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Monday, November 17, 2014.

Met at four minutes past eleven o'clock A.M. (Mr. Rodrigues 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. Rodrigues), members, guests and staff then recited the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Communications.

The following communications were severally received and placed on file:

Communication from the Honorable Therese Murray, President of the Senate announcing the appointment (pursuant to Section 261, Chapter 60 of the Acts of 1994) of Senator Michael J. Rodrigues to the University of Massachusetts Cranberry Station Board of Oversight (effective January 1, 2015);

Communication from the Honorable Therese Murray, President of the Senate announcing the appointment (pursuant to Section 29 of Chapter 210 of the Acts of 2014) of Lisa Gentile of Medway to the Campaign Finance and Disclosure Task Force;

Communication from the Honorable Bruce E. Tarr, Senate Minority Leader, announcing the appointment of himself to the Special Commission established (pursuant to Section 7 of Chapter 189 of the Acts of 2014) to make an investigation and study of the usefulness and practicality of creating a developmental evaluation process for all cases of first degree murder committed by a juvenile;

Communication from the Mass Municipal Association (pursuant to Section 233 of Chapter 165 of the Acts of 2014) announcing the appointment of Thomas Moses, Executive Assistant for the town of Hudson, to the 495/Metro West Suburban Edge Community Commission (received November 14, 2014); and

Communication from the Department of Public Health relative to a plan of correction for the Dedham Alternative Center (received November 14, 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 following correctional facilities:

South Middlesex Correctional Facility
Dartmouth I.C.E. Facility
Bristol County Jail and House of Correction
M.C.I. Plymouth
Dartmouth Woman's Center.

Petition.

Ms. Chang-Diaz presented a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Sonia Chang-Diaz and Gloria L. Fox for legislation relative to redevelopment in the Roxbury area of the city of Boston,-- **and the same was referred, under Senate Rule 20, to the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently.**

Report of a Committee.

By Ms. Forry, for the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government, on petition, a Bill to authorize the appointment of special police officers in the town of Dartmouth (Senate, No. 2363) [Local approval received];

Read and, under Senate Rule 26, placed in the Orders of the Day for the next session.

PAPER FROM THE HOUSE

A petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4530) of Daniel J. Ryan, Sal N. DiDomenico and Jay Livingstone (with the approval of the mayor and city council) that the city of Boston be authorized to create a special events fund in said city,-- **was referred, in concurrence, to the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.**

A Bill relative to firefighters in the town of Merrimac (House, No. 4223,-- on petition) [Local approval received],-- **was read and, under Senate Rule 26, placed in the Orders of the Day for the next session.**

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (having been filed with the Clerk) were considered forthwith and adopted, as follows:-

Resolutions (filed by Mr. McGee) “celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the Youth Hockey Cultural Exchange between the town of Marblehead and the town of Saint-Lambert, Quebec.”

Matter Taken Out of the Orders of the Day.

There being no objection, the following matter was taken out of the Orders the Day and considered as follows:

The House Bill establishing the position of town administrator in the town of Fairhaven (House, No. 4478),-- **was read a second time, ordered to a third reading, read a third time and passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.**

Report of a Committee.

By Mr. Brewer, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Senate Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Jessica R. Brand, an employee of the Division of Capital Asset Management and Maintenance (Senate, No. 2393),-- **ought to pass, with an amendment substituting a new draft with same title (Senate, No. 2396).**

There being no objection, the rules were suspended, on motion of Mr. Tarr, and the bill was read a second time and was amended, as recommended by the committee in Ways and Means.

The bill (Senate, No. 2396) was then ordered to a third reading, read a third time and passed to be engrossed. Sent to the House for concurrence.

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE.

Petitions were severally referred, in concurrence, as follows, to wit:

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4531) of John V. Fernandes and Richard T. Moore relative to the Milford Water Company;

Under suspension of Joint Rules 12 and 9, to the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4532) of Alan Silvia and others relative to criminal penalties for certain acts involving federal and state health care programs;

Under suspension of Joint Rule 12, to the committee on Public Service.

Engrossed Bill.

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Stephanie Deronette, an employee of the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (see House, No. 4506) (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. Rodrigues) and laid before the Governor for his approbation.

Order Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Tarr,--

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

On motion of the same Senator, at eight minutes past eleven o'clock A.M., the Senate adjourned to meet again on Thursday next at eleven o'clock A.M.