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The Senate was called to order at 2:40 p.m. in accordance with the provisions of Senate Rule 9(d), and under the authority of the President Pro Tempore and the Senate Republican Leader.

The prayer was offered by Acting Chaplain, Norris Hawkins of East Hartford, Connecticut.

The following is the prayer:

Bless us this day. Grant us the power to refresh and renew our lives during this Spring season. Through your guidance, may we be better stewards, not only of the earth, but of the holy word.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 9(d) the Senate is called into Session, by the Office of the Senate Clerk's under the authority of the President Pro Tempore and the Senate Republican Leader.

It is hereby moved that Senate Agenda Number 1, dated Thursday, March 14, 2019, is adopted, the items on said Agenda shall be acted upon as indicated and that the Agenda shall be incorporated into the Senate Journal and Senate Transcript.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

In accordance with the provisions of Senate Rule 9(d), 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 SAFETY AND SECURITY

S.B. No. **17** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT AUTHORIZING SPORTS WAGERING, INTERNET GAMING AND INTERNET KENO', to authorize sports wagering, Internet gaming and Internet keno under certain circumstances.

S.B. No. **709** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A DIVISION OF CYBERSECURITY WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION', to create a Division of Cybersecurity within the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection.

HUMAN SERVICES

S.B. No. **1080** (RAISED) HUMAN SERVICES. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A TWO-GENERATIONAL INITIATIVE', to promote family economic success across generations through the establishment of a cabinet designed to help coordinate services.

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

S.B. No. **1081** (RAISED) PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL SET-ASIDE REQUIREMENTS', to exclude municipal public works contracts financed by five hundred thousand dollars or less of state funding from set-aside and affirmative action plan requirements.

S.B. No. **1082** (RAISED) PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSOLIDATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS', to require the Division of State-Wide Emergency Telecommunications to develop additional incentives for the regionalization of public safety answering points and make recommendations to the General Assembly for how to remove barriers to the consolidation of such answering points.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

H.B. No. **5658** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF RED AND BLUE LIGHTS ON VEHICLES OPERATED BY POLICE OFFICERS', to limit the use of red and blue steady illuminated lights visible from the front of a vehicle to vehicles operated by police officers.

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

H.B. No. **6113** (COMM) LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING EMPLOYERS FROM INQUIRING ABOUT DATE OF BIRTH OR DATE OF GRADUATION ON EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS', to restrict employers from requiring an applicant's date of birth or date of graduation on an initial employment application.

H.B. No. **6929** (COMM) LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. '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.

H.B. No. **6931** (COMM) LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. 'AN ACT CONCERNING DOMESTIC WORKERS', to expand the application of various labor laws to domestic workers.

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H.B. No. **7368** (RAISED) PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING REGIONALLY SHARED TECHNOLOGY', to make a technical correction.

H.B. No. **7369** (RAISED) PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING AFFORDABLE HOUSING TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FOR TOWNS', to require regional councils of government to develop guidelines for their member municipality regarding affordable housing and identify resources available to municipalities in the adoption of their individual affordable housing plans.

H.B. No. **7370** (RAISED) PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF MUNICIPAL GAIN TO SUPPORT REGIONALIZATION', to specify that a municipality may use the gain on each public utility pole reserved for such municipality for the purpose of consolidating back-office functions with other municipalities and other entities.

ADJOURNMENT

The Senate at 2:45 p.m. adjourned under provisions of Senate Rule 9(d) subject to the call of the chair.