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## UNCORRECTED PROOF OF THE JOURNAL OF THE SENATE.



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*Monday, June 27, 2016.*

Met at seven minutes past eleven o'clock A.M. (Ms. O'Connor Ives in the Chair) (having been appointed by the President, under authority conferred by Senate Rule 4, to perform the duties of the Chair).

The Chair (Ms. O'Connor Ives), members, guests and staff then recited the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

#### *Petitions.*

Petitions were severally presented and referred as follows:

By Mr. Downing, a petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2376) of Benjamin B. Downing and Stephen Kulik (by vote of the town) for legislation relative to the provision of health insurance in the town of Huntington [Local approval received]; and  
**Under Senate Rule 20, to the committee on Public Service.  
Sent to the House for concurrence.**

By Mr. Rodrigues, a petition (accompanied by bill) (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Michael J. Rodrigues and Carole A. Fiola for legislation to designate a certain bridge in the city of Fall River as the Tom Tetrault Bridge;  
**Under Senate Rule 20, to the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently.**

#### *Reports of Committees.*

By Mr. Welch, for the committee on Health Care Financing, that the Senate Bill establishing a task force relative to the Commonwealth's direct-care workforce (Senate, No. 77),-- **ought to pass [Estimated cost: greater than \$100,000];  
Read and, under Senate Rule 27, referred to the committee on Ways and Means.**

By Mr. Welch, for the committee on Health Care Financing, on petition, a Bill removing the restrictions on the licenses of nurse practitioners and certified registered nurse anesthetists as recommended by the Institute of Medicine and the Federal Trade Commission (Senate, No. 1207) [Estimated cost: greater than \$100,000];  
**Read and, under Senate Rule 27, referred to the committee on Ways and Means.**

By Mr. Welch, for the committee on Health Care Financing, that the Senate Bill relative to safe application and removal of body art (Senate, No. 2212),-- **ought to pass [Estimated cost: less than \$100,000];  
Read and, under Senate Rule 26, referred to the committee on Rules.**

By Ms. L'Italien, for the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government, on petition, a Bill authorizing the town of Spencer to issue certain bonds for terms of 30 years (Senate, No. 2300) [Local approval received];  
**Read and, under Senate Rule 26, placed in the Orders of the Day for the next session.**

#### *Committees Discharged.*

Mr. Montigny, for the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, reported, asking to be discharged from further consideration

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to consumer protection and professional licensure matters (Senate, No. 2357);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Economic Development and Emerging Technologies to make an investigation and study of a certain current Senate document relative to economic development and emerging technologies (Senate, No. 2358);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Financial Services to make an investigation and study of a certain current Senate document relative to financial services matters (Senate, No. 2359);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Health Care Financing to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to the financing and delivery of health care in the Commonwealth (Senate, No. 2356);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Health Care Financing to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to the financing and delivery of health care (Senate, No. 2360);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on the Judiciary to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to judiciary matters (Senate, No. 2361);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to public safety (Senate, No. 2362);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight to make an investigation and study of a certain current Senate document relative to land in the town of Stoughton (Senate, No. 2363);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Telecommunications, Utilities and Energy to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to telecommunications, utilities and energy matters (Senate, No. 2366);

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Transportation to make an investigation and study of certain current Senate documents relative to transportation matters (Senate, No. 2364); and

Of the Senate Order relative to authorizing the joint committee on Transportation to make an investigation and study of a certain current Senate document relative to bicycle safety (Senate, No. 2365);

**And recommending that the same severally be referred to the committee on Rules; Under Senate Rule 36, the reports were severally considered forthwith and accepted.**

#### **PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE.**

Petitions were severally referred, in concurrence, as follows:

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4429) of F. Jay Barrows and James E. Timilty (by vote of the town) that the town of Foxborough be authorized to grant four additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises;

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4430) of F. Jay Barrows and James E. Timilty (by vote of the town) that the town of Foxborough be authorized to grant three additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises; and

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4431) of F. Jay Barrows and James E. Timilty (by vote of the town) that the town of Foxborough be authorized to grant two additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises; **Severally, to the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.**

A Bill financing improvements to municipal roads and bridges (House, No. 4424, amended,-- on the residue of House, No. 4010),-- **was read and, under Senate Rule 26C, referred to the committee on Bonding, Capital Expenditures and State Assets.**

A Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Cecile Ferrie, an employee of the Department of Correction (House, No. 4249, amended,-- on petition),-- **was read and, under Senate Rule 27, referred to the committee on Ways and Means.**

#### *Bills*

Authorizing the city of Salem to grant one additional license for the sale of wine and malt beverages to be drunk on the premises

and establishing an economic development fund (House, No. 3891, amended,-- on petition) [Local approval received];  
Relative to the Robin Reyes capital stabilization fund in the town of Dedham (House, No. 4217, amended,-- on petition) [Local approval received]; and  
Establishing a certain reserve fund in the town of Middleton (House, No. 4378,-- on petition) [Local approval received];  
**Were severally read and, under Senate Rule 26, placed in the Orders of the Day for the next session.**

*Matter Taken Out of the Orders of the Day.*

There being no objection, the following matter was taken out of the Orders of the Day and considered, as follows:  
The House Bill authorizing the city of Lawrence to establish a program for enforcement against illegal dumping (House, No. 3860),-- **was read a third time and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.**

*Resolutions.*

The following resolutions (having been filed with the Clerk) were severally considered forthwith and adopted, as follows:-

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Eldridge) “congratulating Donald MacKenzie on his retirement”;  
Resolutions (filed by Mr. Pacheco) “congratulating Matthew R. Lamoureux of the town of Middleborough on his elevation to the rank of Eagle Scout”;  
Resolutions (filed by Mr. Pacheco) “congratulating Mitchell P. Lamoureux of the town of Middleborough on his elevation to the rank of Eagle Scout”; and  
Resolutions (filed by Mr. Rosenberg) “calling on Congress to consider nationwide adoption of Massachusetts firearms laws”.

