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18 SENATOR JOSEPH GRIFFO, Acting President

19 FRANCIS W. PATIENCE, Secretary

1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
3 Senate will come to order.

4 I ask all present to please rise and  
5 join with me as we recite the Pledge of  
6 Allegiance to our Flag.

7 (Whereupon, the assemblage recited  
8 the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.)

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: In the  
10 absence of clergy, I ask all present to please  
11 bow your heads in a moment of silent prayer  
12 and/or reflection.

13 (Whereupon, the assemblage respected  
14 a moment of silence.)

15 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
16 reading of the Journal.

17 THE SECRETARY: In Senate, Sunday,  
18 June 10th, the Senate met pursuant to  
19 adjournment. The Journal of Saturday, June 9th,  
20 was read and approved. On motion, Senate  
21 adjourned.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Without  
23 objection, the Journal will stand approved as  
24 read.

25 Presentation of petitions.

1 Messages from the Assembly.

2 The Secretary will read.

3 THE SECRETARY: On page 7, Senator  
4 Avella moves to discharge, from the Committee on  
5 Children and Families, Assembly Bill Number 7905A  
6 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill  
7 6016A, Third Reading Calendar 134.

8 On page 42, Senator Ortt moves to  
9 discharge, from the Committee on Rules,  
10 Assembly Bill Number 9646A and substitute it for  
11 the identical Senate Bill 7053A, Third Reading  
12 Calendar 941.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
14 substitutions are so ordered.

15 Messages from the Governor.

16 Reports of standing committees.

17 Reports of select committees.

18 Communications and reports from  
19 state officers.

20 Motions and resolutions.

21 Senator DeFrancisco.

22 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes,  
23 Mr. President. I wish to call up Senator  
24 Akshar's bill, Senate Print 6544A, recalled from  
25 the Assembly, which is now at the desk.

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
2   Secretary will read.

3           THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
4   251, by Senator Akshar, Senate Print 6544A, an  
5   act to amend the Mental Hygiene Law.

6           SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    I now move to  
7   reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

8           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
9   roll on reconsideration.

10           (The Secretary called the roll.)

11           THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 40.

12           SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    I now offer  
13   the following amendments.

14           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
15   amendments are received.

16           SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    I'd now like  
17   to call up Senator Little's bill, Print Number  
18   2947, recalled from the Assembly, which is now at  
19   the desk.

20           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
21   Secretary will read.

22           THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
23   269, by Senator Little, Senate Print 2947, an act  
24   to amend Chapter 308 of the Laws of 2012.

25           SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    I now move to

1 reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
3 roll on reconsideration.

4 (The Secretary called the roll.)

5 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 40.

6 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer  
7 the following amendments.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
9 amendments are received.

10 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I'd now like  
11 to call up Senator Ritchie's bill, Print Number  
12 7164, recalled from the Assembly, which is now at  
13 the desk.

14 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
15 Secretary will read.

16 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
17 378, by Senator Ritchie, Senate Print 7164, an  
18 act to amend the Public Health Law.

19 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now move to  
20 reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
22 roll on reconsideration.

23 (The Secretary called the roll.)

24 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 40.

25 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer

1 the following amendments.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
3 amendments are received.

4 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I'd now like  
5 to call up Senator Akshar's bill, Print 3770A,  
6 recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the  
7 desk.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
9 Secretary will read.

10 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
11 743, by Senator Akshar, Senate Print 3770A, an  
12 act to amend the Retirement and Social Security  
13 Law.

14 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now move to  
15 reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
17 roll on reconsideration.

18 (The Secretary called the roll.)

19 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 45.

20 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer  
21 the following amendments.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
23 amendments are received.

24 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I wish to  
25 call up Senator Akshar's bill, Print 4120A,

1 recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the  
2 desk.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
4 Secretary will read.

5 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
6 924, by Senator Akshar, Senate Print 4120A, an  
7 act to amend the Executive Law.

8 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now move to  
9 reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
11 Secretary will call the roll on reconsideration.

12 (The Secretary called the roll.)

13 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 45.

14 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer  
15 the following amendments.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
17 amendments are received.

18 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I'd now like  
19 to call up Senator LaValle's bill, Print 7853,  
20 recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the  
21 desk.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
23 Secretary will read.

24 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
25 945, by Senator LaValle, Senate Print 7853, an

1 act to amend the Town Law.

2 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now move to  
3 reconsider the vote by which this bill was  
4 passed.

5 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
6 roll on reconsideration.

7 (The Secretary called the roll.)

8 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 45.

9 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer  
10 the following amendments.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
12 amendments are received.

13 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Next I'd like  
14 to call up Senator LaValle's bill, Print 6861,  
15 recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the  
16 desk.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
18 Secretary will read.

19 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
20 1243, by Senator LaValle, Senate Print 6861, an  
21 act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

22 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now move to  
23 reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
25 roll on reconsideration.

1 (The Secretary called the roll.)

2 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 45.

3 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer  
4 the following amendments.

5 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
6 amendments are received.

7 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I'd now like  
8 to call up Senator Little's bill, Print 7939,  
9 recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the  
10 desk.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
12 Secretary will read.

13 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
14 1266, by Senator Little, Senate Print 7939, an  
15 act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

16 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now move to  
17 reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

18 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
19 roll on reconsideration.

20 (The Secretary called the roll.)

21 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 45.

22 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I now offer  
23 the following amendments.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
25 amendments are received.

1                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    On page 81, I  
2   now offer the following amendments to  
3   Calendar 1508, Senate Print 8774, by  
4   Senator Hannon, and ask that said bill retain its  
5   place on the Third Reading Calendar.

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
7   amendments are received, and the bill shall  
8   retain its place on third reading.

9                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    Amendments  
10   are now offered for the following Third Reading  
11   Calendar bills:

12                   By Senator Tedisco, page 16,  
13   Calendar 354, Senate Print 7388A;

14                   By Senator LaValle, page 39,  
15   Calendar 888, Senate Print 2976;

16                   By Senator Akshar, page 64,  
17   Calendar 1315, Senate Print 4839;

18                   By Senator Serino, page 66,  
19   Calendar 1334, Senate Print 2158B;

20                   By Senator Seward, page 69,  
21   Calendar 1384, Senate Print 2526A;

22                   By Senator Hannon, page 81,  
23   Calendar 1503, Senate Print 8473.

24                   And I now move that these bills  
25   retain their place on the order of third reading.

1                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
2   amendments are received as presented, and the  
3   bills shall retain their place on third reading.

4                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    Would you now  
5   recognize Senator Klein, please.

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Senator  
7   Klein.

8                   SENATOR KLEIN:    Thank you,  
9   Mr. President.

10                  On behalf of Senator Sanders, on  
11   page 80 I offer the following amendments to  
12   Calendar Number 1491, Senate Bill 4522, and ask  
13   that said bill retain its place on Third Reading  
14   Calendar.

15                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
16   amendments are received, and the bill shall  
17   retain its place on third reading.

18                  SENATOR KLEIN:    On behalf of  
19   Senator Bailey, on page 63 I offer the following  
20   amendments to Calendar Number 1308, Senate Print  
21   7063A, and ask that said bill retain its place on  
22   Third Reading Calendar.

23                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
24   amendments are received, and the bill shall  
25   retain its place on third reading.

1           SENATOR KLEIN:   Now, Mr. President,  
2   I have a motion to amend a bill recalled from the  
3   Assembly. I wish to call up Print Number 5823,  
4   recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the  
5   desk, on behalf of Senator Persaud.

6           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The  
7   Secretary will read.

8           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
9   1561, by Senator Persaud, Senate Print 5823, an  
10   act to amend the Administrative Code of the City  
11   of New York.

12          SENATOR KLEIN:   I now move to  
13   reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed.

14          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
15   roll on reconsideration.

16                 (The Secretary called the roll.)

17          THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 50.

18          SENATOR KLEIN:   Mr. President, I  
19   now offer the following amendments.

20          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The  
21   amendments are received.

22          SENATOR KLEIN:   Thank you,  
23   Mr. President.

24          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Thank  
25   you, Senator Klein.

1 Senator DeFrancisco.

2 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes, could  
3 you please take up the privileged resolution by  
4 Senator Phillips, read it in its entirety, and  
5 call on Senator Phillips to speak, please.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
7 Secretary will read.

8 THE SECRETARY: Legislative  
9 resolution by Senator Phillips, commemorating the  
10 9th Annual St. Baldrick's Shave Off and the  
11 4th Annual Ladies Night, in honor of Aiden  
12 Binkley.

