DEDUCTION FROM THE PERSONAL INCOME TAX FOR STUDENT LOAN INTEREST,' to provide tax relief to persons paying student loan interest by establishing a deduction from the personal income tax for student loan interest.

HOUSING

Proposed H.B. No. 6892 REP. ROJAS, 9th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE'S CONSOLIDATED PLAN FOR HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT,' to specify certain fair housing goals in the state's consolidated plan for housing and community development and to report progress made towards such goals.

Proposed H.B. No. 6893 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING EXEMPTIONS FROM AND MORATORIUMS ON THE APPLICABILITY OF THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING LAND USE APPEALS PROCEDURE,' to reduce the threshold for exempting municipalities from the affordable housing land use appeals procedure and increase the term of the moratorium on the applicability of such procedure.

HUMAN SERVICES

Proposed H.B. No. 6894 REP. DATHAN, 142nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF A MEDICAID PUBLIC OPTION,' to require the Office of Health Strategy to develop a Medicaid Public Option plan.

Proposed H.B. No. 6895 REP. ABERCROMBIE, 83rd DIST. 'AN ACT PENALIZING PERSONS WHO MISREPRESENT THEMSELVES AS SOCIAL WORKERS,' to prevent unqualified persons from holding themselves out as and practicing as social workers.

Proposed H.B. No. 6896 REP. PAVALOCK-D'AMATO, 77th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING CERTAIN ABLE-BODIED MEDICAID RECIPIENTS TO WORK OR VOLUNTEER THEIR SERVICES,' to foster employment and voluntarism among certain eligible Medicaid recipients.
Proposed H.B. No. **6897** REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAID COVERAGE FOR DONOR BREAST MILK', to provide Medicaid coverage for medically necessary donor breast milk.

Proposed H.B. No. **6898** REP. RILEY, 46th DIST.; REP. RYAN, 139th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MOBILE DENTAL CLINICS', to expand the service area of mobile dental clinics.

Proposed H.B. No. **6899** REP. LOPES, 24th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT RATES FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES', to require the reimbursement rate for ambulance services to increase in alignment with Medicare cost-of-living adjustments.

Proposed H.B. No. **6900** REP. ABERCROMBIE, 83rd DIST. 'AN ACT PENALIZING UNAUTHORIZED USE OF THE TITLE "SOCIAL WORKER"', to ensure only qualified persons use the title of social worker.

Proposed H.B. No. **6901** REP. MORIN, 28th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAID SCHOOL-BASED CHILD HEALTH PROGRAMS' CLAIMS BILLING', to implement a cost-savings measure for municipalities who have Medicaid school-based child health programs.

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Proposed H.B. No. **6902** REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ARRESTS', to protect victims of domestic violence.

Proposed H.B. No. **6903** REP. WILSON, 66th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A GRANDPARENT'S ACCESS TO THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF HIS OR HER GRANDCHILD', to curtail the right of a grandparent to access the birth certificate of his or her grandchild in certain situations.

Proposed H.B. No. **6904** REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. BAKER, 124th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. ELLIOTT, 88th DIST.; REP. GIBSON, 15th DIST.; REP. HALL, 7th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; SEN. MCCORRY, 2nd DIST.; REP. MCGEE, 5th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; REP. REYES, 75th DIST.; REP. SANCHEZ, 25th DIST.; REP. STALLWORTH, 126th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE POLICE AND PROCEDURAL JUSTICE', to ensure that individuals have a sense of fairness of the process and about how they were treated after engaging with the police or the justice system.

Proposed H.B. No. **6905** REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SEX TRAFFICKING AND REGISTRATION AS A SEXUAL OFFENDER', to increase penalties for sex trafficking in Connecticut.

Proposed H.B. No. **6906** REP. KLARIDES, 114th DIST.; REP. CANDELORA, 86th DIST.; REP. O'DEA, 125th DIST.; REP. ONEILL, 69th DIST.; REP. KOKORUDA, 101st DIST.; REP. ZUPKUS, 89th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING ADULTS COERCING JUVENILES TO COMMIT GANG-RELATED CRIMES', to prevent adult offenders from utilizing juveniles in the commission of gang-related crimes.