*Matter Taken Out of the Orders of the Day.*

There being no objection, the following matter was taken out of the Orders of the Day and considered, as follows:  
The House Bill authorizing the town of Lincoln to grant a license for the sale of alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises (House, No. 3711, amended),-- **was read a third time and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.**

*Report of a Committee.*

By Ms. Spilka, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Senate Bill providing consumers with equal protection for all real estate appraisals (Senate, No. 131),-- **ought to pass, with amendment substituting a new draft with the same title (Senate, No. 2377).**  
**There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Tarr, and the bill was read a second time and was amended, as recommended by the committee on Ways and Means.**  
**The bill (Senate, No. 2377) was then ordered to a third reading, read a third time and passed to be engrossed. Sent to the House for concurrence.**

**PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE**

*Emergency Preambles Adopted.*

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Paul Sinkiewicz, an employee of the Department of Youth Services (see House, No. 4035, amended), having been certified by the Senate Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage and containing an emergency preamble,-- **was laid before the Senate; and, a separate vote being taken in accordance with the requirements of Article LXVII of the Amendments to the Constitution, the preamble was adopted in concurrence, by a vote of 2 to 0.**

**The bill was signed by the Acting President (Ms. O’Connor Ives) and sent to the House for enactment.**

An engrossed Bill further regulating the disposition of a certain parcel of land in the town of Belchertown (see House, No. 4131, amended), having been certified by the Senate Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage and containing an emergency preamble,-- **was laid before the Senate; and, a separate vote being taken in accordance with the requirements of Article LXVII of the Amendments to the Constitution, the preamble was adopted in concurrence, by a vote of 2 to 0.**  
**The bill was signed by the Acting President (Ms. O’Connor Ives) and sent to the House for enactment.**

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for David J. Saulnier, an employee of the Middlesex Sheriff’s Office (see House, No. 4291), having been certified by the Senate Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage and containing an emergency preamble,-- **was laid before the Senate; and, a separate vote being taken in accordance with the requirements of Article LXVII of the Amendments to the Constitution, the preamble was adopted in concurrence, by a vote of 2 to 0.**  
**The bill was signed by the Acting President (Ms. O’Connor Ives) and sent to the House for enactment.**

*Reports of Committees.*

By Ms. Spilka, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Senate Bill relative to the licensure of insurance adjusters in the Commonwealth (Senate, No. 494),-- ought to pass, with amendment substituting a new draft with the same title (Senate, No. 2378).

**There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Tarr, and the bill was read a second time and was amended, as recommended by the committee on Ways and Means.**

**The bill (Senate, No. 2378) was then ordered to a third reading, read a third time and passed to be engrossed. Sent to the House for concurrence.**

By Mr. Montigny, for the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the Senate petition of Joan B. Lovely and other members of the General Court for legislation relative to the Ellen Story Commission on Postpartum Depression.

**The rules were suspended, at the request of Mr. Tarr, and the report was considered forthwith. Joint Rule 12 was suspended; and the petition (accompanied by bill) was referred to the committee on Mental Health and Substance Abuse. Severally sent to the House for concurrence.**

#### **PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE.**

Petitions were severally referred, in concurrence, as follows, to wit:

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4435) of James M. Murphy for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Kelly White, an employee of the Trial Court;

**Under suspension of Joint Rule 12, to the committee on the Judiciary.**

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4436) of Paul J. Donato that the State Board of Retirement be authorized to establish a retirement incentive for certain Trial Court employees; and

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4437) of James R. Miceli for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Michelle Kannler, an employee of the Department of Public Health;

**Severally, under suspension of Joint Rule 12, to the committee on Public Service.**

#### *Engrossed Bills.*

The following engrossed bills (all of which originated in the House), having been certified by the Senate Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, were severally passed to be enacted and were signed by the Acting President (Ms. O'Connor Ives) and laid before the Governor for his approbation, to wit:

Authorizing the city of Lawrence to establish a program for enforcement against illegal dumping (see House, No. 3860);

Establishing a sick leave bank for Paul Sinkiewicz, an employee of the Department of Youth Services (see House, No. 4035, amended);

Further regulating the disposition of a certain parcel of land in the town of Belchertown (see House, No. 4131, amended); and

Establishing a sick leave bank for David J. Saulnier, an employee of the Middlesex Sheriff's Office (see House, No. 4291).

#### *Order Adopted.*

On motion of Mr. Tarr,--

*Ordered*, That when the Senate adjourns today, it adjourn to meet again tomorrow at one o'clock P.M., in a full formal session with a calendar.

On motion of the same Senator, at a quarter before twelve o'clock noon, the Senate adjourned to meet again on tomorrow at one o'clock P.M.