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House will reconvene Monday at 1:30pm

Senate will reconvene tomorrow (Saturday) at 9:00am for a token session in order to advance the calendar.

The full Senate convenes at 2:00pm on Monday to start budget debate. Campbell made comments: Goal is to adjourn first week of May.

Today the Governor's Office received the following bills:

Both Bills need Signature by April 28:

H.517 An act relating to the classification of State waters

H.530 An act relating to categorization of State contracts for service.

SENATE

Bill Referred to Committee on Appropriations:

H. 878 An act relating to capital construction and State bonding budget adjustment

Proposal of Amendment; Third Reading Ordered:

H. 95 An act relating to jurisdiction over delinquency proceedings by the Family Division of the Superior Court

H. 610 An act relating to clarifying the Clean Water State Revolving Fund and Water Pollution Control Grant Programs.

H. 629 An act relating to a study committee to examine laws related to the administration and issuance of vital records.

Bills Passed in Concurrence with Proposals of Amendment:

H. 74 An act relating to safety protocols for social and mental health workers.

H. 183 An act relating to security in the Capitol Complex.

H. 367 An act relating to miscellaneous revisions to the municipal plan adoption, amendment, and update process.

Bill Passed in Concurrence:

H. 580 An act relating to conservation easements.

Third Reading Ordered:

H. 529 An act relating to State aid for school construction repayment obligations.

H. 805 An act relating to employment rights for members of the National Guard and Reserve Components of the U.S. Armed Forces.

HOUSE

Read Third Time and Passed in Concurrence with Proposal of Amendment:

S.66 An act relating to persons who are deaf, DeafBlind, or hard of hearing

Passed Third Reading:

S.20 An act relating to establishing and regulating dental therapists

S.132 An act relating to the prohibition of conversion therapy on minors

Passed Second Reading:

S.224 An act relating to warranty obligations of equipment dealers and suppliers

S.255 An act relating to regulation of hospitals, health insurers, and managed care organizations

Senate Proposal of Amendment concurred in:

H.559 An act relating to an exemption from licensure for visiting team physician

Action Postponed:

H.R.21 House resolution requesting the Shumlin administration and the Attorney General to release certain e-mails

Rep. Wright of Burlington moved to postpone action until 4/26/16 which was agreed to

Quick Leg Intel:

Senate Appropriations voted out the Big Bill, H.875 7-0.

Sen. White needs to connect with Sarah re OPR language.

House Natural took up S.123 after floor but decided to postpone voting on the bill until Tuesday.

Senate Finance voted out H.872, the Fee Bill with 6-1. Degree was lone no vote. Mullin accepted the finance amendment. Overall, with the senate proposal of amendment, the fee bill raises \$28M. \$25M is general fund.

Senate Education voted out H.859, Special Education bill 6-0.

House Judiciary passed out S.183, An act relating to permanency for children in the child welfare system.

House Judiciary passed out S.154, An act relating to enhanced penalties for assaulting an employee of the Family Services Division of the Department for Children and Families and to criminal threatening.

Committee On Goings:

House Health Care – S.216

Jen will fix Bancroft's issues and bronze group will come to consensus and then committee will find time during the floor to vote.

Section 1: Prescription Drug Pricing Increase Disclosures

brand name: notice required if drug on the market increases wholesale acquisition cost by more than 10% per year or introduce drug with more than \$10,000 wholesale acquisition, then need to provide notice

generic: notice required if generic drug costing \$100 or more increases by 10% of wholesale acquisition cost per year

penalty: \$1,000 per day, AG's office

This was Bancroft's amendment, and it was changed from the

Section 2: DFR adopting rules re: VHC plan formularies

Section 3: 340B Drugs-- DVHA determines the formulary used by other states for Medicaid and do a study on value

Section 4: Bronze Plan Rx Max Out of Pocket

At least one of each plan-- bronze plan with Rx Max and at least one without. Confusion around nonstandard plans. Stakeholder group will talk and come to consensus.

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