Proposed H.B. No. **6907** REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A CLEAN SLATE IN THE CASE OF ERASED CRIMINAL RECORDS', to provide for automatic erasure of a person's criminal record.
Proposed H.B. No. 6908 REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING JUDICIAL BRANCH ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY', to establish an accountability and transparency metric for the purpose of analyzing judicial decisions and judicial sentencing for all state court judges.

Proposed H.B. No. 6909 REP. SIMMS, 140th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CHILD SUPPORT AND THE OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES', to ensure that (1) a court does not engage in gender bias when entering an order of support in a family relations matter, and (2) a child support obligor is aware of actions that may be taken by state or federal agencies that could result in loss of income or diminished future earning capacity.

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Proposed H.B. No. 6910 REP. MACLACHLAN, 35th DIST. 'AN ACT IMPROVING ANTI-HARASSMENT TRAINING OF EMPLOYEES', to improve anti-harassment training of employees and increase penalties for employers that fail to protect employees from harassment at work.

Proposed H.B. No. 6911 REP. YACCARINO, 87th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING REIMBURSEMENT TO EMPLOYEES FOR CERTAIN COSTS', to allow for the reimbursement of certain costs incurred by employees in the course of employment.

Proposed H.B. No. 6912 REP. VARGAS, 6th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING LIENS FOR UNPAID EMPLOYEE WAGES', to allow employees to easily file liens for unpaid wages.

Proposed H.B. No. 6913 REP. VARGAS, 6th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING COVENANTS NOT TO COMPETE', to prohibit employers from requiring certain employees from signing unfair covenants not to compete.

Proposed H.B. No. 6914 REP. ELLIOTT, 88th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING NONCOMPETE AGREEMENTS', to allow certain employees to find jobs after they leave their current employer.

Proposed H.B. No. 6915 REP. TERCYAK, 26th DIST. 'AN ACT APPLYING THE MINIMUM FAIR WAGE TO UBER AND LYFT DRIVERS', to apply the minimum fair wage to Uber and Lyft drivers.

Proposed H.B. No. 6916 REP. JOHNSON, 49th DIST. 'AN ACT EXPANDING REMEDIES AND POTENTIAL LIABILITY FOR UNREASONABLY CONTESTED OR DELAYED WORKERS’ COMPENSATION CLAIMS', to (1) prevent injured workers from losing their jobs due to undue delay in care, (2) limit the number of times doctors and attorneys attend hearings to ensure injured workers receive timely medical care, (3) prevent injured workers from going on long-term disability and losing their jobs, (4) help employers retain well-trained staff, and (5) prevent shifting the cost of workers’ compensation insurance coverage to the Medicaid program.

Proposed H.B. No. 6917 REP. ELLIOTT, 88th DIST. 'AN ACT APPLYING THE MINIMUM WAGE TO TIPPED EMPLOYEES', to apply the minimum wage to employees who receive tips.

Proposed H.B. No. 6918 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT EXPANDING THE AGES FOR MINORS TO BE EMPLOYED', to expand the ages at which minors may be employed.

Proposed H.B. No. 6919 REP. WILSON, 66th DIST. 'AN ACT EXCLUDING OVERTIME PAY AND LEGISLATIVE MILEAGE ALLOWANCES FROM THE CALCULATION OF STATE PENSIONS', to exclude overtime pay and legislative mileage allowances from the calculation of state pensions.
Proposed H.B. No. 6920 REP. WILSON, 66th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING STATE EMPLOYEE PENSION COSTS', to address state employee pension costs.

Proposed H.B. No. 6921 REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING DISCRIMINATION BASED ON A PERSON’S CRIMINAL HISTORY’, to prohibit discrimination based on a person's criminal history.

Proposed H.B. No. 6922 REP. WILSON, 66th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING RECIPIENTS OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION BENEFITS', to ensure that only unemployed persons who are actively seeking employment are receiving unemployment benefits.