13 "WHEREAS, The State of New York  
14 takes great pride in helping to increase  
15 awareness and understanding of childhood cancers  
16 which affect citizens across our great state and  
17 throughout the nation; and

18 "WHEREAS, It is the sense of this  
19 Legislative Body to recognize that the quality  
20 and character of life in the communities across  
21 New York State are reflective of the concerned  
22 and dedicated efforts of those organizations,  
23 individuals, and events which devote themselves  
24 to the welfare of the community and its  
25 citizenry; and

1                   "WHEREAS, Attendant to such concern,  
2     and in full accord with its long-standing  
3     traditions, this Legislative Body is justly proud  
4     to commemorate the 9th Annual St. Baldrick's  
5     Shave Off and the 4th Annual Ladies Night, in  
6     honor of 11-year-old Aiden Binkley, a resident of  
7     Floral Park, New York, who passed away on  
8     December 30, 2010, after losing his battle with  
9     Stage 4 rhabdomyosarcoma; Aiden is one of 1,600  
10    St. Baldrick's honored kids; and

11                  "WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is  
12    further proud to recognize the outstanding  
13    efforts of Aiden's Army to raise funds for  
14    childhood cancer research in honor of Aiden  
15    Binkley; and

16                  "WHEREAS, The St. Baldrick's Shave  
17    Off was held on Saturday, April 28, 2018, in the  
18    parking lot of Trinity Restaurant in Floral  
19    Park, New York; one of the largest St. Baldrick's  
20    events on Long Island to date, 200 people got  
21    their heads shaved and \$400,000 was raised; and

22                  "WHEREAS, The St. Baldrick's Ladies  
23    Night was held on Thursday, April 26, 2018, at  
24    The Inn at New Hyde Park, New Hyde Park,  
25    New York, hosted by the Wednesday Mother's Club,

1 a local club which has represented the  
2 Floral Park community for 70 years; this  
3 favorable event raised \$146,000; and

4 "WHEREAS, More children are lost to  
5 cancer in the United States than any other  
6 disease, in fact, more than many other childhood  
7 diseases combined; before they turn 20, about one  
8 in 285 children in the United States will have  
9 cancer, and worldwide, a child is diagnosed  
10 every two minutes; and

11 "WHEREAS, Only 4 percent of  
12 United States federal funds for cancer research  
13 is solely dedicated to childhood cancer  
14 research; the St. Baldrick's Foundation was  
15 established to fill this gap by providing funding  
16 to research programs worldwide through local  
17 fundraising events; and

18 "WHEREAS, St. Baldrick's Foundation  
19 is a well-respected national organization which  
20 operates via the local level through neighborhood  
21 head-shaving events and 'Do What You Want'  
22 fundraising initiatives; nearly half a million  
23 shaved heads later, they are still the most  
24 popular fundraiser; and

25 "WHEREAS, Kids with cancer often

1     lose their hair during treatment; as a 'shavee,'  
2     an individual will shave their head to show their  
3     support, and in the process, inspire friends and  
4     family to donate to childhood cancer research;  
5     and

6                 "WHEREAS, The remarkable donors and  
7     volunteers of St. Baldrick's Foundation have  
8     enabled the organization to fund over  
9     \$230 million in childhood cancer research grants  
10    which are given to more than 300 institutions  
11    throughout the United States; and

12                "WHEREAS, In 2008, Father John  
13    O'Farrell at Our Lady of Victory in Floral Park,  
14    New York, asked Bob GaNun to shave his head for  
15    kids with cancer; the next year, Bob and his  
16    wife, Tricia, moved the head-shaving event to the  
17    Trinity Restaurant, where it has become an annual  
18    occasion for their village; and

19                "WHEREAS, At the heart of the event  
20    is Aiden Binkley, whom volunteer event organizer  
21    Bob GaNun met when Aiden was battling cancer; in  
22    response to the tragic loss of Aiden, his young  
23    brothers, Jake and Devin, formed Aiden's Army in  
24    2011, to inspire kids to shave their heads for  
25    St. Baldrick's Foundation; and

1               "WHEREAS, Aiden's Army is unique due  
2     to 90 percent of those who get their heads shaved  
3     are children; in 2014, St. Baldrick's Ladies  
4     Night was formed when the Wednesday Mother's Club  
5     teamed up with Aiden's Army, and concurrently ran  
6     a cupcake sale, raising \$1,000 in a few short  
7     hours; four years later, the cupcake sales  
8     evolved into an annual St. Baldrick's Ladies  
9     Night Dinner, which has raised \$200,000  
10    cumulatively; and

11             "WHEREAS, Today, through the  
12    steadfast efforts of Aiden's brothers, his  
13    parents, Lisa and Michael Binkley, and his aunt,  
14    Terry Binkley Paterno, who serves as chairperson  
15    of St. Baldrick's Ladies Night, Floral Park's  
16    annual hometown shave event continues to honor  
17    Aiden's memory and his positive attitude, which  
18    has inspired many throughout the last  
19    seven years; when Aiden was diagnosed, he truly  
20    believed he got cancer to cure cancer; and

21             "WHEREAS, Since its first shave  
22    event, Aiden's Army and St. Baldrick's Ladies  
23    Night has raised more than \$2,000,000 for cancer  
24    research; in 2018, the two Village of Floral Park  
25    events were ranked sixth in the world for

1 donations raised for the St. Baldrick's  
2 Foundation; currently, through increased  
3 childhood cancer research, approximately  
4 90 percent of kids with the most common type of  
5 cancer will live; and

6 "WHEREAS, This Legislative Body is  
7 pleased to have the opportunity to express its  
8 highest admiration for Aiden's Army and  
9 St. Baldrick's Foundation, and to wish both  
10 organizations continued success in all their  
11 worthy endeavors; now, therefore, be it

12 "RESOLVED, That this Legislative  
13 Body pause in its deliberations to commemorate  
14 the 9th Annual St. Baldrick's Shave Off and the  
15 4th Annual Ladies Night, in honor of Aiden  
16 Binkley; and be it further

17 "RESOLVED, That a copy of this  
18 resolution, suitably engrossed, be transmitted to  
19 Aiden's Army."

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
21 Phillips.

22 SENATOR PHILLIPS: Yes. So  
23 Mr. President, thank you.

24 And I rise today to welcome the  
25 Binkley family and to honor the Binkley family

1 and to honor Aiden, who passed away, as the  
2 resolution said, on December 30, 2010, at the  
3 young age of 11, after losing his courageous  
4 battle with cancer.

5 In July 2008, Aiden was diagnosed  
6 with a rare form of cancer called  
7 rhabdomyosarcoma. And as his father said today,  
8 sadly, because he's had to say that word so many  
9 times in his life, he says it off the tip of his  
10 tongue.

11 During Aiden's illness the Binkley  
12 family learned about St. Baldrick's Foundation,  
13 which hosts thousands of these local events to  
14 raise funds for childhood cancer. As mentioned  
15 in the resolution, in 2009 Aiden participated in  
16 his first St. Baldrick's Shave Off, which  
17 occurred in Floral Park thanks to Bob GaNun, who  
18 is also here today. Thank you, Bob.

19 At the event, people shaved their  
20 heads in unity with children who have lost their  
21 own hair during their cancer treatment. Numerous  
22 friends, families and community members turned  
23 out in droves to show their support for Aiden by  
24 shaving their heads.

25 At the event, Aiden took off his

1 baseball cap. And according to his family, as he  
2 stood amongst his new friends, he smiled and said  
3 "For the first time, I feel normal."

4 Well, I never met Aiden. I have  
5 learned he was a special kid who could light up a  
6 room -- friendly, smart, caring, artistic. He  
7 was a big fan of the New York Jets -- we won't  
8 say anything about that -- especially Quarterback  
9 Mark Sanchez, whom he established a personal  
10 friendship with.

11 Shortly after Aiden passed away, his  
12 brothers, Jake and Devin, took their grief and  
13 their sorrow and formed this Aiden's Army, to  
14 inspire kids all over the place to shave their  
15 heads for the St. Baldrick's event.

16 The Floral Park event is now one of  
17 1,000 annual events worldwide. This year  
18 200 people shaved their heads in honor of Aiden  
19 and helped raise over \$400,000.

20 As a complement to this, as the  
21 resolution said, the Wednesday Mothers Club of  
22 Floral Park partnered up and created the  
23 St. Baldrick's Ladies Night in 2014. And they  
24 started as a cupcake sale, which raised over a  
25 thousand dollars in just a few hours. And they

1 thought, Shoot, if we can raise a thousand  
2 dollars in a couple of hours, think what else we  
3 can do.

