
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON LABOR

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, April 10, 2024

TIME: 4:00 PM

PLACE: Room 101 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [7792](#)

BY Giraldo, Alzate, Stewart, Cruz, Potter, Morales, Felix

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE {LC5352/1} (Increases the minimum required awarded to minority business enterprises from 15% to 20% and of that, require a minimum of 10% be awarded to minority owned businesses and a minimum of 10% be awarded to women owned businesses.)

02/29/2024 Introduced, referred to House Labor

04/05/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [7793](#)

BY Giraldo, Morales, Stewart, Alzate

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- RHODE ISLAND PARENTAL AND FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE ACT {LC5354/1} (Increases the amount of unpaid parental or family leave available to an employee, from thirteen (13) weeks to twenty-six (26) weeks, in any two (2) calendar years.)

02/29/2024 Introduced, referred to House Labor

04/05/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

House Bill No. [8096](#)

BY Serpa, Fellela, Roberts

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -- MERIT SYSTEM -- PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION {LC5696/1} (Eliminates waiting periods for acceptance response for successful candidates, requires that all qualified candidates names be sent to the hiring agency, mandates given DHS social worker tests quarterly and extends DCYF pilot hiring program for 3/15/26.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to House Labor

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