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Met according to adjournment at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Garballey of Arlington 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. Garballey), 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:

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Barrett of North Adams) in recognition of Dr. Stanley C. Speer on his one hundredth birthday; and

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Cutler of Pembroke) congratulating Fire Chief Kevin Nord on his retirement from the Duxbury Fire Department;

Mr. Galvin of Canton, 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 Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Papers from the Senate.

A Bill relative to acupuncture detoxification specialists (Senate, No. 2957) (on Senate bill No. 1520), passed to be engrossed by the Senate, was read; and it was referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means.

Petitions were referred, in concurrence, as follows:

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2959) of Marc R. Pacheco and Susan Williams Gifford (by vote of the town) for legislation to authorize the town of Carver to transfer certain real property, including water wells and a pumping station thereon to the Cranberry Village Residents Association, Inc. To the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.

Petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2958) of Marc R. Pacheco and Susan Williams Gifford (by vote of the town) for legislation to exempt all positions in the police department of the town of Carver from the civil service law. To the committee on Public Service.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill relative to step therapy and patient safety (House, No. 1311), ought to pass with Pledge of allegiance.

Stanley Speer. Kevin Nord.

Acupuncture, detoxification specialists.

Carver, property transfer.

Carver, police civil service.

Step therapy and patient safety. an amendment substituting therefor a bill with the same title (House, No. 4929). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill to improve access to emergency contraception (House, No. 2264), ought to pass with an amendment substituting therefor a Bill expanding protections for reproductive rights (House, No. 4930). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill relative to pesticides (House, No. 4600), ought to pass with an amendment substituting therefor a bill with the same title (House, No. 4931). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, on House, No. 4881, reported, in part, a Bill making appropriations for fiscal year 2022 to provide for supplementing certain existing appropriations and for certain other activities and projects (House, No. 4932) [Total Appropriation: \$56,000,000.00]. Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, the bill was read a second time forthwith; it was ordered to a third reading.

A report of the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, under the last sentence of Rule 7A, that the House Bill authorizing the town of Lanesborough to continue the employment of Daniel Bolognia, Charles Garrity, Peter Pannesco, Peter Oakley, David Rolle, Donald Whalen and Michael Wooliver (House, No. 4712) [Local Approval Received], be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Reproductive rights.

Pesticides.

Supplemental appropriations.

Lanesborough, fire department. By Mr. González of Springfield, for the committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security, on House, No. 2448, a Bill to remove barriers to medical parole (House, No. 4927).

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, Nos. 2213, 2519 and 4080, a Bill to create alternatives for community emergency services (ACES) (House, No. 4928).

Severally referred, under Joint Rule 1E, to the committee on Health Care Financing.

By Mr. González of Springfield, for the committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security, on Senate, Nos. 1573, 1579 and 1580 and House, No. 2418, a Bill to protect the civil rights and safety of all Massachusetts residents (House, No. 2418).

By the same member, for the same committee, on Senate, No. 1550 and House, No. 2440, a Bill to strengthen family and community connection with incarcerated people (House, No. 2440).

By the same member, for the same committee, on a petition, a Bill to close the large capacity magazine loophole (House, No. 2489).

By the same member, for the same committee, on a petition, a Bill relative to a fresh start (House, No. 2535).

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, Nos. 2470 and 3847, a Bill relative to tracking, tracing and stopping illegal firearms (House, No. 4926).

Severally read; and referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. González of Springfield, for the committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security, on a petition, a Bill banning semi-automatic firearms (House, No. 4038). Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

A report of the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, under the last sentence of Rule 7A, that the House report of the committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security, ought NOT to pass, on petitions for legislation to authorize non-profit or charitable organizations to apply for waivers to the elevator inspection fees [based on petitions of David Paul Linsky, accompanied by bill, House, No. 2485; and Paul W. Mark and another, accompanied by House No. 2497], be scheduled for consideration by the House; and, under said rule, it was placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting, the question, being on acceptance.

Reports of the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, under the last sentence of Rule 7A, that the following House bills be scheduled for consideration by the House:

Relative to the disclosure of certain police reports (House, No. 2492);

Relative to armed private security information (House, No. 4169);

Amending the charter of the town of Swampscott (House, No. 4773) [Local Approval Received]; and

Relative to regulation of hydrofluorocarbons substitutes (House, No. 4806); Severally placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting for a second reading. Medical parole.

Community emergency services.

Civil rights.

Incarcerated persons,— connections.

Gun feeding devices.

Economic, etc. barriers.

Illegal firearms.

Semi-automatic firearms.

Elevator inspection fees.

Police reports. Guard badges. Swampscott, charter. Hydrofluorocarbons.

Orders of the Day.

House bills

Relative to the Boston Landmarks Commission (House, No. 4565); and Authorizing the town of Middlefield to continue the employment of Fire Chief Ronald Radwich (House, No. 4717);

Severally reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to correctly drawn, were read a third time; and they were passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Further regulating public safety in the city of Somerville (Senate, No. 1596); and Authorizing the town of Southbridge to grant additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises (Senate, No. 2818); and

House bills

Authorizing Christopher Arrigo to purchase creditable service from the Barnstable County Retirement Board (House, No. 4312);

Providing for special police officers in the city of Leominster (House, No. 4573); Relative to a conservation restriction in the town of Hanson (House, No. 4631); and

Designating a certain bridge in the city of North Adams as the William F. Evans memorial bridge (House, No. 4661);

Severally were read a second time; and they were ordered to a third reading.

Order.

On motion of Mr. Mariano of Quincy,-

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

At seven minutes after twelve o'clock noon, on motion of Mrs. Kane of Shrewsbury (Mr. Garballey of Arlington being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following day at eleven o'clock A.M. Third reading bills.

Second reading bills.

Next sitting.