



## JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

Monday, April 12, 2021

The House of Representatives was called to order at 8:11 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, may You provide a special blessing to those who serve in this Assembly. Allow them to fulfill their duties and obligations so that the concerns of all may be addressed. 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 12, 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.

### FAVORABLE REPORTS OF JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were received from the committees indicated, the bills read the second time and tabled for the Calendar and printing:

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 5164 (File No. 375) AN ACT CONCERNING INSTALLERS OF RESIDENTIAL VERTICAL PLATFORM LIFTS.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 5201 (File No. 376) AN ACT CONCERNING MUAY THAI AS A FORM OF MIXED MARTIAL ARTS.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 5586 (File No. 377) AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXPANSION OF THE CRISIS INITIATIVE PILOT PROGRAM THROUGHOUT THE STATE AND THE EMERGENCY INTERVENTION BY A POLICE OFFICER WHEN A PERSON SUFFERS AN OPIOID OVERDOSE.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 5722 (File No. 378) AN ACT ALLOWING A PERSONAL INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR STIPENDS PAID TO VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE MEMBERS.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 6034 (File No. 379) AN ACT CONCERNING PROJECT LONGEVITY.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. H.B. No. 6038 (File No. 380) AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROMOTION OF LOTTERY WINNINGS.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 6302 (File No. 381) AN ACT STUDYING THE CONSOLIDATION OF PUBLIC SAFETY ANSWERING POINTS.**

**INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE. Substitute for H.B. No. 6389 (RAISED) (File No. 382) AN ACT CONCERNING EXPLANATIONS OF BENEFITS.**

**INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE. Substitute for H.B. No. 6447 (File No. 383) AN ACT CREATING THE COVERED CONNECTICUT PROGRAM TO EXPAND ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 6451 (File No. 384) AN ACT CONCERNING GAMING AGREEMENTS WITH THE MASHANTUCKET PEQUOT TRIBE AND THE MOHEGAN TRIBE OF INDIANS OF CONNECTICUT.**

**PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. H.B. No. 6458 (RAISED) (File No. 385) AN ACT LOWERING THE AGE OF ELIGIBILITY FOR PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR SENIOR CITIZENS.**

**LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Substitute for H.B. No. 6474 (RAISED) (File No. 386) AN ACT CONCERNING COLLATERAL EMPLOYMENT CONSEQUENCES OF A CRIMINAL RECORD.**

**LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Substitute for H.B. No. 6475 (RAISED) (File No. 387) AN ACT CONCERNING PUBLIC ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS.**

**LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Substitute for H.B. No. 6477 (RAISED) (File No. 388) AN ACT CONCERNING VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS AND AMBULANCE COMPANIES AND THE DEFINITION OF EMPLOYER UNDER THE STATE OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ACT.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 6512 (RAISED) (File No. 389) AN ACT CONCERNING CONSUMER PROTECTIONS FOR SPORTS WAGERING.**

**LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Substitute for H.B. No. 6536 (RAISED) (File No. 390) AN ACT REQUIRING EMPLOYERS TO PROVIDE EMPLOYEES WORKING FROM HOME CERTAIN EQUIPMENT OR REIMBURSEMENT FOR CERTAIN NECESSARY EXPENDITURES.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 6599 (RAISED) (File No. 391) AN ACT EXAMINING THE MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT REPORT FORM USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.**

**PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for H.B. No. 6600 (RAISED) (File No. 392) AN ACT CONCERNING SMOKE DETECTION AND WARNING EQUIPMENT IN ALL RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS.**

**EDUCATION. Substitute for H.B. No. 6621 (RAISED) (File No. 393) AN ACT CONCERNING ASSORTED REVISIONS AND ADDITIONS TO THE EDUCATION STATUTES.**

**INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE. Substitute for H.B. No. 6623 (RAISED) (File No. 394) AN ACT CONCERNING PROPERTY AND CASUALTY INSURANCE.**

**BUSINESS FROM THE SENATE  
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES  
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

The following favorable reports of the Joint Standing Committees were received from the Senate, the resolutions read the second time and tabled for the Calendar:

**EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.J. No. 20 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF KEVIN J. O'CONNOR OF GREENWICH TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT.**

**EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.J. No. 21 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF ROBERT T. SIMMELKJAER II OF WESTPORT TO BE A MEMBER AND CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CONNECTICUT LOTTERY CORPORATION.**

**EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.J. No. 22 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF ROBERT NAMNOUM OF CANTON TO BE APPOINTED A MEMBER OF THE EDUCATION ARBITRATION BOARD.**

**EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.J. No. 23 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF SARAH HEALY EAGAN OF WEST HARTFORD TO BE REAPPOINTED AS THE CHILD ADVOCATE.**

**EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. S.J. No. 25 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF DR. JOHN BONETTI OF FARMINGTON TO BE A MEMBER OF THE PSYCHIATRIC SECURITY REVIEW BOARD.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 26 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF WILLIAM F. CLARK, ESQUIRE, OF NEW HAVEN TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 27 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF MAXIMINO MEDINA, JR., ESQUIRE, OF BRIDGEPORT TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 28 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF JESSICA TORRES SHLATZ, ESQUIRE, OF WEST HARTFORD TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 29 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF NDIDI N. MOSES, ESQUIRE, OF SEYMOUR TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 30 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF MICHAEL JAMES GUSTAFSON, ESQUIRE, OF WEST HARTFORD TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 31 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF KIMBERLY MASSICOTTE, ESQUIRE, OF BURLINGTON TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 33 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF JOHN A. CIRELLO, ESQUIRE, OF NEW HAVEN TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 34 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF CHRIS A. PELOSI, ESQUIRE, OF BERLIN TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 35 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF EDWARD VINCENT O'HANLAN, ESQUIRE, OF OLD LYME TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 36 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF ANGELICA N. PAPASTAVROS, ESQUIRE, OF KILLINGWORTH TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 37 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF THE HONORABLE GLADYS IDELIS NIEVES OF NEW HAVEN TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 38 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF H. GORDON HALL, ESQUIRE, OF NEW HAVEN TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 39 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF CARLA NASCIMENTO ZAHNER, ESQUIRE, OF WEST HARTFORD TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 40 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF LINDA ALLARD, ESQUIRE, OF WEST HARTFORD TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**JUDICIARY. S.J. No. 41 RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF CARLETHA S.P. TEXIDOR, ESQUIRE, OF SOUTHLINGTON TO BE A JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.**

**ADJOURNMENT**

Pursuant to House Rule 50, the House adjourned at 8:13 o'clock p.m., to meet again at the Call of the Chair.