

JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE.

Wednesday, June 23, 2010.

Met according to adjournment, at eleven o'clock A.M., 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).

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Robert F. Quinn, C.S.P., Chaplain of the House, as follows:

Prayer. Gracious God, we focus our attention and thoughts on You, our Creator, and in prayer seek spiritual values and Your guidance during the course of this day. In Your goodness help us to make decisions and to select choices which respect the dignity of each individual, serve the common good and offer us peace of mind and conscience. In these uneasy times and in dealing with current difficult and complex issues, inspire us to seek truth and to speak truth in addressing items which come before us. Teach us to offer legislative proposals which serve both the current and future needs of the people and the Commonwealth. At all times may we be guided by traditional philosophical principals, values and virtues which form the foundation of our society and our constitutions.

Grant Your blessings to the Speaker, the members and employees of this House and their families.

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.

Resolutions.

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules:

Stephen H. Moynihan. Resolutions (filed by Mr. Ayers of Quincy) congratulating Stephen H. Moynihan on the occasion of his eightieth birthday;

Charles G. Cody. Resolutions (filed by Mr. Driscoll of Braintree) commending Lieutenant Colonel Charles G. Cody of Braintree, a decorated Army Engineer Officer on his return from his deployment in Iraq;

Ronald Parsons. Resolutions (filed by Mr. Keenan of Salem) congratulating Lieutenant Colonel Ronald Parsons on the occasion of his retirement; and

Shawn C. Cody. Resolutions (filed by Mr. Murphy of Weymouth) commending Major Shawn C. Cody of Weymouth, a decorated U.S. Army officer on his return from his deployment at Camp Liberty in Baghdad, Iraq.

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

Recess.

Recess. At five minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Smith of Everett (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House

recessed until the hour of one o'clock P.M.; and at eighteen minutes after one o'clock the House was called to order with the Speaker in the Chair.

Guests of the House.

The Speaker then introduced Gabriel De La Rosa, along with his family and friends, Michelle Duarte, Iria Tineo, Elvis Gomez, Carlos Motta, Sydney Motta, Melissa Pacheco and Lucy Dias, all of New Bedford. Mr. De La Rosa, winner of the 2010 New Bedford Idol Competition then sang the Star Spangled Banner. They were the guests of Representatives Cabral of New Bedford, Canessa of New Bedford, Koczera of New Bedford and Quinn of Dartmouth.

Gabriel De La Rosa.

During the session, the Speaker took the Chair and turned the gavel over to Mr. Honan of Boston, who introduced the National College Hockey Champion Boston College Eagle's hockey team with their coaches, Head Coach Jerry York, Associate Coach Mike Cavanaugh and Assistant Coaches Greg Brown and Jim Logue. Representative Honan then presented to the coach previously adopted resolutions of the House commending the team on their championship season. Coach York and assistant captains Ben Smith and Matt Lombardi then addressed the House briefly. The Speaker introduced Representatives Driscoll of Braintree, Falzone of Saugus, Fory of Boston, Linsky of Natick, Malia of Boston, McCarthy of East Bridgewater and Timilty of Milton, graduates of Boston College who were standing on the rostrum. The team and coaches were the guests of the Speaker and all 33 of the Boston College alumni members of the House.

Boston College Eagles,—2010 College Hockey National Champions.

During the session, the Speaker introduced the Young Marines of the official youth drug demand reduction program of the United States Marine Corps, an organization that for over 50 years has taught drug awareness and leadership to children ages 8 to 18. The Fore River Young Marines are based in Quincy on the U.S.S. Salem. They were accompanied by Terry Downey and Jenifer LaFlamme, unit commanders; and were the guests of Representatives Ayers of Quincy, Driscoll of Braintree, Mariano of Quincy, McCarthy of East Bridgewater, Murphy of Weymouth and Tobin of Quincy.

Fore River Young Marines.

During the session, Mr. Walsh of Boston took the Chair and introduced the University of Massachusetts at Boston baseball team and its coaches, accompanied by Chancellor Keith Motley. Chancellor Motley then addressed the House.

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Papers from the Senate.

The House Bill relative to assault and battery on health care providers (House, No. 1696, amended) came from the Senate passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, with amendments striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

Health care providers,—assault.

“Chapter 265 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 13I, as appearing in the 2008 Official Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Health care providers,—
assault.

Section 13I. Whoever commits an assault or an assault and battery on an emergency medical technician, an ambulance operator, an ambulance attendant or a health care provider as defined in section 1 of chapter 111, while the technician, operator, attendant or provider is treating or transporting a person in the line of duty, shall be punished by imprisonment in the house of correction for not less than 90 days nor more than 2 and one-half years or by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$5,000, or both.”; and inserting before the enacting clause the following emergency preamble:

“Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to provide forthwith for the immediate safety of health care personnel, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.”.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Donelan of Orange, the amendments (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, as changed) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted, in concurrence.

