

Journal of the House

Friday, January 25, 2019

At nine o'clock and thirty minutes in the forenoon the Speaker called the House to order.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by Representative Robin Chestnut-Tangerman of Middletown Springs, VT.

Rules Suspended; House Bills Introduced

Pending first reading of the bills, on motion of **Rep. McCoy of Poultney**, the rules were suspended and the bills were read the first time by number and referred or placed on the Calendar as follows:

H. 88

By Reps. Birong of Vergennes, Chase of Colchester, Chesnut-Tangerman of Middletown Springs, Christie of Hartford, Cina of Burlington, Cordes of Lincoln, Durfee of Shaftsbury, Elder of Starksboro, Fegard of Berkshire, Forguites of Springfield, Gonzalez of Winooski, Hashim of Dummerston, Hooper of Burlington, Houghton of Essex, Killacky of South Burlington, Kitzmiller of Montpelier, Kornheiser of Brattleboro, Lanpher of Vergennes, McCarthy of St. Albans City, Mrowicki of Putney, Nicoll of Ludlow, Sullivan of Burlington, Szott of Barnard, Townsend of South Burlington, Troiano of Stannard, Walz of Barre City, White of Hartford, Yantachka of Charlotte and Young of Greensboro,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to requiring a presidential candidate to disclose federal tax returns in order to be placed on the presidential primary and general election ballots;

To the committee on Government Operations.

H. 89

By Rep. Conquest of Newbury,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to increasing the proportion of health care spending allocated to primary care;

To the committee on Health Care.

H. 90

By Reps. Sullivan of Dorset, Bates of Bennington, Brownell of Pownal, Carroll of Bennington, Morrissey of Bennington and Noyes of Wolcott,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to hunter education in schools;

To the committee on Natural Resources, Fish, and Wildlife.

H. 91

By Reps. Sullivan of Burlington, Burke of Brattleboro, Bartholomew of Hartland, Cina of Burlington, Colburn of Burlington, Donovan of Burlington, Gonzalez of Winooski, McCarthy of St. Albans City, Ralph of Hartland, Scheu of Middlebury, Till of Jericho and White of Hartford,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to a cap and trade program for greenhouse gas emissions caused by transportation, heating, and other energy use;

To the committee on Energy and Technology.

H. 92

By Reps. Sibiliala of Dover and Haas of Rochester,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to telecommunications facility siting and net neutrality;

To the committee on Energy and Technology.

H. 93

By Reps. Masland of Thetford, Anthony of Barre City, Briglin of Thetford, Burke of Brattleboro, McCarthy of St. Albans City, Till of Jericho, White of Hartford and Young of Greensboro,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to pole attachment rules and broadband deployment;

To the committee on Energy and Technology.

H. 94

By Reps. Sibiliala of Dover, Young of Greensboro, Burke of Brattleboro, Chesnut-Tangerman of Middletown Springs, Coffey of Guilford, Conlon of Cornwall, Conquest of Newbury, Haas of Rochester, Harrison of Chittenden, Hashim of Dummerston, Jickling of Randolph, Kimbell of Woodstock, Kornheiser of Brattleboro, Long of Newfane, Mrowicki of Putney, Murphy of

Fairfax, Norris of Shoreham, Pajala of Londonderry, Partridge of Windham, Toleno of Brattleboro, Trieber of Rockingham, Yacovone of Morristown and Yantachka of Charlotte,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to funding for State broadband initiatives;

To the committee on Energy and Technology.

H. 95

By Reps. Briglin of Thetford, Chesnut-Tangerman of Middletown Springs, Sibia of Dover, Burke of Brattleboro, Coffey of Guilford, Conlon of Cornwall, Conquest of Newbury, Cupoli of Rutland City, Gannon of Wilmington, Gonzalez of Winooski, Haas of Rochester, Hashim of Dummerston, Jickling of Randolph, Kimbell of Woodstock, Kornheiser of Brattleboro, Long of Newfane, McCormack of Burlington, Mrowicki of Putney, Pajala of Londonderry, Partridge of Windham, Patt of Worcester, Shaw of Pittsford, Toleno of Brattleboro, Trieber of Rockingham and Young of Greensboro,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to electric companies and broadband Internet access service;

To the committee on Energy and Technology.

H. 96

By Reps. Sibia of Dover, Young of Greensboro, Conlon of Cornwall, Conquest of Newbury, Gannon of Wilmington, Gregoire of Fairfield, Haas of Rochester, Jickling of Randolph, McFaun of Barre Town, Pajala of Londonderry, Quimby of Concord and Yantachka of Charlotte,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to telecommunications facility siting and bringing Internet service to unserved areas;

To the committee on Energy and Technology.

H. 97

By the committee on Appropriations,

An act relating to fiscal year 2019 budget adjustments;

Pursuant to House rule 48, bill placed on the Calendar for notice.

Bill Referred to Committee on Appropriations

H. 3

House bill, entitled

An act relating to ethnic and social equity studies standards for public schools

Appearing on the Calendar, carrying an appropriation, under rule 35(a), was referred to the committee on Appropriations.

Adjournment

At nine o'clock and fifty-seven minutes in the forenoon, on motion of **Rep. McCoy of Poultney**, the House adjourned until Tuesday, January 29, 2019, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to the provisions of J.R.S. 8.

Concurrent Resolutions Adopted

The following concurrent resolutions, having been placed on the Consent Calendar on the preceding legislative day, and no member having requested floor consideration as provided by Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, are hereby adopted in concurrence.

H.C.R. 20

House concurrent resolution congratulating the Champlain Valley Union High School Redhawks girls' cross-country team on a historic 2018 championship season;

H.C.R. 21

House concurrent resolution honoring the Kelly Brush Foundation for its contributions to adaptive sports and the safety of ski racing;

H.C.R. 22

House concurrent resolution congratulating the Champlain Valley Union High School Redhawks girls' soccer team on winning its second consecutive Division I championship;

H.C.R. 23

House concurrent resolution designating Wednesday, January 30, 2019 as Mental Health Advocacy Day at the State House;

H.C.R. 24

House concurrent resolution honoring Aaron Adler for his exemplary public service as an attorney in Vermont State government;

H.C.R. 25

House concurrent resolution designating January 25, 2019 as Vermont Pharmacists Day at the State House;

H.C.R. 26

House concurrent resolution honoring former Representative and Groton Town Moderator Mary E. Grant for her exemplary career in community and public service;

H.C.R. 27

House concurrent resolution honoring Forrest B. Randall of Springfield for his leadership in solid waste management governance;

[The full text of the concurrent resolutions appeared in the House Calendar Addendum on the preceding legislative day and will appear in the Public Acts and Resolves of the 2019, seventy-fifth Biennial session.]