Proposed H.B. No. 6923 REP. VARGAS, 6th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING PER DIEM EQUITY FOR STATE BOARD OF MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION ARBITRATORS', to ensure per diem compensation equity for state board of mediation and arbitration arbitrators.

Proposed H.B. No. 6924 REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING ON-CALL SHIFT SCHEDULING', to prohibit the unfair employment practice of on-call shift scheduling.

Proposed H.B. No. 6925 REP. PHIPPS, 100th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PREFERENCE FOR SUPPLIER DIVERSITY PROGRAM BUSINESSES IN AWARDING STATE CONTRACTS', to establish preferences in awarding state contracts to businesses participating in the supplier diversity program.

Proposed H.B. No. 6926 REP. D’AGOSTINO, 91st DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING PUBLIC EMPLOYERS TO PROVIDE EXCLUSIVE REPRESENTATIVES WITH CERTAIN EMPLOYEE-RELATED INFORMATION’, to provide more timely and accurate employee data.

Proposed H.B. No. 6927 REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING WAGE THEFT AND DEBARMENT', to establish reciprocity with other states so that contractors who are debarred for wage theft in those states are also recognized as debarred in Connecticut.

Proposed H.B. No. 6928 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING TEMPORARY EMPLOYMENT AGENCIES AND PAID SICK LEAVE’, to ensure that day and temporary workers are provided paid sick leave annually from temporary employment agencies and their subsidiaries.

Proposed H.B. No. 6929 REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING CERTAIN STATE AND MUNICIPAL WORKERS AND FIRST RESPONDERS TO FILE WORKERS’ COMPENSATION CLAIMS FOR INJURIES SUSTAINED WHILE TRAVELING TO AND FROM WORK’, to protect certain workers and first responders by allowing them to file workers' compensation claims for injuries sustained while traveling to and from work.

Proposed H.B. No. 6930 REP. D’AGOSTINO, 91st DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING UNION ACCESS TO AND NOTIFICATION OF NEW PUBLIC EMPLOYEE ORIENTATIONS’, to provide unions with access to and notice of employee orientations for new public employees.

Proposed H.B. No. 6931 REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING DOMESTIC WORKERS’, to expand the application of various labor laws to domestic workers.

Proposed H.B. No. 6932 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING VOLUNTARY FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE SAVINGS ACCOUNTS’, to support families in Connecticut.
Proposed H.B. No. 6933 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING DISCLOSURE OF THE SALARY RANGE OF A VACANT EMPLOYMENT POSITION', to require employers to disclose to applicants the salary range for an advertised vacant employment position.

Proposed H.B. No. 6934 REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING UNEMPLOYMENT CLAIMS FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES WHO ARE VICTIMS OF HOSTILE WORKPLACE HARASSMENT', to facilitate unemployment claims for certain employees who are victims of hostile workplace harassment.

Proposed H.B. No. 6935 REP. D'AGOSTINO, 91st DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHT OF A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE TO JOIN OR SUPPORT A UNION', to provide guidelines for employers issuing mass communications to employees regarding the rights of employees to join unions and to prohibit public employees from discouraging employees or applicants from becoming or remaining members of a union or being represented by one.

Proposed H.B. No. 6936 REP. D'AGOSTINO, 91st DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST. 'AN ACT CLARIFYING THE AUTHORIZATION PROCESS FOR EMPLOYEE PAYROLL DEDUCTIONS', to change and clarify the authorization process for employee payroll deductions.

**PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT**

Proposed H.B. No. 6937 REP. HAMPTON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT REGULATING SHORT-TERM RENTALS', to create specific standards and liability insurance requirements for short-term housing rentals.

Proposed H.B. No. 6938 REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING RELIEF FROM CERTAIN UNFUNDED MANDATES TO TIER III AND TIER IV MUNICIPALITIES', to provide relief from certain unfunded mandates to municipalities designated Tier III or Tier IV by the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management to assist such municipalities in realizing savings.

Proposed H.B. No. 6939 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF MUNICIPAL CULTURAL DISTRICTS', to increase visibility and awareness of municipal cultural institutions and encourage economic development.

