
HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PROPOSED SUB A HAS BEEN ADDED FOR H-5184 & S-169
H-6089 & S-559aa & IT'S PROPOSED SUB A HAS BEEN ADDEDH-6212, H-5184 & S-169 have been added
PROPOSED SUB A HAVE BEEN ADDED FOR H-6120, H-6173,H-6385, H-6212

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Monday, June 16, 2025
TIME: 3:30 PM
PLACE: House Lounge - State House

SCHEDULED FOR CONSIDERATION

House Bill No. [6120](#)

BY Batista

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO DELINQUENT AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN -- PROCEEDINGS IN FAMILY COURT {LC2539/1} (Grants Rhode Island's family court jurisdiction to make findings for Special Immigrant Juvenile Status petitions, including determinations about dependency, parental reunification, and the child's best interest, for minors under twenty-one (21) years.)

03/21/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

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

06/13/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [6173](#)

(Attorney General)

BY Serpa, Fellela, Casimiro, Messier, Carson, Speakman, Ajello, J. Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS -- RHODE ISLAND BID RIGGING ACT {LC2672/1} (Establishes the Rhode Island Bid Rigging Act.)

04/04/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

04/24/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/13/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [6385](#)

BY Blazejewski

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO STATUTES AND STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION {LC2933/1} (Makes technical amendments to the general laws, prepared at the recommendation of the law revision office.)

06/04/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

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06/12/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/13/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [6406](#)

BY Batista, Casey, Shanley

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO FOOD AND DRUGS -- THE GOOD SAMARITAN OVERDOSE PREVENTION ACT OF 2016 {LC2994/1} (Extends the immunity from alcohol- or drug-related offenses in cases of emergency overdose care to violations of bail conditions.)

06/11/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

06/13/2025 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

05/20/2025 Committee recommends passage

05/20/2025 Placed on Senate Calendar

05/22/2025 Senate read and passed

05/23/2025 Referred to House Judiciary

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

06/12/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/13/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [5184](#)

(General Treasurer)

BY Shallcross Smith, Chippendale, Casimiro, Craven, Nardone, Fogarty, Ajello, Fellela, Hull, Alzate

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES {LC727/1} (Prohibits credit reporting, executions, attachments against a principal residence for judgments based on medical debt. Defines medical debt as an amount for the receipt of health care services, products, or devices.)

01/24/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

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

06/14/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [6212](#)

BY Baginski, J. Brien

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- GIFT CARD FRAUD {LC2662/1} (Makes offenses against gift card holders subject to the penalties for larceny.)

04/09/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

04/24/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/14/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [169](#)

BY Bissaillon, Ruggerio, Lawson, Murray, Tikoian, LaMountain

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO COMMERCIAL LAW -- GENERAL REGULATORY PROVISIONS -- DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES {LC1054/1} (Prohibits credit reporting, executions, attachments against a principal residence for judgments based on medical debt. Defines medical debt as an amount for the receipt of health care services, products, or devices.)

02/05/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Commerce

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

03/25/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

04/18/2025 Scheduled for consideration

04/21/2025 Meeting postponed

04/29/2025 Scheduled for consideration

05/01/2025 Committee recommends passage

05/01/2025 Placed on Senate Calendar

05/08/2025 Senate read and passed

05/09/2025 Referred to House Judiciary

06/14/2025 Scheduled for consideration

House Bill No. [6089](#)

BY O'Brien, Dawson, Slater, Solomon, Casimiro, Kazarian, Alzate, Stewart, Baginski, Biah

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO ANIMALS {LC2380/1} (Increases imprisonment penalties and adds mandatory community service for violations of § 4-1-9.)

03/14/2025 Introduced, referred to House Judiciary

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

03/25/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study

06/14/2025 Scheduled for consideration

Senate Bill No. [559 as amended](#)

BY Dimitri, Appollonio, Tikoian, Bissaillon, Patalano, Ciccone, Burke, Murray, Urso, Vargas

ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO ANIMALS AND ANIMAL HUSBANDRY -- CRUELTY TO ANIMALS {LC1233/1} (Increases imprisonment penalties and adds mandatory community service for violations of § 4-1-9.)

02/26/2025 Introduced, referred to Senate Judiciary

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04/04/2025 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
04/10/2025 Committee recommended measure be held for further study
05/23/2025 Scheduled for consideration
05/27/2025 Committee recommends passage
05/27/2025 Placed on Senate Calendar
05/29/2025 Senate passed as amended (floor amendment)
06/14/2025 Referred to House Judiciary
06/14/2025 Scheduled for consideration

PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE

House Bill No. [6120 SUB A](#)
{LC2539/A/1}

House Bill No. [6173 SUB A](#)
{LC2672/A/1}

House Bill No. [6385 SUB A](#)
{LC2933/A/1}

House Bill No. [6212 SUB A](#)
{LC2662/A/1}

House Bill No. [6089 SUB A](#)
{LC2380/A/1}

Senate Bill No. [559 SUB A](#)
{LC1233/A/1}

House Bill No. [5184 SUB A](#)
{LC727/A/1}

Senate Bill No. [169 SUB A](#)
{LC1054/A/1}

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