4           So I know I was graciously invited  
5 to their event this past year, and I had no idea  
6 what I was going to walk into. And I walked into  
7 over 700 women who were there to raise money for  
8 the St. Baldrick's Foundation, which raised over  
9 200,000 in that one night.

10           Since the inception of the first  
11 Shave Off in 2009, total donations raised in  
12 Floral Park has exceeded \$2.5 million. Now, for  
13 those of you that don't know Floral Park, it's  
14 not a large community. And this really is what  
15 community is all about: coming together and  
16 working for a cause. Their success has made the  
17 Floral Park St. Baldrick's events the sixth top  
18 fundraiser in the world for the foundation.

19           One day while they were driving to  
20 treatment, Aiden told his mother that he thought  
21 the reason he got cancer was so that he could  
22 help find a cure.

23           So to each of you who have loved and  
24 cared for Aiden, I have no doubt that he is  
25 looking down on you at all times and thanking you

1 for continuing his effort to find a cure for  
2 cancer. So God bless you. Thank you for joining  
3 us in the Senate today.

4 Thank you, Mr. President.

5 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Thank  
6 you, Senator Phillips.

7 The question is on the resolution.  
8 All in favor signify by saying aye.

9 (Response of "Aye.")

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Opposed?

11 (No response.)

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
13 resolution is adopted.

14 Also, Senator Phillips has opened up  
15 the resolution for cosponsorship. If a member  
16 chooses to be a cosponsor, please notify the  
17 desk.

18 We'd like to extend a sincere  
19 greeting to the Binkley family for being here  
20 today. We want to thank the Binkley family for  
21 your compassion, for your outstanding commitment  
22 to continue to raise awareness -- not only in  
23 Aiden's name, but in order to try to achieve more  
24 efforts to secure funding in this fight against  
25 childhood cancer.

1                   So we sincerely appreciate, despite  
2                   your adversity, all of our hard work and your  
3                   efforts. God bless you all.

4                   Let's stand and acknowledge them.  
5                   (Standing ovation.)

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
7                   DeFrancisco.

8                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes, can we  
9                   now take up previously adopted Resolution 4323,  
10                  by Senator Tedisco, title only, and call on  
11                  Senator Tedisco to speak.

12                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
13                  Secretary will read.

14                  THE SECRETARY: Legislative  
15                  Resolution Number 4323, by Senator Tedisco,  
16                  congratulating the Mekeel Christian Academy  
17                  Varsity Boys Basketball Team and Head Coach Chad  
18                  Bowman upon the occasion of capturing the  
19                  New York State Public High School Athletic  
20                  Association Class B Boys Basketball Championship.

21                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
22                  Tedisco.

23                  SENATOR TEDISCO: Thank you,  
24                  Mr. President.

25                  Mr. President, I'm proud to welcome

1 to the Senate chamber and honor today, after, as  
2 you've said, we've passed a New York State Senate  
3 resolution in their honor, from the 49th Senate  
4 District, the Mekeel Christian Academy Varsity  
5 Boys Basketball Team from the Town of -- and the  
6 town I live in and am proud of -- the Town of  
7 Glenville.

8 Now, before I go any further, I'd  
9 like to introduce you to my seatmate. This is  
10 Senator Akshar. And you're going to understand  
11 why I just introduced him to you. The Lions  
12 captured the New York State Class B Boys  
13 Basketball Championship defeating Seton Hall --

14 (Laughter.)

15 SENATOR TEDISCO: -- 42 to 37 on  
16 Saturday, March 17, 2018, at the Floyd L. Maines  
17 Veterans Memorial Arena in Binghamton, New York.

18 My condolences to you --

19 (Laughter.)

20 SENATOR TEDISCO: -- Senator Akshar  
21 represents Seton Hall Catholic and that arena,  
22 and he was in the gym that day. And he has told  
23 me that you played an outstanding game. His team  
24 tried their very best to make up for it. He has  
25 challenged me to a one-on-one contest. I've

1     agreed to play left-handed and spot him 19 out of  
2     21. And he thinks he has a chance.

3                     (Laughter.)

4                     SENATOR TEDISCO: No, he's a  
5     hustler on the team. But he says he'll come back  
6     next year, but unfortunately I think you will  
7     too.

8                     The victory earned Mekeel Christian  
9     Academy the school's first ever state  
10    championship, finishing with an overall record of  
11    25 and 4. Outstanding.

12                    During the season, the team enjoyed  
13    the number-one ranking in New York State for a  
14    period of 13 straight weeks. Players Deonte  
15    Holder and Jordan Jackson were News Channel 13  
16    All-Stars in the Capital Region, and senior  
17    Carter Stewart was named the tournament's Most  
18    Valuable Player and will be taking his talents to  
19    Binghamton University in the fall. So you can  
20    watch him rub it in a little bit more as he  
21    scores a lot of points there, but helps your  
22    school over there.

23                    Head Coach Chad Bowman earned career  
24    win number 400 in the state championship game.  
25    So congratulations to you, Coach. That's an

1 unbelievable figure, 400 wins.

2 In addition to the members of the  
3 team, with us today are the school's other  
4 assistant coaches -- Assistant Coaches Mike Show,  
5 George Stewart, Khristian Collins, and Adrian  
6 Barcelon -- and Athletic Director Dan Decker.

7 Truly an outstanding team, working  
8 together to win an unbelievable championship in a  
9 25-and-4 record.

10 Mr. President, please welcome to the  
11 Senate chamber and congratulate the New York  
12 State Class B Boys Basketball Championship Mekeel  
13 Christian Academy's Lions and extend them all the  
14 cordialities of this august body. And please  
15 give the condolences to my seatmate Senator  
16 Akshar.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
18 Akshar.

19 SENATOR AKSHAR: Well, let me set  
20 the record straight. I'm not going to play  
21 Senator Tedisco one on one, I'm going to arm  
22 wrestle him. And I promise you that Binghamton  
23 will be victorious.

24 I rise to really congratulate you.  
25 I was in fact in the arena that night. And you

1 played with a lot of heart. You're a great team.  
2 I really, really enjoyed watching you guys play.  
3 Of course I wish Seton would have won, but you  
4 guys, you played a little bit better than they  
5 did that night, and you certainly deserve this.

6 So it was an honor to watch you. It  
7 was a privilege to watch you that evening. And  
8 when you're in Binghamton, make sure you look me  
9 up, all right?

10 Mr. President, thank you.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Thank  
12 you.

13 As noted, the resolution was  
14 previously adopted on March 27th of this year.

15 We want to recognize and extend our  
16 congratulations to the student athletes, to the  
17 coaches who are here today from Mekeel Christian  
18 Academy. Congratulations on winning the Class B  
19 State Championship. We extend all the  
20 cordialities and all of the privileges of the  
21 house to you.

22 So please stand and be recognized  
23 and acknowledged.

24 (Standing ovation.)

25 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator

1 DeFrancisco.

2 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes, also  
3 this resolution is open for cosponsorship.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
5 resolution is open for cosponsorship. Should you  
6 choose to be a cosponsor, notify the desk.

7 Senator DeFrancisco.

8 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Now can we  
9 take up previously adopted Resolution 3597, by  
10 Senator Hannon, title only, and call on  
11 Senator Hannon to speak.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
13 Secretary will read.

14 THE SECRETARY: Legislative  
15 Resolution Number 3597, by Senator Hannon,  
16 recognizing June 2018 as Meningitis B Awareness  
17 Month.

18 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
19 Hannon.

20 SENATOR HANNON: Thank you,  
21 Mr. President.

22 The full version of the resolution  
23 goes into the intricate details of what meningitis  
24 is all about, the five subgroups of meningitis,  
25 and a little bit about the progress that the

1 State of New York has made in promoting  
2 vaccination against meningitis.

3 The reason I rose today is because  
4 we're joined by Patti Wukovits and Nancy Quinn,  
5 Patti's mother, and they're here because of the  
6 tragic circumstance to Patti's daughter Kimberly.

7 Kimberly was 17, healthy, ready to  
8 graduate from high school, and came home one day  
9 complaining of aches and pains and a fever, and  
10 within 24 hours had to be admitted to the  
11 emergency room, where they suspected bacterial  
12 meningitis. And within weeks, she was subject to  
13 heart and kidney failure and passed away.

14 At the time, she had vaccinations  
15 against some of the strains of meningitis but  
16 now, years after she passed away, we have  
17 vaccines against all.

18 And it's a very surprising disease,  
19 strikes without any warning, and can bring just  
20 tragedy to any family. So Patti Wukovits has  
21 started the Kimberly Coffey Foundation to spread  
22 the word about meningitis.

