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SENATOR ROXANNE J. PERSAUD, Acting President

ALEJANDRA N. PAULINO, ESQ., Secretary

P R O C E E D I N G S

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Senate will come to order.

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

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Rabbi Steven Exler, of the Hebrew Institute of Riverdale in the Bronx, New York, will deliver today's invocation.

RABBI EXLER: I rise as a constituent, friend and admirer of State Senator Gustavo Rivera, and as a rabbi from the Bronx, and invite us to pray.

Elohi Haruchot lechol basar -- God who bestows Your spirit in all flesh, bring Your blessing upon the elected legislators of this great body, the State Senate of New York.

Grant our Senators the wisdom, strength and moral force to faithfully represent their constituents and to hear their own inner voices so that they may make laws that are fair and just for all citizens, enshrining their freedoms and promoting their health, well-being

and flourishing as children of the Creator of us all.

Grant our legislators the sacred chutzpah to reach across the aisle and forge compromises for the greater good, for what unites us is truly greater than what divides us.

Fortify the compassion in the hearts of our lawmakers so that woven into all our laws will be what Jewish tradition calls the chut shel chesed, the thread of loving kindness.

Endow our representatives with the boldness to lead so that this great Empire State becomes known as a beacon for all states -- an empire of civil discourse and civic friendship, of righteousness and justice, of love and loving kindness, and, as Jewish tradition teaches that all our prayers should end with peace, an empire of peace.

Let us say together: Amen.

(Response of "Amen.")

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Reading of the Journal.

THE SECRETARY: In Senate, Tuesday, June 4, 2024, the Senate met pursuant to adjournment. The Journal of Monday, June 3,

2004, was read and approved. On motion, the Senate adjourned.

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

Presentation of petitions.

Messages from the Assembly.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Skoufis moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 6146B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 5500B, Third Reading Calendar 332.

Senator Skoufis moves to discharge, from the Committee on Elections, Assembly Bill Number 9409 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8464, Third Reading Calendar 631.

Senator Breslin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Insurance, Assembly Bill Number 6126A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 5242A, Third Reading Calendar 879.

Senator Breslin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Judiciary, Assembly Bill Number 5073A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7125A, Third Reading Calendar 943.

Senator May moves to discharge, from

the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 9043 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7849, Third Reading Calendar 1121.

Senator Breslin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Insurance, Assembly Bill Number 8276 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7845, Third Reading Calendar 1256.

Senator Skoufis moves to discharge, from the Committee on Insurance, Assembly Bill Number 10344 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9420, Third Reading Calendar 1261.

Senator Breslin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Insurance, Assembly Bill Number 10343 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9421, Third Reading Calendar 1262.

Senator Sanders moves to discharge, from the Committee on Banks, Assembly Bill Number 9463 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9366, Third Reading Calendar 1303.

Senator Martinez moves to discharge, from the Committee on Transportation, Assembly Bill Number 9578 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 6715B, Third Reading Calendar 1360.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to

discharge, from the Committee on Transportation, Assembly Bill Number 8450B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7703B, Third Reading Calendar 1362.

Senator Mayer moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 2740B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 4877A, Third Reading Calendar 1387.

Senator Hinchey moves to discharge, from the Committee on Agriculture, Assembly Bill Number 10110 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9249, Third Reading Calendar 1461.

Senator Parker moves to discharge, from the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 6253A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 1694B, Third Reading Calendar 1469.

Senator Skoufis moves to discharge, from the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 5370 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 5732, Third Reading Calendar 1475.

Senator May moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9354B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7869B, Third Reading Calendar 1491.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to

discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 8970A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7974A, Third Reading Calendar 1493.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to discharge, from the Committee on Consumer Protection, Assembly Bill Number 7939B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill Number 8182B, Third Reading Calendar 1499.

Senator Comrie moves to discharge, from the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 9919 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9053, Third Reading Calendar 1523.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to discharge, from the Committee on Judiciary, Assembly Bill Number 10198 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9424, Third Reading Calendar 1533.

Senator Myrie moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10357 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9687, Third Reading Calendar 1540.

Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick moves to discharge, from the Committee on Local Government, Assembly Bill Number 9533A and

substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9606, Third Reading Calendar 1605.

Senator Gounardes moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 7563B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7224B, Third Reading Calendar 1573.

Senator Skoufis moves to discharge, from the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 2852A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 3353A, Third Reading Calendar 1564.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9232B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8485B, Third Reading Calendar 1399.

Senator Stavisky moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10209 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9701, Third Reading Calendar 1541.

Senator May moves to discharge, from the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 5909A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 2003A, Third Reading Calendar 1559.

Senator Jackson moves to discharge,

from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 7693A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7181B, Third Reading Calendar 1571.

Senator Weber moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 8391A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9725, Third Reading Calendar 1615.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: 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: Good afternoon, Madam President.

On behalf of Senator Sepúlveda, I wish to call up Senate Print 7383, recalled from the Assembly, which is now at the desk.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 308, Senate Print 7383, by Senator Sepúlveda, an

act to amend the New York City Charter.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Move to reconsider the vote by which this bill was passed.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will call the roll on reconsideration.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 52.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is restored to its place on the Third Reading Calendar.

SENATOR GIANARIS: I offer the following amendments.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The amendments are received.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Please recognize Senator Bailey for an introduction.

Oh, I'm sorry, please take up previously adopted Resolution 2625, by Senator Bailey, read that resolution's title and recognize Senator Bailey.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Resolution 2625, by Senator Bailey, commending The Dad Gang and its

not-for-profit organization, Random Acts of Dadness, upon the occasion of hosting its Annual March of Dads.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Bailey on the resolution.

SENATOR BAILEY: Thank you, Madam President.

I have often said on this floor there will be no piece of legislation --

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Can we have some quiet, please. Thank you.

SENATOR BAILEY: Thank you, Madam President.

I have often said on this floor, or alluded to it, but I'll say it definitively, there is nothing I will do on this floor or in any capacity that will, you know, come close to what being a dad means to me.

And so a good friend of mine, Kevin Riley, the City Councilmember, he told me -- he said, "Look, I got this really dope group of brothers who are doing really positive things. We call ourselves The Dad Gang."

And here in the gallery today we have Edward Smith and Sean Williams, some of the

cofounders of The Dad Gang.

And sometimes out of pain comes purpose. So in 2016, Sean was in a supermarket in Long Island, and he was with his children, with his second child. And someone delivered the backhanded of backhanded compliments, and said, "It's good to see that you're still in the life of your child."

Well, like Sean would say, and I'll say, what the hell does that mean? Because if you ask the CDC, Black fathers are not only more likely to be involved in their kid's life, they're more likely to help out with homework, more likely to help out with -- excuse me, more likely to have meals at the table, so on and so forth.

So why is there a consistently negative portrayal of Black fathers? Why? Well, when you have a problem, you find the solution. And Edward and Sean and Kevin and so many brothers from The Dad Gang, they found the solution. They decided to flood your timeline with positivity. It started out as an Instagram account with simply just positive things about Black fatherhood. And it grew.

It grew to, in 2018, they had their first March of Dads. It was in Brooklyn.

And what was happening is that you get a bunch of brothers together and they're pushing their strollers and they're showing the positive messaging of what Black fatherhood is.

And since then, The Dad Gang has taken off to a global phenomenon. They've been recognized by Oprah. Oprah don't -- Oprah doesn't just -- if you just recognize people that's not doing anything, Madam President. We know that.

Steve Harvey. Will Smith. Dove. So many other organizations have contributed. This year the March of Dads is sponsored by LEGO. So you have -- now we're at this intersection where corporate America and big folks are seeing what we've been trying to tell you the whole time, that the message has been distorted.

And I'm grateful that we have brothers like you to kind of course-correct that messaging.

Sean also was the winner of the NAACP Unsung Hero Award in the wake of the George Floyd March.

But I can tell you what they've done in my district, Madam President. In the height of COVID, when people were unsure about what they were going to do, how they were going to take care of their kids, they pulled up in Co-Op City with an 18-wheeler truck and gave fathers strollers and other baby products. Committing what we call Random Acts of Dadness, as I would say, Madam President.

And what they don't know -- and I was waiting to say this on the floor -- now I recently became a father for the third time this past April. And in the delivery room I wore a Dad Gang shirt. I wore a Dad Gang shirt that said "Allow me to reintroduce myself." And it said "Dope Dad" on it. And the -- and one of the nurses said, "What's that shirt?" And I told her exactly what it was. We're redefining what y'all think about Black fathers. We are active. We are present. We are there.

Most importantly, The Dad Gang is a community. Right? It's truly a community that allows us to be able to have conversations that we may not know. We can ask brothers, Hey, how do you deal with this? Like Kevin Riley, right,

he had a son before me, so now I call Kev: "Hey, you have two daughters and a son. What's this boy going to be like?" That's what this is about.

So I would encourage you that if you happen to be in Los Angeles on June 16th, join the March of Dads. If you happen to be in the Bronx on June 29th, like I will, join the March of Dads. If you happen to be in Washington, D.C., on August 4th, join the March of Dads. If you happen to be in Atlanta on September 19th, join the March of Dads.

These brothers are doing really positive things that they -- that they'd like to put as a footnote. But we want to make sure, again, that this becomes the whole story.

So Madam President, I thank you for this time and I would appreciate it if you would give -- extend all of the privileges and courtesies of this house to Edward Smith and Sean Williams, the founders of The Dad Gang.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: To our guests from The Dad Gang, Edward Smith and Sean Williams, we welcome you on behalf of the Senate. We extend to you the privileges and

courtesies of this house. Please continue standing and be recognized.

(Standing ovation.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The resolution was adopted on June 4th.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Okay, Madam President, we are going to multitask today. So can you please call an immediate meeting of the Finance and Crime Victims committees in Room 124, a meeting of the Rules Committee in Room 332, and take up the reading of the calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There will be an immediate meeting of the Finance and Crime Victims committees in Room 124, and the Rules Committee in Room 332.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 332, Assembly Bill Number 6146B, by Assemblymember Buttenschon, an act to amend the Public Officers Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 349, Senate Print 349B, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Criminal Procedure Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

413, Senate Print 1807, by Senator Addabbo, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 413, voting in the negative:

Senator Ortt.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 436, Senate Print 7655, by Senator Salazar, an act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 436, voting in the negative are Senators Palumbo and Weik.

Ayes, 55. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 440, Senate Print 6929, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Workers' Compensation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 440, voting in the negative: Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 441, Senate Print 7838, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Workers' Compensation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 559, Senate Print 2894, by Senator Rivera, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it

shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 559, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Felder, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 41. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 607, Senate Print 3128, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Real Property Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 631, Assembly Bill Number 9409, by Assemblymember Wallace, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 631, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Martins, Murray and Rhoads.

