
SENATE COMMITTEE ON LABOR & GAMING

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, April 30, 2025

TIME: Rise of the Senate

PLACE: Room 212 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR ADVICE AND CONSENT

Appointment of Tracey Jeter (Employer Representative) VICE Rebecca Webber to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2028.

Appointment of Xaykham Khamsyvoravong (Employer Representative) VICE David Chenevert to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2027.

Reappointment of Paul MacDonald (Labor Representative) to the Governor's Workforce Board for a term expiring January 1, 2028.

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [826](#)

BY DiPalma, Gallo, Ciccone, Lawson, Tikoian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM {LC1601/1} (Establishes a seven (7) member public-private partnership infrastructure oversight commission to approve all requests for proposals submitted for public-private partnership construction of qualified facilities.)
03/14/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming
04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
04/21/2025 Meeting postponed
04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [878](#)

BY Britto, McKenney, Raptakis, Appollonio, Vargas, Tikoian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT --
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES {LC2561/1} (Establishes general case load limits for DCYF workers similar to those contained in the Council on Accreditation standards.)
03/21/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming
04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
04/21/2025 Meeting postponed
04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [957](#)

BY Ciccone, DiPalma, Bissaillon, Dimitri, LaMountain, McKenney, Burke

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- COURTS -- COURT CLERKS' INCENTIVE PAY {LC2648/1} (Extends the incentive pay plan to all full-time court clerks, including the traffic tribunal, who meet the eligibility requirements. It would also repeal § 8-4.1-6 regarding additional credit for a master's degree.)

04/04/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [748](#)

BY Ciccone, Burke, Patalano, Tikoian

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- VIDEO LOTTERY GAMES, TABLE GAMES AND SPORTS WAGERING {LC2214/1} (Effective 7/1/2026, the state lottery division of gaming stops renewing any existing sports wagering vendor contract. Prior to the expiration of any existing contracts the division shall issue an open invitation for applicants for sports wagering vendors.)

03/07/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [754](#)

BY Tikoian, Patalano, Gallo, Felag, LaMountain, Britto, Dimitri, Appollonio, Burke, Thompson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- MUNICIPAL POLICE ARBITRATION {LC1745/1} (Extends provisions of an existing collective bargaining agreement for municipal police arbitration purposes until a successor agreement is reached or an interest arbitration award is rendered.)

03/07/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [855](#)

BY Thompson, Patalano, Tikoian, Lawson, Dimitri, Murray, Appollonio, Burke, Ciccone, Bissaillon

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- PEACE OFFICER MAXIMUM WORKDAY AND OVERTIME COMPENSATION {LC1518/1} (Establishes a maximum hourly workday for all peace officers as defined in § 12-7-21 and a violation rate of pay of double time and a half.)

03/19/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [856](#)

BY Ciccone, Patalano, DiPalma, Tikoian, Burke

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- FIREFIGHTERS' ARBITRATION {LC2477/1} (Provides that all contractual provisions in a firefighters collective bargaining agreement continue until a successor agreement has been reached or an interest arbitration award has been rendered.)

03/19/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/19/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [912](#)

BY Thompson, Murray, Pearson, Patalano, Urso, Valverde, Kallman

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHMENT OF CHARTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS {LC1636/1} (Requires all certified independent or district charter schools upon application for a renewal of said charter or an application for a new charter school to provide a union neutrality clause in the charter.)

03/27/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. [988](#)

BY Appollonio, Acosta, Mack, Lauria, Kallman, Thompson, Dimitri, Urso, Vargas, Pearson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO HOLIDAYS AND DAYS OF SPECIAL OBSERVANCE -- WORK ON HOLIDAYS AND SUNDAYS {LC2571/1} (Includes Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Birthday as a holiday.)

04/16/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Labor and Gaming

04/18/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/25/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 3:00 PM on Wednesday, April 30, 2025, in order for it to be provided to the members of the committee at the hearing and to be included in the meeting records.

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