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The Senate was called to order at 3:08 p.m., President in the Chair.

The prayer was offered by Acting Chaplain, Kathy Zabel of Burlington, Connecticut

The following is the prayer:

Teach us the secret of loving. Help us to love one another and not put off until tomorrow the loving words we can say today

PLEDGE

Senator Miller of the 27th led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

BUSINESS FROM THE HOUSE FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES HOUSE BILLS

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

HOUSING. Substitute for H.B. No. **6531** (RAISED) (File Nos. 172 and 685) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHT TO COUNSEL IN EVICTION PROCEEDINGS, THE VALIDITY OF INLAND WETLANDS PERMITS IN RELATION TO CERTAIN OTHER LAND USE APPROVALS, AND EXTENDING THE TIME OF EXPIRATION OF CERTAIN LAND USE PERMITS." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A").

HUMAN SERVICES. Substitute for H.B. No. **6320** (RAISED) (File No. 23) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER ADVISORY COUNCIL."

JUDICIARY. Substitute for H.B. No. **6665** (RAISED) (File Nos. 582 and 683) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS ON OWNERSHIP OR OCCUPANCY OF REAL PROPERTY BASED ON RACE AND ELIMINATION OF THE RACE DESIGNATION ON MARRIAGE LICENSES." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A").

JUDICIARY. H.B. No. **6380** (RAISED) (File Nos. 26 and 684) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISCLOSURE OF SALARY RANGE FOR A VACANT POSITION." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A").

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. Substitute for H.B. No. **6645** (RAISED) (File Nos. 549 and 686) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE PLAN OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A").

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

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

H.J. No. **371** "RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE STATE PLAN OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT, "CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT POLICIES: THE PLAN FOR CONNECTICUT, 2018-2023"."

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. H.J. No. **372** "RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF NICHOLAS KAPOOR OF MONROE TO BE A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AND OPPORTUNITIES."

EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE NOMINATIONS. H.J. No. **373** "RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF JOHN W. BETKOSKI III OF BEACON FALLS TO BE REAPPOINTED A UTILITY COMMISSIONER OF THE PUBLIC UTILITY REGULATORY AUTHORITY."

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS. Substitute for H.J. No. **58** (COMM) (File No. 96) "RESOLUTION PROPOSING A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ALLOW NO-EXCUSE ABSENTEE VOTING."

**BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILL PASSED**

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the bill placed on Consent Calendar 1.

AGING. Substitute for S.B. No. **975** (RAISED) (File No. 193) "AN ACT STRENGTHENING THE BILL OF RIGHTS FOR LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS."

Senator Miller of the 27th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8481) and moved adoption.

Remarking were Senators Kelly of the 21st, and Witkos of the 8th.

On a voice vote the amendment was adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

Strike lines 77 and 78 in their entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof: "to representatives of the Department of Public Health or the Office of the Long-Term Care Ombudsman: (7)"

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2021*) (a) For purposes of this section:

(1) "Nursing home facility" has the same meaning as provided in section 19a-490 of the general statutes;

(2) "Resident" means a resident of a nursing home facility;

(3) "Resident representative" means (A) a court-appointed conservator of the person or guardian, (B) a health care representative appointed pursuant to section 19a-575a of the general statutes, or (C) if there is no court-appointed conservator of the person or guardian, or health care representative, a person who is (i) designated in a written document signed by the resident and included in the resident's records on file with the facility, or (ii) if there is no such written document, a person who is a legally liable relative or other responsible party, provided such person is not an employer or contractor of the facility;

(4) "Technology" means a device capable of remote audio or video communications that may include recording capabilities;

(5) "Virtual monitoring" means remote monitoring of a resident by a third party via technology owned and operated by the resident in the resident's room or living quarters; and

(6) "Virtual visitation" means remote visitation between a resident and family members or other persons with technology.

(b) A resident shall have the right to use technology of the resident's choice that facilitates virtual monitoring or virtual visitation, provided:

(1) The purchase, activation, installation, maintenance, repair, operation, deactivation and removal of such technology is at the expense of the resident;

(2) The technology and any recordings and images obtained therefrom are used by the resident and any person communicating with the resident or monitoring the resident in a manner that does not violate any individual's right to privacy under state or federal law and in accordance with the provisions of this section;

(3) A clear and conspicuous notice is placed on the door of the resident's room or living unit indicating that technology enabling virtual monitoring and intended for such use may be in use;

(4) In cases where the resident intends to use technology for virtual monitoring in shared living situations, the resident or resident representative provides advance notice to a roommate or the roommate's representative specifying the type of technology, the proposed location of the device, its intended use, intended hours of operation and whether the device is capable of recording audio or video or being activated remotely;

(5) The resident or resident representative (A) obtains the written consent of all roommates or resident representatives of all roommates for the use of the technology for virtual monitoring, and (B) if any roommate withdraws consent, ceases using the technology for virtual monitoring until consent is obtained; and

(6) The resident or resident representative files a signed, written notice with the nursing home facility and a copy of any written consent of any roommate not less than seven days before installing or using such technology for virtual monitoring that (A) identifies the type of technology, its intended use, intended hours of operation and location of such technology in the room or living quarters, (B) states whether the technology is capable of recording audio or video or being activated or controlled remotely, (C) acknowledges that the resident is responsible for the purchase, activation, installation, maintenance, repair, operation, deactivation and removal of such technology, and (D) includes a waiver of all civil, criminal and administrative liability for the nursing home facility in accordance with subsection (d) of this section.

Except for the provisions of subdivision (2) of this subsection, the provisions of this subsection shall not apply to cellular mobile telephones used primarily for telephonic communication or tablets not used for virtual monitoring. If a roommate withdraws consent for the use of technology for virtual monitoring, a resident or resident representative shall inform the facility, in writing, not later than seven days after the roommate withdraws consent.

(c) (1) A nursing home facility shall provide Internet access, electricity and a power source for technology used for virtual monitoring or virtual visitation at no cost to a resident, provided (A) a nursing home facility includes the cost of providing Internet access in cost reports filed with the Department of Social Services for purposes of Medicaid reimbursement, (B) the cost is reimbursed to the facility if the department determines that such cost is eligible for reimbursement pursuant to section 17b-340 of the general statutes, (C) the Commissioner of Social Services uses any available funding provided by the federal government to the state and authorized by the federal government for expenses related to COVID-19 at nursing home facilities to provide grants-in-aid to such facilities for such upgrades, provided such use is approved by the federal government, and (D) a nursing home facility may assess a prorated portion of any unreimbursed cost of such upgrades to any resident privately paying for a residence in such facility and using such technology. A resident may also procure his or her own Internet connectivity. A private-paying resident who procures his or her own Internet connectivity shall not be charged for the cost of any Internet infrastructure upgrades by the nursing home facility necessary for residents to use such technology.

(2) A nursing home facility may establish policies and procedures on the use of technology for virtual monitoring addressing (A) except for cellular mobile telephones used primarily for telephonic communication or tablets not used for virtual monitoring, placement of any technology device in a conspicuously visible, stationary location in the resident's room or living quarters, (B) restrictions on use of the technology to record video or audio outside the resident's room or living quarters or in any shared common space, (C) compliance with applicable federal, state and local life safety and fire protection requirements, (D) limitations on use of technology for virtual monitoring when such use will interfere with resident care or privacy unless the resident, a roommate of the resident, or his or her resident representative, consents to such use, (E) the ability to limit use of technology in the event of a disruption to the facility's Internet service, and (F) actions that the nursing home facility may take for failure to comply with applicable federal, state and local laws or facility policy in the use of technology and the process by which a resident may appeal such actions.

(d) A nursing home facility shall be immune from any civil, criminal or administrative liability for any (1) violation of privacy rights of any individual under state or federal law caused by a resident's use of technology; (2) damage to the resident's technology, including, but not limited to, malfunction not caused by the negligence of the nursing home facility; and (3) instance when audio or video produced by the resident's technology is inadvertently or intentionally disclosed to, intercepted or used by an unauthorized third party.

(e) A nursing home facility shall place a conspicuous notice (1) at the entrance to the facility indicating that technology enabling virtual monitoring or virtual visitation may be in use in some residents' rooms or living quarters; and (2) except for cellular mobile telephones used primarily for telephonic communication or tablets not used for virtual monitoring, on the door of any resident's room or living quarters where such technology may be used for virtual monitoring. In cases where any roommate of a resident refuses to give consent for use of technology for virtual monitoring that may capture audio or video of the roommate, a nursing home facility shall work with both the resident and the roommate to seek an acceptable accommodation for use of the technology with the roommate's consent. If the roommate continues to refuse consent, the nursing home facility shall work with the resident wishing to use such technology to develop an alternative, including transfer to another room with a roommate who consents to use of the technology, provided an appropriate room is available and the resident is able to pay any difference in price if the new room is more costly than the resident's current room.

