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Mr. Speaker, I move that the next three items, Calendar No. 0203, 0204, 0205 and the next item on page 4, 0206. I move suspension of the rules for the immediate consideration of these matters.

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MR. SPEAKER:

The chamber will recall that yesterday, during the course of the regular session the Majority Leader indicated the intention to take up these four matters today which would be one-starred day under suspension. The motion is therefore for suspension for immediate consideration of Calendars 203, 204, 205 and top of page 4, 206. Is there objection? Hearing none, the rules are suspended for those four calendar items only. Will the Clerk please proceed to call Calendars 203 and follow it.

THE CLERK:

Substitute for House Bill No. 5227. An Act Allowing Physical Therapists and Podiatrists to Form Professional Service Corporations.

EDWARD S. GUDELSKI, 110th District:

Mr. Speaker, I move acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report and passage of the bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report and passage of the bill, will you remark?

EDWARD S. GUDELSKI, 110th District:

Yes, Mr. Speaker, this bill provides or will give the

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physical therapists and podiatrists the right to practice the profession through the medium of a professional service corporation under legislation which was adopted in the 1969 session. The statute preserves the elements of the personal professional liability and the responsibility of a professional person providing services through such a corporation. This is a good bill, Mr. Speaker, and I move its adoption.

MBS

MR. SPEAKER:

Will you remark further? If not, all those in favor of the bill will indicate by saying aye, those opposed? The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Calendar No. 204. Substitute for House Bill No. 5745. An Act Concerning Reports to the State Board of Education.

DAVID LAVINE, 73rd District:

Mr. Speaker, I move the acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report. Mr. Speaker, the Clerk has an amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on acceptance and passage, the Clerk has an amendment, will the Clerk please read the amendment?

THE CLERK:

House Amendment Schedule "A". In line 17, after the word "district" delete the comma and insert a period, and delete the remainder of line 17 and all of line 18.

DAVID LAVINE, 73rd District:

Mr. Speaker, I move the acceptance of the amendment.

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SENATOR SULLIVAN:

Mr. President, the Statute is amended to change compulsory meeting dates of once every three months to times called by the respective towns in regard to Welfare payments. And the reason is that the committee has been meeting once every three months and at some of these meetings nobody has ever showed up for any grievances. So they want to make the meetings when they are necessary.

THE CHAIR:

The question is on passage of the bill. Will you remark further? If not all those in favor say aye. AYE. Opposed nay? The ayes have it.  
The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Cal. No. 198, File No. 173 Favorable Report Joint Standing Committee on General Law. Substitute H.B. 5227 An Act Allowing Physical Therapists and Podiatrists to Form Professional Service Corporations.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Strada.

SENATOR STRADA:

Mr. President, I move for acceptance of the Joint Committee's Favorable report and passage of the bill.

THE CHAIR:

Will you remark?

SENATOR STRADA:

Mr. President, this bill adds physical therapists and podiatrists to the list of professional people allowed to practice their professions

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through a medium of a professional service corporation. Which was enacted in the 1969 Session. There are lists of professional people enumerated therein. And this would add to that podiatrists and physical therapists. The Statute, the original statute, makes it possible for professional people to establish fringe benefits for employees to obtain federal tax deductions. Which are not possible when practicing professions as an individual. I would note that the personal professional liability as established in the original bill is maintained. These professional corporations of course are subject to the Connecticut Corporation taxes and they provide additional revenue into our state.

THE CHAIR:

The Question is on passage of the bill. Will you remark further? All those in favor of passage of the bill signify by saying aye. AYE. Opposed nay? The ayes have it. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

Cal. 199, File No. 174 Favorable report joint standing committee on Education on Substitute H.B. 5745 An Act Concerning Reports to the State Board of Education. As amended by House Amendment Sch. A.

THE CHAIR:

Senator Caldwell.

SENATOR CALDWELL:

May that be passed temporarily. Then we can come back to it.

THE CLERK:

Cal. No. 201, File No. 157. Favorable report of the Joint Standing Committee on General Law on H.B. 6988 An Act Changing the Name