

Thursday, February 17, 2011.

Met according to adjournment at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Donato of Medford in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

Pledge of
allegiance.

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Donato), the members, guests and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Quarterly Report.

Department
of Transpor-
tation,—
quarterly
report.

The sixth quarterly report of the Department of Transportation (under Section 149 of Chapter 25 of the Acts of 2009) relative to the progression of the incorporation of agencies and authorities into said department [copies of said report having been forwarded to the committees on Ways and Means and Transportation] was spread upon the records of the House; and placed on file.

Resolutions.

Pearl Frances
Hines Murphy.

Resolutions (filed with the Clerk by Ms. Peake of Provincetown) congratulations to Pearl Frances Hines Murphy on the occasion of her eightieth birthday were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules.

Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for said committee, reported that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

Order.

Next
sitting.

On motion of Mr. DeLeo of Winthrop,—
Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Tuesday next at eleven o'clock A.M.

At fourteen minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mrs. Poirier of North Attleborough (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Tuesday at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session.