Journal of the House

Wednesday, January 20, 2010

At one o'clock in the afternoon the Speaker called the House to order.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. David Neulan, Pastor of Morningstar Fellowship, Barre, Vt.

Message from Governor

A message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, by Mr. David M. Coriell, Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs, as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed by the Governor to inform the House that on the nineteenth day of January, 2010, he approved and signed a bill originating in the House of the following title:

H. 477 An act relating to reauthorizing the Lake Champlain reciprocal fishing license

Rules Suspended; House Bills Introduced

House bills of the following titles were severally introduced. Pending first reading of the bills, on motion of **Rep. Komline of Dorset**, the rules were suspended and the bills were read the first time by number and referred or placed on the Calendar as follows:

H. 535

By Reps. Larson of Burlington, Donovan of Burlington, Johnson of South Hero, Pugh of South Burlington and Wizowaty of Burlington,

An act relating to community action teams pilot project;

To the committee on Human Services.

H. 536

By Rep. Helm of Castleton,

An act relating to the operation of all-terrain vehicles on frozen waters;

To the committee on Fish, Wildlife & Water Resources.

H. 537

By Reps. Clarkson of Woodstock, Adams of Hartland, Branagan of Georgia, Conquest of Newbury, Consejo of Sheldon, Evans of Essex, French of Shrewsbury, French of Randolph, Johnson of Canaan, Maier of Middlebury, Minter of Waterbury, Pellett of Chester, Sweaney of Windsor, Webb of Shelburne, Wilson of Manchester, Wizowaty of Burlington and Young of St. Albans City,

An act relating to rescission of voluntary acknowledgment of parentage;

To the committee on Judiciary.

H. 538

By Rep. Bohi of Hartford,

An act relating to hunting and fishing licenses for disabled Vermont veterans:

To the committee on Fish, Wildlife & Water Resources.

H. 539

By Reps. Bohi of Hartford, Clerkin of Hartford and Mitchell of Barnard,

An act relating to amending the charter of the town of Hartford;

To the committee on Government Operations.

H. 540

By Reps. Burke of Brattleboro, Aswad of Burlington, Courcelle of Rutland City, Edwards of Brattleboro, Krawczyk of Bennington, Lanpher of Vergennes, McFaun of Barre Town, Milkey of Brattleboro, Mrowicki of Putney, Potter of Clarendon, Ram of Burlington, Shand of Weathersfield, Smith of Mendon, Spengler of Colchester, Stevens of Shoreham, Wizowaty of Burlington and Zuckerman of Burlington,

An act relating to motor vehicles passing vulnerable users on the highway and to bicycle operation;

To the committee on Transportation.

H. 541

By Reps. Webb of Shelburne, Bohi of Hartford, Clarkson of Woodstock, Conquest of Newbury, Copeland-Hanzas of Bradford, Edwards of Brattleboro, Evans of Essex, French of Shrewsbury, French of Randolph, Maier of Middlebury, McCullough of Williston, Miller of Shaftsbury, Ram of Burlington, Shand of Weathersfield, Spengler of Colchester, Stevens of Waterbury, Sweaney of Windsor, Townsend of Randolph, Wilson of

Manchester, Wizowaty of Burlington and Zuckerman of Burlington,

An act relating to green automobile insurance;

To the committee on Commerce and Economic Development.

H. 542

By Reps. Botzow of Pownal, Baker of West Rutland, Davis of Washington, Fisher of Lincoln, Head of South Burlington, McDonald of Berlin, Milkey of Brattleboro, Moran of Wardsboro, Ram of Burlington, Savage of Swanton, Sharpe of Bristol, South of St. Johnsbury, Stevens of Waterbury and Winters of Williamstown,

An act relating to transfers of mobile homes and rent-to-own transactions;

To the committee on General, Housing and Military Affairs.

H. 543

By Rep. Clarkson of Woodstock,

An act relating to uniform adult guardianship and protective proceedings jurisdiction;

To the committee on Judiciary.

Senate Bill Referred

S. 163

Senate bill, entitled

An act relating to technical corrections to 2009 sex offender legislation;

Was taken up, read the first time and referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Bill Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

S. 77

Senate bill, entitled

An act relating to the disposal of electronic waste;

Appearing on the Calendar, affecting the revenue of the state, under the rule, was referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Third Reading; Bill Passed

H. 515

House bill, entitled

An act relating to LIHEAP income eligibility

Was taken up, read the third time and passed.

House Resolution Adopted

H.R. 24

House resolution, entitled

House resolution urging Congress to enact a financial increase in federal support for the National School Lunch Program and School Breakfast Program and to suspend temporarily any additional state matching requirement,

Was taken up and adopted on the part of the House.

Adjournment

At one o'clock and twenty minutes in the afternoon, on motion of **Rep. Komline of Dorset**, the House adjourned until tomorrow at one o'clock in the afternoon.