(f) The Office of the Long-Term Care Ombudsman may provide standard forms on its Internet web site for (1) notice by a resident to a nursing home facility of the resident's plan to install and use technology of his or her choice for virtual monitoring; (2) consent forms for any roommate of a resident who wishes to use technology for virtual monitoring that may capture audio or video of the roommate; and (3) forms for a resident or resident representative to notify the facility that a roommate has withdrawn consent for use of technology for virtual monitoring. The Office of the Long-Term Care Ombudsman shall develop such standard forms in consultation with nursing home facility representatives and the Department of Public Health.

(g) The Commissioner of Public Health may adopt regulations in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes to implement the provisions of this section."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>October 1, 2021</i>	New section

Remarking was Senator Miller of the 27th.

On motion of Senator Miller of the 27th, the bill was placed on the Consent Calendar.

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
SENATE AMENDMENT ADOPTED
SENATE AMENDMENTS REJECTED
BILL PASSED

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the bills passed.

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. Substitute for S.B. No. **908** (RAISED) (File No. 287) "AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO CERTAIN PUBLIC EMPLOYEES BY THE EXCLUSIVE BARGAINING REPRESENTATIVE OF A PUBLIC EMPLOYER BARGAINING UNIT."

Senator Kushner of the 24th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8219), moved adoption and requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

Remarking were Senators Sampson of the 16th, Witkos of the 8th, Hwang of the 28th, Formica of the 20th, Sampson of the 16th, Kushner of the 24th,

Senator Sampson of the 16th requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

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On the roll call vote Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8219) was Adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

In line 45, strike "any" and insert in lieu thereof "the applicable arbitration"

In line 85, strike "and, if possible,"

In line 173, strike "5-272," and "7-470,"

Looney of the 11th in the chair

Remarking was Senator Sampson of the 16th.

President in the chair.

Senator Sampson of the 16th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "B" (LCO 8405), moved adoption and requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

Remarking were Senators Kushner of the 24th, and Martin of the 31st,

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 5:34 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	12
Those voting Nay	23
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Amendment Schedule “B” (LCO 8405) was rejected.

The following is the roll call vote:

N 1	JOHN W. FONFARA	N 19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
N 2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20	PAUL M. FORMICA
N 3	SAUD ANWAR	Y 21	KEVIN C. KELLY
N 4	STEVE CASSANO	N 22	MARILYN MOORE
N 5	DEREK SLAP	N 23	DENNIS BRADLEY
N 6	RICK LOPES	N 24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7	JOHN A. KISSEL	N 25	BOB DUFF
Y 8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	N 26	WILL HASKELL
N 9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	N 27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
N 10	GARY WINFIELD	Y 28	TONY HWANG
N 11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	N 29	MAE FLEXER
N 12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30	CRAIG MINER
N 13	MARY ABRAMS	Y 31	HENRI MARTIN
N 14	JAMES MARONEY	Y 32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
N 15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y 16	ROB SAMPSON	Y 34	PAUL CICARELLA
N 17	JORGE CABRERA	Y 35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	N 36	ALEX KASSER

The following is the Amendment.

In line 8, strike ", if possible, with real-time electronic"

In line 9, strike "transmission of new hire data but in no event" and insert in lieu thereof "not"

In line 11, after "earlier." insert "A public employer shall not disclose any information to an exclusive representative pursuant to this section concerning any newly hired employee who has provided written notice to the public employee requesting that such employee's information not be disclosed."

In line 83, after "shall" insert ", if authorized by the employee via written authorization provided to the public employee"

In line 87, after "home address" insert a comma and strike "and, if"

Strike line 88 in its entirety

In line 89, strike "exclusive representative, the employee's"

Senator Sampson of the 16th offered Senate Amendment Schedule “C” (LCO 8413), moved adoption and requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

Remarking were Senators Champagne of the 35th, Kushner of the 24th, Witkos of the 8th, and Champagne of the 35th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 5:53 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	12
Those voting Nay	23
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Amendment Schedule "C" (LCO 8413) was Rejected.

The following is the roll call vote:

N 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	N 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
N 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
N 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
N 4 STEVE CASSANO	N 22 MARILYN MOORE
N 5 DEREK SLAP	N 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
N 6 RICK LOPES	N 24 JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	N 25 BOB DUFF
Y 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	N 26 WILL HASKELL
N 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	N 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
N 10 GARY WINFIELD	Y 28 TONY HWANG
N 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	N 29 MAE FLEXER
N 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30 CRAIG MINER
N 13 MARY ABRAMS	Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
N 14 JAMES MARONEY	Y 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
N 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y 16 ROB SAMPSON	Y 34 PAUL CICARELLA
N 17 JORGE CABRERA	Y 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	N 36 ALEX KASSER

The following is the Amendment.

In line 78, after "(d)" insert "(1)"

After line 96, insert the following:

"(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of this section, each public employer shall provide notice to and obtain written informed consent from an employee each time such public employer seeks to release employee information to a public employee organization, prior to releasing such employee information to the public employee organization. If an employee does not provide written informed consent for such release, such public employer shall not release such employee information to the public employee organization."

Senator Sampson of the 16th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "D" (LCO 8393), moved adoption and requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

Remarking was Senator Champagne of the 35th.

Osten of the 19th in the chair.

Remarking was Senator Kushner of the 24th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 6:06 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	12
Those voting Nay	23
Those absent and not voting	1

On the roll call vote Senate Amendment Schedule “D” (LCO 8393) was rejected.

The following is the roll call vote:

N 1	JOHN W. FONFARA	N 19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
N 2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20	PAUL M. FORMICA
N 3	SAUD ANWAR	Y 21	KEVIN C. KELLY
N 4	STEVE CASSANO	N 22	MARILYN MOORE
N 5	DEREK SLAP	N 23	DENNIS BRADLEY
N 6	RICK LOPES	N 24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7	JOHN A. KISSEL	N 25	BOB DUFF
Y 8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	N 26	WILL HASKELL
N 9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	N 27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
N 10	GARY WINFIELD	Y 28	TONY HWANG
N 11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	N 29	MAE FLEXER
N 12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30	CRAIG MINER
N 13	MARY ABRAMS	Y 31	HENRI MARTIN
N 14	JAMES MARONEY	Y 32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
N 15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y 16	ROB SAMPSON	Y 34	PAUL CICARELLA
N 17	JORGE CABRERA	Y 35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	N 36	ALEX KASSER

The following is the Amendment.

Strike lines 22 to 25, inclusive, in their entirety and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

"(b) (1) Not less than days before a public employer's new employee orientation, the public employer shall provide written or electronic notice of such orientation to the exclusive representative, except that a"

In line 31, after "access" insert "to the new employee orientation"

Strike subsection (c) of section 1 in its entirety and renumber the remaining sections and internal references accordingly

Strike subsections (e) and (f) of section 1 in their entirety and renumber the remaining sections and internal references accordingly

Senator Sampson of the 16th offered Senate Amendment Schedule “E” (LCO 8496), moved adoption and requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

Remarking were Senators Champagne of the 35th, and Kushner of the 24th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 6:18 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
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Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	12
Those voting Nay	23
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Amendment Schedule “E” (LCO 8496) was rejected.

The following is the roll call vote:

N 1	JOHN W. FONFARA	N 19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
N 2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20	PAUL M. FORMICA
N 3	SAUD ANWAR	Y 21	KEVIN C. KELLY
N 4	STEVE CASSANO	N 22	MARILYN MOORE
N 5	DEREK SLAP	N 23	DENNIS BRADLEY
N 6	RICK LOPES	N 24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7	JOHN A. KISSEL	N 25	BOB DUFF
Y 8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	N 26	WILL HASKELL
N 9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	N 27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
N 10	GARY WINFIELD	Y 28	TONY HWANG
N 11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	N 29	MAE FLEXER
N 12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30	CRAIG MINER
N 13	MARY ABRAMS	Y 31	HENRI MARTIN
N 14	JAMES MARONEY	Y 32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
N 15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y 16	ROB SAMPSON	Y 34	PAUL CICARELLA
N 17	JORGE CABRERA	Y 35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	N 36	ALEX KASSER

The following is the Amendment.

Strike subsection (e) of section 1 in its entirety and renumber the remaining sections and internal references accordingly

Remarking were Senators Sampson of the 16th, Champagne of the 35th, Formica of the 20th, Kushner of the 24th, and Kelly of the 21st, and Looney of the 11th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 7:53 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	22
Those voting Nay	13
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule “A” (LCO 8496) was Passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1	JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	N 20	PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3	SAUD ANWAR	N 21	KEVIN C. KELLY

Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 5 DEREK SLAP	Y 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
Y 6 RICK LOPES	Y 24 JULIE KUSHNER
N 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	Y 25 BOB DUFF
N 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y 26 WILL HASKELL
Y 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD	N 28 TONY HWANG
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	N 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	N 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	N 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
N 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N 16 ROB SAMPSON	N 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	N 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
N 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
MATTER RETURNED FROM COMMITTEE
FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL PASSED

The following favorable report was taken from the table, read the third time, the report of the Committee indicated, the report of the Committee accepted and the bill Passed.