23 And we in this state have only made  
24 some progress. We did pass a law in 2015 in  
25 regard to children entering grades 7, 8 and 12 be

1 immunized. We also required warning pamphlets  
2 and all that to people going into college. But  
3 that's not far enough. To the two or three  
4 higher education institutions that have  
5 experienced a wave of meningitis in the campus,  
6 they immediately require everybody to get  
7 inoculated.

8           After we worked on the warning  
9 pamphlet legislation, it was interesting -- to a  
10 person, people who had helped us in this house  
11 and the other house said to themselves, When my  
12 kid goes to college, I'm going to get them  
13 inoculated against meningitis.

14           So we have a ways to go. We can  
15 prevent future tragedies that Patti Wukovits and  
16 her mother, Nancy Quinn, went through. And I  
17 just wanted to thank you.

18           And Mr. President, they've joined us  
19 in the gallery. And if you can just acknowledge  
20 their presence, I would appreciate it.

21           Thank you.

22           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Thank  
23 you, Senator Hannon.

24           The resolution was previously  
25 adopted on January 30th of this year. It is open

1 for cosponsorship. Should you choose to be a  
2 cosponsor, please notify the desk.

3 And at this time we'd like to  
4 recognize and acknowledge Patti and Nancy, who  
5 are in the gallery, if you'd please stand. We  
6 thank you for your advocacy and for all of your  
7 efforts to raise awareness in the fight against  
8 meningitis. Thank you very much.

9 (Standing ovation.)

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
11 DeFrancisco.

12 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:  
13 Mr. President, can you now recognize  
14 Senator Klein for an introduction of an important  
15 group of people here today.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
17 Klein.

18 SENATOR KLEIN: Thank you,  
19 Mr. President.

20 I rise to recognize a very  
21 distinguished group made up of parent leaders and  
22 students from P.S. 24 and the Riverdale/  
23 Kingsbridge Academy in Riverdale. We have with  
24 us the copresidents of the P.S. 24 Parent  
25 Association, Laura Moukas and Diane Salanto. We

1 also have Holly Makin and Robert Heisler,  
2 representing RKA. Also, Robert was also a former  
3 president of 24.

4 They really personify what's best in  
5 parent leadership, working very, very hard on  
6 behalf of their children.

7 The reason why they're here today is  
8 there was a silent auction, and they were the  
9 lucky bidders to win a day in Albany hosted by  
10 myself and Assemblymember Jeff Dinowitz. I  
11 understand that the bidding was wild, it got up  
12 to a lot of money, but they were very gracious in  
13 agreeing to win this bid.

14 So I want to recognize them today  
15 and praise them for their hard work. They're  
16 accompanied by their kids. They're enjoying the  
17 day.

18 And I hope you will give them all  
19 the courtesies of our house today in the Senate,  
20 Mr. President.

21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Thank  
22 you, Senator Klein.

23 On behalf of the State Senate, we'd  
24 like to welcome the students, parents, faculty  
25 from Riverdale/Kingsbridge Academy and P.S. 24.

1 Thanks for being with us today, and we hope you  
2 have an enjoyable experience here. Please stand  
3 up and let us acknowledge you.

4 (Standing ovation.)

5 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
6 DeFrancisco.

7 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes, there  
8 is, will be -- there is, and I'm calling now, an  
9 immediate meeting of the Rules Committee.

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: There  
11 will be an immediate meeting of the Rules  
12 Committee in Room 332.

13 The Senate will stand temporarily at  
14 ease.

15 (Whereupon, the Senate stood at ease  
16 at 3:54 p.m.)

17 (Whereupon, the Senate reconvened at  
18 4:15 p.m.)

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
20 Senate will come to order.

21 Senator DeFrancisco.

22 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes, if we  
23 could return to motions and resolutions, please.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: We will  
25 return to motions and resolutions.

1                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    On page 71, I  
2   offer the following amendments to Calendar 1401,  
3   Senate Print 8270B, by Senator Golden, and ask  
4   that said bill retain its place on the Third  
5   Reading Calendar.

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
7   amendments are received, and the bill shall  
8   retain its place on third reading.

9                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    Is there a  
10  report of the Rules Committee at the desk?

11                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    There is  
12  a report of the Rules Committee, and the  
13  Secretary will read.

14                   THE SECRETARY:    Senator Flanagan,  
15  from the Committee on Rules, reports the  
16  following bills:

17                   Senate Print 1827, by Senator  
18  Kennedy, an act to amend the Tax Law;

19                   Senate 2397, by Senator Gianaris, an  
20  act to amend the State Administrative Procedure  
21  Act;

22                   Senate 2444, by Senator Hamilton, an  
23  act requiring;

24                   Senate 3406, by Senator Parker, an  
25  act to amend the Public Authorities Law;

1                   Senate 4184, by Senator Dilan, an  
2   act to amend the General Municipal Law;  
3                   Senate 4415, by Senator Avella, an  
4   act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law;  
5                   Senate 4727B, by Senator Seward, an  
6   act to amend the Tax Law;  
7                   Senate 4830, by Senator Avella, an  
8   act to amend the Family Court Act;  
9                   Senate 5002, by Senator Bailey, an  
10   act to amend the Public Authorities Law;  
11                   Senate 5079, by Senator Kennedy, an  
12   act to amend the Transportation Law;  
13                   Senate 6310A, by Senator Murphy, an  
14   act to direct;  
15                   Senate 6464A, by Senator Addabbo, an  
16   act to amend the Civil Service Law;  
17                   Senate 6932, by Senator Valesky, an  
18   act to amend the Education Law;  
19                   Senate 6934, by Senator Jacobs, an  
20   act to amend the Real Property Tax Law;  
21                   Senate 7074A, by Senator Kavanagh,  
22   an act to amend the General Obligations Law;  
23                   Senate 7643, by Senator Hannon, an  
24   act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law;  
25                   Senate 8003A, by Senator Montgomery,

1 an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control  
2 Law;

3 Senate 8166, by Senator Hannon, an  
4 act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law;

5 Senate 8264, by Senator Phillips, an  
6 act in relation to authorizing;

7 Senate 8306B, by Senator Griffo, an  
8 act to amend the Public Authorities Law;

9 Senate 8458, by Senator Comrie, an  
10 act to amend the Education Law;

11 Senate 8623, by Senator Golden, an  
12 act to amend the Public Authorities Law;

13 Senate 8737, by Senator Young, an  
14 act to authorize;

15 Senate 8764A, by Senator Phillips,  
16 an act relating to legalizing, validating,  
17 ratifying and confirming;

18 Senate 8771, by Senator Young, an  
19 act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law;

20 Senate 8780, by Senator Jacobs, an  
21 act to amend the Uniform City Court Act;

22 Senate 8798, by Senator Phillips, an  
23 act to authorize;

24 Senate 8839, by Senator Gallivan, an  
25 act to amend the Erie County Tax Act;

1                   Senate 8852, by Senator Young, an  
2 act to amend the Highway Law;

3                   Senate 8853, by Senator Young, an  
4 act to amend the Highway Law;

5                   Senate 8854, by Senator Young, an  
6 act to amend the Highway Law;

7                   Senate 8855, by Senator Young, an  
8 act to amend the Highway Law;

9                   Senate 8856, by Senator Young, an  
10 act to amend the Highway Law;

11                  Senate 8861, by Senator Larkin, an  
12 act to amend the Highway Law;

13                  Senate 8864, by Senator Sepúlveda,  
14 an act to amend the Executive Law;

15                  Senate 8882A, by Senator Ritchie, an  
16 act to amend the Public Officers Law;

17                  Senate 8889A, by Senator Larkin, an  
18 act to authorize;

19                  Senate 8922, by Senator Griffo, an  
20 act to amend the Executive Law;

21                  Senate 8926, by Senator Robach, an  
22 act to amend Chapter 371 of the Laws of 2009;

23                  Senate 8932, by Senator Flanagan, an  
24 act to amend the Real Property Tax Law;

25                  Senate 8940, by Senator Phillips, an

1 act to authorize;

2 Senate 8951, by Senator Flanagan, an  
3 act to amend Chapter 296 of the Laws of 2017;

4 And Senate 8954, by Senator  
5 Gallivan, an act to amend the Highway Law.

6 All bills reported direct to third  
7 reading.

8 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: I move to  
9 accept the report of the Rules Committee.

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: All in  
11 favor of accepting the Committee on Rules report  
12 say aye.

13 (Response of "Aye.")

14 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Opposed?

15 (No response.)

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
17 Committee on Rules report is accepted and before  
18 the house.

19 Senator DeFrancisco.

20 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: Yes, I  
21 believe we have an active list at this time, and  
22 I would ask that you do the noncontroversial  
23 reading of the active list.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
25 Secretary will read.

