
SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PROPOSED SUB A FOR S-2667 HAS BEEN ADDED

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, April 30, 2024

TIME: Rise of the Senate

PLACE: Room 313 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [2211](#)

BY F. Lombardi, LaMountain, Tikoian, Britto, Ciccone, Felag

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS -- FAMILY COURT {LC4199/1} (Only protective orders issued against adults are to be transmitted to A.G.'s B.C.I. for inclusion in the R.O.N.C.O. system. Protective orders against juveniles will be accessible to law enforcement.)

01/24/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/22/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/26/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/26/2024 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [2263](#)

BY Euer, Lawson, Gu, DiMario, Acosta, Lauria, Cano, Zurier, Murray, Quezada

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HEALTH AND SAFETY -- ELECTRONIC MONITORING IN NURSING AND ASSISTED LIVING FACILITIES {LC4603/1} (Allows electronic monitoring of residents or private living unit in nursing or assisted living facility with certain restrictions.)

02/08/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/01/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/05/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/26/2024 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [2440](#)

BY Gallo, Lawson, Pearson, Ciccone, Murray, DiPalma, Bissaillon, Britto, Lauria, Valverde

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO INSURANCE -- MOTOR VEHICLE REPLACEMENT PARTS {LC4567/1} (Prohibits insurance companies from refusing to use after market parts that are greater than 48 months and less than 72 months from the date of manufacture, provided the repairer has written consent from the owner of the vehicle.)

02/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/08/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/14/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/26/2024 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [2457](#)

BY Euer, F. Lombardi, Felag, McKenney, Burke, LaMountain, Tikoian, DiMario
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN --
PROCEEDINGS IN FAMILY COURT {LC4586/1} (Establishes concurrent jurisdiction between the Rhode Island Family Court and the Federal Government for the purposes of adjudicating minors who have allegedly committed a crime while residing on a military installation located in Rhode Island.)

02/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/22/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/26/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/26/2024 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [2667](#)

BY Mack, Murray, Bell

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PROBATE PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE --
PRACTICE IN PROBATE COURTS {LC5346/1} (Outlines the process for a person petitioning to change their name in the probate court in the town or city where they reside. It also makes the statute regarding name change gender neutral.)

03/01/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/22/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/26/2024 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/26/2024 Scheduled for consideration

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [2095](#)

BY F. Lombardi, Ciccone, Felag, Britto, Lombardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CHILDREN WITH DISABILITIES
{LC4211/1} (Provides that parents and guardians of children with disabilities in private school have the same rights and remedies as parents/guardians of children in public school.)

01/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2887](#)

BY Acosta, DiMario, DiPalma, Zurier, Mack, Quezada, Gallo, Lawson, Cano, McKenney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HUMAN SERVICES -- CERTIFICATION OF
CHILDCARE AND YOUTH-SERVING WORKERS AND OPERATORS {LC4613/1} (Repeals the provision that requires new applicants for employment under this section to pay the expense for their background checks.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2972](#)

BY Murray, DiPalma, Acosta, Felag, Zurier, Valverde, Lauria, Euer

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES {LC5831/1} (Establishes general caseload limits for DCYF workers similar to those contained in the Council on Accreditation standards.)

04/05/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2437](#)

BY LaMountain, Bissailon, Burke

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT {LC3992/1} (Amends the statutory penalties for a second and third possession of marijuana offense to conform to the penalties promulgated in the Rhode Island cannabis act.)

02/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2885](#)

BY Bissailon, Miller, LaMountain, Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- THE RHODE ISLAND CANNABIS ACT {LC5791/1} (Permits hybrid cannabis cultivators to advertise regarding cannabis products during the transitional period.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2906](#)

(Judiciary)

BY Tikoian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT {LC5495/1} (Amends the statutory penalties for possession of marijuana offenses to conform to the penalties promulgated in the Rhode Island cannabis act.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2907](#)

(Judiciary)

BY Burke

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN -- TREATMENT OF JUVENILES FOR CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY {LC5492/1} (Amends the statute so as to conform to current statutory penalties for possession of marijuana offenses promulgated in the Rhode Island cannabis act allowing for possession of up to two (2) ounces of marijuana.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2910](#)

(Judiciary)

BY Bissaillon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- UNIFORM CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT {LC5494/1} (Amends the statutory penalties for a second and third possession of marijuana offense to conform to the penalties promulgated in § 21-28-4.01.)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2912](#)

(Judiciary)

BY Quezada

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN -- PROCEEDINGS IN FAMILY COURT {LC5493/1} (Amends the definition of a wayward offense in the family court to conform to current statutory penalties for possession of marijuana offenses, promulgated in chapter 28 of title 21 (the "uniform controlled substances act").)