APPROPRIATIONS. S.B. No. **1045** (RAISED) (File No. 370) "AN ACT CONCERNING STEP THERAPY, ADVERSE DETERMINATION AND UTILIZATION REVIEWS, AND HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CHILDREN, STEPCHILDREN AND OTHER DEPENDENT CHILDREN."

Senator Lesser of the 9th explained the bill and moved passage.

Remarking were Senators Hwang of the 28th, and Looney of the 11th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 8:44 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	34
Those voting Nay	1
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 1045 was passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE

Y	5	DEREK SLAP	Y	23	DENNIS BRADLEY
Y	6	RICK LOPES	Y	24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y	7	JOHN A. KISSEL	Y	25	BOB DUFF
Y	8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y	26	WILL HASKELL
Y	9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y	27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y	10	GARY WINFIELD	Y	28	TONY HWANG
Y	11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y	29	MAE FLEXER
Y	12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y	30	CRAIG MINER
Y	13	MARY ABRAMS	Y	31	HENRI MARTIN
Y	14	JAMES MARONEY	Y	32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y	15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A	33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N	16	ROB SAMPSON	Y	34	PAUL CICARELLA
Y	17	JORGE CABRERA	Y	35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y	18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y	36	ALEX KASSER

Looney of the 11th in the Chair.

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILL PASSED

The following favorable report was taken from the table, read the third time, the report of the Committee indicated, the report of the Committee accepted and the passed.

ENVIRONMENT. Substitute for S.B. No. **837** (RAISED) (File No. 126) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF PERFLUOROALKYL OR POLYFLUOROALKYL SUBSTANCES IN CLASS B FIREFIGHTING FOAM."

Senator Cohen of the 12th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8517), moved adoption and requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

Remarking was Senator Miner of the 30th.

On a voice vote the amendment was adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

"Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) As used in this section:

(1) "Perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substance" means a class of fluorinated organic chemicals containing at least one fully fluorinated carbon atom;

(2) "Class B firefighting foam" means a foam used for the purpose of extinguishing flammable liquid fires; and

(3) "Testing" includes calibration testing, conformance testing and fixed system testing as required by state or municipal law or policy.

(b) (1) On and after the effective date of this section, no person, local government or state agency shall use a class B firefighting foam that contains an intentionally added perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substance in any amount for training or testing purposes.

(2) Except as provided in subdivisions (3) to (5), inclusive, of this subsection, on and after October 1, 2021, no person shall use a class B firefighting foam that contains an intentionally added perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substance for any vapor suppression or firefighting

purpose unless such fire is a flammable liquid-based fire and the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection fails to identify an alternative to such use on or before July 1, 2021.

(3) For any airport-related entity with a facility that utilizes a fire suppression system containing class B firefighting foam that contains an intentionally added perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substance, on or before the effective date of this section, mitigation measures shall be employed to prevent releases of such foam into the environment, including the implementation of plans and physical features that are designed to prevent releases of such foam into the environment through the use of containment, treatment, and disposal of such foam, even when such foam is deployed in its intended manner. Not later than October 1, 2023, any such system shall be removed or repurposed to remove such firefighting foam.

(4) No person required by federal law to use a class B firefighting foam that contains an intentionally added perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substance in any amount shall use such foam upon the earlier of the following: (A) A change in federal law prohibiting the use of such foam, or (B) one year after a change in federal law to no longer require the use of such foam.

(5) Any person who operates a chemical plant, oil refinery, or terminal, storage or distribution facility for flammable liquids may request an extension of time for compliance with the requirements of subdivision (2) of this subsection by applying to the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection for such an extension. Any such request shall specify why such extension is necessary and what containment, treatment, and disposal measures will be employed to prevent releases of such class B firefighting foam that contains an intentionally added perfluoroalkyl or polyfluoroalkyl substance into the environment until compliance with subdivision (2) of this subsection can be achieved. The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection may grant such an extension if the commissioner determines that such extension is necessary to remove or repurpose a fire suppression system containing such foam. Any such extension that is granted by the commissioner pursuant to this subdivision shall be limited to not longer than two years.

(c) Not later than October 1, 2021, the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection shall develop or identify a take-back program for municipally owned class B firefighting foam containing perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances that results in the application of best management practices for the disposal of such substances.

(d) The provisions of this section may be enforced, within available appropriations, by the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection.

Sec. 2. Section 22a-255h of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

As used in sections 22a-255g to 22a-255m, inclusive:

(1) "Package" means any container, produced either domestically or in a foreign country, used for the marketing, protecting or handling of a product and includes a unit package, an intermediate package and a shipping container, as defined in the American Society of Testing and Materials specification D966. "Package" also means any unsealed receptacle such as a carrying case, crate, cup, pail, rigid foil or other tray, wrapper or wrapping film, bag or tub.

(2) "Distributor" means any person who takes title or delivery from the manufacturer of a package, packaging component or product, produced either domestically or in a foreign country, to use for promotional purposes or to sell.

(3) "Packaging component" means any part of a package, produced either domestically or in a foreign country, including, but not limited to, any interior or exterior blocking, bracing, cushioning, weatherproofing, exterior strapping, coating, closure, ink, label, dye, pigment, adhesive, stabilizer or other additive. Tin-plated steel that meets specification A623 of the American Society of Testing and Materials shall be considered as a single packaging component. Electro-galvanized coated steel and hot dipped coated galvanized steel that meets the American Society of Testing and Materials specifications A653, A924, A879 and A591 shall be treated in the same manner as tin-plated steel.

(4) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection or an authorized agent or designee of the commissioner.

(5) "Department" means the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection.

(6) "Intermediate package" means a wrap, box, or bundle which contains two or more unit packages of identical items.

(7) "Unit package" means the first tie, wrap, or container applied to a single item, a quantity of the same item, a set, or an item with all its component parts, which constitutes a complete and identifiable package containing the unit of issue of a product for ultimate use.

(8) "Shipping container" means a container which is sufficiently strong to be used in commerce for packing, storing and shipping commodities.

(9) "Container" means a receptacle capable of closure.

(10) "Intentionally introduced" means deliberately utilized regulated metal or PFAS in the formulation of a package or packaging component where the continued presence of such metal or PFAS is desired in the final package or packaging component to provide a specific characteristic, appearance or quality. The use of a regulated metal as a processing agent or intermediate to impart certain chemical or physical changes during manufacturing where the incidental retention of a residue of said metal in the final package or packaging component is neither desired nor deliberate shall not be considered intentional introduction for the purposes of this section where such package or component is in compliance with subsection (c) of section 22a-255i, as amended by this act. The use of PFAS as a processing agent, mold release agent or intermediate is considered intentional introduction for the purposes of this section where PFAS is detected in the final package or packaging component. The use of post-consumer recycled materials as feedstock for the manufacture of new packaging materials where some portion of the recycled materials may contain amounts of the regulated metals or PFAS shall not be considered intentional introduction for the purposes of this section provided the new package or packaging component is in compliance with subsection (c) or (e) of section 22a-255i, as amended by this act, as applicable.

(11) "Distribution" means the process for transferring a package or packaging component for promotional purposes or resale. Persons involved solely in delivering a package or packaging component on behalf of third parties shall not be considered distributors.

(12) "Manufacturer" means any person producing a package or packaging component as defined in subdivision (3) of this section.

(13) "Manufacturing" means the physical or chemical modification of a material to produce packaging or packaging components.

[(14) "Supplier" means any person, firm, association, partnership or corporation which sells, offers for sale or offers for promotional purposes packages or packaging components which will be used by any other person to package a product.]

(14) "Incidental presence" means the presence of a regulated metal as an unintended or undesired ingredient of a package or packaging component.

(15) "Perfluoroalkyl and polyfluoroalkyl substances" or "PFAS" means all members of the class of fluorinated organic chemicals containing at least one fully fluorinated carbon atom.

(16) "Post-consumer recycled material" means a material generated by households or by commercial, industrial and institutional facilities as end-users of the product which can no longer be used for its intended purpose, including returns of material from the distribution chain. "Post-consumer recycled material" does not include refuse-derived fuel or other material that is destroyed by incineration.

(17) "Food packaging" means any package or packaging component that is applied to or in direct contact with any food or beverage.

Sec. 3. Section 22a-255i of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

(a) As soon as feasible, but not later than October 1, 1992, no package or packaging component shall be offered for sale or promotional purposes in this state, by its manufacturer or distributor, if it is composed of any lead, cadmium, mercury or hexavalent chromium which has been intentionally introduced during manufacturing or distribution, as opposed to the incidental presence of any of these substances.

