NEW YORK STATE SENATE

THE STENOGRAPHIC RECORD

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11:37 a.m.

REGULAR SESSION

SENATOR JAMAAL T. BAILEY, Acting President

ALEJANDRA N. PAULINO, ESQ., Secretary

P R O C E E D I N G S

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The Senate will come to order.

I ask everyone present to please rise and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: In the absence of clergy, let us bow our heads in a moment of silent reflection or prayer.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The reading of the Journal.

THE SECRETARY: In Senate, Tuesday, February 8, 2022, the Senate met pursuant to adjournment. The Journal of Monday, February 7, 2022, was read and approved. On motion, the Senate adjourned.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Without objection, the Journal stands approved as read.

Presentation of petitions.

Messages from the Assembly.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Hinchey

moves to discharge, from the Committee on Health, Assembly Bill Number 8788 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7839, Third Reading Calendar 197.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: So ordered.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Kennedy moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 8704 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7849, Third Reading Calendar 205.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: So ordered.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Breslin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Health, Assembly Bill Number 7916A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 6921A, Third Reading Calendar 408.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: So ordered.

Messages from the Governor.

Reports of standing committees.

Reports of select committees.

Communications and reports from state officers.

Motions and resolutions.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Mr. President, on behalf of Senator Hinchey, I move to commit Senate Print 8084, Calendar Number 431 on the Third Reading Calendar, to the Committee on Rules.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: So ordered.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Can we take up the reading of the calendar now, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 108, Senate Print 6500, by Senator Ryan, an act to amend the State Finance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 197, Assembly Print Number 8788, by Assemblymember Woerner, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 205, Assembly Print Number 8704, by Assemblymember Lupardo, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the same date and in the same manner as a chapter of the Laws of 2021.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar Number 205, voting in the negative: Senator Skoufis.

Ayes, 62. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 258, Senate Print 2992, by Senator Harckham, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 305, Senate Print 345, by Senator Kaplan, an act to amend the Mental Hygiene Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 314, Senate Print 7851, by Senator Addabbo, an act to amend Chapter 473 of the Laws of 2010.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 345, Senate Print 815, by Senator Biaggi, an act to amend the Insurance Law and the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 7. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 360, Senate Print 6317, by Senator Gaughran, an act authorizing the Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church to retroactively apply for a real property tax exemption.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 360, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Akshar and O'Mara.

Ayes, 61. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 387, Senate Print 4609, by Senator Hoylman, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the

last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 408, Assembly Print Number 7916A, by Assemblymember Peoples-Stokes, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 63.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: The bill is passed.

Senator Gianaris, that completes the reading of today's calendar.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Is there any further business at the desk today?

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: There is no further business at the desk.

SENATOR GIANARIS: I move to adjourn until Monday, February 14th, at 3:00 p.m., intervening days being legislative days.

ACTING PRESIDENT BAILEY: On motion, the Senate stands adjourned until Monday, February 14th, at 3:00 p.m., with the intervening days being legislative.

(Whereupon, at 11:43 a.m., the Senate adjourned.)