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Friday, June 30, 2017.

Met at four minutes past eleven o'clock A.M.

The Senator from Plymouth and Norfolk, Mr. O'Connor, led the members, guests and staff in the recitation of the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Pledge of allegiance.

Report of a Committee.

By Ms. Flanagan, for the committee on Public Service, on petition, a Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Renee Salisbury, an employee of the Department of Transitional Assistance (Senate, No. 2101);

Renee Salisbury,-- sick leave.

Read and, under Senate Rule 27, referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Communication.

The Clerk read the following communication:

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
MASSACHUSETTS SENATE

Senator Eileen M. Donoghue,-- absent from Chamber.

June 28, 2017

William Welch,  
Clerk of the Senate  
State House  
Boston, MA 02133

Dear Mr. Welch,

On the evening of Thursday, June 22, I traveled to the Women in Government conference in Las Vegas and was unable to attend the final few hours of formal session. I would like the following votes to be recorded with regard to Senate Bill 2090, *Text of the Senate amendment (Senator Jehlen) to the House Bill to ensure the public health and safety of patient and consumer access to medical and adult use of marijuana in the Commonwealth.*

Had I been present for roll call #50 on the passing of amendment #54 on Qualified Drug Recognition Experts, I would have voted in the affirmative.

Had I been present for roll call #51 on the passing of amendment #81 on the Municipal Police Training Fund, I would have voted in the affirmative.

Had I been present for roll call #52 on the passing of the bill, as amended, to be engrossed, I would have voted in the affirmative.

I respectfully request that a copy of this correspondence be printed in the

journal during the next session. Thank you in advance for your assistance in this matter.

Respectfully,  
EILEEN M. DONOGHUE  
*State Senator*  
*First Middlesex District.*

**On motion of Mr. O'Connor, the above communication was ordered printed in the Journal of the Senate.**

Ordered printed.

PAPER FROM THE HOUSE

*Engrossed Bill.*

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Ruth A. Centola, an employee of the Trial Court of the Commonwealth (see House, No. 3695) (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 President and laid before the Governor for his approbation.**

Bill laid before the Governor.

*Recess.*

There being no objection, at seven minutes past eleven o'clock A.M., the President declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair; and, at sixteen minutes before five o'clock P.M., the Senate reassembled, the President in the Chair.

Recess.

*Order Adopted.*

On motion of Mr. Ross,--  
*Ordered,* That when the Senate adjourns today, it adjourn to meet again on Wednesday next at one o'clock P.M., in a full formal session without a calendar.

Time of meeting.

On motion of the same Senator, at a quarter before five o'clock P.M., the Senate adjourned to meet again on Wednesday next at one o'clock P.M.