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The Office of the Senate Clerk's under the authority of the President Pro Tempore and the Senate Republican Leader in accordance with the provisions of Senate Rule 9(A).

It is hereby moved that Senate Agenda Number 1, dated March 22, 2021, 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.

REPORT

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

Report – Auditors of Public Accounts – Department of Veterans Affairs for the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2018 and 2019 (Pursuant to Section 2-90 of the Connecticut General Statutes) Date received: March 19, 2021.

Referred to Committees on Appropriations, and Veterans' Affairs.

FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES SENATE BILLS

The following favorable reports were received from the Joint Standing Committees indicated, read the second time and tabled for the calendar and printing.

HOUSING. Substitute for S.B. No. **393** (COMM) (File No. 99) "AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF METHODS TO ALLEVIATE HIGH ROOM TEMPERATURES IN RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS."

HOUSING. S.B. No. **876** (RAISED) (File No. 100) "AN ACT CONCERNING BONDS OF BOARD MEMBERS AND OTHER EMPLOYEES OF THE CONNECTICUT HOUSING FINANCE AUTHORITY."

PUBLIC HEALTH. Substitute for S.B. No. **326** (RAISED) (File No. 98) "AN ACT PROHIBITING THE SALE OF FLAVORED CIGARETTES, TOBACCO PRODUCTS, ELECTRONIC NICOTINE DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND VAPOR PRODUCTS."

**FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
CHANGE OF REFERENCE
SENATE BILL**

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

AGING. S.B. No. **974** (RAISED) "AN ACT CONCERNING HOMEMAKER AND COMPANION SERVICES."

The bill was referred to the Committee on Housing.

**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. **570** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT AUTHORIZING A TRIBAL RESORT-CASINO IN BRIDGEPORT, SPORTS WAGERING, ONLINE CASINO GAMING AND ONLINE LOTTERY', to authorize a tribal resort-casino in Bridgeport, sports wagering, online casino gaming and online lottery.

S.B. No. **572** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING COMMUNITY CRISIS RESPONSE TEAMS AND REENTRY CENTERS', to establish programs to support alternative police response programs and individuals reentering the community from prison.

PUBLIC HEALTH

S.B. No. **1083** (RAISED) PUBLIC HEALTH. 'AN ACT CONCERNING VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH STATUTES', to make various revisions to the public health statutes.

HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

H.B. No. **5108** (COMM) HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT. 'AN ACT REQUIRING PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A POLICY REGARDING FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION ON CAMPUS', to require public institutions of higher education in the state to adopt a policy on freedom of expression on campus.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

H.B. No. **5164** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING INSTALLERS OF RESIDENTIAL VERTICAL PLATFORM LIFTS', to establish a residential vertical platform lift technician's license.

H.B. No. **5201** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MUAY THAI AS A FORM OF MIXED MARTIAL ARTS', to redefine the definition of mixed martial arts to include muay thai.

H.B. No. **5586** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT REQUIRING EXPANSION OF THE CRISIS INITIATIVE PILOT PROGRAM THROUGHOUT THE STATE', to require the Division of State Police to expand the CRISIS Initiative pilot program to all areas of the state.

H.B. No. **5722** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT ALLOWING A PERSONAL INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR STIPENDS PAID TO VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS AND VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE MEMBERS', to allow a personal income tax deduction for a stipend made by a municipality, volunteer fire department or volunteer ambulance association to a volunteer firefighter, fire police officer or volunteer ambulance member.

H.B. No. **6034** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING PROJECT LONGEVITY', to (1) expand the Project Longevity Initiative to the city of Waterbury, and (2) require the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management to create a plan to implement the initiative on a state-wide basis.

H.B. No. **6038** (COMM) PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROMOTION OF LOTTERY WINNINGS', to require the Connecticut Lottery Corporation to (1) obtain written consent before publishing the photograph of a person who redeems a winning lottery ticket on the corporation's Internet web site, and (2) remove a person's name from the list of winners published on such Internet web site upon request.