# Journal of the Senate

# WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2011

The Senate was called to order by the President.

## **Devotional Exercises**

A moment of silence was observed in lieu of devotions.

## Message from the House No. 20

A message was received from the House of Representatives by Ms. H. Gwynn Zakov, its Second Assistant Clerk, as follows:

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform the Senate that:

The House has passed a House bill of the following title:

**H. 121.** An act relating to establishing a special motorcycle registration plate for veterans.

In the passage of which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

# **Committee Relieved of Further Consideration; Bill Committed**

### H. 46.

On motion of Senator Mullin, the Committee on Health and Welfare was relieved of further consideration of House bill entitled:

An act relating to youth athletes with concussions participating in athletic activities,

Thereupon, pending entry of the bill on the Calendar for notice the next legislative day, on motion of Senator Mullin, the bill was committed to the Committee on Education.

#### **Rules Suspended; Bill Committed**

Appearing on the Calendar for notice, on motion of Senator Cummings the rules were suspended and Senate bill entitled:

**S. 15.** An act relating to insurance coverage for midwifery services and home births.

Was taken up for immediate consideration.

179 Printed on 100% Recycled Paper Thereupon, pending the reading of the report of the Committee on Health and Welfare, Senator Cummings moved that Senate Rule 49 be suspended in order to commit the bill to the Committee on Finance with the report of the Committee on Health and Welfare *intact*,

Which was agreed to.

#### **Bill Introduced**

Senate bill of the following title was introduced, read the first time and referred:

## S. 70.

By Senators Lyons, Miller and Mullin,

An act relating to hospital and home health assessments.

To the Committee on Finance.

# **Bill Referred**

House bill of the following title was read the first time and referred:

## H. 121.

An act relating to establishing a special motorcycle registration plate for veterans.

To the Committee on Transportation.

#### **Bill Passed**

Senate bill of the following title was read the third time and passed:

**S. 12.** An act relating to adding a member from the area agencies on aging to the governor's commission on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders.

#### **Bill Passed in Concurrence**

#### H. 30.

House bill of the following title was read the third time and passed in concurrence:

An act relating to requiring the board of governors of the unified towns and gores of Essex County to hear tax appeals.

#### Adjournment

On motion of Senator Campbell, the Senate adjourned until ten o'clock in the morning.