1                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
2    134, substituted earlier by Member of the  
3    Assembly Jaffee, Assembly Print 7905A, an act to  
4    amend the General Obligations Law.

5                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
6    last section.

7                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.  This  
8    act shall take effect immediately.

9                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
10   roll.

11                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

12                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

13                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
14   passes.

15                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
16    143, by Senator Carlucci, Senate Print 1158, an  
17    act to amend the Highway Law.

18                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
19    last section.

20                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 3.  This  
21    act shall take effect immediately.

22                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
23    roll.

24                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

25                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

1                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
2 passes.

3                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
4 316, by Senator Klein, Senate Print 1784, an act  
5 to amend the Social Services Law.

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
7 last section.

8                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.  This  
9 act shall take effect on the 180th day.

10                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
11 roll.

12                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

13                  THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

14                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
15 passes.

16                  THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
17 326, by Senator Lanza, Senate Print 4136C, an act  
18 to amend the Real Property Tax Law.

19                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
20 last section.

21                  THE SECRETARY:    Section 7.  This  
22 act shall take effect immediately.

23                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
24 roll.

25                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Announce  
2   the results.

3           THE SECRETARY:   In relation to  
4   Calendar 326, those recorded in the negative are  
5   Senators Alcantara, Comrie, Hamilton, Hoylman,  
6   Krueger, Montgomery, Parker, Persaud, Rivera and  
7   Sanders.   Also Senator Serrano.

8           Ayes, 50.   Nays, 11.

9           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
10   passes.

11          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
12   362, by Senator Tedisco, Senate Print 4149B, an  
13   act to amend the Executive Law.

14          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
15   last section.

16          THE SECRETARY:   Section 3.   This  
17   act shall take effect on the 90th day.

18          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
19   roll.

20          (The Secretary called the roll.)

21          THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

22          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
23   passes.

24          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
25   616, by Senator Murphy, Senate Print 7821A, an

1 act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
3 last section.

4 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
5 act shall take effect immediately.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
7 roll.

8 (The Secretary called the roll.)

9 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59. Nays, 2.  
10 Senators Hoylman and Kavanagh recorded in the  
11 negative.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
13 passes.

14 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
15 649, by Senator Sanders, Senate Print 3217A, an  
16 act to amend the Banking Law.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
18 last section.

19 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
20 act shall take effect on the 90th day.

21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
22 roll.

23 (The Secretary called the roll.)

24 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 60. Nays, 1.  
25 Senator DeFrancisco recorded in the negative.

1                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
2 passes.

3                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
4 652, by Senator Klein, Senate Print 1787, an act  
5 to amend the Executive Law.

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
7 last section.

8                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 4.  This  
9 act shall take effect immediately.

10                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
11 roll.

12                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

13                  THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

14                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
15 passes.

16                  THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
17 690, by Senator Marcellino, Senate Print 6090A,  
18 an act to amend the Education Law.

19                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
20 last section.

21                  THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.  This  
22 act shall take effect immediately.

23                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
24 roll.

25                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

1 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 60. Nays, 1.

2 Senator DeFrancisco recorded in the negative.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
4 passes.

5 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
6 827, by Senator Savino, Senate Print 3882, an act  
7 to amend the Penal Law.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
9 last section.

10 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
11 act shall take effect immediately.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
13 roll.

14 (The Secretary called the roll.)

15 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
17 passes.

18 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
19 941, substituted earlier by Member of the  
20 Assembly Norris, Assembly Print 9646A, an act to  
21 amend the Town Law.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
23 last section.

24 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
25 act shall take effect immediately.

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
2   roll.

3           (The Secretary called the roll.)

4           THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

5           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
6   is passed.

7           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
8   1000, by Senator Golden, Senate Print 2406A, an  
9   act to amend the Penal Law.

10          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
11   last section.

12          THE SECRETARY:   Section 40. This  
13   act shall take effect on the first of November.

14          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
15   roll.

16          (The Secretary called the roll.)

17          THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

18          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
19   passes.

20          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
21   1113, by Senator Funke, Senate Print 4375A, an  
22   act to amend the Education Law.

23          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
24   last section.

25          THE SECRETARY:   Section 2. This

1 act shall take effect on the 180th day.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
3 roll.

4 (The Secretary called the roll.)

5 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
7 passes.

8 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
9 1134, by Senator Griffo, Senate Print 2420B, an  
10 act to amend the General Municipal Law.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
12 last section.

13 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
14 act shall take effect on the first of January.

15 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
16 roll.

17 (The Secretary called the roll.)

18 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
20 passes.

21 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
22 1139, by Senator Phillips, Senate Print 8339, an  
23 act to amend Chapter 591 of the Laws of 2001.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
25 last section.

1 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
2 act shall take effect immediately.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
4 roll.

5 (The Secretary called the roll.)

6 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

7 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
8 passes.

9 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
10 1194, by Senator Jacobs, Senate Print 8010, an  
11 act to amend the Local Finance Law.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: There is  
13 a home-rule message present at the desk.

14 The Secretary will read the last  
15 section.

16 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
17 act shall take effect immediately.

18 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
19 roll.

20 (The Secretary called the roll.)

21 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
23 passes.

24 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
25 1200, by Senator DeFrancisco, Senate Print 8249A,

1 an act to amend the Not-For-Profit Corporation  
2 Law.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
4 last section.

5 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
6 act shall take effect immediately.

7 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
8 roll.

9 (The Secretary called the roll.)

10 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
12 passes.

13 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
14 1201, by Senator Amedore, Senate Print 8269A, an  
15 act to amend the Agriculture and Markets Law.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
17 last section.

18 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
19 act shall take effect immediately.

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
21 roll.

22 (The Secretary called the roll.)

23 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
25 passes.

1                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
2   1238, by Senator Murphy, Senate Print 7604A, an  
3   act to amend the Executive Law.

4                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
5   last section.

6                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.   This  
7   act shall take effect immediately.

8                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
9   roll.

10                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

11                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

12                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
13   passes.

14                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
15   1254, by Senator Benjamin, Senate Print 8414, an  
16   act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

17                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
18   last section.

19                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 3.   This  
20   act shall take effect immediately.

21                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
22   roll.

23                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

24                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Ayes, 61.

25                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill

1 passes.

2 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
3 1304, by Senator Griffo, Senate Print 8621, an  
4 act to amend the Highway Law.

5 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
6 last section.

7 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
8 act shall take effect on the 30th day.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
10 roll.

11 (The Secretary called the roll.)

12 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
14 passes.

15 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
16 1343, by Senator Murphy, Senate Print 7612, an  
17 act to amend the Executive Law.

18 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
19 last section.

20 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
21 act shall take effect immediately.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
23 roll.

24 (The Secretary called the roll.)

25 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

1                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
2   passes.

3                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
4   1375, by Senator Gallivan, Senate Print 7992, an  
5   act to amend the Executive Law.

6                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
7   last section.

8                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 6.   This  
9   act shall take effect on the 180th day.

10                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
11   roll.

12                  (The Secretary called the roll.)

13                  THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

14                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
15   passes.

16                  THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
17   1396, by Senator Savino, Senate Print 8497, an  
18   act to amend the Retirement and Social Security  
19   Law.

20                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
21   last section.

22                  THE SECRETARY:    Section 17.   This  
23   act shall take effect immediately.

24                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
25   roll.

1 (The Secretary called the roll.)

2 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 60. Nays, 1.

3 Senator DeFrancisco recorded in the negative.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1397, by Senator Larkin, Senate Print 8591, an  
8 act to grant.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: There is  
10 a home-rule message present at the desk.

11 The Secretary will read the last  
12 section.

13 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
14 act shall take effect immediately.

15 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
16 roll.

17 (The Secretary called the roll.)

18 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
20 is passed.

21 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
22 1421, by Senator Serino, Senate Print 8541, an  
23 act to amend the Penal Law.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
25 last section.

1 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
2 act shall take effect immediately.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
4 roll.

5 (The Secretary called the roll.)

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
7 Serino to explain her vote.

8 SENATOR SERINO: Thank you,  
9 Mr. President.

10 And thank you, everyone, for your  
11 support on this bill.

12 This bill was written to honor the  
13 legacy of Bailey Bates. Bailey Bates was a  
14 19-year-old autistic man from Poughkeepsie who  
15 tragically committed suicide in July of 2017  
16 after con artists preyed on his disability and  
17 targeted him for that reason to exploit him  
18 financially.

19 Under current state law, despite  
20 evidence that the perpetrators knowingly took  
21 advantage of his vulnerability when preying on  
22 him, the accused stand only to be charged with  
23 minimal counts of endangerment and grand larceny,  
24 and they will not be held accountable for the  
25 role they played in his death.

