

# Journal of the Senate

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2013

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. 22

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 House bills of the following titles:

**H. 13.** An act relating to statutory revision.

**H. 18.** An act relating to granting staff of the Departments of Corrections and for Children and Families ex officio status for notary public services.

**H. 295.** An act relating to technical tax changes.

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

## Bills Introduced

Senate bills of the following titles were introduced, read the first time and referred:

### S. 141.

By Senator Mullin,

An act relating to choice of providers for vision and eye care services.

To the Committee on Health and Welfare.

### S. 142.

By Senator Mullin,

An act relating to the administration of immunizations by pharmacists.

To the Committee on Health and Welfare.

**S. 143.**

By Senators Cummings and Doyle,

An act relating to fee schedules for noncovered dental services.

To the Committee on Finance.

**Bills Referred**

House bills of the following titles were read the first time and referred:

**H. 13.**

An act relating to statutory revision.

To the Committee on Government Operations.

**H. 18.**

An act relating to granting staff of the Departments of Corrections and for Children and Families ex officio status for notary public services.

To the Committee on Finance.

**H. 295.**

An act relating to technical tax changes.

To the Committee on Finance.

**Appointments Confirmed**

Under suspension of the rules (and particularly, Senate Rule 93), as moved by Senator White, the following Gubernatorial appointments were confirmed together as a group by the Senate, without reports given by the Committees to which they were referred and without debate:

Francis, Lachlan of Putney - Student Member, Board of Education – July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2014.

Huling, Krista of Jeffersonville - Member, State Board of Education – February 13, 2013 to February 28, 2015.

MacIlwaine, Andy of Burlington - Member, Community High School of Vermont Board – August 30, 2012 to February 28, 2015.

Wengroff, Ariel of Burlington - Member, Board of Libraries – March 1, 2013 to February 28, 2017.

**Appointments Confirmed**

The following Gubernatorial appointments were confirmed separately by the Senate, upon full reports given by the Committees to which they were referred:

Vilaseca, Armando of Westford - Secretary, Agency of Education – January 2, 2013 to February 28, 2015.

Moulton, Mary of Moretown - Commissioner, Department of Mental Health – December 1, 2012 to February 28, 2013.

**Message from the House No. 23**

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 adopted joint resolution of the following title:

**J.R.H. 6.** Joint resolution relating to the Sandy Hook shootings and the public education environment in Vermont.

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

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Mazza, the Senate adjourned until one o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, February 28, 2013.