The Senate was called to order by the President.

**Devotional Exercises**

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Reverend Julian Asucan of Montpelier.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

The President then led the members of the Senate in the pledge of allegiance.

**Bill Referred to Committee on Appropriations**

**H. 199.**

House bill of the following title, appearing on the Calendar for notice, and carrying an appropriation or requiring the expenditure of funds, under the rule, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

An act relating to reinstating legislative members to the Commission on Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Disorders.

**Joint Senate Resolution Adopted on the Part of the Senate**

**J.R.S. 54.**

Joint Senate resolution of the following title was offered, read and adopted on the part of the Senate, and is as follows:

By Senator Ashe,

**J.R.S. 54.** Joint resolution relating to weekend adjournment.

**Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:**

That when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, April 6, 2018, it be to meet again no later than Tuesday, April 10, 2018.

**Proposals of Amendment Amended; Bill Passed in Concurrence with Proposals of Amendment**

**H. 271.**

House bill entitled:
An act relating to administration of the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program.

Was taken up.

Thereupon, pending third reading of the bill, Senator Ingram moved that the Senate propose to the House to as follows:

First: In Sec. 1, 33 V.S.A. § 1701(a), in the last sentence, by inserting a comma between the words “nutritious” and “safe”

Second: In Sec. 1, 33 V.S.A. § 1703(a), by striking out subdivision (2) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subdivision (2) to read as follows:

(2) Within 90 days after a change described pursuant to subdivision (1) of this subsection, the Department shall provide an analysis to the Chairs of any anticipated administrative costs to the Department and any impacts on SNAP applicants and participants as a result of the change.

Which was agreed to.

Thereupon, the bill was read the third time and passed in concurrence with proposals of amendment.

Bill Passed in Concurrence

H. 686.

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

An act relating to establishing the Child Fatality Review Team.

Message from the House No. 40

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

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform the Senate that:

The House has considered a bill originating in the Senate of the following title:

S. 221. An act relating to establishing extreme risk protection orders.

And has passed the same in concurrence with proposal of amendment in the adoption of which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.
Adjournment

On motion of Senator Ashe, the Senate adjourned until one o’clock in the afternoon on Wednesday, April 4, 2018.