The Senate was called to order at 12:30 p.m. in accordance with the provisions of Senate Rule 9(f), and under the authority of the President Pro Tempore and the Senate Republican Leader.

THE CHAIR:

The Senate will please come to order. Please give your attention to Acting Chaplain, Kathy Zabel of Burlington, Connecticut.

ACTING CHAPLAIN KATHY ZABEL:

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

THE CHAIR:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 9(f) 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 Monday, March 18, 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.
COMMUNICATION FROM THE GOVERNOR:
To be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

March 18, 2019

TO THE HONORABLE GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

Pursuant to Section 4-1a and 54-124a, of the Connecticut General Statutes, I have the honor and privilege to nominate and, with your advice and consent, reappoint Carleton J. Giles of Middletown, as the Chairperson of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, to serve a term coterminous with my term or until a successor is appointed and has qualified, whichever is longer.

SENATE RESOLUTIONS FAVORABLY REPORTED - to be tabled for the calendar.

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE
SR NO. 25 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF ANDREW MAIS OF WILTON TO BE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER.

SENATE BILL(S) FAVORABLY REPORTED WITH CHANGE OF REFERENCE - to be referred to committee(s) indicated.

HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT COMMITTEE
SB NO. 865 AN ACT CONCERNING NO OR LOW INTEREST STUDENT LOANS FOR CERTAIN STUDENTS.
Referred to Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding

REPORT(S) RECEIVED - to be referred to committee(s) indicated.
Report - Office of Policy and Management - State Facility Plan for 2019-2024. (Pursuant to Section 4-b-23 of the Connecticut General Statutes) Date received: March 15, 2019

Referred to Committees on Appropriations, Finance, Revenue and Bonding and Government Administration and Election.

Report - Connecticut Housing Finance Authority - Summary Report, Year-end Revenue and Expense Information of the Connecticut Housing Finance Authority's activities for Calendar Year 2018. (Pursuant to Section 8-260 of the Connecticut General Statutes) Date received: March 15, 2019

Referred to Committee on Housing, Appropriations and Finance, Revenue and Bonding.

INTRODUCTION OF SENATE AND HOUSE LIST OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS (LIST NO. 45) – to be waived and bills and resolutions to be referred to committee(s) indicated.

HOUSE BILL(S) FAVORABLY REPORTED WITH CHANGE OF REFERENCE -

to be referred to committee(s) indicated.

HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT COMMITTEE

HB NO. 7118 AN ACT FUNDING THE UNFUNDED PENSION LIABILITY PORTION OF THE FRINGE BENEFIT COST FOR CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF THE CONSTITUENT UNITS OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations
The Senate at 12:35 p.m. adjourned under provisions of Senate Rule 9(f) subject to the call of the chair.