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Thursday, November 20, 2014.

Met according to adjournment at eleven o'clock A.M. (Mr. Richard T. Moore 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 (Mr. Richard T. Moore), members, guests and staff then recited the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Communications.

The following communications were severally received and placed on file:

Communications from the Department of Public Health relative to plans of correction for the Essex County Women in Transition and the Northeastern Correctional Center (received November 19, 2014); and
Communication from the Department of Public Health (pursuant to item 4590-4506 of Chapter 165 of the Acts of 2014) submitting a copy of a report relative to grants awarded for youth violence prevention (received November 18, 2014).

Reports.

The following reports were severally received and placed on file: Reports of the Department of Public Health (pursuant to Sections 5 and 20 of Chapter 111 of the General Laws) relative to inspection of the Suffolk County Jail and Suffolk County House of Correction (received November 20, 2014); and
Report of the Department of Unemployment Assistance (under the provisions of Section 14F of Chapter 151A of the General Laws) submitting a report on the Unemployment Insurance Trust Fund through September 30, 2014 (received November 19, 2014).

Petition.

Mr. Ross presented a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Richard J. Ross and Paul R. Heroux for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Danuta Radny, an employee of the Department of Developmental Services,-- **and the same was referred, under Senate Rule 20, to the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently.**

PAPER FROM THE HOUSE

Notice was received from the House of Representatives announcing the following appointment by the Minority Leader: That under the provisions of Section 7 of Chapter 251 of the Acts of 2014, he has appointed C. Stolle Singleton of Franklin to serve as his designee to the Net Metering Task Force.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (having been filed with the Clerk) were severally considered forthwith and adopted, as follows:- Resolutions (filed by Mr. Richard T. Moore) "congratulating Hopedale High School Cross Country Coach Joe Drugan on an exemplary record"; and

Resolutions (filed by Mr. Richard T. Moore) “congratulating the Hopedale High School Boys Cross Country Team, the Blue Raiders, on winning the 2014 Division II State Championship.”

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Rosenberg, for the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the Senate petition of Sonia Chang-Diaz and Gloria L. Fox for legislation relative to redevelopment in the Roxbury area of the city of Boston.

Senate Rule 36 was suspended, on motion 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 Municipalities and Regional Government.

By Mr. Rosenberg, for the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the Senate petition of Jennifer L. Flanagan and Dennis A. Rosa for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Ellen Carlson, an employee of the Department of Developmental Services.

Senate Rule 36 was suspended, on motion 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 Public Service.

By Mr. Rosenberg, for the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the Senate petition of James E. Timilty, Louis L. Kafka, F. Jay Barrows and Elizabeth A. Poirier for legislation to establish a sick leave bank for Eileen Bazinet, an employee of the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission.

Senate Rule 36 was suspended, on motion 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 Public Service.

Severally sent to the House for concurrence.

Mr. Rosenberg, for the committee on Ethics and Rules, reported that the following matter be placed in the Orders of the Day for the next session: The House Bill designating the street hockey arena in Marine Park in the South Boston district of the city of Boston (House, No. 4201).

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Tarr, and the bill was read a second time, ordered to a third reading, read a third time and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to read as follows: “An Act designating the street hockey arena in Marine Park in the South Boston section of the city of Boston”.

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 Senate Bill relative to discontinuing the fluoride supplementation of the Rockport water supply (Senate, No. 2388),-- was read a second time.

Pending the question on ordering the bill to a third reading, Mr. Tarr moved that the bill be amended in section 1, by striking out, in line 9, the word “may” and inserting in place thereof the following word:- “shall”.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill (Senate, No. 2388, amended) was then ordered to a third reading, read a third time and passed to be engrossed. Sent to the House for concurrence.

The Senate Bill authorizing the city of Salem to grant 1 additional liquor license for the sale of wine and malt beverages not to be drunk on the premises (Senate, No. 2376),-- was read a third time.

Ms. Lovely presented an amendment in section 1, in the first paragraph, by striking out, the words “OTSG, LLC” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- “OTGS LLC”; and in said section 1, in the second paragraph, by striking out the words “indicating the license is in good standing with the department and that any and all applicable taxes” and inserting in place thereof the following words:- “and from the department of unemployment assistance indicating that the license is in good standing with those departments and that all applicable taxes, fees and contributions”.

The amendment was adopted.

The bill (Senate, No. 2376, amended) was then passed to be engrossed, its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to read as follows: “An Act authorizing the city of Salem to grant an additional liquor license for the sale of wines and malt beverages not to be drunk on the premises”.
Sent to the House for concurrence.

Order Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Tarr,--

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns today, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next at eleven o’clock A.M., and that the Clerk be directed to dispense with the printing of a calendar.

Moment of Silence.

At the requests of the Chair (Mr. Richard T. Moore), the members, guest and employees stood in a moment of silence and reflection to the memory of Jim Treadwell of Salem.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE

Emergency Preamble Adopted.

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Dean Bassett, an employee of the Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development (see Senate, No. 2391), 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 (Mr. Richard T. Moore) and sent to the House for enactment.

Engrossed Bill.

An engrossed Bill establishing the position of town administrator in the town of Fairhaven (see House, No. 4478) (which originated in the House), **having been certified by the Senate Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was passed to be enacted and signed by the Acting President (Mr. Richard T. Moore) and laid before the Governor for his approbation.**

Adjourn In Memory of Jim Treadwell

The Senator from Essex, Ms. Lovely, moved that when the Senate adjourns today, it does so in memory of Jim Treadwell of Salem, who passed away on Tuesday, October 14, 2014, at the age of 79. Jim was a lifelong resident of Salem and one of the city's most politically active citizens. A regular participant in both city and state public processes, Jim was a dedicated and engaged member of the community that he loved, leaving a positive mark on numerous projects and people across the city. Jim's legacy is one of true civic engagement, which will surely be missed by his neighbors, colleagues, and friends in Salem. It is at this time that Senator Lovely moves that the Massachusetts Senate adjourns in honor of Jim's accomplished life. Accordingly, as a mark of respect in memory of Jim Treadwell, at twelve minutes past eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Tarr, the Senate adjourned to meet again on Monday next at eleven o'clock A.M.