1           Bailey's mother has been a champion  
2     for this legislation and to ensure that his  
3     legacy is one that helps to empower New Yorkers  
4     by actively working to deter these kinds of  
5     shameful crimes.

6           As someone who has lost a loved one  
7     to suicide, I know firsthand how traumatic this  
8     experience can be. I cannot imagine to cope with  
9     that hurt only to find out that heartless  
10    criminals who sought to exploit a vulnerable  
11    person played a direct role in causing the loss.

12          We have a duty to ensure that  
13    prosecutors have the tools they need to properly  
14    hold these despicable perpetrators and those like  
15    them accountable. That is the goal of Bailey's  
16    Law.

17          When I first heard Bailey's story, I  
18    immediately began researching the issue and  
19    discovered another alarming parallel when I  
20    discovered that seniors across our country are  
21    committing suicide as a direct result of falling  
22    victim to a financial scam.

23          American seniors are bilked out of  
24    almost \$37 billion each and every year, and too  
25    many are either unable or unwilling to come

1 forward about the abuse. A quick Google search  
2 will reveal several news reports detailing the  
3 fact that too often seniors who have been  
4 victimized are turning to suicide. And just like  
5 in Bailey's case, there's simply no justice when  
6 this happens. These scammers are able to go back  
7 out into society and prey on other vulnerable  
8 victims.

9 As the Aging chair, I thought this  
10 bill would provide an important opportunity to  
11 give law enforcement another important tool to  
12 help them prevent another all-too-silent  
13 epidemic, elder abuse.

14 I thank my colleagues for  
15 recognizing the importance of this bill today,  
16 and I urge my colleagues in the Assembly to make  
17 its passage a priority at the end of session so  
18 that we can more effectively empower and protect  
19 vulnerable New Yorkers.

20 Thank you.

21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
22 Serino to be recorded in the affirmative.

23 Announce the results.

24 THE SECRETARY: In relation to  
25 Calendar 1421, those recorded in the negative are

1 Senators Alcantara, Bailey, Comrie, Dilan,  
2 Gianaris, Hoylman, Krueger, Mayer, Montgomery,  
3 Parker, Peralta, Rivera, Sanders, Savino and  
4 Stavisky. Also Senator Kavanagh. Also  
5 Senator Serrano.

6 Ayes, 44. Nays, 17.

7 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
8 passes.

9 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
10 1425, by Senator Flanagan, Senate Print 8187A, an  
11 act in relation to.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
13 last section.

14 THE SECRETARY: Section 13. This  
15 act shall take effect immediately.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
17 roll.

18 (The Secretary called the roll.)

19 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
21 passes.

22 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
23 1432, by Senator Funke, Senate Print 6886D, an  
24 act to amend the General Business Law.

25 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the

1 last section.

2 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
3 act shall take effect on the 180th day.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
5 roll.

6 (The Secretary called the roll.)

7 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
9 passes.

10 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
11 1437, by Senator Montgomery, Senate Print 4489,  
12 an act to amend the Executive Law.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
14 last section.

15 THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This  
16 act shall take effect immediately.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
18 roll.

19 (The Secretary called the roll.)

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
21 Montgomery to explain her vote.

22 SENATOR MONTGOMERY: Thank you,  
23 Mr. President.

24 I want to just thank my colleagues  
25 for finally allowing for New York City residents,

1 community board members in particular, to be able  
2 to apply for revitalization grants.

3 As you know, a lot of our city is  
4 waterfront, and so many of us will be able to  
5 appreciate the fact that the state will be  
6 willing to support the efforts of citizens in our  
7 city as well as throughout the state, because  
8 many of our colleagues have been making sure that  
9 their districts are part of this program.

10 We will be supporting those  
11 citizens, those communities are working very hard  
12 to revitalize their waterfront areas, especially  
13 as it relates to economic development activities,  
14 jobs, and other maritime activities in  
15 particular.

16 So on behalf of the citizens of my  
17 district and of many of the other districts --  
18 Senator Lanza is on this bill, and a number of  
19 others, Senator Savino -- those of us who  
20 represent waterfront areas in particular, we --  
21 on behalf of our constituents throughout the  
22 state, I want to thank my colleagues for passing  
23 this legislation which will now allow community  
24 boards to be eligible to participate in the  
25 waterfront revitalization grant program.

1                   Thank you, Mr. President. I vote  
2     aye.

3                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Senator  
4     Montgomery to be recorded in the affirmative.

5                   Announce the results.

6                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

7                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
8     passes.

9                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
10    1470, by Senator Robach, Senate Print 5131A, an  
11    act to amend the Education Law.

12                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
13    last section.

14                  THE SECRETARY:    Section 2. This  
15    act shall take effect on the first of September.

16                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
17    roll.

18                  (The Secretary called the roll.)

19                  THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 60. Nays, 1.  
20    Senator Hoylman recorded in the negative.

21                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
22    passes.

23                  THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
24    1579, by Senator Young, Senate Print 7712, an act  
25    to amend the Highway Law.

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
2   last section.

3           THE SECRETARY:   Section 3.  This  
4   act shall take effect immediately.

5           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
6   roll.

7           (The Secretary called the roll.)

8           THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

9           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
10   passes.

11          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
12   1583, by Senator Hannon, Senate Print 7774, an  
13   act authorizing.

14          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
15   last section.

16          THE SECRETARY:   Section 2.  This  
17   act shall take effect immediately.

18          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
19   roll.

20          (The Secretary called the roll.)

21          THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 59.  Nays, 2.  
22   Senators Akshar and O'Mara recorded in the  
23   negative.

24          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
25   passes.

1                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
2   1605, by Senator Bonacic, Senate Print 8315, an  
3   act to amend the Highway Law.

4                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
5   last section.

6                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 3.  This  
7   act shall take effect immediately.

8                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
9   roll.

10                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

11                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

12                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
13   passes.

14                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
15   1606, by Senator Griffio, Senate Print 8330A, an  
16   act to amend the Public Officers Law.

17                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
18   last section.

19                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.  This  
20   act shall take effect immediately.

21                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
22   roll.

23                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

24                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

25                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill

1 passes.

2 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
3 1607, by Senator Bonacic, Senate Print 8338, an  
4 act authorizing.

5 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
6 last section.

7 THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This  
8 act shall take effect immediately.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
10 roll.

11 (The Secretary called the roll.)

12 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
14 is passed.

15 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
16 1608, by Senator Boyle, Senate Print 8423, an act  
17 in relation to authorizing.

18 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
19 last section.

20 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
21 act shall take effect immediately.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
23 roll.

24 (The Secretary called the roll.)

25 THE SECRETARY: In relation to

1 Calendar 1608, those recorded in the negative are  
2 Senators Akshar, Bonacic and O'Mara.

3 Ayes, 58. Nays, 3.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1646, by Senator Serino, Senate Print 7557, an  
8 act to amend the Social Services Law.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
10 last section.

11 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
12 act shall take effect October 1, 2019.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
14 roll.

15 (The Secretary called the roll.)

16 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
18 passes.

19 Senator DeFrancisco, that completes  
20 the noncontroversial reading of today's  
21 active-list calendar before the house.

22 SENATOR DeFRANCISCO: There's also  
23 a Senate Supplemental Calendar Number 52A, which  
24 is comprised of the bills that just came from the  
25 Rules Committee. Can we do the noncontroversial

1 reading of Supplemental Calendar 52A.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
3 Secretary will begin the Senate Supplemental  
4 Calendar 52A noncontroversial reading.

5 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
6 1655, by Senator Avella, Senate Print 4830, an  
7 act to amend the Family Court Act.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
9 last section.

10 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
11 act shall take effect immediately.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
13 roll.

14 (The Secretary called the roll.)

15 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
17 passes.

18 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
19 1656, by Senator Kennedy, Senate Print 1827, an  
20 act to amend the Tax Law.

21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
22 last section.

23 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
24 act shall take effect immediately.

25 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the

1 roll.

2 (The Secretary called the roll.)

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1657, by Senator Gianaris, Senate Print 2397, an  
8 act to amend the State Administrative Procedure  
9 Act.

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
11 last section.

12 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
13 act shall take effect on the first of January.

14 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
15 roll.

16 (The Secretary called the roll.)

17 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

18 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
19 passes.

20 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
21 1658, by Senator Hamilton, Senate Print 2444, an  
22 act requiring.

23 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
24 last section.

25 THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This

1 act shall take effect immediately.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
3 roll.

4 (The Secretary called the roll.)

5 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
7 passes.