Ayes, 54. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

635, Senate Print 8439, by Senator Addabbo, an act to amend the Racing, Pari-Mutuel Wagering and Breeding Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the first of April.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 641, Senate Print 6606A, by Senator May, an act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 661, Senate Print Number 3227A, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 661, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ortt and Rhoads.

Ayes, 55. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 671, Senate Print Number 8784, by Senator Scarcella-Spanton, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 732, Senate Print 4493A, by Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the Civil Rights Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 763, Senate Print 4353, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 30th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 788, Senate Print 8471, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Penal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 815, Senate Print 4363A, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect December 31, 2024.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 815, voting in the negative are Senators Ortt, Persaud and Weik.

Ayes, 54. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 856, Senate Print 3174, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Correction Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 879, Assembly Bill Number 6126A, by Assemblymember Hunter, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 879, voting in the negative:

Senator Ramos.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 881, Senate Print 6688A, by Senator Breslin, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 887, Senate Print 8750, by Senator Mayer, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 896, Senate Print 8410A, by Senator Mayer, an act to amend the General Municipal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 8. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 943, Assembly Bill Number 5073A, by Assemblymember Hunter, an act to amend the Real Property Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 991, Senate Print 4792, by Senator Rivera, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1042, Senate Print 7504, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the Cannabis Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1042, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Martinez, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Tedisco and Weik.

Ayes, 46. Nays, 11.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1053, Senate Print 4361, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Labor Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1053, voting in the negative: Senator Martins.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1091, Senate Print 5808A, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Civil Practice Law and Rules.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1091, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Lanza, Martinez, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 45. Nays, 12.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1121, Assembly Bill Number 9043, by Assemblymember Kelles, an act to amend the Agriculture and Markets Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1124, Senate Print 8877, by Senator Sanders, an act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1129, Senate Print 9222, by Senator Addabbo, an act to amend the Racing, Pari-Mutuel Wagering and Breeding Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1157, Senate Print 4603A, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Criminal Procedure Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1157, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 45. Nays, 12.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1181, Senate Print 8617, by Senator Parker, an act in relation to directing the State Energy

Planning Board to conduct a study on the time frames for replacing or upgrading battery energy storage systems.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1199, Senate Print 6457, by Senator Breslin, an act directing the Department of Transportation to conduct a traffic and planning study on the feasibility of transforming the Harriman campus.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1200, Senate Print 6602A, by Senator Webb, an act to amend the Military Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1213, Senate Print 8575A, by Senator Ryan, an act to amend the Public Service Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Ryan to explain his vote.

SENATOR RYAN: Thank you very much, Madam President.

Many of our housing challenges in the upstate cities stem from the fact that we have some of the oldest housing stock in the nation. In Buffalo, there is barely a house that was built after the weatherization standards came in in 1980. It leads to higher utility bills that make homeownership and apartment rental more expensive. As we saw during our deadly blizzard of 2022, poorly insulated homes can become very, very dangerous in extreme weather conditions. The power goes out, the house gets cold -- dangerously cold -- fast.

A properly insulated house can stay above freezing for four days. A home insulated

to modern standards can save lives. New York State has a lot of programs to help homeowners reduce the cost of insulating their homes, but they're wildly underutilized. There's a couple of reasons for it: You have to get an up-front cost, you have to pay the up-front cost. If you do it wrong, you don't get your rebate. Sometimes it's a rebate; sometimes it's a credit.

A lot of anxiety around the programs. You know, people have said you need a CPA to get through one of these programs. So creating a more effective way than incentives to insulate houses will help all New Yorkers because it will help us reduce our utility costs.

So we've come up with a plan to allow us to scale our statewide insulation efforts. This bill would allow the -- change the Public Service Law so that we can task utility companies with leading the effort to do insulation programs -- large-scale insulation programs, not one-offs, but block after block. We could do it the same way the utilities come and upgrade your meters. It will make a large-scale insulation upgrade possible by amortizing the cost over 25 years.

While developing this plan we spoke to some of the major utilities. They said it was feasible. To be honest, they weren't wild about it, but they said that they could do it. They already have a highly trained, unionized workforce, and we can transition that workforce into doing insulation of homes. They estimate that they could reach 20,000 homes in a service area over 10 years. We've estimated that it will save customers over $16 million over a 10-year period on their heating bill. That's just in Buffalo alone.

It will also help low-income New Yorkers because throughout upstate, one of the hidden causes of eviction are utility bills. Your rent seems very reasonable in September and October, and in December, holy cow, your utility bill is higher than your rent. It leads to evictions as people are faced with the dilemma, do you pay the rent or do you pay your gas bill.

So this bill will benefit New York as a whole. It will reduce our state's energy usage. And that's a win for all of us. You know, as we say, the best electron is the best electron that we don't burn. The less energy we

use as a state, the less we have to add to our electrical grid.

And that passing the costs on to the ratepayer, it's standard practice in the utility world, but this will allow the ratepayers to actually benefit from that cost. So the cost of the insulation spread over the rate will be much less than the savings that will passed on to the consumers.

This will be the first time we've used this strategy to make infrastructure improvements around the state. And we are treating installation like infrastructure improvements. So this bill will have a major impact on housing affordability, eviction prevention and energy reliability, all at the same time.

I proudly vote aye.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Ryan to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1248, Senate Print 4733A, by Senator Krueger, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1256, Assembly Bill Number 8276, by Assemblymember Hunter, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1261, Assembly Bill Number 10344, by Assemblymember Sillitti, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 30th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1262, Assembly Bill Number 10343, by Assemblymember Weprin, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1281, Senate Print 6537A, by Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the first of July.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1281, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Felder, Helming, Lanza, Martinez, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Stec, Tedisco and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 14.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1303, Assembly Bill Number 9463, by Assemblymember Zebrowski, an act to amend the Financial Services Law.

SENATOR SERRANO: Lay it aside for the day, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1313, Senate Print 8382B, by Senator Ortt, an act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1313, voting in the negative are Senators Brisport and Martinez.

Ayes, 55. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1346, Senate Print 4881B, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Social Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect January 1, 2025.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1346, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby and Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick.

Ayes, 55. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1360, Assembly Bill Number 9578, by Assemblymember Jean-Pierre, an act to amend the Highway Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1360, voting in the negative: Senator Brisport.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1362, Assembly Bill Number 8450B, by Assemblymember Bores, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1387, Assembly Bill Number 2740B, by Assemblymember Paulin, an act to amend the State Finance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1390, Senate Print 5234, by Senator May, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator May to explain her vote.

SENATOR MAY: Thank you, Madam President.

In the last few years Central New York has been rocked by the closure of two

small colleges that were each integral parts of their local communities for about a century and a half. They were major employers, important economic drivers, and embedded in the culture of the villages where they were situated.

They were also critical to the functioning of their local governments. Wells College, in Aurora, didn't just employ faculty and educate students, it also housed the village's water treatment facility, an elementary school, and the main healthcare facility in the region.

When I attended the final graduation ceremony two weeks ago at Wells, one of the graduating students spoke about her experience as a volunteer firefighter while she was a student at Wells. And the mayor, who was sitting next to me, leaned over and said that about a quarter of the volunteer fire department was made up of student volunteers, and they have no idea, moving forward, how they're even going to staff their fire department.

When a community is hit by a major storm or a natural disaster, the Governor can declare a state of emergency, activating

resources from state agencies to do what they can to help out.

This bill acknowledges that a college closure is akin to a natural disaster for its host community and it requires several state agencies to step forward and provide assistance with recovery.

I hope this will help some of these communities, and I hope there won't be too many more communities that need this help in the future.

I vote aye. Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator May to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1399, Assembly Bill Number 9232B, by Assemblymember Weinstein, an act to amend the Estates, Powers and Trusts Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1399, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Breslin, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Chu, Cooney and Stec.

Ayes, 52. Nays, 5.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1402, Senate Print 8752A, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Election Law.

SENATOR LANZA: Lay it aside.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Lay it aside.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1461, Assembly Bill Number 10110, by Assemblymember Lupardo, an act to amend the Agriculture and Markets Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1468, Senate Print Number 1647A, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Public Officers Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1468, voting in the negative:

Senator Martins.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1469, Assembly Bill Number 6253A, by Assemblymember Barrett, an act in relation to establishing the New York State Grid Modernization Commission.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1473, Senate Print 5081C, by Senator Ramos, an act to amend the Labor Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the

last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 7. This act shall take effect June 1, 2025.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Ramos to explain her vote.

SENATOR RAMOS: Thank you, Madam President.

You know, New York's warehousing industry is growing rapidly. Since passing the Warehouse Worker Protection Act in 2022 to disclose algorithms to workers, Amazon increased its footprint by 14 percent in New York State -- and that's in 2022 alone -- and still continued to see double-digit profit margins.

This kind of growth is at the expense of the literal physical and mental health of warehouse workers. These warehouses are now effectively high-tech sweatshops. Injury rates are spiking because workers handle poorly designed equipment, they use stressful postures, and they move unsafe loads. Warehouse workers are injured four times more than in any other

industry in New York State. One in 11 New York warehouse workers are injured on the job annually, making it the most dangerous job in New York.

Our warehouse workers injury rate is 54 percent higher than the national average. Workers from ALB-1, an Amazon warehouse just down the road from this very same building, shared stories of how they got injured on the job and went to visit Amcare, the on-site medical staff. They got a pat on the back, an Advil, and were returned to work immediately.

Look, employers have shown us that they are not going to regulate themselves. The predatory e-commerce industry churns through workers often with no regard for their well-being. Amazon alone has an annual turnover rate of 150 percent. They treat workers like they're disposable, and absolutely no one is.

We cannot sacrifice working people's health, their ability to pick up their child or carry groceries, simply for the mere convenience of 24-hour package delivery.

This bill advances the work that we started with the Warehouse Worker Protection Act,

and we will keep working to ensure that our worker protections keep pace with the changing realities of work.

I vote aye.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Ramos to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1473, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Helming, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 52. Nays, 5.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1475, Assembly Bill Number 5370, by Assemblymember Paulin, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1475, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Lanza, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Rhoads, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 48. Nays, 9.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1479, Senate Print 6459, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend the Social Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1483, Senate Print 6670A, by Senator Sepúlveda, an act establishing the COVID-19 Livery Vehicle Recovery Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Sepúlveda to explain his vote.

SENATOR SEPÚLVEDA: Thank you, Madam President, for allowing me to explain my vote.

The for-hire industry in the City of New York has been devastated since 2018 when TLC, in their infinite wisdom, decided to put a moratorium on applications. What has happened, that moratorium was extended during COVID. And since COVID, since we've got this under relief, they have not been allowed to reapply or not even reapply, but to resubmit what they already had.

