

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

Monday, April 5, 2021

The House of Representatives was called to order at 7:16 o'clock p.m., in accordance with the provisions of House Rule 50, and under the authority of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the House Minority Leader.

Prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Ann M. Clark of Bloomfield, Connecticut.

The following is the prayer:

Let us pray. Lord, as we join together today, we ask for Your divine guidance in handling the matters placed before us. May the decisions we reach benefit the common good of all of our citizens. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Ann M. Clark of Bloomfield, Connecticut.

Pursuant to House Rule 50, the House of Representatives was called to order, by the Office of the House Clerk under the authority of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the House Minority Leader.

It was moved that the House agenda dated Monday, April 5, 2021 be adopted, and the items on said agenda - illustrating Business on the Clerk's desk - were acted upon as indicated, and the matters contained in the agenda were incorporated by reference into the House Journal and the House Transcript.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE RESOLUTION

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

APPROPRIATIONS. H.R. No. 12 RESOLUTION PROPOSING APPROVAL OF A COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND THE INTERNATIONAL UNION, UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS OF AMERICA (UAW), LOCAL UNION 6950.

FAVORABLE REPORTS OF JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES CHANGES OF REFERENCE HOUSE BILLS

The following favorable reports on the House Bills recommending a change of reference were received from the committees indicated, the bills read, the reports of the committees accepted, and the bills referred as recommended:

EDUCATION. Substitute for H.B. No. 6556 (RAISED) AN ACT ADDRESSING ISSUES CREATED BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC ON PUBLIC EDUCATION IN CONNECTICUT.

The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

EDUCATION. Substitute for H.B. No. 6557 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING.

The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

EDUCATION. Substitute for H.B. No. 6619 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A KINDERGARTEN TO EIGHT GRADE MODEL CURRICULUM.

The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

EDUCATION. H.B. No. 6620 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO READ AND ADDRESSING OPPORTUNITY GAPS AND EQUITY IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BUSINESS FROM THE SENATE FAVORABLE REPORTS OF JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES CHANGES OF REFERENCE SENATE BILLS

The following favorable reports on the Senate Bills recommending a change of reference were received from the committees indicated, the bills read, the reports of the committees accepted and the bills referred as recommended in concurrence:

TRANSPORTATION. Substitute for S.B. No. 241 AN ACT CONCERNING OVERSIGHT AND TRANSPARENCY AT THE CONNECTICUT PORT AUTHORITY. The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

EDUCATION. Substitute for S.B. No. 977 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING VIRTUAL LEARNING.

The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

EDUCATION. Substitute for S.B. No. 1034 (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING MINORITY TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION.

The bill was then referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR MATTERS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Pursuant to House Rule 50, the following matters were referred to the Committee on Appropriations in accordance with House Rule (20)(e)(ii).

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. H.B. No. 6383 (RAISED) (File No. 29) AN ACT CONCERNING CALL CENTERS AND NOTICE OF CLOSURES.

HUMAN SERVICES. H.B. No. 6469 (RAISED) (File No. 122) AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONNECTICUT HOME-CARE PROGRAM FOR THE ELDERLY.

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR MATTER REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES

Pursuant to House Rule 50, the following matter was referred to the Committee on Human Services in accordance with House Rule (20)(e)(ii).

AGING. H.B. No. 6456 (RAISED) (File No. 74) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO PROTECT SENIOR CITIZENS FROM FRAUD.

ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to House Rule 50, the House adjourned at 7:18 o'clock p.m., to meet again at the Call of the Chair.