House Calendar

Thursday, February 23, 2017
51st DAY OF THE BIENNIAL SESSION
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Favorable with Amendment

H. 50

An act relating to extending the current expiration date of the telecommunications siting law

Rep. Carr of Brandon, for the Committee on Energy and Technology, recommends the bill be amended by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 1. 30 V.S.A. § 248a is amended to read:

§ 248a. CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC GOOD FOR COMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES

* * *

(i) Sunset of Board authority. Effective on July 1, 2017, no new applications for certificates of public good under this section may be considered by the Board. [Repealed.]

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Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

This act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.

and that after passage the title of the bill be amended to read: “An act relating to removing the expiration of the telecommunications siting law”

(Committee Vote: 8-0-0)

Action Under Rule 52

H.R. 11

House resolution commending the friendly bilateral relations between Taiwan and both the United States and the State of Vermont and supporting Taiwan’s full participation in the international community

(For text see House Journal February 21, 2017)

ACTION CALENDAR

Third Reading

H. 201

An act relating to length of stay at designated shelters
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Concurrent Resolutions

The following concurrent resolutions have been introduced for approval by the Senate and House and will be adopted automatically unless a Senator or Representative requests floor consideration before the end of the session of the next legislative day. Requests for floor consideration in either chamber should be communicated to the Secretary’s office and/or the House Clerk’s office, respectively. For text of resolutions, see Addendum to House Calendar and Senate Calendar.

H.C.R. 47

House concurrent resolution designating February 16, 2017 as Afterschool Day at the State House

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PUBLIC HEARING
Public Hearing on the Governor’s Proposed Fiscal Year 2018 State Budget
For Advocates
House Committee on Appropriations

Tuesday, February 28, 2017, 2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. for Agency of Human Services budget sections, and Friday, March 3, 2017, 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. for all other sections of the budget. – The House Committee on Appropriations will receive testimony on the Governor’s proposed FY2018 State budget during these Advocate hearings in room 10 of the State House. Please sign up in advance, with Theresa Utton-Jerman at (802) 828-5767 or tutton@leg.state.vt.us or in room 40.

Public Hearing
Judicial Retention Thursday, February 23, 2017, Room 11, 7:00. Joint Committee on Judicial Retention is having a public hearing for the retention of the following:

Supreme Court Justices
Chief Justice Paul Reiber
Justice Harold Eaton, Jr.
Justice Beth Robinson
Justice Marilyn Skoglund

Superior Court Judges
Judge Alison Arms
Judge Robert Bent
Judge Thomas Carlson
Judge Cortland Corsones
Judge Thomas Devine
Judge Theresa DiMauro
Judge Michael Kainen
Judge Mary Morrissey
Judge Gregory Rainville
Judge Kirstin Schoonover