(b) As soon as feasible, but not later than October 1, 1992, no product shall be offered for sale or promotional purposes, in this state by its manufacturer or distributor, in a package which is composed of any lead, cadmium, mercury or hexavalent chromium which has been intentionally introduced during manufacturing or distribution, as opposed to the incidental presence of any of these substances.

(c) No package or packaging component shall be offered for sale or promotional purposes in this state by its manufacturer or distributor if the sum of the incidental concentration levels of lead,

cadmium, mercury and hexavalent chromium present in such package or packaging component exceeds the following: Six hundred parts per million by weight, effective October 1, 1992; two hundred fifty parts per million, effective October 1, 1993; and one hundred parts per million by weight, effective October 1, 1994.

(d) Concentration levels of lead, cadmium, mercury, and hexavalent chromium shall be determined using the United States Environmental Protection Agency Tests Methods for Evaluating Solid Waste, SW-846, as revised.

(e) As soon as feasible, but not later than December 31, 2023, no food package to which PFAS has been intentionally introduced during manufacturing or distribution in any amount shall be offered for sale or for promotional purposes in this state by its manufacturer or distributor.

(f) No material used to replace a chemical regulated by sections 22a-255g to 22a-255m, inclusive, in a package or packaging component may be used in a quantity or manner that creates a hazard as great as, or greater than, the hazard created by the chemical regulated by sections 22a-255g to 22a-255m, inclusive.

Sec. 4. Section 22a-255k of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

[No manufacturer or distributor of a product shall be deemed to have violated any provision of sections 22a-255g to 22a-255m, inclusive, if such manufacturer or distributor can show that, in the purchase of a package or packaging component, he relied in good faith on the written assurance of the manufacturer of such packaging or packaging component that such packaging or packaging component met the requirements of section 22a-255i. Such written assurance shall take the form of a certificate of compliance stating that a package or packaging component is in compliance with the requirements of sections 22a-255g to 22a-255m, inclusive, provided if compliance is achieved pursuant to an exemption provided in section 22a-255j, the certificate shall state the specific basis upon which the exemption is claimed. The certificate of compliance shall be signed by an authorized official of the manufacturer or distributor. A manufacturer or distributor of a package or packaging component shall furnish a copy of the certificate of compliance to the commissioner upon his request.]

(a) Upon request, a certificate of compliance stating that a package or packaging component is in compliance with the requirements of sections 22a-255g to 22a-255m, inclusive, shall be furnished by its manufacturer or distributor to the purchaser of the packaging or packaging component or the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection, as applicable. In the event that an exemption is claimed pursuant to section 22a-255j, such certificate of compliance shall state the specific basis upon which the exemption is claimed. Any such certificate of compliance shall be signed by an authorized official of the manufacturing or distributor. A copy of the certificate of compliance shall be kept on file by the manufacturer or distributor of the package or packaging component provided any manufacturer or distributor may make the certificate of compliance available on such manufacturer's or distributor's Internet web site or through an authorized representative of such manufacturer or distributor, including, but not limited to, a packaging clearinghouse. Any request made pursuant to this subsection for any certificate of compliance from the manufacturer or distributor of a package or packaging component shall be: (1) Made in writing, (2) made specific as to the package or packaging component information requested, and (3) responded to by the manufacturer or distributor not later than sixty days after receipt of such request.

(b) If the manufacturer or distributor of the package or packaging component reformulates or creates a new package or packaging component, the manufacturer or distributor shall amend the applicable certificate of compliance for the reformulated or new package or packaging component.

(c) If the commissioner has grounds to suspect that a package is offered for sale in violation of this chapter, the commissioner may request that the manufacturer or distributor of the package provide a certificate of compliance with the applicable provisions of this chapter. Not later than thirty days after receipt of a request under this subsection, the manufacturer or distributor shall: (1) Provide the commissioner with the certificate attesting that the package complies with the provisions of this chapter, or (2) notify persons who sell the package in this state that the sale of the package is prohibited and provide the commissioner with a copy of the notice and a list of the names and addresses of those persons notified pursuant to this section."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	22a-255h
Sec. 3	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	22a-255i
Sec. 4	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	22a-255k

On motion of Senator Cohen of the 12th, the bill was placed on the Consent Calendar.

**BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILLS PASSED**

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the bills passed.

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for S.B. No. **120** (COMM) (File No. 275) "AN ACT ALLOWING POLICE OFFICERS TO WEAR RELIGIOUS HEAD COVERINGS AS PART OF A POLICE UNIFORM."

Senator Bradley of the 23rd offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8435) and moved adoption.

Remarking were Senators Champagne of the 35th, Witkos of the 8th, Anwar of the 3rd, Somers of the 18th, Cicarella of the 34th, Berthel of the 32nd, and Champagne of the 35th.

Senator Champagne of the 35th requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 10:09 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	34
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	25
Those voting Nay	9
Those absent and not voting.....	2

On the roll call vote Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8435) was adopted.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y	1	JOHN W. FONFARA	Y	19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
A	2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y	20	PAUL M. FORMICA
Y	3	SAUD ANWAR	N	21	KEVIN C. KELLY
Y	4	STEVE CASSANO	Y	22	MARILYN MOORE
Y	5	DEREK SLAP	Y	23	DENNIS BRADLEY
Y	6	RICK LOPES	Y	24	JULIE KUSHNER
N	7	JOHN A. KISSEL	Y	25	BOB DUFF
Y	8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y	26	WILL HASKELL
Y	9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y	27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y	10	GARY WINFIELD	N	28	TONY HWANG

Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	N 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	N 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	N 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N 16 ROB SAMPSON	N 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	N 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

The following is the Amendment.

Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

"Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) As used in this section, "law enforcement unit" and "police officer" have the same meanings as provided in section 7-294a of the general statutes.

(b) Not later than October 1, 2021, each law enforcement unit shall adopt or amend a policy to permit a police officer to wear a religious head covering in accordance with the police officer's religious beliefs while the police officer is on duty and wearing a uniform or other authorized attire, except where the use of tight-fitting protective headgear is required by such law enforcement unit.

Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) As used in this section, "social media" has the same meaning as provided in section 9-601 of the general statutes and "law enforcement unit" and "police officer" have the same meanings as provided in section 7-294a of the general statutes.

(b) Not later than January 1, 2022, the Police Officer Standards and Training Council shall develop a model policy concerning the use of social media by law enforcement units and police officers while on duty. Such model policy shall include, but need not be limited to, (1) guidelines regarding the use of a social media account used by a law enforcement unit, (2) the responsibilities of any person employed by the law enforcement unit who manages and approves content to post on such social media account, (3) procedures when the unauthorized use of such social media account is detected, (4) guidelines to ensure compliance with any applicable state or federal law, (5) guidelines regarding content suitable and not suitable for posting on such social media account, (6) methods to limit indecent or obscene content on any such social media account, and (7) the personal use of social media by a police officer while on duty.

(c) Not later than July 1, 2022, each law enforcement unit shall adopt and maintain a written policy that meets or exceeds the standards of the model policy developed pursuant to subsection (b) of this section."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Remarking was Senators Formica of the 20th.

Abrams of the 13th in the chair.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 10:16 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	34
Necessary for Adoption	18

Those voting Yea	27
Those voting Nay	7
Those absent and not voting.....	2

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 120 as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8435) was Passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y	1	JOHN W. FONFARA	Y	19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
A	2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y	20	PAUL M. FORMICA
Y	3	SAUD ANWAR	Y	21	KEVIN C. KELLY
Y	4	STEVE CASSANO	Y	22	MARILYN MOORE
Y	5	DEREK SLAP	Y	23	DENNIS BRADLEY
Y	6	RICK LOPES	Y	24	JULIE KUSHNER
N	7	JOHN A. KISSEL	Y	25	BOB DUFF
Y	8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y	26	WILL HASKELL
Y	9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y	27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y	10	GARY WINFIELD	N	28	TONY HWANG
Y	11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y	29	MAE FLEXER
Y	12	CHRISTINE COHEN	N	30	CRAIG MINER
Y	13	MARY ABRAMS	N	31	HENRI MARTIN
Y	14	JAMES MARONEY	N	32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y	15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A	33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N	16	ROB SAMPSON	Y	34	PAUL CICARELLA
Y	17	JORGE CABRERA	N	35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y	18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y	36	ALEX KASSER

President in the chair

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORT OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL PASSED TEMPORARILY EARLIER TODAY
BILL PASSED

The following favorable report was taken from the table, read the third time, the report of the Committee accepted and the bill as amended passed.

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS. S.B. No. **883** (COMM) (File No. 513) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL ON WOMEN AND GIRLS."