During COVID they lost their ability

to apply for their licenses, and the industry went from approximately 14,000 drivers in 2018 to about 6,000 drivers today. It is an industry that is hurting. The for-hire-vehicle people that -- individuals that work in that industry have lost their ability to make money. It has impacted their families.

It is only fair for TLC to treat them the right way and allow them to resubmit their applications -- not treat them like new applications, but allow them to resubmit, those 6,000 that remain, so they can continue to cooperate -- continue to contribute to the city and to people in our communities that use for-hire vehicles, and most other communities.

So I vote in the positive, and I hope that this will help this segment of the for-hire industry that is really in need of assistance. Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Sepúlveda to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1483, voting in the negative:

Senator Ortt.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1484, Senate Print 6997B, by Senator Breslin, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1484, voting in the negative are Senators Mayer and Skoufis.

Ayes, 55. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1485, Senate Print 7233B, by Senator Mayer, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the

last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1488, Senate Print 7683, by Senator Thomas, an act to amend the Veterans' Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1491, Assembly Bill Number 9354B, by Assemblymember Simone, an act to amend the Public Housing Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1492, Senate Print 7874, by Senator Hinchey, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 30th day after it

shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1493, Assembly Bill Number 8970A, by Assemblymember Glick, an act in relation to renaming the Christopher Street-Sheridan Square subway station the "Christopher Street-Stonewall National Monument station."

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1499, Assembly Bill Number 7939B, by Assemblymember Cunningham, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1501, Senate Print 8367B, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This

act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1503, Senate Print 8482, by Senator Chu, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1504, Senate Print 8483, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the State Finance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1510, Senate Print 8726B, by Senator Jackson, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1512, Senate Print 8767, by Senator Persaud, an act to amend the Social Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1514, Senate Print 8875, by Senator Comrie, an act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the

last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1515, Senate Print 8892A, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 57.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1518, Senate Print 8927, by Senator Comrie, an act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1518, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Weik and Lanza.

Ayes, 47. Nays, 10.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1521, Senate Print Number 9008, by Senator Scarcella-Spanton, an act to amend the Social Services Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 30th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1523, Assembly Bill Number 9919, by Assemblymember Zinerman, an act to amend Chapter 696 of the Laws of 1887.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1533, Assembly Bill Number 10198, by Assemblymember Hevesi, an act to amend the Family Court Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the first of April.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1540, Assembly Bill Number 10357, by Assemblymember Walker, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the

last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1540, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Lanza, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 45. Nays, 14.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1541, Assembly Bill Number 10209, by Assemblymember McDonald, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1556, Senate Print 1155A, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1556, voting in the negative: Senator Mayer.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1558, Senate Print 1755C, by Senator Sanders, an act establishing a commission to determine what benefits a public bank or public banks owned by New York State can provide.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1558, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Lanza, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 45. Nays, 14.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1559, Assembly Bill Number 5909A, by Assemblymember Epstein, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1559, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Lanza, Rhoads and Stec. Senator Stec in the affirmative. Oh, pardon me. Ashby's in the affirmative; Stec is down. Gotcha.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1563, Senate Print 2774A, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Real Property Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1563, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Helming, Lanza, Mattera, Murray, Ortt, Palumbo, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 48. Nays, 11.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1564, Assembly Bill Number 2852A, by Assemblymember Zebrowski, an act to amend the General Municipal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1564, voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming and Rhoads.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1568, Senate Print 5256, by Senator Sanders, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1568, voting in the negative: Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1571, Assembly Bill Number 7693A, by Assemblymember Pheffer Amato, an act to amend the Retirement and Social Security Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There is a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1573, Assembly Bill Number 7563B, by Assemblymember Pheffer Amato, an act to amend the Retirement and Social Security Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There is a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1577, Senate Print 7588A, by Senator Palumbo, an act to amend the Highway Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1601, Senate Print 9433, by Senator Mattera, an act to amend Chapter 431 of the Laws of 2018.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1604, Senate Print Number 9605, by Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, an act in relation

to authorizing the County of Nassau assessor to accept an application for a retroactive real property tax exemption.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1605, Assembly Bill Number 9533A, by Assemblymember Solages, an act authorizing the County of Nassau assessor to accept an application for a real property tax exemption.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1606, Senate Print Number 9607, by Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Lay it aside for the day.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1614, Senate Print 9714, by Senator Ortt, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1614, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Chu, Felder, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1615, Assembly Bill Number 8391A, by Assemblymember Zebrowski, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1615, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Chu, Felder, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1617, Senate Print 9740, by Senator Webb, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1617, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Chu,

Felder, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1620, Senate Print 9753, by Senator O'Mara, an act to amend Chapter 545 of the Laws of 2011.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1620, voting in the negative: Senator Martinez. Ayes, 58 -- excuse me. Senator Martinez in the affirmative.

Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1628, Assembly Bill Number 6563A, by Assemblymember Clark, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Brouk to explain her vote.

SENATOR BROUK: Thank you, Madam President.

Earlier this year I was able to tour my local 988 call center, operated in Monroe County by the Goodwill of the Finger Lakes. I have to say I'm in complete awe and appreciation of the work that these call center operators are doing to manage the incoming calls from the 988 crisis lifeline.

One of the interesting things I learned is that the vast majority of these calls

are actually resolved right there by talking to a crisis counselor, which tells us that sometimes just calling 988 and speaking to a crisis counselor can be the difference between life and death for folks in crisis.

That is why we've pushed so hard for this legislation that will require that institutions of higher education establish an education campaign about the 988 suicide and crisis lifeline and start to include its information right there on student I.D. cards.

We know, as our Surgeon General has pointed out, we are in the midst of a youth mental health crisis. Many students, when they go off to college, are without the supports that they are used to at home. It's a particularly challenging time.

And that's why I'm so grateful to my colleagues for once again passing this bill so that we better address the youth mental health crisis.

I vote aye. Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Brouk to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1630, Senate Print 2355A, by Senator Felder, an act to amend the Family Court Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1686, Senate Print 2727B, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Not-For-Profit Corporation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 11. This act shall take effect on the 30th day after it

shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1686, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Lanza, Martinez, Martins, Oberacker, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Rolison, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

Senator Gianaris, that completes the reading of the calendar.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, there's a report of the Rules Committee at the desk. Please take that up.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Stewart-Cousins, from the Committee on Rules, reports the following bills:

Senate Print 1576B, by
Senator Brouk, an act to amend the Education Law;
Senate Print 2127C, by
Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the
Environmental Conservation Law;
Senate Print 5240, by
Senator Sanders, an act to amend the Tax Law;
Senate Print 5499A, by
Senator Krueger, an act to amend the
Legislative Law;
Senate Print 5703B, by
Senator Parker, an act to amend the
General Business Law;
Senate Print 5910B, by
Senator Hinchey, an act to amend the
Public Health Law;
Senate Print 6619, by
Senator Oberacker, an act to amend the
Village Law;
Senate Print 6996A, by
Senator Breslin, an act to amend the
Judiciary Law;
Senate Print 7483A, by
Senator Cleare, an act to amend the
Public Health Law;

Senate Print 7609B, by
Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Labor Law;
Senate Print 8147B, by
Senator Sanders, an act to amend the Banking Law;
Senate Print 8398, by
Senator Gallivan, an act to amend the
General Municipal Law;
Senate Print 8491A, by
Senator Breslin, an act to amend the Arts and
Cultural Affairs Law;
Senate Print 8626A, by
Senator Mannion, an act to amend the
Public Service Law;
Senate Print 8677B, by
Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the
General Business law;
Senate Print 8686, by Senator Ryan,
an act to authorize the City of Buffalo to offer
an optional 20-year retirement plan to
firefighters Rhiannon Maguire and Jeffrey Brett;
Senate Print 8714A, by
Senator Brouk, an act to amend the
Criminal Procedure Law;
Senate Print 8723, by
Senator O'Mara, an act to amend the

Retirement and Social Security Law;

Senate Print 8735A, by Senator Liu, an act to amend the Labor Law;

Senate Print 8765A, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the Mental Hygiene Law;

Senate Print 8880A, by Senator Sanders, an act to amend the General Business Law;

Senate Print 9038A, by Senator May, an act to amend the Education Law;

Senate Print 9040, by Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the Public Health Law;

Senate Print 9063B, by Senator Ortt, an act in relation to authorizing the City of Niagara Falls to alienate and discontinue the use of certain parklands;

Senate Print 9106A, by Senator Mattera, an act in relation to authorizing the Saint James Evangelical Lutheran Church of Saint James, Long Island, New York, to receive retroactive real property tax exempt status;

Senate Print 9174B, by

Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the General Business Law;

Senate Print 9219B, by Senator Harckham, an act to amend the General Municipal Law;

Senate Print 9221A, by Senator Palumbo, an act in relation to authorizing the Town of Brookhaven to discontinue a portion of real property in the County of Suffolk as parkland;

Senate Print 9231, by Senator Scarcella-Spanton, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law;

Senate Print 9238, by Senator Mayer, an act to amend the Village Law;

Senate Print 9292A, by Senator Mayer, an act to amend the Education Law;

Senate Print 9308A, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Education Law;

Senate Print 9327B, by Senator Ryan, an act to amend the Insurance Law;

Senate Print 9348A, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend the Local Finance Law;

Senate Print 9349, by
Senator Salazar, an act to amend the
Education Law;
Senate Print 9371A, by
Senator Martinez, an act in relation to
authorizing the State University of New York at
Farmingdale to lease certain lands to the
Farmingdale State Development Corporation;
Senate Print 9423, by
Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the
Judiciary Law;
Senate Print 9452, by
Senator Salazar, an act to amend the
Civil Practice Law and Rules;
Senate Print 9525B, by
Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the
Education Law;
Senate Print 9614B, by
Senator Martinez, an act relating to authorizing
the State University of New York at Stony Brook
to lease certain lands for the purpose of
constructing a facility to support research and
development;
Senate Print 9641, by
Senator Scarcella-Spanton, an act to amend the

State Finance Law;

Senate Print 9675, by Senator Myrie, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9693, by Senator Salazar, an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law;

Senate Print 9697, by Senator Myrie, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9722, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the Criminal Procedure Law;

Senate Print 9731, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly proposing an amendment to Sections 11 and 16 of Article 6 of the Constitution;

Senate Print 9732, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Family Court Act;

Senate Print 9738A, by Senator Breslin, an act in relation to authorizing the lease of certain lands for the Albany Nanotech Complex;

Senate Print 9741A, by Senator Palumbo, an act authorizing the Town of

East Hampton to alienate and convey certain parcels of land used as parkland;

Senate Print 9746, by Senator Webb, an act to amend the Domestic Relations Law;

Senate Print 9750, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Penal Law;

Senate Print 9759, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9772, by Senator Griffo, an act to authorize Richard Lee Johnson to take the competitive civil service examination;

Senate Print 9773, by Senator Harckham, an act to amend the Tax Law;

Senate Print 9778A, by Senator Martins, an act in relation to authorizing the County of Nassau assessor to accept an application for a real property tax exemption;

Senate Print 9783, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Surrogate's Court Procedure Act;

Senate Print 9784, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the

Domestic Relations Law;

Senate Print 9788, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9789, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9792, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9793, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9794, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9795, by Senator Hinchey, an act to amend the Election Law;

Senate Print 9804, by Senator Rolison, an act in relation to authorizing the City of Poughkeepsie to alienate and discontinue the use of certain parklands;

Senate Print 9808, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend Chapter 535 of

the Laws of 1968;

Senate Print 9815, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Executive Law;

Senate Print 9823, by Senator Stewart-Cousins, an act in relation to apportioning funds to the Yonkers City School District for services and expenses;

Senate Print 9830, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend Chapter 719 of the Laws of 1982.

