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Thursday, July 6, 2017.

Met at seventeen minutes past one o'clock P.M.

The Senator from Essex and Middlesex, Mr. Tarr, led the members, guests and staff in the recitation of the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Pledge of allegiance.

Report.

Report of the Executive Office of the Trial Court (pursuant to Section 134 of Chapter 131 of the Acts of 2010) submitting its Separate and Secure Waiting Area Task Force Implementation Progress Report (received July 5, 2017),-- was placed on file.

EOTC,-- SSWA task force progress report SD2255

PAPERS FROM THE HOUSE.

Petitions were severally referred, in concurrence, as follows:

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3793) of Diana DiZoglio (by vote of the town) relative to the appointment of Nicholas L. Martone to the position of firefighter in the town of North Andover, notwithstanding the maximum age requirement; and

North Andover,-- Nicholas L. Martone.

Petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 3794) of Diana DiZoglio (by vote of the town) relative to the appointment of J. Adam Stagno to the position of police officer in the town of North Andover, notwithstanding the maximum age requirement;

North Andover,-- J. Adam Stagno.

Severally, to the committee on Public Service.

Emergency Preamble Adopted.

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Alison Dejordy, an employee of the Department of Children and Families (see House, No. 3715, amended), 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 5 to 0.

Alison Dejordy,-- sick leave.

The bill was signed by the President and sent to the House for enactment.

Engrossed Bills.

The following engrossed bills (the first two of which originated in the Senate), having been certified by the Senate Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, were severally passed to be enacted and were signed by the Acting President and laid before the Governor for his approbation, to wit:

Authorizing the town of Milton to establish a special purpose stabilization fund (see Senate, No. 24);

Bills laid before the Governor.

Authorizing the city known as the town of Braintree to continue the employment of Paul J. Shastany as chief of police (see Senate, No. 2068,

amended); and

Exempting certain uniformed positions in the fire department of the city of Marlborough from the civil service law (see House, No. 2782).

*Recess.*

There being no objection, at a twenty-six minutes past one o'clock P.M., the President declared a recess subject to the call of the Chair; and, at two minutes past five o'clock P.M., the Senate reassembled, the President in the Chair.

Recess.

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*Engrossed Bill.*

An engrossed Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Alison Dejordy, an employee of the Department of Children and Families (see House, No. 3715, amended) (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.

*Order Adopted.*

On motion of Ms. Forry,--

*Ordered,* That when the Senate adjourns today, it adjourn to meet again tomorrow next at two o'clock P.M., in a full formal session without a calendar.

Time of meeting.

On motion Mr. Tarr, at three minutes past five o'clock P.M., the Senate adjourned to meet again tomorrow at two o'clock P.M.