Senator Flexer of the 29th explained the bill and moved passage.

Senator Flexer of the 29th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8539) and moved adoption.

Remarking were Senators Sampson of the 16th, and Winfield of the 10th.

On a voice vote the amendment was adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

In line 141, before "Internet" insert "state" and strike "of the Department"

In line 142, strike "of Administrative Services"

Strike section 6 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

"Sec. 6. Section 4-9b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

(a) (1) Appointing authorities, in cooperation with one another, shall make a good faith effort to ensure that, to the extent possible and consistent with applicable law, by January 1, 2026, and thereafter, the membership, except the ex-officio membership, of each state appointive board, commission, committee and council having members appointed by the Governor or appointed by members of the General Assembly is qualified and closely reflects the gender and racial diversity of the state according to the most recent United States census population data.

(2) If there are multiple appointing authorities for [a] any board, commission, committee or council described in subdivision (1) of this subsection, the appointing authorities shall inform each other of their appointees or planned appointees in order to facilitate compliance with this section.

(3) Appointing authorities for any board, commission, committee or council described in subdivision (1) of this subsection shall, consistent with applicable law, (A) consider each recommendation for appointment of a public member to any such board, commission, committee or council made by any community or other similar organization representing the interests of gender and racial diversity, and (B) make a good faith effort to seek out individuals for such appointment that reflect such diversity. The Governor, or the Governor's designee, and the chairpersons of the Joint Committee on Legislative Management, or the chairpersons' designee, shall coordinate public education and outreach strategies with such community or other similar organizations to increase awareness of, and recruit diverse applicants for, such appointments.

(b) [The] (1) At the time of a member's appointment to any state appointive board, commission, committee or council described in subsection (a) of this section, the executive officer or chairperson of such board, commission, committee or council shall maintain a record of, and make available to the Secretary of the State, any data voluntarily provided to the executive officer or chairperson concerning such member's gender and race. In addition, the executive officer or chairperson of each such state appointive board, commission, committee and council, [having members appointed by the Governor or appointed by members of the General Assembly,] except committees whose membership consists solely of members of the General Assembly, shall [report] submit in writing to the Secretary of the State on or after September first, but not later than October 1, 1993, and biennially thereafter, [(1)] (A) the number of members of such body and [(2)] (B) the composition of the body according to the term "race/sex", as defined in the regulations of the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities. Such [report] data shall not include the names of the individual members of the board, commission, committee or council.

(2) The Secretary of the State shall receive and maintain the [reports] data submitted pursuant to this subsection as public records. In addition, not later than January 1, 2022, and every two years thereafter, the Secretary shall develop and publish, including on the Internet web site of the office of the Secretary of the State, a report regarding the gender and racial composition of each state appointive board, commission, committee and council described in subsection (a) of this section, and shall conduct an analysis comparing the gender and racial composition of the state according to the most recent United States census population data with the goal of reflecting the most recent United States census population data on such boards, commissions, committees and councils by January 1, 2026.

(c) No provision of this section shall (1) prohibit an individual from completing a term as a member of a state appointive board, commission, committee or council being served on July 2, 1993, or (2) create a private right of action."

Remarking were Senators Flexer of the 29th, Sampson of the 16th, Moore of the 22nd, and Miller of the 27th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 11:11 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	34
Those voting Nay	1
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 883 as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8539) was passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 5 DEREK SLAP	Y 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
Y 6 RICK LOPES	Y 24 JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	Y 25 BOB DUFF
Y 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y 26 WILL HASKELL
Y 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD	Y 28 TONY HWANG
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	Y 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N 16 ROB SAMPSON	Y 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	Y 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

**SUSPENSION OF THE RULES
BUSINESS FROM THE HOUSE
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILL PASSED**

The following favorable report was taken from the table, read the third time, the report of the Committee indicated, the report of the Committee accepted and the bill placed on the Consent Calendar.

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS. Substitute for H.B. No. **5653** (COMM) (File No. 571) "AN ACT CONCERNING DECLARATIONS OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CIVIL PREPAREDNESS EMERGENCIES AND THE CREATION OF A BIPARTISAN COMMISSION TO STUDY STATUTES GOVERNING THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH DECLARATIONS." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A").

Senator Haskell of the 26th explained the bill and moved passage.

Remarking was Senator Formica of the 20th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 11:24 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	33
Those voting Nay	2
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote House Bill No. 5653 as amended by House Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8334) was Passed in concurrence with the House.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 5 DEREK SLAP	Y 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
Y 6 RICK LOPES	Y 24 JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	Y 25 BOB DUFF
Y 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y 26 WILL HASKELL
Y 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD	Y 28 TONY HWANG
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	N 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	Y 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N 16 ROB SAMPSON	Y 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	Y 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILLS PLACED ON CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 1

The following bills were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the bills placed on the Consent Calendar.

ENVIRONMENT. Substitute for H.B. No. **6384** (RAISED) (File Nos. 201 and 632) "AN ACT CONCERNING AQUATIC INVASIVE SPECIES EFFECTS ON LAKES AND RELATED FUNDING, CERTAIN GROUP FISHING EVENTS AND ELIMINATING THE SEASON LIMITATION FOR THE TAKING OF TROUT." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A"). in concurrence with the House.

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. S.B. No. **967** (RAISED) (File No. 319) "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE BOROUGH OF NAUGATUCK TO ISSUE PENSION DEFICIT FUNDING BONDS."

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. S.B. No. **575** (COMM) (File No. 277) "AN ACT CREATING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE REGULATION OF PROFESSIONAL BONDSMEN, BAIL ENFORCEMENT AGENTS AND SURETY BAIL BOND AGENTS."

BANKING. Substitute for S.B. No. **848** (RAISED) (File No. 127) "AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE DEPARTMENT OF BANKING'S RECOMMENDED CHANGES TO THE BANKING STATUTES CONCERNING FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS AND CONSUMER CREDIT LICENSES."

LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES. S.B. No. **907** (RAISED) (File No. 286) "AN ACT CONCERNING MINOR AND TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT."

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS. Substitute for S.B. No. **1017** (RAISED) (File No. 591) "AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTION ADMINISTRATION REGARDING REDISTRICTING."

GENERAL LAW. H.B. No. **5311** (RAISED) (File Nos. 4 and 620) "AN ACT CONCERNING BOATS, MOTOR VEHICLES IN LIVERY SERVICE AND IN-STATE TRANSPORTER'S PERMITS FOR ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR." (As amended by House Amendment Schedule "A"). in concurrence with the House.

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. S.B. No. **701** (RAISED) (File No. 77) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOLTON LAKES REGIONAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY."

**BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILLS PASSED**

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the bills passed.

GENERAL LAW. Substitute for S.B. No. **894** (RAISED) (File No. 113) "AN ACT CONCERNING THE MANUFACTURE, SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF ALCOHOL-INFUSED CONFECTIONS."

Senator Maroney of the 14th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8319), moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Witkos of the 8th.

On a voice vote the amendment was Adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

In line 48, strike "volume" and insert "weight" in lieu thereof
 In line 49, strike "and in consultation with the Liquor Control"
 In line 50, strike "Commission"
 In line 92, strike "volume" and insert "weight" in lieu thereof

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) A permittee authorized pursuant to title 30 of the general statutes to sell alcoholic liquor for on-premises consumption may use a self-pour automated system that, upon activation of a payment card by the permittee, may be operated to dispense beer, cider not exceeding six per cent alcohol by volume and wine to the following: (1) An employee of the permittee who is authorized by law to serve alcoholic beverages, or (2) a

person whom the permittee has verified to be twenty-one years of age or older who displays a government-issued identification card that matches the name on the payment card. Such verification that a person is twenty-one years of age or older shall be recorded by the permittee or an employee of the permittee.

(b) A self-pour automated system authorized by subsection (a) of this section shall not dispense a serving of more than (1) thirty-two ounces of beer, (2) thirty-two ounces of cider not exceeding six per cent alcohol by volume, or (3) ten ounces of wine, before the payment card is reactivated by the permittee or an employee of the permittee.

Sec. 502. Section 30-6a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) The Department of Consumer Protection may adopt in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 all necessary regulations, subject to the provisions of subsection (c) of this section, to: (1) Carry out, enforce and prevent violation of the provisions of this chapter, (2) inspect permit premises, (3) ensure sanitary conditions, (4) ensure proper, safe and orderly conduct of permit premises, and (5) protect the public against fraud or overcharge.