All bills reported direct to third reading.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Move to accept the report of the Rules Committee.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: All those in favor of accepting the Rules Committee report signify by saying aye.

(Response of "Aye.")

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Opposed, nay.

(No response.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The report of the Rules Committee is accepted.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: I believe we have some additional messages from the Assembly, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Sanders moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 2987 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 5240, Third Reading Calendar 1756.

Senator Parker moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 1035B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 5703B, Third Reading Calendar 1758.

Senator Hinchey moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 4060A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 5910B, Third Reading Calendar 1759.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9340A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8677B, Third Reading Calendar 1768.

Senator Ryan moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill

Number 9442 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8686, Third Reading Calendar 1769.

Senator Brouk moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 362A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8714A, Third Reading Calendar 1770.

Senator Sanders moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 1010B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8880A, Third Reading Calendar 1774.

Senator Mayer moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9238A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9292A, Third Reading Calendar 1784.

Senator Fernandez moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 7402B and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9308A, Third Reading Calendar 1785.

Senator Martinez moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10173A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9348A, Third Reading Calendar 1787.

Senator Salazar moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill

Number 10274 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9349, Third Reading Calendar 1788.

Senator Salazar moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10470 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9693, Third Reading Calendar 1796.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: So ordered.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Let's take up the supplemental calendar, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1754, Senate Print 1576B, by Senator Brouk, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. this act shall take effect on the 120th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1755, Senate Print 2127C, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 30th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1755, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Borrello, Griffo, Helming, Lanza, O'Mara, Ortt and Rolison.

Ayes, 52. Nays, 7.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1756, Assembly Bill Number 2987, by Assemblymember Zebrowski, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1757, Senate Print 5499A, by Senator Krueger, an act to amend the Legislative Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Palumbo to explain his vote.

SENATOR PALUMBO: Thank you, Madam President.

I'm rising to vote no on this legislation, because we talk a lot on the floor about transparency and open government and how this is -- we want to shine more light on governmental lobbying and so forth. And this bill is the exact opposite, in fact.

This is reducing transparency to allow now larger nonprofits to lobby without registering -- it makes zero sense, quite frankly. And we've seen lately, in recent years, we've had nonprofits lobbying for various issues far beyond the scope of their nonprofit charter, and they're doing it with impunity.

So quite frankly, this is not a good bill, and I'm really surprised to see it come through this chamber. And for those reasons and many others, Madam President, I'm voting no and I ask my colleagues to do the same.

Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator

Palumbo to be recorded in the negative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1757, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Griffo, Helming, Lanza, Martins, Mattera, Murray, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 41. Nays, 18.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1758, Assembly Bill Number 1035B, by Assemblymember Bichotte Hermelyn, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1759, Assembly Bill Number 4060A, by Assemblymember Paulin, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1759, voting in the negative are Senators Borrello and Weik.

Ayes, 57. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1760, Senate Print 6619, by Senator Oberacker, an act to amend the Village Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1761, Senate Print 6996A, by Senator Breslin, an act to amend the Judiciary Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1762, Senate Print 7483A, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 36. This act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1763, Senate Print 7609B, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Labor Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section -- hold on.

The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1764, Senate Print 8147B, by Senator Sanders, an act to amend the Banking Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1765, Senate Print 8398, by Senator Gallivan, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1766, Senate Print 8491A, by Senator Breslin, an act to amend the Arts and Cultural Affairs Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Calendar Number 1767, Senate Print 8626A, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Public Service Law.

SENATOR LANZA: Lay it aside.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Lay it aside.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1768, Assembly Bill Number 9340A, by Assemblymember Lee, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1769, Assembly Bill Number 9442, by Assemblymember Wallace, an act to authorize the City of Buffalo to offer an optional 20-year retirement plan to firefighters Rhiannon Maguire and Jeffrey Brett.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1770, Assembly Bill Number 362A, by Assemblymember Bronson, an act to amend the Criminal Procedure Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1770, voting in the negative are Senators Bailey, Brisport and Rivera.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1771, Senate Print 8723, by Senator O'Mara, an act to amend the Retirement and Social Security Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There is

a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1772, Senate Print 8735A, by Senator Liu, an act to amend the Labor Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 8. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1773, Senate Print 8765A, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the Mental Hygiene Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1773, voting in the negative: Senator Rolison.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1774, Assembly Bill Number 1010B, by Assemblymember Weprin, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1774, voting in the negative: Senator Martinez.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1775, Senate Print 9038A, by Senator May, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 4. This act shall take effect three months after it shall

have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1775, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Martinez, Oberacker, Rhoads and Stec. Also Senator Lanza. Also Senator Griffo. Also Senator Weik.

Ayes, 52. Nays, 7.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1776, Senate Print 9040, by Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1776, voting in the negative: Senator Murray.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1777, Senate Print 9063B, by Senator Ortt, an act in relation to authorizing the City of Niagara Falls to alienate and discontinue the use of certain parklands.

SENATOR LANZA: Madam President, is there a home-rule message at the desk?

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There is no home-rule message at the desk.

SENATOR LANZA: Please lay the bill aside for the day.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1778, Senate Print 9106A, by Senator Mattera, an act in relation to authorizing the Saint James Evangelical Lutheran Church of Saint James, Long Island, New York, to receive retroactive

real property tax exempt status.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1778, voting in the negative:

Senator O'Mara.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1779, Senate Print 9174B, by Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1780, Senate Print 9219B, by Senator Harckham, an act to amend the General Municipal Law.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Lay it aside for

the day.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1781, Senate Print 9221A, by Senator Palumbo, an act in relation authorizing the Town of Brookhaven to discontinue a portion of real property in the County of Suffolk.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There is a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1782, Senate Print Number 9231, by Senator Scarcella-Spanton, an act to amend the Vehicle and Traffic Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1783, Senate Print 9238, by Senator Mayer, an act to amend the Village Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1784, Assembly Bill Number 9238A, by Assemblymember Woerner, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect on the first of July.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1784, voting in the negative: Senator Ortt.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1785, Assembly Bill Number 7402B, by Assemblymember Peoples-Stokes, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1786, Senate Print 9327B, by Senator Ryan, an act to amend the Insurance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1787, Assembly Bill Number 10173A, by Assemblymember Thiele, an act to amend the Local Finance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1788, Assembly Bill Number 10274, by Assemblymember Eichenstein, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2025.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1788, voting in the negative: Senator Mayer.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1789, Senate Print 9371A, by Senator Martinez, an act in relation to authorizing the State University of New York at Farmingdale to lease certain lands to the Farmingdale State Development Corporation.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1789, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Gallivan, Griffo, Helming, Lanza, Martins, Mayer, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Rhoads, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 44. Nays, 15.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1790, Senate Print Number 9423, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Judiciary Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1791, Senate Print 9452, by Senator Salazar, an act to amend the Civil Practice Law and Rules.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1792, Senate Print 9525B, by Senator Gounardes, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1793, Senate Print 9614B, by Senator Martinez, an act relating to authorizing the State University of New York at Stony Brook to lease certain lands for the purpose of constructing a facility to support research and development.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1794, Senate Print Number 9641, by Senator Scarcella-Spanton, an act to amend the State Finance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the

last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1795, Senate Print 9675, by Senator Myrie, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1795, those Senators voting in the

negative are Senators Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Martins, Mattera, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Rhoads, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 47. Nays, 12.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1796, Assembly Bill Number 10470, by Assemblymember Thiele, an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1796, voting in the negative: Senator Martinez.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1797, Senate Print 9697, by Senator Myrie, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1797, voting in the negative are Senators Lanza, O'Mara and Ortt.

Ayes, 56. Nays, 3.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1798, Senate Print 9722, by Senator Bailey, an act to amend the Criminal Procedure Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1799, Senate Print Number 9731, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly proposing an amendment to Sections 11 and 16 of Article 6 of the Constitution.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1800, Senate Print Number 9732, by

Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Family Court Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1801, Senate Print 9738A, by Senator Breslin, an act in relation to authorizing the lease of certain lands for the Albany NanoTech Complex.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1801, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Gallivan, Griffo, Martins, Mayer and Oberacker.

Ayes, 53. Nays, 6.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1802, Senate Print 9741A, by Senator Palumbo, an act authorizing the Town of East Hampton to alienate and convey certain parcels of land used as parkland.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1803, Senate Print 9746, by Senator Webb, an act to amend the Domestic Relations Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Webb to explain her vote.

SENATOR WEBB: Thank you, Madam President. I rise to explain my vote on this legislation.

What it does is that it enacts some critical protections during a divorce to ensure that if one spouse is sued in a way that affects the marital estate, then that spouse must inform the other spouse.

Effectively, this legislation will safeguard marital assets during a divorce by

requiring the other party to be informed of things such as tax liens, foreclosures, bankruptcy or litigation that could adversely affect the marital property, and preventing either party from disposing of marital assets before their case is completely resolved.

The bill also provides clarification in law for periods when the Governor, for example, has declared a state of emergency, like a pandemic, that effectively shuts down the court system. In such instances, a spouse will be prevented from physically filing a summons with the court.

An alternate procedure would be in place to ensure that both parties would be prohibited from doing things that would diminish the marital estate like spending lots of money or taking on a lot of debt.

Madam President, by passing this legislation we can help to ensure that both parties are treated fairly during a divorce proceeding. I vote aye and encourage my colleagues to do the same.

Thank you, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator

Webb to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1803, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Gallivan, Griffo, Helming, Martins, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Rhoads, Rolison, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1804, Senate Print 9750, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Penal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1804, those Senators voting in the

negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Gallivan, Griffo, Helming, Lanza, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Stec and Tedisco.

