Journal of the House

Friday, April 1, 2022

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

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rep. Bos-Lun of Westminster.

Pages Honored

In appreciation of their many services to the members of the General Assembly, the Speaker recognized the following named Pages who are completing their service today and presented them with commemorative pins:

Orion Cooper of South Burlington
Sadie Farris of Grand Isle
Hannah Haskins of Waterbury
HazeN (Hazel) Longe of Morristown
Carver Maxwell of Coventry
Madelyn Morris of Williston
Anya Muller of Jericho

Senate Bills Referred

Senate bills of the following titles were severally taken up, read the first time, and referred as follows:

S. 226

Senate bill, entitled
An act relating to expanding access to safe and affordable housing
To the Committee on General, Housing, and Military Affairs.

S. 281

Senate bill, entitled
An act relating to hunting coyotes with dogs
To the Committee on Natural Resources, Fish, and Wildlife.
S. 285

Senate bill, entitled
An act relating to health care reform initiatives, data collection, and access to home- and community-based services
To the Committee on Health Care.

Action on Bill Postponed

H. 444

House bill, entitled
An act relating to approval of amendments to the charter of the City of Barre
Was taken up and pending the question, Shall the House concur in the Senate proposal of amendment?, on motion of Rep. Anthony of Barre City, action on the bill was postponed until April 6, 2022.

Third Reading; Bill Passed in Concurrence
With Proposal of Amendment

S. 183

Senate bill, entitled
An act relating to midpoint probation review
Was taken up, read the third time, and passed in concurrence with proposal of amendment.

Adjournment

At nine o’clock and forty-eight minutes in the forenoon, on motion of Rep. McCoy of Poulney, the House adjourned until Tuesday, April 5, 2022, at ten o’clock in the forenoon, pursuant to the provisions of J.R.S. 48.

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 Rule 16b of the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Representatives, are hereby adopted on the part of the House:

H.C.R. 128

House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2022 Milton High School Yellowjackets Division II boys’ ice hockey championship team
H.C.R. 129

House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2022 Bellows Free Academy-St Albans Comets Division I girls’ championship ice hockey team

H.C.R. 130

House concurrent resolution recognizing April 2022 as the Month of the Military Child and April 15, 2022 as Purple Up Day in Vermont

H.C.R. 131

House concurrent resolution honoring Melinda Moulton and Lisa Steele for their pivotal role in rejuvenating the Burlington waterfront

H.C.R. 132

House concurrent resolution recognizing April 2022 as National Donate Life Month in Vermont

H.C.R. 133

House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2022 Essex High School Hornets Division I boys’ ice hockey championship team

H.C.R. 134

House concurrent resolution recognizing April 6, 2022 as Start by Believing Day in Vermont

[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 2022 Adjourned Session.]