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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).

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.

Pledge of
allegiance.

Resolutions.

Resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were considered, under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Garballey of Arlington, and they were adopted, as follows:

Resolutions (filed by Representatives Haddad of Somerset, Cabral of New Bedford, Markey of Dartmouth, Schmid of Westport, Straus of Mattapoisett and Hendricks of New Bedford) congratulating the Honorable Bernadette Sabra on the occasion of her retirement; and

Bernadette
Sabra.

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Tucker of Salem) congratulating Dan Monroe on his retirement as the Rose-Marie and Eijk Van Otterloo Executive Director and CEO of the Peabody Essex Museum.

Dan
Monroe.

Orders.

On motion of Mr. Speliotis of Danvers,—

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the provisions of House Rule 22, prior to the appointment of members to the committee on Bills in the Third Reading, the Counsel to the House of Representatives shall be authorized to perfect bills and resolves ordered to a third reading by the House or amended by the Senate and resolutions prior to adoption.

House
Counsel,—
perfect
bills.

On motion of Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop,—

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Thursday next at eleven o'clock A.M.

Next
sitting.

At six minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Thursday at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session.