Millis,—
board of
assessors.

The House Bill amending the charter of the town of Millis to establish an appointed board of assessors (House, No. 4473) came from the Senate passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, with an amendment striking out section 3 and inserting in place thereof the following section:

“SECTION 3. Upon the effective date of this act, the board of selectmen may appoint a board of assessors in accordance with section III-3 of the Millis town charter. Initial appointments under said section shall be made as follows: 1 for a 1-year term, 1 for a 2-year term, and 1 for a 3-year term. Upon the appointment of a board of assessors under said section III-3, the terms of the incumbent members of the board of assessors shall terminate and the elected board of assessors shall be abolished. No contracts or liabilities in force on the effective date of this act shall be affected by the abolition of the elected board of assessors. The appointed board shall, in all respects, be the lawful successor of the elected board. All records, property and equipment whatsoever of the elected board shall be assigned to the appointed board.”.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Linsky of Natick, the amendment (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) was considered forthwith; and it was adopted, in concurrence.

Thomas
Troy,—
sick leave.

The House Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Thomas Troy, an employee of the Department of Correction (House, No. 4530, amended) came from the Senate with the endorsement that said branch had concurred with the House in its further amendments with still further amendments striking out all after the enacting clause (inserted by further amendment by the House) and inserting in place thereof the following:

“Notwithstanding any general or special law or rule or regulation to the contrary, the Suffolk county sheriff’s department shall establish a sick leave bank for Thomas Troy, an employee of the sheriff’s

department. Any employee of the Suffolk county sheriff’s department may voluntarily contribute 1 or more sick days to the sick leave bank for use by Thomas Troy. Sick leave bank days shall not be used for absences unrelated to the illness or disability that necessitated the establishment of the sick leave bank as determined by the sheriff’s department. Whenever Thomas Troy terminates employment with the sheriff’s department or requests to dissolve the sick leave bank, any remaining time in the sick leave bank shall be transferred to the extended illness leave bank.”; striking out the emergency preamble (inserted by further amendment by the House) and inserting in place thereof the following emergency preamble:

“Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to establish forthwith a sick leave bank for a certain employee of the Suffolk county sheriff’s department, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.”; and striking out the title (inserted by further amendment by the House) and inserting in place thereof the following title: “An Act establishing a sick leave bank for Thomas Troy, an employee of the Suffolk county sheriff’s department.”.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Driscoll of Braintree, the still further amendments (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted, in concurrence.

The House Bill relative to floor finishing products (House, No. 4565) came from the Senate passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, with an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in Senate document numbered 2506.

Floor
finishing
products.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Walsh of Boston, the amendment (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) was considered forthwith; and it was adopted, in concurrence.

The House Bill relative to debt restructuring (House, No. 4617, amended) came from the Senate passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, with an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in Senate document numbered 2432, amended in section 1, in lines 23, 24 and 25, by striking out the paragraph contained therein.

Debt
restructuring.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Driscoll of Braintree, the amendment (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) was considered forthwith; and it was adopted, in concurrence.

A report of the committee on Transportation, asking to be discharged from further consideration of the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2471) of Susan C. Fargo, Thomas P. Conroy and Cory Atkins for legislation relating to the improvements of Route 2, Crosby’s Corner interchange, in the towns of Lincoln and Concord,—and recommending the same be referred to the Senate committee on

Crosby’s
Corner.

Ways and Means,— accepted by the Senate, was considered forthwith, under Rule 42; and it was accepted, in concurrence, inasmuch as relates to the discharge of the committee.

Home health aides,— medication.

The Senate Bill prohibiting the administration of certain medications by home health aides (Senate, No. 860) (on a petition), passed to be engrossed by the Senate was read; and it was referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Binienda of Worcester, for the committee on Rules and the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the following petitions:

Medical records.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of James J. O'Day relative to copying fees for medical records. To the committee on Public Health.

Police training schools.

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Lydia Marie XinZhen Brown relative to the curriculum taught at municipal police training schools. To the committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Binienda, the reports were considered forthwith. Joint Rule 12 was suspended, in each instance. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Bethany M. Tsiropoulos,— sick leave.

By Mr. Spellane of Worcester, for the committee on Public Service, on a petition, a Bill establishing a sick leave bank for Bethany M. Tsiropoulos, an employee of the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Commission (House, No. 4752). Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for said committee, reported recommending that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of the same member, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Subsequently, under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Dempsey of Haverhill, the bill (having been reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Eunice Kennedy Shriver Day.