Ayes, 48. Nays, 11.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1806, Senate Print 9759, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1807, Senate Print 9772, by Senator Griffo, an act to authorize Richard Lee Johnson to take the competitive civil service examination.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: There is a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1807, voting in the negative:

Senator Brisport.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1808, Senate Print 9773, by Senator Harckham, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1808, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Gallivan, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Mattera, Murray, O'Mara, Palumbo, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 45. Nays, 14.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1809, Senate Print 9778A, by Senator Martins, an act in relation to authorizing the County of Nassau assessor to accept an application for a real property tax exemption.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1810, Senate Print Number 9783, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Surrogate's Court Procedure Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1811, Senate Print Number 9784, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Domestic Relations Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1812, Senate Print Number 9788, by Senator Hoylman-Sigal, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the 15th of December.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1813, Senate Print 9789, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the

roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1814, Senate Print 9792, by Senator Fernandez, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Borrello to explain his vote.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Thank you, Madam President.

I think this is a laudable goal to try and ensure that those folks who have an emergency on Election Day are able to vote. However, this bill is just far too broad. It

does not really put the protections in place needed.

And keep in mind, we have 10 days of voting on every election, so I'm not sure without those proper protections this would not be abused.

So I'll be a no. Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Borrello to be recorded in the negative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1814, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Gallivan, Griffo, Helming, Lanza, Mattera, Murray, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 41. Nays, 18.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1815, Senate Print 9793, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1816, Senate Print 9794, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1817, Senate Print 9795, by Senator Hinchey, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

(Off the record.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1817, voting in the negative are Senators Mattera, Murray and Palumbo. Also Senator Weik.

Ayes, 55. Nays, 4.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1818, Senate Print 9804, by Senator Rolison, an act in relation to authorizing the City of Poughkeepsie to alienate and discontinue the use of certain parklands.

SENATOR LANZA: Lay it aside for the day.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill will be laid aside for the day.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1819, Senate Print 9808, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend Chapter 535 of the Laws of 1968.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1819, voting in the negative:

Senator Weik.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1820, Senate Print 9815, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1821, Senate Print 9823, by Senator Stewart-Cousins, an act in relation to appropriating funds to the Yonkers City School District for services and expenses.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1822, Senate Print 9830, by Senator Martinez, an act to amend Chapter 719 of the Laws of 1982.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is high and will be laid aside for the day.

Senator Gianaris, that completes the reading of the supplemental calendar.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Let's move on to the controversial calendar, please.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will ring the bell.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1402, Senate Print 8752A, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Election Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Borrello, why do you rise?

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, would the sponsor yield for a question.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Will the sponsor yield?

The Senator yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Through you, Madam President. Senator Gianaris, I'm sure you're aware that I'm not really an acolyte of the philosophy that everyone should be forced to vote. But I'm just curious, this bill is so broad -- when you talk about something like the DMV, we have 16-, 17-year-olds that can get licenses, how will we prevent them from being automatically registered to vote?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Well, the Department of Motor Vehicles knows the age of the applicant, and so they would have a screen -- in fact, those individuals would be pre-registered to vote, because that's permitted under the law.

And when the DMV is aware of what their age is and clarifies that they are otherwise qualified to vote, they would transmit the relevant information to the Board of Elections for processing.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So with that being said, as you're aware, in New York State people that are not citizens are allowed to get driver's licenses. Is there -- what is the protection there that these people will not automatically be registered to vote?

SENATOR GIANARIS: I think as Senator Borrello knows, there is already a law that we have in effect -- that I suspect you opposed at the time -- that provides for a process whereby the DMV evaluates the qualifications of an applicant for registration.

So for example, what this bill provides is that if someone comes and presents identification that clearly indicates that the person is not a citizen, that information would not be transmitted to the Board of Elections for processing.

So for example, if, say, a Wookie presents an I.D. from Kashyyyk, that would not end up at the Board of Elections. That would be screened out, because it's clearly not a citizen of the State of New York.

But if the I.D. clearly identifies the person as a citizen, that information would go.

And if there is some ambiguity -- I think the example you pointed out was a state driver's license, which can or cannot be a citizen -- then there is the existing process where the applicant would have to attest to their qualifications to vote.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Don't you kind of look at this as the Empire State kind of forcing people to be -- to vote?

SENATOR GIANARIS: No, I don't,

because the process allows for someone to opt out of being registered.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Would the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So I want to go back to what we talked about with those folks that are not citizens of New York State or the United States having to opt out.

But back in 2022, if I'm not mistaken, we decriminalized not opting out. Now we're going to automatically register people, we're asking them to I guess opt out voluntarily, but there is no criminal penalty if they don't.

How do we address that?

SENATOR GIANARIS: First of all, this bill does something that I would think you would support, which is it changes the current process.

Currently, if someone -- well, the board doesn't have the process in place yet. But

the current law provides that if someone presents an I.D. that is clearly indicating the person is not a citizen, they still would have to attest to the fact that they're not and opt out of registering at that point.

This bill would end the process there. The DMV would have a screen that says if you present a foreign passport -- or a foreign driver's license or what have you -- that indicates you're not a citizen, there would be no transmittal, no further attestation required. That application would be dead for voter registration purposes.

As it relates to ambiguous identification, which we just talked about, the same process that is currently in the law would be in place that would require an attestation.

Federal law would still apply no matter what we do or what we say here in New York. And so if someone violates federal law by falsely registering to vote, attesting to be a citizen, then that's still punishable.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield?

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the

sponsor yield?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So with all that, we still have, I think, some holes in the system here. Are we restoring criminal penalties for not opting out of this automatic registration should it happen?

SENATOR GIANARIS: No. The only changes we're making are the ones that I already indicated.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor --

SENATOR GIANARIS: The --

SENATOR BORRELLO: -- continue to yield? Oh, sorry, were you finished?

SENATOR GIANARIS: That's okay, I paused too long.

Senator Borrello's free to introduce a bill to do that if he would like to, but that's not what this bill does.

I also suspect that bill would go nowhere in this house. But you're free to introduce it and make your case.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Yes.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Yes, most commonsense bills don't get very far in this chamber.

With that being said, how do we determine -- how do we determine these two locations, DMV and people that collect Medicaid, why those two locations? A lot of people interact with government in so many places where there would be an opportunity to register more people. Why those two locations?

SENATOR GIANARIS: Well, DMV because it is the most frequently -- frequented state agency. It's why we've had what we call the Motor Voter Law for about 30 years. DMV is always seen as the most effective point of entry for voter registration purposes.

Medicaid is simply because it would accommodate a lot of your concerns. One would have to attest to citizenship and be qualified as a citizen to qualify for that program. And so we

know that those applicants -- we avoid all the questions you raised because the applicants, by definition, would be citizens.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, on the bill.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Borrello on the bill.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Thank you, Senator Gianaris. Appreciate the engagement today.

I think the fundamental issue I have with this bill is that we are saying you will be registered to vote. If you interact with government at the DMV or in getting Medicaid, you will be registered to vote. And there is a process to say no, I don't wish to be.

This is still the United States of America, and if people choose not to vote, they don't have to vote. But we're going to compel people to be registered to vote. Now, people tell me, I don't register to vote because I don't want to be called for jury duty or I am concerned about information -- whatever the reason is.

By the way, I think it's everyone's duty and responsibility to vote. I think you

actually forfeit your right to complain if you don't vote. But that being said, it is still a free country and you shouldn't be compelling people to do this.

But then it's interesting that we've chosen the DMV, where we allow folks that are not citizens to get driver's licenses -- there's no criminal penalty for not opting out currently -- and those folks that are reliant on government for something as basic as their healthcare.

What about the other places that we interact with people? The pistol permit office, Office for the Aging, the Department of Veteran Services -- so many places where people interact with government. They may have a different opinion of government based on the fact that they're not there entirely for reliance on government for their basic survival.

So that's my concern. My concern is we're kind of, you know, putting our thumb on the scale here. But most importantly, we're telling people, You will be registered to vote in New York State. If you're going to interact with government, we want to make sure that you're registered to vote.

And that is a fundamental violation of basic rights, in my opinion, so I'll be voting no. Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Are there any other Senators wishing to be heard?

Seeing and hearing none, debate is closed.

The Secretary will ring the bell.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, we've agreed to restore this bill to the noncontroversial calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill will be restored to the noncontroversial calendar.

Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 7. This act shall take effect June 30, 2027.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Gianaris to explain his vote.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, I appreciated the debate with my good colleague

Senator Borrello.

Once again, I'm forced to point out that so much of his arguments fall -- come down to wanting fewer people to vote.

And this is a simple -- I don't know if Senator Borrello has ever engaged in a voter registration drive, but all the criticisms he just leveled at this bill would apply to himself or any civic agency or Lions Club or anyone that's trying to register people to vote. My God, do they know who the person is? Are they looking at citizenship papers in those situations? I doubt it.

But those people would eligible to vote as long as they fill out their form, attest to their qualifications and submit it.

This is just doing it on a grand scale, where we make it easier for people to register to vote so that they can avail themselves of their democratic right.

I don't know why Senator Borrello hates democracy, but he proves it over and over again in this chamber by arguing against people's rights to go to the poll booth, whether it's early or voting by mail, which of course we can

now do. You're welcome. Because I know my colleagues were against it at first, and now they're trying to encourage everyone on their side to also vote by mail.

But the fact is this Majority has made it a point to open up the democratic process to all qualified voters, make it easier for them to register, make it easier for them to vote, and we're all the better for it.

Thank you, Madam President. I vote aye.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Gianaris to be recorded in the affirmative.

Senator Murray to explain his vote.

SENATOR MURRAY: Thank you, Madam President.

So I don't think it's a matter of not wanting people to vote. You know, just a few days ago we were all marching in parades and celebrating Memorial Day, honoring those who fought and gave their lives to this country to protect our rights.

And one of the most sacred rights we have is that of voting. The very thing that we can so is take that extra step to make the effort

to register to vote. Instead, the nanny state steps up and says, no, we're going to do everything for you. So we're going to automatically register you, including those who come here illegally. Which opens the door to possibility of fraud.

So it's not a matter of not wanting people to vote. It's not wanting people that aren't supposed to vote to vote. But also how about we show some respect to those veterans who gave their lives and make just the tiniest of effort. Because almost any government building you go to, you can find a voter registration form.

I took -- one day I compared registering to vote compared to the steps of registering your vehicle. It was three times harder to register your vehicle than it was to register to vote. It's one of the simplest processes you can do.

Just make the effort, and that way we know the people that are trying are supposed to be able to vote. Because if someone who's not here legally tries to register, they will be denied.