Proposed H.B. No. 6940 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT AUTHORIZING EXTENDED LIQUOR SALES IN DESIGNATED NIGHTLIFE ENTERTAINMENT ZONES', to (1) attract young professionals to the state by encouraging growth of nightlife entertainment; and (2) help Connecticut nightlife businesses compete with neighboring states' nightlife businesses by allowing a later closing time.

Proposed H.B. No. 6941 REP. LUXENBERG, 12th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING THE ADOPTION OF NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF STANDARDS AND TECHNOLOGY STANDARDS FOR CONCRETE AGGREGATE', to adopt reasonable regulations regarding concrete aggregate.

**PUBLIC HEALTH**

H.B. No. 6942 (RAISED) PUBLIC HEALTH. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A COLLABORATIVE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS AND PHYSICIANS', to allow for a collaborative relationship between physician assistants and physicians.
H.B. No. 6943 (RAISED) PUBLIC HEALTH. 'AN ACT ALLOWING MEDICAL ASSISTANTS TO ADMINISTER VACCINES', to allow medical assistants to administer vaccines.

Proposed H.B. No. 6944 REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. BAKER, 124th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. ELLIOTT, 88th DIST.; REP. GIBSON, 15th DIST.; REP. HALL, 7th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; REP. MCGEE, 5th DIST.; SEN. MCCROY, 2nd DIST.; REP. REYES, 75th DIST.; REP. STALLWORTH, 126th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH CARE IN CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AND ACCESS TO INMATE MEDICAL RECORDS', to improve access to health care in correctional facilities and address access to inmate medical records.

Proposed H.B. No. 6945 REP. HAMPTON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE LABELING OF FLAME RETARDANT CHEMICALS IN INFANT AND CHILDREN'S PRODUCTS', to require infant and children's products to be labeled to indicate if the product contains flame retardant chemicals.

Proposed H.B. No. 6946 REP. GILCHREST, 18th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A LICENSE FOR ASSOCIATE MARITAL AND FAMILY THERAPISTS', to create a license for associate marital and family therapists.

Proposed H.B. No. 6947 REP. HORN, 64th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE RABIES VACCINATION FOR ANIMALS', to provide limited exemptions and clarity to state regulations regarding rabies vaccinations for pets.

Proposed H.B. No. 6948 REP. MCCARTHY VAHEY, 133rd DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING THE ANNUAL FEE FOR AN ELECTRONIC NICOTINE DELIVERY SYSTEM CERTIFICATE OF DEALER REGISTRATION', to increase the fee for an electronic nicotine delivery system certificate of dealer registration and to use such fee for the reduction of tobacco abuse.

Proposed H.B. No. 6949 REP. PAVALOCK-D’AMATO, 77th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING REFERENCES TO A TERMINAL CONDITION IN STATUTES GOVERNING REMOVAL OF LIFE SUPPORT SYSTEMS', to amend certain references on the living will form.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Proposed H.B. No. 6950 REP. NAPOLI, 73rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING INCREASED GRANTS FOR COMMUNITY POLICING', to bring restorative policing to our neighborhoods in order to increase safety by proactively deterring crime.

Proposed H.B. No. 6951 REP. COOK, 65th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMMUNICATION NEEDS OF PERSONS WHO ARE DEAF, HARD OF HEARING, OR DEAF-BLIND IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS', to address the communication needs of persons who are deaf, hard of hearing or deaf-blind in emergency situations.

Proposed H.B. No. 6952 REP. SIMMS, 140th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING POLYGRAPH EXAMINATIONS AS A CONDITION OF EMPLOYMENT AS A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER', to prohibit a law enforcement unit from requiring a polygraph examination as a condition of obtaining employment as a law enforcement officer.

Proposed H.B. No. 6953 REP. MACLACHLAN, 35th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING RESPONSE TO REQUESTS FOR ASSISTANCE DURING AND AFTER STORMS AND OTHER NATURAL DISASTERS', to require the Department of Emergency Services and Public
Protection to (1) respond to requests for assistance during and after storms and other natural disasters in a timely manner, (2) identify criteria for prioritizing responses to requests for assistance, and (3) identify goals for response times.

