
SENATE COMMITTEE ON SPECIAL LEGISLATION AND VETERANS AFFAIRS

PROPOSED SUB A FOR S-71 AND H-5050 HAVE BEEN ADDED

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Thursday, June 12, 2025

TIME: 3:30 PM

PLACE: Room 313 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [71](#)

BY Felag, Ciccone, Tikoian, Britto, Lauria

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES {LC238/1} (Provides protection and prevents the unethical, improper conduct and the collection of fees, by anyone advising or assisting a veteran filing a claim for disability benefits with the Department of Veterans Affairs, except as authorized by federal law.)

01/23/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

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

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

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

04/30/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/10/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [5050](#)

BY Phillips, Casey, J. Brien, Cruz, Alzate, Stewart, Voas, Giraldo, Messier, Marszalkowski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC156/1} (Creates a special license plate for the Blackstone Valley Tourism Council, Inc. that would support the Blackstone River Valley Environmental Clean-up and Education Fund.)

01/15/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

01/31/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

02/06/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/09/2025 Scheduled for consideration

05/15/2025 Committee recommends passage

05/16/2025 Placed on House Calendar

05/20/2025 House read and passed

05/23/2025 Referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

06/10/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [6148](#)

BY McNamara

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO MOTOR AND OTHER VEHICLES -- REGISTRATION OF VEHICLES {LC2396/1} (Empowers the division of motor vehicles to make available special motor vehicle registration plates for the American Hellenic Educational Progressive Association.)

03/28/2025 Introduced, referred to House Special Legislation

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

04/09/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

05/09/2025 Scheduled for consideration

05/15/2025 Committee recommends passage

05/16/2025 Placed on House Calendar

05/20/2025 House read and passed

05/23/2025 Referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

06/10/2025 Scheduled for consideration

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. [1125](#)

BY Acosta

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES -- RETAIL

LICENSES-CENTRAL FALLS {LC2985/1} (Allows Central Falls to exempt the property located at 913-915 Dexter Street, AP 7, Lot 156 from the law that prohibits any proposed retailers' license of any class located within two hundred feet (200') of the premises of a school or place of worship.)

06/02/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Special Legislation and Veterans Affairs

06/10/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

Senate Bill No. [71 SUB A](#)

{LC238/A/1}

House Bill No. [5050 SUB A](#)

{LC156/A/1}

TESTIMONY SUBMITTAL

*Written Testimony must be submitted prior to 2:30 PM on Thursday, June 12, 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.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Written testimony sent to the Senate and House is posted to this website. Do not submit any information that you do not want available to the public. Once written testimony is posted to the General Assembly website, submitted documents may be viewable via internet search engines.

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. Senate committee hearings may also air on Channel 75 for Cox Subscribers. Livestreaming is available at <https://capitolvri.cablecast.tv>

Alexandra Malloy
Committee Clerk
401-222-2381
SLegislation@rilegislature.gov

POSTED: TUESDAY, JUNE 10, 2025, 3:01 PM

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE: WEDNESDAY, JUNE 11, 2025, 1:30 PM