And that's why I'll be voting no. Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Murray to be recorded in the negative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1402, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Gallivan, Griffo, Helming, Lanza, Mattera, Murray, Oberacker, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Rolison, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 40. Nays, 19.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Returning to the controversial calendar, let's move on to 1767 -- Calendar 1767, that is, by Senator Mannion.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will ring the bell.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1767, Senate Print 8626A, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the Public Service Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Borrello, why do you rise?

SENATOR BORRELLO: Well, you know, I would like to ask the sponsor a question, if he will yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Through you, Madam President. So I understand this bill is going to kind of tie the hands, in some cases, of our utility companies when it comes to call centers. But, you know, many of these utility companies operate in many places -- other areas of the state, other states.

So I guess the question is, would this bill -- my first question is, would this bill prohibit someone that has more than one service territory from, you know, kind of utilizing those services -- in a disaster, being able to shift, on the fly, to another facility should there be, you know, an issue like a storm, something that would prevent that call center

from being able to operate?

SENATOR MANNION: So what this bill will do -- Madam President, through you -- will formalize the process when a call center utility company is starting the process of moving a call center or closing a call center.

That is the expectation as far as the process where this is planned. It does not address what may occur in an emergency situation.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield?

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: I guess my concern is is that, you know, are we too vague here in those situations, so that they can be able to respond properly in that kind of a situation.

SENATOR MANNION: Madam President, through you. To address your concern, Senator, I would say that there is already in law a process that must go through the PSC when there is going

to be a call center moved. But this just more formalizes the process.

So currently -- again, I'm speaking hypothetically here, but I would assume that if there was a natural disaster and a call center had to respond, the physical location of that call center may have to be adjusted.

I would assume also that if this bill was enacted into law, in an emergency situation, that the physical location of that call center may not matter. But the individuals that are functioning in the capacity of the call center would matter, and therefore they would still be able to do their job regardless of the actual physical location being changed temporarily.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So based on that question, then, so if a state -- if a utility is

operating in another state, are you saying that they'd be able to use the call center in a different state in an emergency situation, but they'd have to use the employees within New York State to make those calls?

SENATOR MANNION: Through you, Madam President, this is addressing the issue of current call centers that are already established in the state.

So if I understand the Senator's question correctly, if there are call centers dealing with utility customers within New York State that are located out of New York State, I believe it would not impact those call centers outside of the state.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield?

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So this is really kind of dealing with staffing levels. And aren't those typically part of a collective

bargaining agreement? Isn't New York State kind of, I guess, interfering in that collective bargaining?

SENATOR MANNION: Through you, Madam President. What this does is establish a few things in this piece of legislation. Number one, what it does is make sure that if a utility company wants to move a call center out of the state, that the process is formalized, formalized regarding timelines with a hearing and that approval process.

Additionally, as it relates to the Senator's question, there's a provision here which would allow for utility companies to establish a work-from-home policy. If they do that, that must be collectively bargained before anything is changed or implemented.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So in this

situation there may be a requirement essentially for the utilities to have to hire more call-center employees than what might be needed, I'm guessing.

So how is this going to impact ratepayers? I mean, is it a really good use of ratepayer funds to essentially have to have more call-center employees, you know, than really needed?

SENATOR MANNION: Through you, Madam President. On the last question, I'd just like to address that it does not impact -- this bill would not impact current collective bargaining agreements.

And to answer the Senator's question here, the bill does not address an increase or decrease of employees at the call center. It addresses a relocation or a closure.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, if the sponsor will continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Does the sponsor yield?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: There's some really hefty fines in here; penalties are $50,000 per consumer inquiry and $150,000 per day that a call center is closed. That seems like a pretty hefty fine.

Where did that -- where did those fines come from? What are they based on?

SENATOR MANNION: Through you, Madam President. So there are already established penalties in place through the PSC if there's a violation of provisions similar to this. So those penalties have not been altered for several decades. And as a result, we made an adjustment regarding the level of penalties if a utility company knowingly fails to obey this legislation.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, on the bill.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Borrello on the bill.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Thank you, Senator Mannion. I just wanted to try and clarify some things. I appreciate that.

You know, I think we all realize that utility rates are going up in New York

State. It's becoming more and more burdensome for the average New Yorker. And really I think here in New York we're doing a lot of things to unfortunately increase those rates, requiring more so-called green energy to be purchased by utility companies, which is forcing them to have to raise rates and ask for, in some cases, double-digit rate increases.

And there's more than just providing power when it comes to the services that are delivered. We have to have all this infrastructure in place, including these call centers. And as anybody knows that's ever had their -- that lost their power or their gas has been off, contacting someone, a real live person that you can talk to in an emergency, especially when you're talking about something as basic as, you know, the electricity being on in your home or the heat being on in your house, is essential. There's no doubt about it that having someone there that can take your call, deal with your problem and be able to give you some comfort is essential.

But my concern is we're going to make this -- we're going to force companies,

essentially, to start moving away from New York with rules like this. And using things like, you know, AI technology, we may have less and less call centers and less and less people working in call centers. So when utilities make decisions as to where these places with real live people that pay bills, that get paid, are going to be, they may choose not to have them in New York.

And that is what troubles me a little bit about this bill, so I'll be voting no.

Thank you.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Are there any other Senators wishing to be heard?

Senator Mannion.

SENATOR MANNION: Thank you, Madam President.

And thank you, Senator Borrello, for your questions.

I just want to clarify one thing in response to Senator Borrello's statements here, that those fines are not recoverable expenses. So when rates --

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Are you on the bill, Senator? Sorry. Are you on the bill?

SENATOR MANNION: Yes.
ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: You are.
SENATOR MANNION: Yup.
ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Okay. Senator Mannion on the bill.
SENATOR MANNION: Thank you. Thank you, Madam President.
So just to clarify that fines are not recoverable expenses when a utility company goes to the PSC requesting rate increases.
Thank you, Madam President.
ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Thank you.
Are there any other Senators wishing to be heard?
Seeing and hearing none, debate is closed.
The Secretary will ring the bell.
Senator Gianaris.
SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, we've agreed to restore this to the noncontroversial calendar.
ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill will be restored to the noncontroversial calendar.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Martins to explain his vote.

SENATOR MARTINS: Thank you, Madam President.

I rise to support this bill. You know, at the end of the day it's about jobs, Madam President. It's about New Yorkers working in New York, earning a wage in New York, getting paid in New York, paying taxes in New York, and supporting New York families and New York businesses on a local level.

I'll be voting aye.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Martins to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1767, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Ortt and Rolison. Also

Senator O'Mara. Ayes, 54. Nays, 5.

Also Senator Tedisco.

Ayes, 53. Nays, 6.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The bill is passed.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, we'll return to pick up the resolutions we didn't adopt earlier at this time.

So let's go to previously adopted Resolution 2619, by Senator Webb, read that resolution's title and recognize Senator Webb.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Resolution 2619, by Senator Webb, commemorating the 40th Anniversary of Southern Tier AIDS Program.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Webb on the resolution.

SENATOR WEBB: Thank you, Madam President.

I rise to celebrate this important milestone that marks the 40th anniversary of the Southern Tier AIDS Program. This community gem, also known as STAP, has been contributing to the

Southern Tier in our state for more than four decades. They provide education about the important issues surrounding HIV, other STIs, and AIDS. They have saved countless lives and transformed many lives in that same regard.

In 1984, as the shadow of the HIV/AIDS epidemic loomed large, a group of committed citizens from my district in Broome County, made up of healthcare professionals, educators, clergy, community activists, came together to form a coalition. Their mission was clear: To combat the devastating impact of HIV/AIDS in our community. This coalition is what laid the foundation for what would become the Broome County AIDS Task Force, securing essential funding to establish a beacon of hope and support for those affected.

From its humble beginnings, with a simple hotline and resource directory, STAP quickly became a cornerstone of support, expanding its services as the needs of our community grew. And under the capable leadership of its executive director, John Barry, it has evolved into a comprehensive healthcare service organization, not only addressing HIV/AIDS but

also the broader health and social needs of our community.

Their holistic approach encompasses everything from prevention and treatment to support services and ensuring those that are affected by HIV/AIDS receive not just medical care but the emotional and social support that is necessary to lead fulfilling lives.

This approach has allowed them to extend its impact far beyond traditional boundaries, touching the lives of over 2,735 individuals directly affected by HIV/AIDS.

Moreover, their influence also extends to our ongoing opioid crisis, with its Narcan services saving 305 lives in 2023 alone. Nearly a hundred families have received housing assistance, while 5,400 individuals have benefited from food aid -- which is a remarkable 111 percent increase in just two years.

The numbers not only highlight the breadth of STAP's impact, but also underscore the critical nature of their work. And as we acknowledge the 40th anniversary of the Southern Tier AIDS Program, we not only celebrate their past achievements, but also reaffirm our

commitment to support their future endeavors.

Their journey from a grassroots organization to a beacon of hope and resilience is a testament to the power of community, compassion and relentless dedication.

I want to thank you, Madam President, for allowing me for speak on this important resolution. It's a reminder to all of us that service to the community transcends the immediate; it builds a legacy of health, dignity and social justice for all.

I am proud to stand in support of the Southern Tier AIDS Program and the remarkable difference that they make every single day. I vote aye.

Thank you, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Thank you.

The resolution was adopted on June 4th.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Another Senator Webb resolution. Please take up previously adopted Resolution 2640, by Madam Webb, read its title only and recognize

Senator Webb.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Resolution 2640, by Senator Webb, commending Broome County Office for Aging upon the occasion of celebrating its 50th Anniversary.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Madam Webb on the resolution.

SENATOR WEBB: Thank you, Deputy Majority Leader, for the Marvel shout-out. I am not connected with the movie in any way.

(Laughter.)

SENATOR WEBB: Thank you, Madam President.

I want to thank my colleagues for supporting the resolution celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Broome County Office for Aging.

This acknowledgement not only commemorates a significant milestone but also reflects our collective commitment to the welfare of senior members of our community who have contributed immeasurably to the fabric of our society.

In this chamber we have worked on a variety of bills supporting our seniors, which we know are vital and crucial for our communities in terms of the contributions that they give every single day. And this organization is embodying those values.

In 1974, following the enactment of the Older Americans Act, Broome County established the Office for Aging, recognizing the necessity to support our older citizens in living with dignity and independence.

Over the decades this office has exemplified dedication and compassion, significantly expanding its services to meet the growing needs of our seniors. Back in the 1970s -- that was before I was born --

(Laughter.)

SENATOR WEBB: -- the Office for Aging provided over 2,000 information and assistance contacts, 8,300 home-delivered meals, 79,000 senior center meals, and 15,000 transportation rides.

Today these numbers have soared, reflecting both the growing demand and the office's robust response. In 2023 alone,

18,219 information and assistance contacts were made, 172,140 home-delivered meals were provided, and 52,755 congregate meals were served. And 19,566 transportation rides were facilitated.

