

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Monday, May 20, 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.

Resolutions.

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

Antonetta Alberta.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Fernandes of Milford) congratulating Antonetta Alberta on the occasion of her one hundredth birthday;

Worcester Transit Authority.

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Keefe of Worcester and other members of the House) congratulating the Worcester Regional Transit Authority on the grand opening of its transportation hub at Union Station;

Wellesley Free Library.

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Peisch of Wellesley) honoring the new Wellesley Free Library facility on the occasion of its tenth anniversary; and

Terry McLarney.

Resolutions (filed by Messrs. Sánchez of Boston and Smizik of Brookline) honoring Terry McLarney and his many accomplishments as a leader of the College of Public and Community Service;

Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for the 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 Mr. Smizik, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Special Report.

Registers of Deeds,—technology fund.

The special report of the Secretary of the Commonwealth (under the provisions of Section 2JJJ of Chapter 29 of the General Laws) submitting the Registers Technology Fund Spending Plan for the registers of deeds in the Commonwealth [copies of said report forwarded to the committee on Ways and Means and committee on Post Audit and Oversight]; was placed on file.

Petitions.

Stow,—water supply well.

A petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3474) of Kate Hogan and James B. Eldridge (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Stow to amend a certain conservation restriction to allow for the construction of a water supply well (having been returned by the State Secretary, under the provisions of Chapter 3 of the General Laws, with letter relative thereto; and having received the approval of the town of Stow), was referred, under Rule 24, to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Ms. Dykema of Holliston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3471) of Carolyn C. Dykema, Danielle W. Gregoire and James B. Eldridge (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Westborough to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises; Westborough,—
alcoholic
beverages.

By Mr. Straus of Mattapoisett, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3472) of William M. Straus (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Fairhaven to issue an additional license for the sale of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on the premises; and Fairhaven,—
alcoholic
beverages.

By the same member, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3473) of William M. Straus (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Fairhaven to issue an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises; Id.

Severally to the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.

Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Mr. Walsh of Boston presented a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Martin J. Walsh for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Janet Everett, an employee of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation; and the same was referred, under Rule 24, to the committee on Rules. Janet
Everett,—
sick leave.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for the committee on Rules and the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the following petitions:

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Kate Hogan relative to senior hoarding. To the committee on Elder Affairs. Senior
hoarding.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Sarah K. Peake relative to the administration and implementation of the Drinking Water Revolving Fund. To the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture. Drinking
Water
Fund.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Kate Hogan relative to leaves of absences for civil air patrol members. To the committee on Veterans and Federal Affairs. Civil air
patrol.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, the reports were considered forthwith. Joint Rule 12 then was suspended, in each instance. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea, for the committee on the Judiciary, on House, Nos. 1432 and 3229, a Bill to expand juvenile jurisdiction, increase public safety and protect children from harm (House, No. 1432). Read; and referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means. Juvenile
jurisdiction,—
expansion.

By Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea, for the committee on the Judiciary, on a petition, a Bill relative to the protection of firefighters and emergency medical technicians (House, No. 1577). Civil
liability.

Sean A. Collier,—
appointment.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Public Service, on a joint petition, a Bill to allow the mayor of the city of Somerville to posthumously appoint Sean A. Collier a Somerville police officer (House, No. 3450) [Local Approval Received].

Severally read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Emergency Measure.

Richard Slayman,—
sick leave.

The engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Richard Slayman, an employee of the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (see House, No. 3378, amended), 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.

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 5 to 0. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Engrossed Bill.

Bill enacted.

The engrossed Bill authorizing the town of Framingham to place municipal charge liens on certain properties in the town of Framingham for nonpayment of any local charges, fee or fine (see House, No. 3358) (which originated in the House), having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was passed to be enacted; and it was signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Orders of the Day.

Melaine Chapman,—
sick leave.

The Senate amendment of the House Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Melaine Chapman, an employee of the Trial Court (House, No. 1179), reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, was adopted, in concurrence.

Order.

Next sitting.

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

At eleven minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. deMacedo of Plymouth (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Wednesday at eleven o'clock A.M.