Proposed H.B. No. 6954 REP. ROJAS, 9th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF THE CONSOLIDATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS', to require a study of the consolidation of public safety answering points.

Proposed H.B. No. 6955 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT ADOPTING THE INTERNATIONAL PROPERTY MAINTENANCE CODE', to adopt the International Property Maintenance Code.

Proposed H.B. No. 6956 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING LATE SUBMISSION OF CLAIMS FOR LOTTERY PRIZES', to allow a person who submits a late claim for a lottery prize to receive the amount of the prize under certain conditions.

Proposed H.B. No. 6957 REP. DEMICCO, 21st DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING CERTAIN STATE BUILDINGS TO BE ACCESSIBLE TO PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES', to ensure that state buildings being renovated or buildings being leased to the state are accessible to persons with disabilities.

Proposed H.B. No. 6958 REP. HALL, 59th DIST.; REP. SREDZINSKI, 112th DIST.; REP. CARPINO, 32nd DIST.; REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING REGIONAL EXERCISES ON EMERGENCY RESPONSE', to require a joint regional exercise on responding to major emergencies at least once every two years.

TRANSPORTATION

Proposed H.B. No. 6959 REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SEAT BELTS ON SCHOOL BUSES', to require seat belts on all new school buses.

Proposed H.B. No. 6960 REP. CURREY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MOTOR VEHICLE NUMBER PLATES FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES', to provide members of the armed forces with special number plates.

Proposed H.B. No. 6961 REP. MILLER, 145th DIST. 'AN ACT REGULATING SURGE PRICING BY TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES', to protect consumers from surge pricing by transportation network companies by requiring the Commissioner of Transportation to establish the maximum rate that such companies may charge for a prearranged ride.

Proposed H.B. No. 6962 REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CROSSING CONTROL ARMS MOUNTED ON SCHOOL BUSES', to increase the visibility of the crossing control arm mounted on a school bus and reduce the risk of injury to children.

Proposed H.B. No. 6963 REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PASSES FOR STUDENTS IN ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS', to incentivize students enrolled in adult education programs to continue to attend such programs by providing them with free or reduced-fare access to public transportation.

Proposed H.B. No. 6964 REP. DUBITSKY, 47th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING GOVERNMENT ENTITIES FROM TRACKING PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES', to protect personal privacy by prohibiting a government entity from tracking passenger motor vehicles.

Proposed H.B. No. 6965 REP. FISHBEIN, 90th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE RETENTION OF INFORMATION COLLECTED USING INFRARED NUMBER PLATE
SCANNING TECHNOLOGY', to protect state residents from an unreasonably long retention of information collected using infrared number plate scanning technology.

Proposed H.B. No. 6966 REP. SANTIAGO, 84th DIST. 'AN ACT REPEALING THE PASSPORT TO THE PARKS PROGRAM', to reduce the number of fees for drivers in the state.

Proposed H.B. No. 6967 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING PREDATORY PRACTICES OF BUSINESSES IN RELATION TO THE DRIVE-ONLY MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR'S LICENSE', to protect consumers from the predatory tactics employed in assisting a person obtain a drive-only motor vehicle operator's license, including, but not limited to, requiring a person to purchase certain motor vehicle insurance or attend a certain driving school.

Proposed H.B. No. 6968 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT EXEMPTING LOW-INCOME RESIDENTS FROM PAYING POSSIBLE TOLLS TO USE CONNECTICUT'S HIGHWAYS', to exempt low-income residents from paying tolls in the event electronic tolling is implemented in the state.

Proposed H.B. No. 6969 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE INCOME-BASED EQUITY IMPACTS OF CONGESTION PRICING AND ELECTRONIC TOLLING', to study the income-based equity impacts of congestion pricing and electronic tolling.

Proposed H.B. No. 6970 REP. ROSARIO, 128th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SAFETY REFORMS FOR LIMOUSINES AND LARGE PASSENGER VEHICLES', to prohibit the operation of remanufactured limousines and ensure the safe operation of limousines and large passenger vehicles in the state.