(b) More specifically, with respect to part V of this chapter, the Department of Consumer Protection may adopt in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 regulations that are necessary to (1) carry out the purposes of section 30-64 and prevent the circumvention thereof by the offering or giving of any rebate, allowance, free goods, discount or any other thing or service of value; (2) permit the withdrawal of, an addition to, a deletion from or an amendment of any schedule, or a modification of prices therein, when not inconsistent with the purposes of said section 30-64, whenever necessary to avoid practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships to any permittee affected by said section 30-64 or because of acts or circumstances beyond the control of such permittee and under such terms and conditions as are necessary to carry out the purposes of said section 30-64; (3) permit the sale by a retailer of a brand of alcoholic liquor or wine for which a schedule of suggested consumer resale prices has not been and cannot be filed, whenever necessary to avoid practical difficulties or unnecessary hardships to any permittee affected by said section or because of acts or circumstances beyond the control of such permittee, and under such terms and conditions as are necessary to carry out the purposes of said section 30-64; (4) subject to the provisions of section 30-63e, permit the closeout of a brand for the purpose of discontinuing its sale, under such terms and conditions as are necessary to carry out the purposes of said section 30-64; (5) carry out the purposes of sections 30-68k to 30-68m, inclusive, and section 30-76a and prevent their circumvention; (6) on verified application, and for good cause shown, permit any adjustment or change of any item on the schedule required to be filed under section 30-63 and said section 30-64; and (7) permit the sale at a price which is less than cost by a supplier, wholesaler or retailer for any item of alcoholic liquor, except beer, that is damaged or deteriorated in quality, or, subject to the provisions of section 30-63f, permit the closeout of a brand or size for the purpose of discontinuing its sale, under such terms and conditions as are necessary to carry out the purposes of sections 30-68k to 30-68m, inclusive, and section 30-76a.

(c) Not later than October 1, 2021, the Department of Consumer Protection shall amend such regulations, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54, to: (1) Allow for the use of self-pour automated systems by permittees and employees of permittees for the dispensing of beer, cider not exceeding six per cent alcohol by volume and wine pursuant to section 501 of this act, (2) ensure that such beer, cider and wine is not initially dispensed from any such system in servings of more than thirty-two ounces of beer or cider not exceeding six per cent alcohol by volume, or ten ounces of wine, to any one person for his or her own consumption at any one time, and (3) ensure that second and subsequent servings of such beer, cider and wine from any such system is allowed only after the first serving has been substantially disposed of or consumed by such person.

[(c)] (d) The department shall not adopt any regulation: (1) Requiring prior approval of alterations or changes in the interior or exterior of permit premises; (2) requiring prior approval for live entertainment or the installation of amusement devices or games; (3) requiring registration of employees or agents of permittees; (4) requiring the presence of retail permittees on permit premises during hours of sale or prohibiting employment of such permittees in another occupation or business except as provided in section 30-45; (5) establishing a mandated minimum price above which a permittee must sell; or (6) requiring effective separation for restaurants and cafes.

Sec. 503. (*Effective from passage*) (a) The Liquor Control Commission shall study the potential impact of extending alcoholic liquor service hours at gaming and other establishments regulated pursuant to title 30 of the general statutes and located not more than fifty miles from any border of this state.

(b) Not later than January 1, 2022, the Liquor Control Commission shall, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, report its findings pursuant to the study required by subsection (a) of this section to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to general law.

Sec. 504. Subsection (a) of section 30-48 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

- (a) No backer or permittee of one permit class shall be a backer or permittee of any other permit class except in the case of any class of airport, railroad, airline and boat permits, and except that: (1) A backer of a hotel or restaurant permit may be a backer of both such classes; (2) a holder or backer of a restaurant permit or a cafe permit may be a holder or backer of any other or all of such classes; (3) a holder or backer of a restaurant permit may be a holder or backer of a bowling establishment permit; (4) a backer of a restaurant permit may be a backer of a coliseum permit or a coliseum concession permit, or both, when such restaurant is within a coliseum; (5) a backer of a hotel permit may be a backer of a coliseum permit or a coliseum concession permit, or both; (6) a backer of a coliseum permit may be a backer of a coliseum concession permit; (7) a backer of a coliseum concession permit may be a backer of a coliseum permit; (8) a backer of a grocery store beer permit may be (A) a backer of a package store permit if such was the case on or before May 1, 1996, and (B) a backer of a restaurant permit, provided the restaurant permit premises do not abut or share the same space as the grocery store beer permit premises; (9) a backer of a university permit may be a backer of a nonprofit theater permit; (10) a backer of a nonprofit theater permit may be a holder or backer of a hotel permit; (11) a holder or backer of a restaurant permit may be a holder or backer of a special outing facility permit; (12) a backer of a concession permit may be a backer of a coliseum permit or a coliseum concession permit, or both; (13) a holder of an out-of-state winery shipper's permit for wine may be a holder of an in-state transporter's permit or an out-of-state entity wine festival permit issued pursuant to section 30-37m, or of both such permits; (14) a holder of an out-of-state shipper's permit for alcoholic liquor other than beer may be a holder of an in-state transporter's permit; (15) a holder of a manufacturer permit for a farm winery or the holder of a manufacturer permit for wine, cider and mead may be a holder of an in-state transporter's permit, a wine festival permit issued pursuant to section 30-37l, a farmers' market sales permit issued pursuant to subsection (a) of section 30-37o, an off-site farm winery sales and tasting permit issued pursuant to section 30-16a or of any combination of such permits; (16) a holder of a manufacturer permit for beer may be a holder of a farmers' market sales permit issued pursuant to section 30-37o. Any person may be a permittee of more than one permit; and (17) the holder of a manufacturer permit for spirits, a manufacturer permit for beer, a manufacturer permit for a farm winery or a manufacturer permit for wine, cider and mead may be a holder of a Connecticut craft cafe permit, a restaurant permit or a restaurant permit for wine and beer. No holder of a manufacturer permit for a brew pub and no spouse or child of such holder may be a holder or backer of more than three restaurant permits or cafe permits."

(b)

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 502	<i>from passage</i>	30-6a
Sec. 503	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 504	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	30-48(a)

Remarking were Senators Witkos of the 8th, and Maroney of the 14th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 11:42 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	34
Those voting Nay	1
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 894 as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule “A” (LCO 8319) was Passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 5 DEREK SLAP	Y 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
Y 6 RICK LOPES	Y 24 JULIE KUSHNER
N 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	Y 25 BOB DUFF
Y 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y 26 WILL HASKELL
Y 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD	Y 28 TONY HWANG
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	Y 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y 16 ROB SAMPSON	Y 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	Y 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

HUMAN SERVICES. Substitute for S.B. No. **955** (RAISED) (File No. 515) "AN ACT CONCERNING REVISIONS TO OBSOLETE PROVISIONS OF THE GENERAL STATUTES AFFECTING THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES."

Senator Moore of the 22nd explained the bill and moved passage.

Remarking was Senator Berthel of the 32nd.

Senator Moore of the 22nd offered Senate Amendment Schedule “A” (LCO 7606), moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Berthel of the 32nd.

On a voice vote the amendment was adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 17b-617 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) The Commissioner of Social Services shall, within available appropriations, establish and operate a state-funded pilot program to allow not more than one hundred persons with disabilities (1) who are age eighteen to sixty-four, inclusive, (2) who are inappropriately institutionalized or at risk of inappropriate institutionalization, [and] (3) whose assets do not exceed the asset limits of the state-funded home care program for the elderly, established pursuant to subsection (i) of section 17b-342, and (4) who are not eligible for medical assistance under section 17b-261 or a Medicaid waiver pursuant to 42 USC 1396n, to be eligible to receive the same services that are provided under the state-funded home care program for the elderly. At the discretion of the Commissioner of Social Services, such persons may also be eligible to receive services that are necessary to meet needs attributable to disabilities in order to allow such persons to avoid institutionalization.

Sec. 502. Subsection (c) of section 17b-59g of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(c) Any entity established or incorporated pursuant to subsection (b) of this section shall have its powers vested in and exercised by a board of directors. The board of directors shall be comprised of the following members who shall each serve for a term of two years:

(1) One member who shall have expertise as an advocate for consumers of health care, appointed by the Governor;

(2) One member who shall have expertise as a clinical medical doctor, appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate;

(3) One member who shall have expertise in the area of hospital administration, appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives;

(4) One member who shall have expertise in the area of corporate law or finance, appointed by the minority leader of the Senate;

(5) One member who shall have expertise in group health insurance coverage, appointed by the minority leader of the House of Representatives;

(6) The Chief Information Officer and the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, or their designees, who shall serve as ex-officio, voting members of the board; [and]

(7) The health information technology officer, designated in accordance with section 19a-754a, who shall serve as chairperson of the board; [.] and

(8) The Commissioner of Social Services, or the commissioner's designee, who shall serve as an ex-officio, voting member of the board.

