Journal of the Senate

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 2017

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Reverend Mark Mendes of Essex Junction.

Message from the House No. 11

A message was received from the House of Representatives by Ms. Rebecca Silbernergal, 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. 125.** An act relating to fiscal year 2017 budget adjustments.

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

Bills Introduced

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

**S. 58.**

By Senators Pollina and Pearson,

An act relating to creating an education property tax that is adjusted by income for all taxpayers.

To the Committee on Finance.

**S. 59.**

By Senator Cummings,

An act relating to certain businesses regulated by the Department of Financial Regulation.

To the Committee on Finance.
By Senator Benning,
An act relating to the repeal of 21 V.S.A. § 6.
To the Committee on Economic Development, Housing and General Affairs.

S. 61.
By Senators Sears and Ashe,
An act relating to offenders with mental illness.
To the Committee on Judiciary.

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

H. 125.
An act relating to fiscal year 2017 budget adjustments.
To the Committee on Appropriations.

Adjournment
On motion of Senator Ashe, the Senate adjourned until one o’clock in the afternoon on Thursday, February 2, 2017.