

# Journal of the House

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Thursday, January 5, 2023

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

## Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by Geof Hewitt, Poet, Calais.

## Rules Suspended; House Bills Introduced

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

### H. 1

By Reps. Wood of Waterbury and McFaun of Barre Town,  
House bill, entitled

An act relating to legislative oversight of payment reform and conflict-free case management for developmental disability services

To the Committee on Human Services.

### H. 2

By Rep. Corcoran of Bennington,  
House bill, entitled

An act relating to Act 250 jurisdiction over aircraft hangars

To the Committee on Environment and Energy.

### H. 3

By Rep. Anthony of Barre City,  
House bill, entitled

An act relating to the provision of grants for mental health providers working in collaboration with municipal police departments

To the Committee on Health Care.

**H. 4**

By Reps. Anthony of Barre City and Williams of Barre City,  
House bill, entitled  
An act relating to the removal of the pilings of Bridge 308  
To the Committee on Transportation.

**H. 5**

By Rep. Bongartz of Manchester,  
House bill, entitled  
An act relating to a study on strengthening regional plans and their  
implementation  
To the Committee on Environment and Energy.

**H. 6**

By Rep. Anthony of Barre City,  
House bill, entitled  
An act relating to development and subdivisions above 1,500 feet  
To the Committee on Environment and Energy.

**H. 7**

By Rep. Donahue of Northfield,  
House bill, entitled  
An act relating to replacing the term "cider" with "hard cider" within Title 7  
To the Committee on Government Operations and Military Affairs.

**H. 8**

By Rep. Austin of Colchester,  
House bill, entitled  
An act relating to repealing the statute of limitations for civil actions based  
on childhood emotional abuse  
To the Committee on Judiciary.

**H. 9**

By Rep. Anthony of Barre City,  
House bill, entitled

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An act relating to motor vehicle inspections

To the Committee on Transportation.

**H. 10**

By Reps. Kornheiser of Brattleboro and Marcotte of Coventry,  
House bill, entitled

An act relating to amending the Vermont Employment Growth Incentive Program

To the Committee on Commerce and Economic Development.

**H. 11**

By Reps. Hango of Berkshire, Cordes of Lincoln, and Page of Newport City,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to commercial insurance coverage of epinephrine auto-injectors

To the Committee on Health Care.

**H. 12**

By Reps. LaLonde of South Burlington, Burditt of West Rutland, and Christie of Hartford,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to reducing the case backlog in the Criminal Division of the Superior Court

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**H. 13**

By Rep. Brennan of Colchester,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to switchblade knives

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**H. 14**

By Rep. Coffey of Guilford,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to jurors' compensation

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**H. 15**

By Rep. Page of Newport City,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to protecting golf courses from development

To the Committee on Environment and Energy.

**H. 16**

By Reps. Page of Newport City, Higley of Lowell, Labor of Morgan, Smith of Derby, and Williams of Granby,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to a rail feasibility study

To the Committee on Transportation.

**H. 17**

By Reps. Page of Newport City, Labor of Morgan, Marcotte of Coventry, and Smith of Derby,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to abandoned motor vehicles and the towing of abandoned motor vehicles

To the Committee on Transportation.

**H. 18**

By Rep. Page of Newport City,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to prohibiting the sale of cannabis and tobacco products utilizing single-use filters

To the Committee on Human Services.

**H. 19**

By Reps. Arrison of Weathersfield and Morris of Springfield,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to abating de minimis amounts of taxes owed for purposes of balancing municipal accounts

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To the Committee on Government Operations and Military Affairs.

**H. 20**

By Reps. Sims of Craftsbury, Anthony of Barre City, Harrison of Chittenden, Sibilila of Dover, and Small of Winooski,

House bill, entitled

An act relating to exploring modification to Vermont's reapportionment process

To the Committee on Government Operations and Military Affairs.

**Message from the Senate No. 4**

A message was received from the Senate by Ms. Kucserik, its Assistant Secretary, as follows:

Madam Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House that:

The Senate has on its part adopted joint resolution of the following title:

**J.R.S. 6.** Joint resolution relating to weekend adjournment.

In the adoption of which the concurrence of the House is requested.

**Adjournment**

At nine o'clock and forty minutes in the forenoon, on motion of **Rep. McCoy of Poultney**, the House adjourned until tomorrow at nine o'clock and thirty minutes in the forenoon.