03/22/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2098](#)

BY Ruggerio, Pearson, Tikoian, Burke, Gallo, Sosnowski, Murray, Lauria, Lawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- TRIAL {LC3850/1} (Requires prosecutorial consent in order for a defendant to waive a jury trial.)

01/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2197](#)

BY Kallman, Cano, Euer, Acosta, Mack, McKenney, Burke, Quezada, Murray, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- ARREST {LC3519/1}

(Prohibits the civil arrest of any person who is attending court either on behalf of themselves or a family or household member. Any person who violates this act shall be subject to civil suit and for contempt of court.)

01/24/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2205](#)

BY Quezada, Bell, Kallman, DiMario, Euer, Miller, Cano, Valverde, Acosta

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINALS--CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS --

PAROLE {LC3866/1} (Provides that prisoners who committed offenses prior to age 18 and sentenced as adults would be eligible for parole after completing 15 yrs of their sentence/does not lengthen their eligibility should prisoner be eligible for parole earlier than 15 yrs.)

01/24/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2429](#)

BY McKenney, Gallo, Euer, Mack, Miller

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- OBSCENE AND OBJECTIONABLE PUBLICATIONS AND SHOWS {LC4484/1} (Establishes, as an affirmative defense to the crimes of circulating obscene publications or shows and selling or exhibiting obscene publications to minors, the person's employment status as an employee of a school, museum, or library.)

02/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2664](#)

BY Raptakis, Burke, McKenney, DiMario, Paolino, DeLuca, Tikoian, Quezada, Felag, F. Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- TRESPASS AND VANDALISM {LC5036/1} (Changes the community service requirements of a sentence related to the violation of § 11-44-21.1 relating to defacing private residences, offices, businesses or commercial property.)

03/01/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2665](#)

BY Raptakis, Burke, McKenney, Tikoian, F. Lombardi

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- THEFT, EMBEZZLEMENT, FALSE PRETENSES, AND MISAPPROPRIATION {LC5038/1} (Provides that two (2) or more individuals associated to accomplish an act or acts which constitute shoplifting, could be deemed "racketeer influenced and corrupt organizations.")

03/01/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2110](#)

BY de la Cruz, F. Lombardi, Raptakis, E Morgan, Rogers, DeLuca, Paolino, Ciccone, Burke, Lombardo

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- INDICTMENTS, INFORMATIONS AND COMPLAINTS {LC3675/1} (Provides for a 10 year statute of limitations for the violation of second degree sexual assault.)

01/12/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2230](#)

BY de la Cruz, E Morgan

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- SEXUAL ASSAULT -- SHERRY'S LAW {LC4035/1} (Increases minimum sentence for first degree sexual assault and provides first 10 years of a sentence for first degree sexual assault not be subject to a suspension or deferment of sentence.)

01/24/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [2938](#)

(Attorney General)

BY McKenney, Burke

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL PROCEDURE -- INDICTMENTS, INFORMATION AND COMPLAINTS {LC5522/1} (Includes the offense of second-degree sexual assault among the offenses to which there shall be no statute of limitations and provides for a ten (10) year statute of limitations for third-degree sexual assault.)

03/28/2024 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

04/26/2024 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

Senate Bill No. [2667 SUB A](#)

{LC5346/A/1}

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL:

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 3:00 PM on Tuesday, April 30, 2024, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

TELEVISION AND LIVESTREAM INFORMATION

The meeting will be televised by Capitol Television on: Cox Communications, channels 15 and 61 for high definition; i3Broadband (Formerly Full Channel) on 15; and Verizon, on channel 34.

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