
SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PROPOSED SUB A FOR S-514 AND S-532 HAVE BEEN ADDED

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, May 20, 2025

TIME: 3:30 PM

PLACE: Room 313 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [317](#)

BY Ciccone

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- FEES {LC1519/1} (Increases the maximum fees payable to sheriffs, sergeants, and constables for the service of writs, citations, or subpoenas, from \$45.00 to \$70.00.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/07/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/13/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [356](#)

BY LaMountain, McKenney

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FIDUCIARIES -- APPLICATION OF LAWS TO TRUSTS {LC1328/1} (Provides that a communication between an attorney and client acting as a trustee or other fiduciary, is privileged and protected from disclosure to the same extent as if the client was acting in his, her, or its individual capacity.)

02/21/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/07/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/13/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [514](#)

BY Burke, Ciccone, Tikoian, McKenney, Pearson, Appollonio

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES -- RETIREMENT SYSTEM--ADMINISTRATION {LC2097/1} (Requires the state retirement board to publish online all archived video or audio recordings and all future recordings of meetings of the board.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/21/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

03/27/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [532](#)

BY Felag, DiPalma, Lauria, Raptakis, Tikoian, Sosnowski, Euer

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- SIZE, WEIGHT, AND LOAD LIMITS {LC1639/1} (Allows boats and marine assets to utilize the overweight oversize annual blanket permit that was in effect until 2022, and for the resumption of the prior practice of permitting for boats and marine asset transportation.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

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

04/10/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [568](#)

BY Tikoian, LaMountain, Ciccone, Burke, Felag, Dimitri, Rogers, Thompson, Gu, Raptakis

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- SCHOOL BUS SAFETY ENFORCEMENT {LC1744/1} (Requires that all new school buses be equipped with live digital video school bus violation detection monitoring systems as of July 1, 2027. All buses, new and used, must have the monitoring systems installed by July 1, 2032.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

03/28/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

04/01/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [730](#)

(General Treasurer)

BY LaMountain, Tikoian, Felag, Murray, Lawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COURTS AND CIVIL PROCEDURE -- PROCEDURE GENERALLY -- LEVY AND SALE ON EXECUTION {LC1699/1} (Exempts qualified tuition savings programs of any state authorized under 26 U.S.C. § 529 from judicial attachment.)

03/07/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

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

04/08/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [731](#)

(General Treasurer)

BY LaMountain, Tikoian, Felag, Murray, Lawson

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATE AFFAIRS AND GOVERNMENT -- OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES {LC1693/1} (Prohibits the state from seeking reimbursement for expenditures made on behalf of disabled Rhode Islanders from an ABLE account after death of the designated beneficiary.)

03/07/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

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

04/08/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [926](#)

BY LaMountain

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- THE GOOD SAMARITAN OVERDOSE PREVENTION ACT OF 2016 {LC2617/1} (Extends the immunity from alcohol- or drug-related offenses in cases of emergency overdose care to violations of bail conditions.)

03/28/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

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

04/08/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [952](#)

(Attorney General)

BY Tikoian, McKenney, Burke, Appollonio, Patalano, Dimitri, Urso, Quezada, Rogers, de la Cruz

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO CRIMINAL OFFENSES -- CREDIT CARD CRIME ACT {LC2202/1} (Adds "debit cards" to the section of law relating to fraudulent use of credit cards.)

04/04/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

05/05/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

05/08/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/16/2025 Scheduled for consideration

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

Senate Bill No. [514 SUB A](#)

{LC2097/A/1}

Senate Bill No. [532 SUB A](#)

{LC1639/A/1}

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 2:30 PM on Tuesday, May 20, 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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PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE: MONDAY, MAY 19, 2025, 2:00 PM