Sec. 503. Subsection (l) of section 17b-179 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

(l) The Office of Child Support Services shall arrange to provide a single centralized automated system for the reporting of collections on all accounts established for the collection of all IV-D support orders. Such reporting shall be made available to the Family Support Magistrate Division and to all state agencies which have a cooperative agreement with the IV-D agency. Such automated system shall include a state case registry which complies with federal law and regulations. The state case registry shall contain information on each support order established or modified in this state. [The Office of Child Support Services, utilizing information contained in the state case registry, shall establish, maintain and periodically update a list of all delinquent child support obligors. The list shall, at a minimum, contain the name, residential address and amount of the delinquent child support owed by a child support obligor, exclusive of any amount of child support owed for which an appeal is pending. The Office of Child Support Services shall publish on the Department of Social Services' Internet web site, the names, residential addresses and amounts of delinquent child support owed by the one hundred individuals having the highest delinquent child support obligations. For purposes of this subsection, "delinquent child support obligor" means an obligor who (1) owes overdue child support, accruing after the entry of a court order, in an amount which exceeds ninety days of periodic payments on a current child support or arrearage payment order, or (2) has failed to make court ordered medical or dental insurance coverage available within ninety days of the issuance of a court order or fails to maintain such coverage pursuant to a court order for a period of ninety days.]

Sec. 504. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Social Services, in collaboration with the Commissioners of Mental Health and Addiction Services and Housing, shall study whether state-contracted providers of human services receive disparate payment rates under programs the commissioners administer in different regions of the state. The commissioners shall report, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, on their rate study and any resulting recommendations for rate adjustments not later than November 1, 2021, to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and the budgets of state agencies, housing, human services and public health. For purposes of this section, "human services" includes, but is not limited to: (1) Physical and behavioral health services, and (2) housing and shelter services provided to homeless persons."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	17b-617(a)
Sec. 502	<i>from passage</i>	17b-59g(c)
Sec. 503	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	17b-179(l)
Sec. 504	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Senator Berthel of the 32nd requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 11:53 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	34
Those voting Nay	1
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 995 as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 7606) was passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 5 DEREK SLAP	Y 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
Y 6 RICK LOPES	Y 24 JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	Y 25 BOB DUFF
Y 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y 26 WILL HASKELL
Y 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD	Y 28 TONY HWANG
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	Y 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N 16 ROB SAMPSON	Y 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	Y 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

Senator Looney of the 11th in the chair.

APPROPRIATIONS. Substitute for S.B. No. **121** (COMM) (File No. 313) "AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO DIAPER CHANGING STATIONS IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS."

Senator Bradley of the 23rd explained the bill and moved passage.

Remarking was Senator Champagne of the 35th.

Senator Bradley of the 23rd requested that the vote be taken by roll call.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 11:59 p.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	34
Those voting Nay	1
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 121 was Passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA
Y 3 SAUD ANWAR	Y 21 KEVIN C. KELLY
Y 4 STEVE CASSANO	Y 22 MARILYN MOORE
Y 5 DEREK SLAP	Y 23 DENNIS BRADLEY
Y 6 RICK LOPES	Y 24 JULIE KUSHNER
Y 7 JOHN A. KISSEL	Y 25 BOB DUFF
Y 8 KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y 26 WILL HASKELL
Y 9 MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y 27 PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y 10 GARY WINFIELD	Y 28 TONY HWANG
Y 11 MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y 29 MAE FLEXER
Y 12 CHRISTINE COHEN	Y 30 CRAIG MINER
Y 13 MARY ABRAMS	Y 31 HENRI MARTIN
Y 14 JAMES MARONEY	Y 32 ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y 15 JOAN V. HARTLEY	A 33 NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N 16 ROB SAMPSON	Y 34 PAUL CICARELLA
Y 17 JORGE CABRERA	Y 35 DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y 18 HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y 36 ALEX KASSER

President in the Chair

PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY. Substitute for S.B. No. **122** (COMM) (File No. 276) "AN ACT ESTABLISHING A UNIT WITHIN THE DIVISION OF STATE POLICE TO INVESTIGATE HATE CRIMES AND CRIMINAL ACTS COMMITTED BY EXTREMIST GROUPS."

Senator Bradley of the 23rd explained the bill and moved passage.

Remarking was Senator Champagne of the 35th.

Senator Bradley of the 23rd offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 7948) and moved adoption.

Remarking was Senator Champagne of the 35th.

On a voice vote the amendment was adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

Strike section 2 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

"Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2021*) (a) For the purposes of this section, (1) "extremist" means any person who commits, or attempts or conspires to commit, a violent crime, or a crime that is intended to cause physical harm to another person or property damage, to achieve a political, ideological, religious, social or economic goal, (2) "extremist group" means a group of extremists associated in fact, and (3) "law enforcement unit" has the same meaning as provided in section 7-294a of the general statutes.

(b) The Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public Protection shall assign to the Hate Crimes and Extremist Group Investigative Unit, established under subsection (d) of section 29-4 of the general statutes, as amended by this act, such personnel as may be required to fulfill the duties of this section. The unit:

(1) Shall seek to prevent and detect (A) any alleged crime that is a violation of section 53a-181j, 53a-181k or 53a-181l of the general statutes, (B) any other alleged crime that may be motivated by bigotry or bias as a result of the actual or perceived race, religion, ethnicity, disability, sex, sexual orientation or gender identity of another person, and (C) any criminal activity or suspected criminal activity by an extremist or extremist group;

(2) May assist any law enforcement unit with the investigation of any alleged crime or criminal activity described in subparagraphs (A) to (C), inclusive, of subdivision (1) of this subsection;

(3) Shall compile, maintain and analyze data regarding any alleged crime or criminal activity described in subparagraphs (A) to (C), inclusive, of subdivision (1) of this subsection; and

(4) Shall share data and information with any local enforcement unit which may assist in the investigation of any alleged crime or criminal activity described in subparagraphs (A) to (C), inclusive, of subdivision (1) of this subsection.

(c) Not later than October 1, 2021, and annually thereafter, the unit shall publish a report on the department's Internet web site regarding the data compiled on (1) any alleged crime that is a violation of section 53a-181j, 53a-181k or 53a-181l of the general statutes, and (2) any other alleged crime that may be motivated by bigotry or bias as a result of the actual or perceived race, religion, ethnicity, disability, sex, sexual orientation or gender identity or expression of another person."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	New section

Remarking was Senator Champagne of the 35th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 12:10 a.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18

Those voting Yea	34
Those voting Nay	1
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote Senate Bill No. 122 as amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 7948) was Passed.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y	1	JOHN W. FONFARA	Y	19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y	2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y	20	PAUL M. FORMICA
Y	3	SAUD ANWAR	Y	21	KEVIN C. KELLY
Y	4	STEVE CASSANO	Y	22	MARILYN MOORE
Y	5	DEREK SLAP	Y	23	DENNIS BRADLEY
Y	6	RICK LOPES	Y	24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y	7	JOHN A. KISSEL	Y	25	BOB DUFF
Y	8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y	26	WILL HASKELL
Y	9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y	27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y	10	GARY WINFIELD	Y	28	TONY HWANG
Y	11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y	29	MAE FLEXER
Y	12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y	30	CRAIG MINER
Y	13	MARY ABRAMS	Y	31	HENRI MARTIN
Y	14	JAMES MARONEY	Y	32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y	15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A	33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
N	16	ROB SAMPSON	Y	34	PAUL CICARELLA
Y	17	JORGE CABRERA	Y	35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y	18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y	36	ALEX KASSER

**BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION ADOPTED**

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the resolution adopted.

ENVIRONMENT. H.J. No. **53** (COMM) (File No. 105) "RESOLUTION PROPOSING THE ADOPTION OF THE LONG ISLAND SOUND BLUE PLAN."

Senator Cohen of the 12th explained the resolution and moved adoption.

Remarking were Senators Miner of the 30th and Somers of the 18th.

The chair ordered the vote be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 12:21 a.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	35
Those voting Nay	0
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote House Joint Resolution No. 53 was adopted in concurrence with the House.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y	1	JOHN W. FONFARA	Y	19	CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y	2	DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y	20	PAUL M. FORMICA
Y	3	SAUD ANWAR	Y	21	KEVIN C. KELLY
Y	4	STEVE CASSANO	Y	22	MARILYN MOORE
Y	5	DEREK SLAP	Y	23	DENNIS BRADLEY
Y	6	RICK LOPES	Y	24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y	7	JOHN A. KISSEL	Y	25	BOB DUFF
Y	8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y	26	WILL HASKELL
Y	9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y	27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y	10	GARY WINFIELD	Y	28	TONY HWANG
Y	11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y	29	MAE FLEXER
Y	12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y	30	CRAIG MINER
Y	13	MARY ABRAMS	Y	31	HENRI MARTIN
Y	14	JAMES MARONEY	Y	32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y	15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A	33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y	16	ROB SAMPSON	Y	34	PAUL CICARELLA
Y	17	JORGE CABRERA	Y	35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y	18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y	36	ALEX KASSER

**BUSINESS ON THE CALENDAR
FAVORABLE REPORTS OF THE JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES
BILLS PASSED**

The following favorable reports were taken from the table, read the third time, the reports of the Committees accepted and the bills passed.