8 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
9 1659, by Senator Parker, Senate Print 3406, an  
10 act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
12 last section.

13 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
14 act shall take effect immediately.

15 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
16 roll.

17 (The Secretary called the roll.)

18 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
20 passes.

21 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
22 1660, by Senator Dilan, Senate Print 4184, an act  
23 to amend the General Municipal Law.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
25 last section.

1           THE SECRETARY:   Section 2.  This  
2   act shall take effect immediately.

3           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
4   roll.

5           (The Secretary called the roll.)

6           THE SECRETARY:   In relation to  
7   Calendar 1660, those recorded in the negative are  
8   Senators Akshar, Griffio, Little and Ranzenhofer.

9           Ayes, 57.  Nays, 4.

10          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
11   passes.

12          THE SECRETARY:   Senator Avella  
13   moves to discharge, from the Committee on  
14   Investigations and Government Operations,  
15   Assembly Bill Number 1339 and substitute it for  
16   the identical Senate Bill 4415, Third Reading  
17   Calendar 1661.

18          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The  
19   substitution is so ordered, and the Secretary  
20   will read.

21          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
22   1661, by Member of the Assembly Rozic, Assembly  
23   Print 1339, an act to amend the Alcoholic  
24   Beverage Control Law.

25          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the

1 last section.

2 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
3 act shall take effect immediately.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
5 roll.

6 (The Secretary called the roll.)

7 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
9 passes.

10 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
11 1662, by Senator Seward, Senate Print 4727B, an  
12 act to amend the Tax Law.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
14 last section.

15 THE SECRETARY: Section 6. This  
16 act shall take effect July 1, 2018.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
18 roll.

19 (The Secretary called the roll.)

20 THE SECRETARY: In relation to  
21 Calendar 1662, those recorded in the negative are  
22 Senators Hoylman, Kavanaugh and Krueger.

23 Ayes, 58. Nays, 3.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
25 passes.

1                   THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
2   1663, by Senator Bailey, Senate Print 5002, an  
3   act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

4                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
5   last section.

6                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 3.  This  
7   act shall take effect immediately.

8                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
9   roll.

10                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

11                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Senator  
12   Bailey to explain his vote.

13                   SENATOR BAILEY:    Thank you,  
14   Mr. President.  I just want to be very brief on  
15   this matter.

16                   We speak about the MTA and how we  
17   need to get it on track and get it on time, but  
18   we need to also make sure that we are concerned  
19   about the safety of the riders and the employees  
20   and the public in general when commuting on the  
21   MTA.  So this bill would take a step towards that  
22   laudable goal, and I thank my colleagues for  
23   voting for it.

24                   I vote aye, Mr. President.

25                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Senator

1 Bailey recorded in the affirmative.

2 Announce the results.

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1664, by Senator Kennedy, Senate Print 5079, an  
8 act to amend the Transportation Law.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
10 last section.

11 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
12 act shall take effect on the 120th day.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
14 roll.

15 (The Secretary called the roll.)

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Announce  
17 the results.

18 THE SECRETARY: In relation to  
19 Calendar 1664, those recorded in the negative are  
20 Senators Amedore, Griffio, Kavanagh, Little and  
21 Seward.

22 Ayes, 56. Nays, 5.

23 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
24 passes.

25 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1 1665, by Senator Murphy, Senate Print 6310A, an  
2 act to direct.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
4 last section.

5 THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This  
6 act shall take effect immediately.

7 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
8 roll.

9 (The Secretary called the roll.)

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
11 Mayer to explain her vote.

12 SENATOR MAYER: Thank you,  
13 Mr. President.

14 I want to commend my colleague  
15 Senator Murphy for this very important bill.  
16 It's extremely important to the schools in the  
17 county of Westchester.

18 Unfortunately, and incorrectly,  
19 Westchester is inserted within the Hudson Valley  
20 region for purposes of Foundation Aid and also  
21 for Capital Aid for the schools. This bill  
22 requires that the State Education Department  
23 wisely conduct a study and determine whether  
24 Westchester should be placed within that region  
25 or more appropriately within the Long Island/

1 New York City region -- which it really does  
2 belong there, and it will make a huge difference  
3 to all the schools in our district.

4 So I commend the sponsor, I was  
5 pleased to be a sponsor in the Assembly as well,  
6 and I vote aye.

7 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Senator  
8 Mayer to be recorded in the affirmative.

9 Announce the results.

10 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
12 passes.

13 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
14 1666, by Senator Addabbo, Senate Print 6464A, an  
15 act to amend the Civil Service Law.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
17 last section.

18 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
19 act shall take effect immediately.

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
21 roll.

22 (The Secretary called the roll.)

23 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
25 passes.

1                   THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
2   1667, by Senator Valesky, Senate Print 6932, an  
3   act to amend the Education Law.

4                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
5   last section.

6                   THE SECRETARY:   Section 2.  This  
7   act shall take effect immediately.

8                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
9   roll.

10                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

11                   THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 60.  Nays, 1.  
12   Senator Montgomery recorded in the negative.

13                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
14   passes.

15                   THE SECRETARY:   Senator Jacobs  
16   moves to discharge, from the Committee on Local  
17   Government, Assembly Bill Number 2279A and  
18   substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 6934,  
19   Third Reading Calendar 1668.

20                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The  
21   substitution is ordered.

22                   The Secretary will read.

23                   THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
24   1668, by Member of the Assembly Peoples-Stokes,  
25   Assembly Print 2279A, an act to amend the Real

1 Property Tax Law.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
3 last section.

4 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
5 act shall take effect immediately.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
7 roll.

8 (The Secretary called the roll.)

9 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
11 passes.

12 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
13 1669, by Senator Kavanagh, Senate Print 7074A, an  
14 act to amend the General Obligations Law.

15 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
16 last section.

17 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
18 act shall take effect on the 180th day.

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
20 roll.

21 (The Secretary called the roll.)

22 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 60. Nays, 1.  
23 Senator Lanza recorded in the negative.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
25 passes.

1           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
2   1670, by Senator Hannon, Senate Print 7643, an  
3   act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

4           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
5   last section.

6           THE SECRETARY:   Section 4.   This  
7   act shall take effect immediately.

8           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
9   roll.

10           (The Secretary called the roll.)

11           THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

12           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
13   passes.

14           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
15   1671, by Senator Montgomery, Senate Print 8003A,  
16   an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control  
17   Law.

18           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
19   last section.

20           THE SECRETARY:   Section 2.   This  
21   act shall take effect immediately.

22           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
23   roll.

24           (The Secretary called the roll.)

25           THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 58.   Nays, 3.

1 Senators Jacobs, Marchione and Serino recorded in  
2 the negative.

3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
4 passes.

5 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
6 1672, by Senator Hannon, Senate Print 8166, an  
7 act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
9 last section.

10 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
11 act shall take effect immediately.

12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
13 roll.

14 (The Secretary called the roll.)

15 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
17 passes.

18 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
19 1673, by Senator Phillips, Senate Print 8264, an  
20 act in relation to authorizing.

21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
22 last section.

23 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
24 act shall take effect immediately.

25 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the

1 roll.

2 (The Secretary called the roll.)

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1674, by Senator Griffo, Senate Print 8306B, an  
8 act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
10 last section.

11 THE SECRETARY: Section 13. This  
12 act shall take effect immediately.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
14 roll.

15 (The Secretary called the roll.)

16 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
18 passes.

19 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
20 1675, by Senator Comrie, Senate Print 8458, an  
21 act to amend the Education Law.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
23 last section.

24 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
25 act shall take effect immediately.

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
2 roll.

3           (The Secretary called the roll.)

4           THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 60.   Nays, 1.  
5 Senator Lanza recorded in the negative.

6           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
7 passes.

8           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
9 1676, by Senator Golden, Senate Print 8623, an  
10 act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

11          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
12 last section.

13          THE SECRETARY:   Section 2.   This  
14 act shall take effect immediately.

15          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
16 roll.

17          (The Secretary called the roll.)

18          THE SECRETARY:   In relation to  
19 Calendar 1676, those recorded in the negative are  
20 Senators Dilan, Hoylman and Krueger.

21                 Ayes, 58.   Nays, 3.

22          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
23 is passed.

24          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
25 1677, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8737, an act

1 to authorize.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
3 last section.

4 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
5 act shall take effect immediately.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
7 roll.

8 (The Secretary called the roll.)

9 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

10 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
11 passes.

12 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
13 1678, by Senator Phillips, Senate Print 8764A, an  
14 act relating to legalizing, validating, ratifying  
15 and confirming.

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
17 last section.

18 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
19 act shall take effect immediately.