Proposed H.B. No. 6971 REP. GREEN, 55th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING DRIVERS' SCHOOLS', to permit drivers' schools to conduct classes in multi-use rooms.

Proposed H.B. No. 6972 REP. CONCEPCION, 4th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING INCENTIVES FOR STATE EMPLOYEES TO USE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION', to establish incentives for state employees to use public transportation and thereby increase ridership, alleviate traffic and parking congestion and reduce carbon emissions.

Proposed H.B. No. 6973 REP. LAVIELLE, 143rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISPLAY OF NUMBER PLATES AT THE FRONT OF CERTAIN MOTOR VEHICLES', to exempt motor vehicles without a designated place and mounting hardware for a number plate on the front of the vehicle from the requirement that the vehicle display two number plates.

Proposed H.B. No. 6974 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE DURATION OF MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION', to increase the duration of motor vehicle registration to three years.

Proposed H.B. No. 6975 REP. FREY, 111th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE DURATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR'S LICENSE', to permit the Commissioner of Motor Vehicle to issue a motor vehicle operator's license for a period of eight years.

**VETERANS' AFFAIRS**

Proposed H.B. No. 6976 REP. BORER, 115th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION CHARGES FOR VETERANS', to allow veterans to use any state-owned or state-controlled public transportation service free of charge.
Proposed H.B. No. 6977 REP. LINEHAN, 103rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING ANNUAL FEES FOR VETERANS' CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS', to exempt veterans charitable organizations from paying an annual fee to the Secretary of the State.

Proposed H.B. No. 6978 REP. DELNICKI, 14th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING VETERANS' PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS', to allow veterans to exempt from their local property taxes an amount in proportion to their disability rating.

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Proposed H.J. No. 61 REP. MICHEL, 146th DIST. 'RESOLUTION PROPOSING A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO AUTOMATICALLY ADMIT EIGHTEEN-YEAR-OLD STATE RESIDENTS AS ELECTORS', to automatically register eighteen-year-old state residents to vote without requiring they apply for such registration.


JUDICIARY

Proposed H.J. No. 63 REP. O'NEILL, 69th DIST. 'RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ADDITIONAL TIME TO REVIEW AND CONSIDER CERTAIN JUDICIAL NOMINATIONS FROM THE GOVERNOR', to permit the General Assembly additional time to review and consider certain judicial nominations from the Governor.

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committee accepted and the resolutions placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 15 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF THE HONORABLE HUNCHU KWAK OF PORTLAND TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Senator Winfield of the 10th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Kissel of the 7th.

On motion of Senator Winfield of the 10th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 16 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF THE HONORABLE JOHN M. NEWSON OF BROOKLYN TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Senator Winfield of the 10th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Kissel of the 7th.
On motion of Senator Winfield of the 10th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

JUDICIARY. S.J. No. **17** RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF THE HONORABLE THOMAS V. O'KEEFE, JR. OF GUILFORD TO BE A STATE REFEREE.

Senator Winfield of the 10th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Kissel of the 7th.

On motion of Senator Winfield of the 10th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.R. No. **9** RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF SCOTT D. JACKSON OF HAMDEN TO BE COMMISSIONER OF REVENUE SERVICES.

Senator Duff of the 25th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Looney of the 11th and Senator Fasano of the 34th.

On a motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR

FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS RESOLUTION PLACED ON CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 1

The following favorable report was taken from the table, read the third time, the report of the Committee accepted and the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.J. No. **18** RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF STEPHEN V. PROSTOR OF NEW CANAAN TO BE A MEMBER OF THE CONNECTICUT COMMUTER RAIL COUNCIL.

Senator Duff of the 25th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Haskell of the 26th.

On motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 1.

CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 1 ADOPTED

The chair ordered the vote on business placed on Consent Calendar No. 1 be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 12:52 p.m.:

Total Number Voting ................................................................. 30

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On the roll call vote, Consent Calendar No. 1 was adopted.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO
Y 7 JOHN A. KISSEL
A 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS
Y 9 LESSER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY
Y 12 COHEN
Y 13 ABRAMS
Y 14 MARONEY
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY
Y 16 SAMPSON
Y 17 GEORGE LOGAN
Y 18 HEATHER SOMERS
Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 21 KEVIN KELLY
Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 23 BRADLEY
Y 24 KUSHNER
Y 25 BOB DUFF
Y 26 HASKELL
Y 27 CARLO LEONE
Y 28 TONY HWANG
Y 29 MAE M. FLEXER
A 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 32 ERIC BERTHEL
Y 33 NEEDLEMAN
Y 34 LEONARD FASANO
Y 35 CHAMPAGNE
Y 36 BERGSTEIN

IMMEDIATE TRANSMITTAL TO THE HOUSE

Senator Duff of the 25th moved immediate transmittal to the House of all resolutions needing further action by the House.

SENATE AGENDA NO. 2
BUSINESS FROM THE HOUSE
FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
JUDICIAL NOMINATIONS
HOUSE RESOLUTIONS PLACED ON CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 2

On the motion of Senator Winfield of the 10th, the rules were suspended to take up the following resolutions, the favorable reports of the Joint Standing Committee accepted and the resolutions placed on Consent Calendar No. 2.

JUDICIARY. H.J. No. 51 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF THE HONORABLE LISA KELLY MORGAN OF WETHERSFIELD TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Senator Winfield of the 10th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Kissel of the 7th.

On motion of Senator Winfield of the 10th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 2.
JUDICIARY. H.J. No. 52 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF THE HONORABLE M. NAWAZ WAHLA OF GLASTONBURY TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Senator Kissel of the 7th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Winfield of the 10th.

On motion of Senator Kissel of the 7th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 2.

BUSINESS FROM THE HOUSE
FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS
HOUSE RESOLUTION PLACED ON CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 2

On the motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the rules were suspended to take up the following resolution, the favorable report of the Joint Standing Committee accepted and the resolution placed on Consent Calendar No. 2.

Senator Duff of the 25th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Haskell of the 26th.

On motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the resolution was placed on Consent Calendar No. 2.

CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 2
ADOPTED

The chair ordered the vote on business placed on Consent Calendar No. 2 be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 1:10 p.m.:

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On the roll call vote, Consent Calendar No. 2 was adopted.

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SENATORS ABSENT

The following Senators may have missed some votes due to the following:

Senator Bradley of the 23rd District – Legislative Business
Senator Flexer of the 29th District – Legislative Business
Senator Witkos of the 8th District – Family Business

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the Senate at 1:12 p.m. adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE
SENATE BILL

The following report on a Senate Bill recommending a change of reference was received from the Committee indicated, the report of the Committee was accepted, and the bill referred as recommended:

HUMAN SERVICES. Proposed S.B. No. 295 AN ACT PROHIBITING THE DIVERSION OF CHILD CARE SUBSIDY FUNDING TO UNION DUES.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

CHANGES OF REFERENCE
HOUSE BILLS

The following reports on House Bills recommending a change of reference were received from the Committees indicated, the reports of the Committees accepted, and the bills referred as recommended.

HUMAN SERVICES. Proposed H.B. No. 5340 AN ACT INCREASING HEALTH CARE COSTS FOR LEGISLATORS TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR HUMAN SERVICES.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Insurance and Real Estate.

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Proposed H.B. No. 5434 AN ACT CONCERNING AUTOMATED SALES SOLICITATION CALLS.
The bill was referred to the Committee on General Law.

HUMAN SERVICES. Proposed H.B. No. 5509 AN ACT CONCERNING COST-EFFECTIVE, PRIVATE DELIVERY OF HUMAN SERVICES.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Proposed H.B. No. 5738 AN ACT PROHIBITING EMPLOYERS FROM REQUIRING EMPLOYEES TO HAVE FLU SHOTS.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Public Health.

HUMAN SERVICES. Proposed H.B. No. 5848 AN ACT LIMITING USE OF THE TITLE "SOCIAL WORKER".

The bill was referred to the Committee on Public Health.