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT. S.B. No. **970** (RAISED) (File No. 321) "AN ACT CONCERNING EXTENDING THE TIME OF EXPIRATION OF CERTAIN LAND USE PERMITS."

Senator Cassano of the 4th offered Senate Amendment Schedule "A" (LCO 8542) and moved adoption.

Remarking were Senators Hwang of the 28th and Berthel of the 32nd.

On a voice vote the amendment was adopted.

The following is the Amendment.

In line 16, strike "six" and insert in lieu thereof "fourteen"
 In line 19, strike "eleven" and insert in lieu thereof "nineteen"
 In line 35, strike "six" and insert in lieu thereof "fourteen"
 In line 39, strike "eleven" and insert in lieu thereof "nineteen"
 In line 59, strike "eleven" and insert in lieu thereof "nineteen"
 In line 61, strike "eleven-year" and insert in lieu thereof "nineteen-year"
 In line 78, strike "six" and insert in lieu thereof "fourteen"
 In line 84, strike "eleven" and insert in lieu thereof "nineteen"

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

"Sec. 501. Section 8-3c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) If an application for a special permit or special exception involves an activity regulated pursuant to sections 22a-36 to 22a-45, inclusive, the applicant shall submit an application to the agency responsible for administration of the inland wetlands regulations no later than the day the application is filed for a special permit or special exception.

(b) The zoning commission or combined planning and zoning commission of any municipality shall hold a public hearing on an application or request for a special permit or special exception, as provided in section 8-2, and on an application for a special exemption under section 8-2g. Such hearing shall be held in accordance with the provisions of section 8-7d. The commission shall not render a decision on the application until the inland wetlands agency has submitted a report with its final decision to such commission. In making its decision the zoning commission shall give due consideration to the report of the inland wetlands agency. Such commission shall decide upon such application or request within the period of time permitted under section 8-7d. Whenever a commission grants or denies a special permit or special exception, it shall state upon its records the reason for its decision. Notice of the decision of the commission shall be published in a newspaper having a substantial circulation in the municipality and addressed by certified mail to the person who requested or applied for a special permit or special exception, by its secretary or clerk, under his signature in any written, printed, typewritten or stamped form, within fifteen days after such decision has been rendered. In any case in which such notice is not published within such fifteen-day period, the person who requested or applied for such special permit or special exception may provide for the publication of such notice within ten days thereafter. Such permit or exception shall become effective upon the filing of a copy thereof (1) in the office of the town, city or borough clerk, as the case may be, but, in the case of a district, in the offices of both the district clerk and the town clerk of the town in which such district is located, and (2) in the land records of the town in which the affected premises are located, in accordance with the provisions of section 8-3d.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of this section, any special permit or special exception approval made under this section on or after July 1, 2011, but prior to the effective date of this section, that did not expire prior to March 10, 2020, and that specified a deadline by which all work in connection with such approval is required to be completed, shall expire not less than nineteen years after the date of such approval and the commission may grant one or more extensions of time to complete all or part of the work in connection with such special permit or special exception.

Sec. 502. Section 8-26e of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

(a) The planning commission of any municipality shall hold a public hearing on an application or request for a special permit or special exception, as provided in section 8-2. Any such public hearing shall be held in accordance with the provisions of section 8-7d. Such commission shall decide upon such application or request within the period of time permitted under section 8-26d. Whenever a commission grants or denies a special permit or special exception, it shall state upon its records the reason for its decision. Notice of the decision of the commission shall be published in a newspaper having a substantial circulation in the municipality and addressed by certified mail to the person who requested or applied for a special permit or special exception, by its secretary or clerk, under his signature in any written, printed, typewritten or stamped form, within fifteen days after such decision has been rendered. In any case in which such notice is not published within such fifteen-day period, the person who requested or applied for such a special permit or special exception may provide for the publication of such notice within ten days thereafter. Such permit or exception shall become effective upon the filing of a copy thereof (1) in the office of the town, city or borough clerk, as the case may be, but, in the case of a district, in the offices of both the district clerk and the town clerk of the town in which such district is located, and (2) in the land records of the town in which the affected premises are located, in accordance with the provisions of section 8-3d.

(b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, any special permit or special exception approval made under this section on or after July 1, 2011, but prior to the effective date of this section, that did not expire prior to March 10, 2020, and that specified a deadline by which all work in connection with such approval is required to be completed, shall expire not less than nineteen years after the date of such approval and the commission may grant one or more extensions of time to complete all or part of the work in connection with such special permit or special exception.

Sec. 503. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of any special act or any site plan, subdivision or permit approval by a zoning commission, planning commission, combined planning and zoning commission, zoning board of appeals or inland wetlands agency pursuant to the provisions of any such special act that occurred on or after July 1, 2011, but prior to the effective date of this section, and that did not expire prior to March 10, 2020, such approval shall expire not less than fourteen years after the date of such approval and such commission, board or agency, as applicable, may grant one or more extensions of time to complete all or part of the work in connection with such approval, provided no approval, including all extensions, shall be valid for more than nineteen years from the date the site plan, subdivision or permit was initially approved.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of any special act or any special permit or special exception approval by a zoning commission, planning commission, combined planning and zoning commission, zoning board of appeals or inland wetlands agency pursuant to the provisions of any such special act that occurred on or after July 1, 2011, but prior to the effective date of this section, that did not expire prior to March 10, 2020, and that specified a deadline by which all work in connection with such approval is required to be completed, such approval shall expire not less than nineteen years after the date of such approval and such commission, board or agency, as applicable, may grant one or more extensions of time to complete all or part of the work in connection with such special permit or special exception approval."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	8-3c
Sec. 502	<i>from passage</i>	8-26e
Sec. 503	<i>from passage</i>	New section

On motion of Senator Cassano of the 4th, the bill was placed on the Consent Calendar.

**CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 1
ADOPTED**

The chair ordered the vote on business placed on the Consent Calendar be taken by roll call.

The following is the result of the vote at 12:29 a.m.:

Total Number Voting	35
Necessary for Adoption	18
Those voting Yea	35
Those voting Nay	0
Those absent and not voting.....	1

On the roll call vote the Consent Calendar was adopted.

The following is the roll call vote:

Y 1 JOHN W. FONFARA	Y 19 CATHERINE A. OSTEN
Y 2 DOUGLAS MCCRORY	Y 20 PAUL M. FORMICA

Y	3	SAUD ANWAR	Y	21	KEVIN C. KELLY
Y	4	STEVE CASSANO	Y	22	MARILYN MOORE
Y	5	DEREK SLAP	Y	23	DENNIS BRADLEY
Y	6	RICK LOPES	Y	24	JULIE KUSHNER
Y	7	JOHN A. KISSEL	Y	25	BOB DUFF
Y	8	KEVIN D. WITKOS	Y	26	WILL HASKELL
Y	9	MATTHEW L. LESSER	Y	27	PATRICIA BILLIE MILLER
Y	10	GARY WINFIELD	Y	28	TONY HWANG
Y	11	MARTIN M. LOONEY	Y	29	MAE FLEXER
Y	12	CHRISTINE COHEN	Y	30	CRAIG MINER
Y	13	MARY ABRAMS	Y	31	HENRI MARTIN
Y	14	JAMES MARONEY	Y	32	ERIC C. BERTHEL
Y	15	JOAN V. HARTLEY	A	33	NORMAN NEEDLEMAN
Y	16	ROB SAMPSON	Y	34	PAUL CICARELLA
Y	17	JORGE CABRERA	Y	35	DAN CHAMPAGNE
Y	18	HEATHER S. SOMERS	Y	36	ALEX KASSER

SENATOR(S) ABSENT

The following Senator(s) may have missed some votes due to the following:
Needleman of the 33rd due to illness.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Duff of the 25th, the Senate at 12:34 a.m. adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

**BILL SIGNED BY HIS EXCELLENCY,
THE GOVERNOR**

The following bill was signed by His Excellency, the Governor, on the date indicated:

MAY 13, 2021

S.B. No. **817** AN ACT CONCERNING SENIOR CENTERS AND SENIOR CRIME PREVENTION EDUCATION. (Public Act 21-7)

**BILL SIGNED BY HIS EXCELLENCY,
THE GOVERNOR**

The following bill was **SIGNED IN THE ORIGINAL** by His Excellency, the Governor, on the date indicated:

MAY 13, 2021

S.B. No. **263** AN ACT REESTABLISHING CLUB AND NONPROFIT CLUB PERMITS.

H.B. No. **6686** AN ACT CONCERNING THE DECLARATION AND RENEWAL OF CIVIL PREPAREDNESS AND PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCIES BY THE GOVERNOR.