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
21 roll.

22 (The Secretary called the roll.)

23 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
25 passes.

1           The Secretary will continue.

2           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
3   1679, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8771, an act  
4   to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law.

5           SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:   Lay the bill  
6   aside temporarily.

7           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   We'll lay  
8   the bill aside temporarily.

9           THE SECRETARY:   Senator Jacobs  
10   moves to discharge, from the Committee on  
11   Judiciary, Assembly Bill Number 9719 and  
12   substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8780,  
13   Third Reading Calendar 1680.

14          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The  
15   substitution is so ordered.

16          The Secretary will read.

17          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
18   1680, by Member of the Assembly Ryan, Assembly  
19   Print 9719, an act to amend the Uniform City  
20   Court Act.

21          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
22   last section.

23          THE SECRETARY:   Section 2.  This  
24   act shall take effect immediately.

25          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the

1 roll.

2 (The Secretary called the roll.)

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1681, by Senator Phillips, Senate Print 8798, an  
8 act to authorize.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
10 last section.

11 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
12 act shall take effect immediately.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
14 roll.

15 (The Secretary called the roll.)

16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Announce  
17 the results.

18 THE SECRETARY: In relation to  
19 Calendar 1681, those recorded in the negative are  
20 Senators Akshar, Bonacic and O'Mara.

21 Ayes, 58. Nays, 3.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
23 passes.

24 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
25 1682, by Senator Gallivan, Senate Print --

1                   SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:   Lay the bill  
2     aside for the day.

3                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Lay the  
4     bill aside for the day.

5                   THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
6     1683, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8852, an act  
7     to amend the Highway Law.

8                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
9     last section.

10                  THE SECRETARY:   Section 3.  This  
11     act shall take effect immediately.

12                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
13     roll.

14                                 (The Secretary called the roll.)

15                  THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

16                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
17     passes.

18                  THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
19     1684, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8853, an act  
20     to amend the Highway Law.

21                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
22     last section.

23                  THE SECRETARY:   Section 3.  This  
24     act shall take effect immediately.

25                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the

1 roll.

2 (The Secretary called the roll.)

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1685, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8854, an act  
8 to amend the Highway Law.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
10 last section.

11 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
12 act shall take effect immediately.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
14 roll.

15 (The Secretary called the roll.)

16 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

17 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
18 passes.

19 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
20 1686, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8855, an act  
21 to amend the Highway Law.

22 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
23 last section.

24 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
25 act shall take effect immediately.

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
2   roll.

3           (The Secretary called the roll.)

4           THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

5           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
6   passes.

7           THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
8   1687, by Senator Young, Senate Print 8856, an act  
9   to amend the Highway Law.

10          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
11   last section.

12          THE SECRETARY:   Section 3.  This  
13   act shall take effect immediately.

14          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
15   roll.

16          (The Secretary called the roll.)

17          THE SECRETARY:   Ayes, 61.

18          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
19   passes.

20          THE SECRETARY:   Calendar Number  
21   1688, by Senator Larkin, Senate Print 8861, an  
22   act to amend the Highway Law.

23          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Read the  
24   last section.

25          THE SECRETARY:   Section 3.  This

1 act shall take effect immediately.

2 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
3 roll.

4 (The Secretary called the roll.)

5 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
7 passes.

8 THE SECRETARY: Senator Sepúlveda  
9 moves to discharge, from the Committee on  
10 Veterans, Homeland Security and Military Affairs,  
11 Assembly Bill Number 5931A and substitute it for  
12 the identical Senate Bill 8864, Third Reading  
13 Calendar 1689.

14 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The  
15 substitution is ordered.

16 The Secretary will read.

17 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
18 1689, by Member of the Assembly Ramos, Assembly  
19 Print 5931A, an act to amend the Executive Law.

20 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
21 last section.

22 THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This  
23 act shall take effect on the 90th day.

24 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
25 roll.

1 (The Secretary called the roll.)  
2 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.  
3 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
4 passes.  
5 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
6 1690, by Senator Ritchie, Senate Print 8882A, an  
7 act to amend the Public Officers Law.  
8 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
9 last section.  
10 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
11 act shall take effect immediately.  
12 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
13 roll.  
14 (The Secretary called the roll.)  
15 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.  
16 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
17 passes.  
18 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
19 1691, by Senator Larkin, Senate Print 8889A, an  
20 act to authorize.  
21 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
22 last section.  
23 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
24 act shall take effect immediately.  
25 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the

1 roll.

2 (The Secretary called the roll.)

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 58. Nays, 3.  
4 Senators Akshar, Bonacic and O'Mara recorded in  
5 the negative.

6 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
7 passes.

8 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
9 1692, by Senator Griffo, Senate Print 8922, an  
10 act to amend the Executive Law.

11 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
12 last section.

13 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
14 act shall take effect immediately.

15 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
16 roll.

17 (The Secretary called the roll.)

18 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
20 passes.

21 THE SECRETARY: Senator Robach  
22 moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules,  
23 Assembly Bill Number 10758 and substitute it for  
24 the identical Senate Bill 8926, Third Reading  
25 Calendar 1693.

1           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The  
2   substitution is so ordered.

3           The Secretary will read.

4           THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
5   1693, by Member of the Assembly Morelle, Assembly  
6   Print 10758, an act to amend Chapter 371 of the  
7   Laws of 2009.

8           ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
9   last section.

10          THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.  This  
11   act shall take effect immediately.

12          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the  
13   roll.

14          (The Secretary called the roll.)

15          THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

16          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    The bill  
17   passes.

18          THE SECRETARY:    Calendar Number  
19   1694, by Senator Flanagan, Senate Print 8932, an  
20   act to amend the Real Property Tax Law.

21          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Read the  
22   last section.

23          THE SECRETARY:    Section 2.  This  
24   act shall take effect immediately.

25          ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:    Call the

1 roll.

2 (The Secretary called the roll.)

3 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 61.

4 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
5 passes.

6 THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number  
7 1695, by Senator Phillips, Senate Print 8940, an  
8 act to authorize.

9 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Read the  
10 last section.

11 THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This  
12 act shall take effect immediately.

13 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: Call the  
14 roll.

15 (The Secretary called the roll.)

16 THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59. Nays, 2.  
17 Senators Akshar and Bonacic recorded in the  
18 negative.

19 ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO: The bill  
20 passes.

21 THE SECRETARY: Senator Flanagan  
22 moves to discharge, from the Committee on  
23 Investigations and Government Operations,  
24 Assembly Bill Number 9989 and substitute it for  
25 the identical Senate Bill 8951, Third Reading

1     Calendar 1696.

2                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:     The  
3     substitution is so ordered.

4                   The Secretary will read.

5                   THE SECRETARY:     Calendar Number  
6     1696, by Member of the Assembly Fitzpatrick,  
7     Assembly Print 9989, an act to amend Chapter 296  
8     of the Laws of 2017.

9                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:     Read the  
10    last section.

11                  THE SECRETARY:     Section 2. This  
12    act shall take effect on the same date and in the  
13    same manner as a chapter of the Laws of 2017.

14                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:     Call the  
15    roll.

16                  (The Secretary called the roll.)

17                  THE SECRETARY:     Ayes, 60. Nays, 1.  
18    Senator Krueger recorded in the negative.

19                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:     The bill  
20    passes.

21                  THE SECRETARY:     Calendar Number  
22    1697, by Senator Gallivan, Senate Print 8954, an  
23    act to amend the Highway Law.

24                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:     Read the  
25    last section.

1                   THE SECRETARY:    Section 3.  This  
2   act shall take effect immediately.

3                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Call the  
4   roll.

5                   (The Secretary called the roll.)

6                   THE SECRETARY:    Ayes, 61.

7                   ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   The bill  
8   passes.

9                   Senator DeFrancisco, that completes  
10   the noncontroversial reading of Senate  
11   Supplemental Calendar 52A.

12                  SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:  
13   Mr. President, on 1679, we laid the bill aside  
14   temporarily.  I'd like to lay that bill aside for  
15   the day.

16                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   Calendar  
17   Number 1679 will be laid aside for the day.

18                  SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    Is there any  
19   further business at the desk?

20                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   There is  
21   no further business at the desk.

22                  SENATOR DeFRANCISCO:    I move to  
23   adjourn until Tuesday, June 12th, at 12:00 p.m.

24                  ACTING PRESIDENT GRIFFO:   On  
25   motion, the Senate will stand adjourned until

1 Tuesday, June 12th, at 12:00 p.m.

2 The Senate is adjourned.

3 (Whereupon, at 4:55 p.m., the Senate  
4 adjourned.)

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