By Mr. Walsh of Lynn, for the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight, on House, No. 4731, a Bill designating Eunice Kennedy Shriver Day (House, No. 4796). Read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for said committee, reported recommending that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Explosives,— regulate.

By Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, that the Bill strengthening the laws related to the regulation of explosives (Senate, No. 2468) be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of the same member, the bill was read a second time forthwith; and it was ordered to a third reading.

A report of the committee on Financial Services, ought NOT to pass (under Joint Rule 10) on the petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 984) of Ronald Mariano relative to "stranger" originated life and disability insurance, was considered forthwith, under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Koutoujian of Waltham.

Life and disability insurance.

Pending the question on acceptance of the report, the petition was recommitted, on further motion of the same member.

By Mr. Walsh of Lynn, for the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight, on House, No. 3972, a Resolve providing for an investigation and study by a special commission relative to quasi public agencies (House, No. 4787). Read; and referred, under Joint Rule 29, to the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently.

Quasi public agencies,— study.

By Mr. Straus of Mattapoisett, for the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture, on a petition, a Bill relative to flood storage (House, No. 732).

Flood storage.

By the same member, for the same committee, on a petition, a Bill relative to biomass combustion facilities (House, No. 759).

Biomass facilities.

By Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea, for the committee on the Judiciary, on a petition, a Bill relative to sex offender registration (House, No. 3527).

Sex offender registration.

By Mr. Walsh of Lynn, for the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight, on a petition, a Bill conveying land to the town of Salisbury (House, No. 634).

Salisbury,— land.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, No. 3005, a Bill promoting responsible investment and the prevention of genocide (House, No. 4782).

International investment.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, No. 3006, a Bill to convey certain Commonwealth property consisting of the waters of Farm Pond, its tributaries, and water distribution system to the town of Sherborn (House, No. 4783).

Sherborn,— Farm Pond land.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, No. 3038, a Bill to ensure diversity in proposal review teams (House, No. 4784).

Proposal review.

By the same member, for the same committee, on House, No. 3010, a Bill relative to the board of electrical examiners (House, No. 4788).

Electrical examiners.

By the same member, for the same committee, on Senate, Nos. 6 and 1416 and House, Nos. 102, 2962, 2987, 3004, 3025 and 4092, a Bill providing for disposition of surplus state real property based on smart growth land use policies (House, No. 4790).

Surplus land.

Severally read; and referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. Speliotis of Danvers, for the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure, on a petition, a Bill relative to investment adviser registration (House, No. 303).

Investment advisers.

By the same member, for the same committee, on a petition, a Bill relative to the composition of the licensing board for the city of Pittsfield (House, No. 4682) [Local Approval Received].

Pittsfield,— licensing.

By Mr. Straus of Mattapoisett, for the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture, on a petition, a Bill amending and updating the Foxborough Sewer Act (House, No. 4680) [Local Approval Received].

Foxborough,— sewer act.

Guardian appointment. By Mr. O'Flaherty of Chelsea, for the committee on the Judiciary, on a recommitted petition, a Bill further regulating the appointment of certain guardians (House, No. 1513).

Public records. By Mr. Walsh of Lynn, for the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight, on House, No. 3048, a Bill amending the public records law (House, No. 4785).

Construction contracts,—bidding. By the same member, for the same committee, on House, No. 3759, a Bill relative to bidding for public construction contracts (House, No. 4786). [Representative Spiliotis of Peabody dissenting].

Public employees,—GPS. By the same member, for the same committee, on House, No. 3012, a Bill relative to global positioning system technology and public employees (House, No. 4789) [Representative Perry of Sandwich dissenting].

Severally read; and referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Health care,—bonds. By Mr. Cabral of New Bedford, for the committee on Bonding, Capital Expenditures and State Assets, that the Senate Bill financing health care through moral obligation bonds (Senate, No. 2208) ought to pass with an amendment by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in House, No. 4771. Referred, under Rule 33, to the committee on Ways and Means, with the amendment pending.

General Appropriation Bill. Mr. Murphy of Burlington, for the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two branches, with reference to the Senate amendment (striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in Senate document numbered 2470) of the House Bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 2011 for the maintenance of the departments, boards, commissions, institutions and certain activities of the Commonwealth, for interest, sinking fund and serial bond requirements and for certain permanent improvements (House, No. 4601), reported, in part, a Bill making appropriations for the fiscal year 2011 for the maintenance of the departments, boards, commissions, institutions and certain activities of the Commonwealth, for interest, sinking fund and serial bond requirements and for certain permanent improvements (House, No. 4800) [Appropriations: \$27,935,088,812.00]. Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House; and, under said rule, it was placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting, the question being on acceptance.

