Senate Calendar

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2013

SENATE CONVENES AT: 9:30 A.M.

CONFIRMATIONS

The following appointments will be considered by the Senate, as a group, under suspension of the Rules, as moved by the President *pro tempore*, for confirmation together and without debate, by consent thereby given by the Senate. However, upon request of any senator, any appointment may be singled out and acted upon separately by the Senate, with consideration given to the report of the Committee to which the appointment was referred, and with full debate; and further, all appointments for the positions of Secretaries of Agencies, Commissioners of Departments, Judges, Magistrates, and members of the Public Service Board shall be fully and separately acted upon.

<u>Kevin William Griffin</u> of Norwich – Superior Court Judge – By Sen. Nitka for the Committee on Judiciary. (2/20/13)

PUBLIC HEARINGS

Tuesday, February 26, 2013 – Room 11 – 7:00 P.M.– 8:30 P.M. Re Retention of Judges by Judicial Retention Committee

REPORTS ON FILE

Reports 2013

Pursuant to the provisions of 2 V.S.A. §20(c), one (1) hard copy of the following reports is on file in the office of the Secretary of the Senate. Effective January 2010, pursuant to Act No. 192, Adj. Sess. (2008) §5.005(g) some reports will automatically be sent by electronic copy only and can be found on the State of Legislative webpage.

- 1. Military Department Vermont National Guard Biennial Report. (January 2013)
 - 2. Vermont Long Term Care Ombudsman Project. (January 2013)

NOTICE OF JOINT ASSEMBLY

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Thursday, February 21, 2013 – 10:30 A.M. – House Chamber –Election of a Sergeant at Arms, of an Adjutant and Inspector General, and of three (3) trustees for the University of Vermont, and Vermont and State Agricultural College.

The following rules shall apply to the conduct of these elections:

<u>First:</u> All nominations for these offices will be presented in alphabetical order prior to voting.

<u>Second:</u> There will be only one nominating speech of not more than three (3) minutes and not more than two seconding speeches of not more than one (1) minute each for each nominee.

FOR INFORMATION ONLY CROSSOVER DEADLINES

The following bill reporting deadlines are established for the 2013 session:

- (1) From the standing committee of last reference (excluding the Committees on Appropriations and Finance), all Senate bills must be reported out of committee on or before March 15, 2013.
- (2) Senate bills referred pursuant to Senate Rule 31, must be reported out of the Committees on Appropriations and Finance on or before March 22, 2013.
- (3) These deadlines may be waived for any bill or committee **only** by consent given by the Committee on Rules.