I am proud to recognize that members of our older generations have not only built and shaped our nation, but also have safeguarded the freedoms and values ensuring better lives for future generations. Their enduring legacy and their ongoing contributions are essential to the vitality of our state.

The evolution of their services, such as the introduction of the Foster Grandparents Program, Yesteryears, group respite, and in-home personal care further illustrates the Broome County Office for Aging's adaptability and commitment to meeting the complex needs of our aging population.

I proudly vote aye, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The resolution was adopted on June 4th.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: And now previously adopted Resolution 2647, by Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick. Please read that

resolution's title and recognize Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Resolution 2647, by Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, congratulating the Elmont High School Boys Basketball Team upon the occasion of capturing the New York State Public High School Athletic Association Basketball Class AA Championship on March 16, 2024.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Senator Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick on the resolution.

SENATOR CANZONERI-FITZPATRICK: Thank you, Madam President.

Today I proudly rise to recognize the achievement of the Elmont Memorial High School Boys Basketball Team in winning the Class AA State Championship 51-44 over West Genesee. We had wanted to get them up here to the Capitol, but unfortunately our schedules didn't work out. But this is such an important resolution to recognize them for this achievement.

The Spartans were a force all season, finishing with a 23 and 4 record. And

while this team had their share of great offensive performances, it was truly their commitment to defense that led them to this state title.

The Elmont Boys Basketball Team only allowed opponents an average of 43 points per game in the post-season, and that's coming against the best competition in the state.

In the championship game they limited their opponent to 33 percent from the field and only two out of 19 three-point shots.

And the team did not have an easy path to the title. In the Long Island Championship Southeast Regional final, the Spartans won a clutch buzzer beater to beat their opponent by one basket, 53 to 41. Anyone who has competed in high school athletics knows how much every inch and every second can count when two great teams are facing each other. And it takes incredible determination to come away with this victory.

The team was determined to bounce back and reach their ultimate goal of ending the season with the state title after making it to the Nassau class A semifinal last season. And

this championship is a testament to the team's dedication and hard work during the off-season.

This is also a testament to the Elmont Boys Basketball Team's program as a whole and the culture of excellence that has been established to build the foundation for where they are today. This is the team's second state title, with their first coming in 2016. And I'm look forward to more to come.

To the Elmont Memorial Boys Basketball Team, to their coaches, their families and the students in the community that have supported them, and especially to the players, I congratulate them on this state championship, and I am proud to support this resolution to recognize this victory.

Thank you, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Thank you.

The resolution was adopted on June 4th.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: At the request of the sponsors, today's resolutions are open for cosponsorship.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The resolutions are open for cosponsorship. Should you choose not to be a cosponsor, please notify the desk.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: There's a report of the Finance Committee at the desk. Let's take that up at this time.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Krueger, from the Committee on Finance, reports the following nominations.

As Commissioner of the Public Employment Relations Board: Timothy Connick.

As members of the Administrative Review Board of Professional Medical Conduct: Michael J. Reichgott, Jill M. Rabin, and Carmela Torrelli.

As a member of the Council on Human Blood and Transfusion Services: Joanne Becker.

As commissioner of the State Liquor Authority: John A. Maya.

As a member of the New York State Gaming Commission: Martin Mack.

As a member of the New York State Thruway Authority: Paul Tokasz.

As a trustee of the Board of Trustees of Cornell University: Eric Gonzalez.

As a trustee of the Board of Trustees of the New York State Higher Education Services Corporation: Isaac Torres.

As commissioners of the State Insurance Fund: David E. Ourlicht and Eric R. Dinallo.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Move to accept the report of the Finance Committee, and ask that you recognize Senator Krueger.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: All those in favor of accepting the Finance Committee's report, signify by saying aye.

(Response of "Aye.")

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Opposed, nay.

(No response.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The report of the Finance Committee is accepted.

Senator Krueger on the nominations.

SENATOR KRUEGER: Thank you, Madam President.

So we know we're getting close to the end of the session when we just keep getting lists of nominees coming through the various committees. We did a group yesterday, we are doing a group today and will be doing more tomorrow.

These nominees mostly are unpaid positions, with the exception of Timothy Connick, commissioner, Public Employment Relations Board, who will be a new commissioner.

Mr. Connick and all of the others on the list that you just heard moved through the appropriate committees into the Finance Committee to the floor. They all got the support of the majority of members who participated and asked them questions.

Some of them are familiar names to us, some are not. I just want to highlight Paul Tokasz, who was a member of the Assembly for many years and is well known by many people here in this Senate; Eric Gonzalez, who is the district attorney of Brooklyn; Eric Dinallo, who has served previously in gubernatorial positions;

and Marty Mack, who's also served in gubernatorial positions in the past.

I am very proud to say thank you, Governor, for submitting to us these qualified candidates. I am hoping all of my colleagues can support these people here today. I certainly recommend a yes vote on all of them.

And of course if people choose to vote no individually, they can let the desk know or they can speak now.

Thank you very much, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Thank you.

The question is on the nominations.

Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to the nominations, voting in the negative are Senators Ortt and Murray.

Ayes, 57. Nays, 2.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The nominees are confirmed.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, we are going to stand at ease at this time. There will be an additional supplemental calendar coming; the Minority will need time to conference that. So we'll be at ease for a little bit and be back later this evening.

So please stand at ease.

ACTING PRESIDENT PERSAUD: The Senate will stand at ease.

(Whereupon, the Senate stood at ease at 4:53 p.m.)

(Whereupon, the Senate reconvened at 7:13 p.m.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Senate will return to order.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Good evening, Madam President.

Let's begin tonight's activities by calling a meeting of the Finance and Energy committees in Room 124.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There will be an immediate meeting of the Finance and Energy committees in Room 124.

SENATOR GIANARIS: And I believe we have more messages from the Assembly.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Messages from the Assembly.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Senator Palumbo moves to discharge, from the Committee on Local Government, Assembly Bill Number 8585 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7930, Third Reading Calendar 894.

Senator Sepúlveda moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10060 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9132, Third Reading Calendar 974.

Senator Breslin moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9706 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8945, Third Reading Calendar 1052.

Senator Martins moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10071 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9218, Third Reading Calendar 1223.

Senator Harckham moves to discharge, from the Committee on Investigations and

Government Operations, Assembly Bill Number 8330 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 7887, Third Reading Calendar 1412.

Senator Martinez moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10297 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8324A, Third Reading Calendar 1228.

Senator Serrano moves to discharge, from the Committee on Health, Assembly Bill Number 4581 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 1520, Third Reading Calendar 1343.

Senator Skoufis moves to discharge, from the Committee on Investigations and Government Operations, Assembly Bill Number 8860 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8161, Third Reading Calendar 1415.

Senator Rolison moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9705 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9025, Third Reading Calendar 1424.

Senator Brouk moves to discharge, from the Committee on Health, Assembly Bill Number 8365A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8348A, Third Reading Calendar 1500.

Senator Jackson moves to discharge,

from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 9381 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8529, Third Reading Calendar 1582.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to discharge, from the Committee on Finance, Assembly Bill Number 7241A and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 8663, Third Reading Calendar 1584.

Senator Webb moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10271 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9432, Third Reading Calendar 1600.

Senator Gounardes moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10222 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9713, Third Reading Calendar 1613.

Senator Hoylman-Sigal moves to discharge, from the Committee on Rules, Assembly Bill Number 10353 and substitute it for the identical Senate Bill 9733, Third Reading Calendar 1616.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: So ordered.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Let's now move on to the supplemental active list.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 578, Senate Print 2729, by Senator Sanders, an act to amend the General Business Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 120th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 578, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Palumbo, Scarcella-Spanton and Stec.

Ayes, 54. Nays, 5.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

581, Senate Print 309B, by Senator Salazar, an act to amend the Correction Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 180th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator Helming to explain her vote.

SENATOR HELMING: Thank you, Madam President.

The bill that we're voting on mandates the establishment of emergency release plans to be developed for use in any of our state correctional facilities in the event of a disaster emergency that's declared by the Governor.

I will be voting no for several reasons --

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: One minute, Senator Helming.

Can we have some quiet in the

chamber, please? Okay.

SENATOR HELMING: I will be voting no for several reasons.

It's my belief that any plan that's created in anticipation of another public health emergency should be primarily focused on creating safe environments for incarcerated individuals and our state employees within the prisons, not releasing prisoners back out into the community, putting law-abiding citizens who live in our neighborhoods and communities at risk.

Also, the membership of the advisory board does not include enough members or representation from law enforcement or corrections officers. There's only one member of NYSCOPBA, but two former inmates.

So, Madam President, for these reasons and many others, I will be voting no.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator Helming to be recorded in the negative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 581, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Lanza, Martins,

Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Rolison, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Senator Weik.

Ayes, 44. Nays, 15.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 587, Senate Print 205, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Banking Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

SENATOR LANZA: Lay it aside.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 754, Senate Print 1208, by Senator Persaud, an act to amend the Civil Rights Law.

(Off the record.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: I'm sorry, Calendar 587 is laid aside.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 754, Senate Print 1208, by Senator Persaud, an act to amend the Civil Rights Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 90th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 754, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Helming, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Rhoads, Stec and Weber.

Ayes, 50. Nays, 9.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 889, Senate Print 2498A, by Senator Mannion, an act to amend the General Municipal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 894, Assembly Bill Number 8585, by Assemblymember Thiele, an act to amend Chapter 234 of the Laws of 1907.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There is a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 897, Senate Print 8513, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Village Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 897, voting in the negative:

Senator Martins.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 956, Senate Print 7648, by Senator Kavanagh, an act to amend the Public Authorities Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 974, Assembly Bill Number 10060, by Assemblymember Burgos, an act to amend Chapter 544 of the Laws of 2022.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 974, voting in the negative: Senator Martins.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1030, Senate Print 9256, by Senator Ryan, an act to amend the Local Finance Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1030, voting in the negative:

Senator Ashby.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1052, Assembly Bill Number 9706, by Assemblymember Santabarbara, an act to amend the Public Officers Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the

last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1062, Senate Print 8954, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Real Property Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1134, Senate Print 7721A, by Senator Oberacker, an act to amend the Navigation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1198, Senate Print 6251A, by Senator Mattera, an act in relation to authorizing the Halesite Fire District to file an application for exemption from real property taxes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1198, voting in the negative: Senator O'Mara.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1203, Senate Print 7409, by Senator Breslin, an act to amend Chapter 453 of the Laws of 1977.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1219, Senate Print 8989, by Senator Skoufis, an act to authorize Lee Weinstein to receive certain service credit under Section 384-d of the Retirement and Social Security Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1223, Assembly Bill Number 10071, by Assemblymember Sillitti, an act to amend the Nassau County Civil Divisions Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1228, Assembly Bill Number 10297, by Assemblymember Ramos, an act in relation to authorizing the Calvary Tabernacle Church of God to file an application for exemption from real property taxes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1228, voting in the negative: Senator O'Mara.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1335, Senate Print 9213, by Senator Stavisky, an act to amend the Education Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect one year after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1335, voting in the negative: Senator Martins.