Emergency Measure.

Debt restructuring. The engrossed Bill relative to debt restructuring (House, No. 4617, amended), having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was considered, the question being on adopting the emergency preamble.

A separate vote was taken, as required by the provisions of Article XLVIII (as amended by Article LXVII) of the Amendments to the Constitution; and the preamble was adopted, by a vote of 23 to 0. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Engrossed Bill — Land Taking.

The engrossed Bill exempting the city of Springfield from certain provisions of the general laws (see House, No. 4316) (which originated in the House), having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, was put upon its final passage.

Springfield,—Forest Park Zoo.

On the question on passing the bill to be enacted, the sense of the House was taken by yeas and nays (this being a bill providing for the taking of land or other easements used for conservation purposes, etc., as defined by Article XCVII of the Amendments to the Constitution); and on the roll call 152 members voted in the affirmative and 0 in the negative.

Bill enacted (land taking),—yea and nay No. 418.

[See Ye and Nay No. 418 in Supplement.]

Therefore the bill was passed to be enacted; and it was signed by the Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Engrossed Bills.

Engrossed bills Relative to the transportation of telephone poles (see House, No. 3790); and

Bills enacted.

Authorizing the government employers in the county of Dukes County to establish a pooled other post-employment benefits trust fund (see House, No. 4105);

(Which severally originated in the House);

In respect to which the Senate had concurred in adoption of the emergency preamble, were passed to be enacted; and they were signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Engrossed bills

Validating the election of a charter commission in the city of Holyoke (Senate, No. 2408, amended) (which originated in the Senate);

Id.

Relative to the removal of spending limits in the town of North Andover (see House, No. 1897);

Designating a certain section of state highway Route 110 in the city of Haverhill as the Emilio Brothers Memorial Highway (see House, No. 3197);

Relative to health insurance coverage for retired employees of the town of Brookline (see House, No. 4451);

Increasing the membership of the board of the Commonwealth Zoological Corporation (see House, No. 4707); and

Authorizing the town of Northborough to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises (see House, No. 4719);

(Which severally originated in the House);

Severally having been certified by the Clerk to be rightly and truly prepared for final passage, were passed to be enacted; and they were signed by the acting Speaker and sent to the Senate.

Reports of Committees.

Mr. Wagner of Chicopee, for the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two branches, with reference to the Senate amendments of the House Bill relative to safe driving (House, No. 4475), reported recommending passage of a bill with the same title (House,

Safe driving.

Safe driving.

No. 4795). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Kafka of Stoughton, for the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Wagner, the report was considered forthwith.

After debate on the question on acceptance of the report of the committee of conference, the sense of the House was taken by yeas and nays, at the request of the same member; and on the roll call 154 members voted in the affirmative and 1 in the negative.

[See Yea and Nay No. 419 in Supplement.]

Therefore the report of the committee of conference was accepted. Sent to the Senate for its action.

Orders of the Day.

The engrossed Bill relative to regional school district budgets (see House, No. 4775), being a printed copy of Section 4 contained in the engrossed Bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year 2011 (see House, No. 4579, amended), which had been returned by His Excellency the Governor with recommendation of amendment (for message, see House, No. 4774), was considered.

The committee on Bills in the Third Reading reported that the amendment recommended by the Governor be considered in the following form:—

By striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

“Notwithstanding section 114 of chapter 27 of the acts of 2009 or any general or special law to the contrary, a city or town whose fiscal year 2008 actual local contributions were lower than the amounts calculated in the one-time adjustment used pursuant to the fiscal year 2010 funding formula under chapter 70 of the General Laws may appeal to the department of revenue for an adjustment of its minimum required local contribution and net school spending not later than June 30, 2010, and any resulting adjustment causing the city or town to fall below its foundation level of spending shall be reimbursed to such level using American Recovery and Reinvestment Act State Fiscal Stabilization Funds.”.

The report was accepted. The amendment then was adopted. Sent to the Senate for its action.

The Senate Bill relative to the requirements for licensing as a real estate broker or salesman (Senate, No. 121, amended) (its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading), reported by said committee to be correctly drawn, was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed, in concurrence. Sent to the Senate for concurrence in the amendments previously adopted by the House.

Senate Bills

Authorizing the town of Milton to issue an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises of a certain restaurant (Senate, No. 141, amended); and

Conference committee report accepted,—yea and nay No. 419.

Regional school district budgets.

Third reading bill.

