

# JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

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Thursday, January 17, 2013.

Met according to adjournment, at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Donato of Medford in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

Pledge of  
allegiance.

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Donato), the members, guests and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

### *Guests of the House.*

Belmont  
Hill  
School.

The Chair (Mr. Donato) then introduced the second form and their teachers and chaperones from the Belmont Hill School, who were seated in the House Chamber. They were the guests of Representatives Linsky of Natick, Rogers of Cambridge and Cutler of Duxbury.

### *Resolutions.*

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the temporary committee on Rules:

Sutton,—  
soccer  
team.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Fattman of Sutton) congratulating the Sutton High School "Sammies" boys varsity soccer team on winning the 2012 Massachusetts Division III state championship;

Margaret  
Deroche.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea) congratulating Margaret Deroche on the occasion of her retirement from the Chelsea Soldiers' Home;

Alex H.  
Carpino.

Resolutions (filed by Representatives Winslow of Norfolk and Garlick of Needham) congratulating Alexander H. Carpino on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

John P.  
Dalton.

Resolutions (filed by Representatives Winslow of Norfolk and Garlick of Needham) congratulating John P. Dalton on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America; and

Patrick E.  
Dalton.

Resolutions (filed by Representatives Winslow of Norfolk and Garlick of Needham) congratulating Patrick E. Dalton on receiving the Eagle Award of the Boy Scouts of America;

Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for the temporary committee on Rules, reported, in each instance, that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Ms. Peake of Provincetown, the resolutions were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

### *Orders.*

House  
Rules.

An Order (filed on January 16, 2013 by Mr. Binienda of Worcester) relative to the adoption of permanent rules for the House of Representatives for the years 2013 and 2014 (House, No. 2013), was referred, under Rule 24, to the temporary committee on Rules.

Joint  
Rules.

An Order (filed by Mr. Binienda of Worcester on Wednesday, January 17, 2013) relative to the adoption of permanent Joint Rules for the 2013-2014 General Court (House, No. 2015), was referred, under Rule 24, to the temporary committee on Rules.

*Reports of Committees.*

Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for the temporary committee on Rules, reported (under the provisions of House Rules 7B and 7C) an Order relative to special procedures for consideration of the House Rules (see House, No. 2013) (House, No. 48); and the order was adopted. House Rules.

Mr. Dempsey of Haverhill, for the temporary committee on Ways and Means, on House, No. 43, reported, in part, a Bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 2013 to provide for supplementing certain existing appropriations and for certain other activities and projects (House, No. 46), which was read. Supplemental appropriations.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Dempsey of Haverhill, the bill (having been certified by House Council to be correctly drawn) was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

*Orders of the Day.*

The House Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Margaret C. Henderson (House, No. 45) (its title having been changed by the House Counsel), having been certified by said counsel to be correctly drawn, was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence. Third reading bill.

*Recess.*

At four minutes before twelve o'clock noon, on motion of Mr. Peterson of Grafton (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House recessed until half past twelve o'clock noon; and at that time the House was called to order with Mr. Donato in the Chair. Recess.

*Emergency Measure.*

The engrossed Bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 2013 to provide for supplementing certain existing appropriations and for certain other activities and projects (House, No. 46), having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was considered, the question being on adopting the emergency preamble. Supplemental appropriations.

A separate vote was taken, as required by the provisions of Article XLVIII (as amended by Article LXVII) of the Amendments to the Constitution; and the preamble was adopted, by a vote of 3 to 0. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Subsequently, the Senate having concurred in adoption of the emergency preamble, the bill (which originated in the House) was passed to be enacted; and it was signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate. Bill enacted.

*Order.*

On motion of Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop,—  
*Ordered*, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Tuesday next at eleven o'clock A.M. Next sitting.

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## JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE,

At twenty-one minutes before one o'clock P.M., on motion of Mr. Peterson of Grafton (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Tuesday at eleven o'clock A.M, in an Informal Session.