Ayes, 58. Nays, 1.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1343, Assembly Bill Number 4581, by Assemblymember Paulin, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 7. This act shall take effect on the first of January.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1412, Assembly Bill Number 8330, by Assemblymember Levenberg, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1412, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1414, Senate Print 8160, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1414, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1415, Assembly Bill Number 8860, by Assemblymember Eachus, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce

the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1415, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1416, Senate Print 8162, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1416, those Senators voting in the

negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1417, Senate Print 8163, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1417, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo,

Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1418, Senate Print 8164, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1418, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1422, Senate Print 8950A, by Senator May, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1422, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Martinez, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number

1424, Assembly Bill Number 9705, by Assemblymember Barrett, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1424, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Murray, O'Mara, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1428, Senate Print 9181, by Senator Rolison, an act to amend Chapter 208 of the Laws of 1983.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1428, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Murray, O'Mara, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1432, Senate Print 9264A, by Senator Hinchey, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This

act shall take effect immediately.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1432, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1434, Senate Print 9271A, by Senator Hinchey, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1434, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Lanza, Mannion, Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco, Webb and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1500, Assembly Bill Number 8365A, by Assemblymember Woerner, an act to amend the Public Health Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 2. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1509, Senate Print 8725A, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Village of Washingtonville Deficit Financing Act.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1527, Senate Print 9212A, by Senator Harckham, an act authorizing the Town of Yorktown to alienate

and discontinue the use of certain parklands.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1537, Senate Print 9547A, by Senator Harckham, an act to amend the Environmental Conservation Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1537, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, O'Mara, Rhoads and Weik.

Ayes, 54. Nays, 5.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1582, Assembly Bill Number 9381, by Assemblymember Pheffer Amato, an act to amend the General Municipal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1583, Senate Print 8532, by Senator Jackson, an act to amend the General Municipal Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: There's a home-rule message at the desk.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1584, Assembly Bill Number 7241A, by Assemblymember Lavine, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1600, Assembly Bill Number 10271, by Assemblymember Lupardo, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1600, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Harckham, Helming, Hinchey, Lanza, Mannion,

Martinez, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Scarcella-Spanton, Skoufis, Tedisco and Weik.

Ayes, 42. Nays, 17.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1602, Senate Print 9464, by Senator Gianaris, an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1611, Senate Print 9685, by Senator Skoufis, an act to amend the Alcoholic Beverage Control Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the

last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1613, Assembly Bill Number 10222, by Assemblymember Fahy, an act to amend the Tax Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill

is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1616, Assembly Bill Number 10353, by Assemblymember Dinowitz, an act to amend the Civil Practice Law and Rules.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 3. This act shall take effect on the 60th day after it shall have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: Ayes, 59.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 1621, Senate Print 9754, by Senator Chu, an act to amend the Executive Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Read the last section.

THE SECRETARY: Section 5. This act shall take effect one year after it shall

have become a law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 1621, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Borrello, Helming, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Rhoads, Stec and Weik.

Ayes, 51. Nays, 8.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

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

SENATOR GIANARIS: Thank you, Madam President. Let's now move on to the controversial calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Secretary will ring the bell.

The Secretary will read.

THE SECRETARY: Calendar Number 587, Senate Print 205, by Senator Cleare, an act to amend the Banking Law.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator

Borrello, why do you rise?

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor yield for a question.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator Cleare, will you yield?

SENATOR CLEARE: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Senator yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Thank you. Through you, Madam President.

Senator Cleare, by my count this is the fifth time this bill has come before this chamber. It feels like I've debated it actually more than five times, but I think it's only five.

So I guess my first question is, are there any changes to this? Or is this still the same bill that it was in 2020?

SENATOR CLEARE: Through you, Madam President. Since I've been here, it has not changed.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Do you continue to yield?

SENATOR CLEARE: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Senator yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: All right, thank you. Through you, Madam President.

So it's passed essentially the same way. Has it passed in the Assembly?

SENATOR CLEARE: Through you, Madam President, no, it has not.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Do you continue to yield?

SENATOR CLEARE: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The sponsor yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Senator Cleare, I want to commend you, because I know you were part of a group of folks that actually lobbied I believe it was Citibank to stop investing in -- you know, in these private prisons in other states, and you were successful.

So -- but in this case, we're in a state that does not have private prisons. We're essentially telling New York State banks -- New York State-chartered banks, state-chartered

banks, that they can't invest in them. But still the Citibanks, Bank of Americas, the other nationally chartered -- federally chartered banks will still be able to invest in them.

So why not go the advocacy route, since we're at the fifth time now and this bill still hasn't moved in the other house?

SENATOR CLEARE: One of the banks was Bank of America, and we were successful.

Why we are asking our banks not to invest in these nonunion, unsafe, less regulated, for-profit entities that create dangerous and even deadly conditions for both incarcerated persons as well as staff, and often breed practices of corruption. And I don't think that that's something that I think our banks should be investing in, or any bank.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, Will the sponsor continue to yield?

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Do you continue to yield?

SENATOR CLEARE: Through you, Madam President, yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Senator yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So a lot of banks in New York State, state-chartered banks, federally chartered banks, private investment firms, Wall Street firms, are right now investing in so-called renewable energy projects where we're actually paying for slave labor to mine rare earth metals in places like the Congo, or child labor.

So should we be asking them to divest in those green-energy investments? Because, you know, again, horrible conditions, slave labor, child labor -- a lot of bad conditions there. Should we be asking them to divest in that?

SENATOR CLEARE: Through you, Madam President, those sound like very terrible things and I'm probably inclined to agree, but that's not the bill that's before us right now.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, will the sponsor continue to yield?

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Do you continue to yield?

SENATOR CLEARE: Yes.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The Senator yields.

SENATOR BORRELLO: So right now essentially we're saying to our state-chartered bank we're going to determine what kind of investments you're allowed to make outside of New York State. Why do we have -- why should we have jurisdiction over that and tie the hands of just state-chartered banks, which we're continuing to lose? We have less and less and less state-chartered banks, largely due to restrictions like this.

Why would we want to do that when it's really not going to have an impact outside of state-chartered banks?

SENATOR CLEARE: I don't know if this has an impact on the -- through you, Madam President. I don't know if this has an impact on the number of state-chartered banks. I have not received any complaints from banks or concerns from banks on this bill.

You know, I think this bill sets a very clear moral and policy principle which follows upon the fact that we already prohibit the operation of private prisons in New York State. But this bill just extends further the principle by prohibiting state-chartered banking

institutions from providing financing or investing in the stocks, securities or other obligations of an entity that owns or operates a private correctional facility.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Madam President, on the bill.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator Borrello on the bill.

SENATOR BORRELLO: Thank you, Senator Cleare.

You know, we pass a lot of one-house bills in this chamber. We're doing a lot in this last few days of this last week. And I understand that there's a value in sending some kind of a message.

But the reality is Senator Cleare and others have been more successful lobbying banks, you know, through grassroots effort to say: We don't want you investing in these things. And that works much more effectively, because at the end of the day there are more federally chartered banks in New York State now than state chartered banks.

And as we continue to lose those state-chartered banks, these are the banks --

these are our local community banks, the people that have local decision-making, the people that ensure that maybe someone whose credit isn't so great still gets that car loan, that a local decision is made to ensure that that small businesses can get that line of credit at a reasonable rate.

Those are our state-chartered banks. These investments, you may not like them, but at the end of the day these investments are something that are outside the scope, I believe, of this chamber. Because if we're going to make moral judgments on what they're investing in, there's a whole slew of other things that we should be saying you shouldn't be investing in.

I gave one example; there are probably more. But at the end of the day, tying the hands of the banks that are doing the most for the people of New York State, the community banks, is not the path. It's not the answer. Because the simple solution for them is just no longer be a state-chartered bank. Then we lose any control over those things. We're losing them more and more and more.

And that's the problem with this.

It is a rabbit hole that we should not be going down, and I'll continue to be a no on this.

Thank you, Madam President.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Are there any other Senators wishing to be heard?

Seeing and hearing none, debate is closed.

Senator Gianaris.

SENATOR GIANARIS: Madam President, we've agreed to restore this bill to the noncontroversial calendar.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill has been restored to the nonconfi -- noncontroversial calendar. I'm getting tired, sorry. It's a long day.

Read the last section.

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

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Call the roll.

(The Secretary called the roll.)

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator Cleare to explain her vote.

SENATOR CLEARE: New York has been wise enough to ban the very existence of private

prisons in this state, and thus it is completely logical to prohibit banks chartered by the very same state from investing in an activity that we have declared is not prohibited but morally unpalatable.

As we stand here today, over 115,000 people in this country are in private prisons. And the number being detained by ICE only adds to this alarming number.

In my public service career, I have helped numerous constituents, some of whom have family members in private prisons, and the experience was horrendous. It is often impossible to make contact with your loved one, set up visits, or perform any kind of wellness check. There's no accountability, no care, no safety, health.

Labor is an issue. I have literally had constituents with family members from this state who were incarcerated in private prisons in another state who did not even have locks on their cell at night. Staff is untrained. Inmates have died unnecessarily, incarcerated persons have died unnecessarily.

Given the fact that private prisons

are a moral, ethical and policy scourge filled with lax safety standards for incarcerated individuals and employees -- and in some cases there are perverse initiatives to keep people incarcerated longer, and long histories of corruption with private prisons -- this bill makes complete sense. New York banks should not be allowed to profit from institutions that the state itself deems impermissible to even exist. Plain and simple.

Thank you, Madam President. I proudly vote aye and encourage my colleagues to do the same.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: Senator Cleare to be recorded in the affirmative.

Announce the results.

THE SECRETARY: In relation to Calendar 587, those Senators voting in the negative are Senators Ashby, Borrello, Canzoneri-Fitzpatrick, Helming, Lanza, Martins, Murray, O'Mara, Ortt, Palumbo, Rhoads, Rolison, Stec, Tedisco, Weber and Weik.

Ayes, 43. Nays, 16.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: The bill is passed.

Senator Gianaris.

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

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

SENATOR GIANARIS: I move to adjourn until tomorrow, Thursday, June 6th, at 12:00 p.m.

ACTING PRESIDENT MAYER: On motion, the Senate stands adjourned until Thursday, June 6th, at 12:00 p.m.

(Whereupon, at 7:53 p.m., the Senate adjourned.)