Third reading bills.

Designating a playground at the Marine Park in South Boston as the Michael Joyce Memorial Playground (Senate, No. 2435);

Severally reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, were read a third time; and they were passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

House bills

Prohibiting funeral homes from selling lists (House, No. 263); Relating to the standard fire insurance policy (House, No. 960);

Relative to continuing education of insurance producers (House, No. 963, changed);

Relative to William J. Higgins, an employee of the town of Nantucket (House, No. 1125);

Relative to the determination of condominium common area interest (House, No. 1235);

Relative to property tax exemptions in the town of Ashland (House, No. 1904, changed);

Relative to continuing education requirements for real estate brokers and sales persons (House, No. 4169) (its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading);

Authorizing the treasurer of the town of Dennis to borrow in anticipation of reimbursements from betterments assessed (House, No. 4244) (its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading);

Authorizing the town of Sherborn to use certain town forest land (House, No. 4585);

Protecting nursing home residents (House, No. 4637) (its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading);

Making a corrective change relative to the town of Millbury and payment of a certain bill (printed in House, No. 4684);

Validating the election of a charter commission in the city of Everett (House, No. 4739); and

Authorizing the Bristol county commissioners to borrow money for the repair of sewer extension facilities at the Bristol County Agricultural High School (House, No. 4763); and

The House Resolve extending the time within which the special commission established to make an investigation and study relative to 1,000 great places in the Commonwealth shall file its final report (House, No. 4517) (its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading);

Severally reported by said committee to be correctly drawn, were read a third time; and they were passed to be engrossed. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

The Senate Bill relative to the financial condition of the city of North Adams (Senate, No. 2442) was read a second time; and it was ordered to a third reading.

Subsequently, under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Bosley of North Adams, the bill (having been reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Third reading bills and resolve.

Second reading bill engrossed.

Second
reading
bills.

House bills

Relative to dress codes in public schools (House, No. 385, changed);
To increase accountability in school choice reimbursement (House, No. 498, changed);
Establishing identification requirements for voters who registered by mail (House, No. 663);
Relative to the issuance of public health warnings (House, No. 2042);
Relative to mutual aid for local public health (House, No. 2104);
Relative to healthy cosmetics (House, No. 2108);
Repealing mandated benefits that are no longer effective (House, No. 3679);
To eliminate antiquated language in health care requirements (House, No. 3920);
To include the Saugus River watershed on the citizens advisory board on the uses of the Rumney Marsh area (House, No. 4431);
Making a technical correction in a special law relative to certain land in the town of Sherborn (printed in House, No. 4614);
Relative to absentee ballots (House, No. 4661); and
Relative to internet safety in schools (House, No. 4672);
Severally were read a second time; and they were ordered to a third reading.

Second reading
bill amended.

The House Bill relative to access to epinephrine in schools (House, No. 2077) was read a second time.

The amendments previously recommended by the committee on Health Care Financing,— that the bill be amended in line 2 by striking out the figures “2002” and inserting in place the figures “2008”; in line 13 by striking out the word “must” and inserting in place the word “shall”; in line 15 by striking out the words “such as” and inserting in place the words “including, but not limited to”; and in line 15 by inserting after the word “lunchroom.” the following sentence “The Department may promulgate regulations concerning storage of epinephrine.”— were adopted.

The bill (House, No. 2077, amended) then was ordered to a third reading.

id.

The House Bill relative to the transporting of deceased persons (House, No. 2180) was read a second time.

The amendment previously recommended by the committee on Health Care Financing,— that the bill be amended in lines 1 and 2 by striking out the paragraph in those lines and inserting in place the following paragraph:

“The third paragraph of section 4 of Chapter 38 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting at the end thereof the following words:”— was adopted.

The bill (House, No. 2180, amended) then was ordered to a third reading.

Time-share
ownership.

The House Bill relative to time-share ownership (House, No. 4496), reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, was read a third time.

Pending the question on passing the bill to be engrossed, Mr. Pedone of Worcester moved to amend it by substitution of a bill with the same title (House, No. 4803), which was read.

The amendment was adopted; and the substituted bill was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

The House Bill relative to disclosure of employment information (House, No. 4647) was read a second time. Employment
information.

Pending the question on ordering the bill to a third reading, Mr. Jones of North Reading moved to amend it by substitution of a bill with the same title (House, No. 4802), which was read.

The amendment was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

Order.

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

Accordingly, without further consideration of the remaining matters in the Orders of the Day, at eleven minutes after four o'clock P.M., on motion of Mr. Hill of Ipswich (Mr. Donato of Medford being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following day at eleven o'clock A.M.