

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Friday, June 4, 2004.

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

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

Petition.

Mr. Donelan of Orange presented a petition (subject to Joint Rule 9) of Christopher J. Donelan and Steven M. Brewer (by vote of the town) relative to establishing the Athol economic development and industrial corporation; and the same was referred, under Rule 24, to the committee on Rules. Athol, economic development corporation.

Report of a Committee.

Report of the committee on Banks and Banking, ought NOT to pass (under Joint Rule 10), on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4697) of David M. Torrissi and Michael A. Costello relative to corporate credit unions. Corporate credit unions.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Torrissi of North Andover, the report was considered forthwith.

Pending the question on acceptance of the report, the petition was recommitted to the committee on Banks and Banking, on motion of Mr. Quinn of Dartmouth.

Recesses.

At four minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., the Chair (Mr. O'Flaherty) declared a recess until the hour of twelve o'clock noon; and at that time the House was called to order by Mr. O'Flaherty. Recesses.

The Chair thereupon declared a further recess, subject to the call of the Chair; and at three minutes after four o'clock P.M., the House was called to order with Mr. O'Flaherty in the Chair.

Quorum.

Mr. Jones of North Reading then asked for a count of the House to ascertain if a quorum was in attendance. Quorum.

A quorum not being present, under the provisions of Rule 82, the Chair (Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea), at seven minutes after four o'clock P.M., declared an adjournment of the House until Monday next at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session.