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<u>Committee Pages:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Transportation 182</i> 				<u>House Pages:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>1174- 1176</i> 	<u>Senate Pages:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>1100</i>

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Allison, of Granby, former State Legislator.

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MR. SPEAKER:

Is there objection to the Resolutions indicated be placed on the Consent Calendar? Hearing none, so ordered.

THE CLERK:

Page 2 of the Calendar, Calendar No. 207, H.B. No. 6315, an Act concerning registration requirements for leased motor vehicles. File No. 169.

WILLIAM A. O'NEILL:

Mr. Speaker, I move that this be passed, retaining its place on the regular calendar.

MR. SPEAKER:

Is there objection to the motion of the gentleman from the 52nd? Hearing none, so ordered.

THE CLERK:

Calendar No. 208, H.B. No. 6326, an Act concerning waiver of motor vehicle fees for veterans and service personnel.

GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

Mr. Speaker, I move acceptance of the Joint Committee's favorable report and passage of the Bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on acceptance and passage. Will you remark?

GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

Mr. Speaker, the Clerk has an Amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

Will the Clerk call House Amendment "A". Does the

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gentleman from the 16th have the file copy of the Amendment on his desk? EFH

GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

File 168.

MR. SPEAKER:

Could the copy of the Amendment be brought to the Clerk's desk...to the beloved one.

GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

The Amendment really isn't that long.

THE CLERK:

House Amendment Schedule "A". In Line 12, bracket the word "discharge" and insert after the bracket the word "separation".

GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

Mr. Speaker, I move adoption of the Amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on adoption of the Amendment. Will you remark?

GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

Mr. Speaker, on Line 12 there was a change in the word "discharge", as the Amendment says. The thrust of the Bill is to change the word "discharge" to "separation". It was neglected to be done on Line 12, and this simply clears it up.

MR. SPEAKER:

Further remarks on the Amendment? If not, all those in favor indicate by saying "aye". Those opposed. The Amendment is adopted. It's ruled technical. Would you proceed with the Bill

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as amended.

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GEORGE W. HANNON, JR.:

Mr. Speaker, as I said a moment ago, the thrust of the Bill is to change the word "discharge" to "separated", and since we were on a two-year license period, to change it from one year to two years. I move acceptance of the Joint Committee's favorable report and passage of the Bill as amended.

MR. SPEAKER:

Further remarks? If not, all those in favor of George Hannon's Bill for the Session indicate by saying "aye". Those opposed. The Bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

the clerk: Calendar No. 209, H.B. No. 6358, an Act concerning sessions of the General Assembly.

DAVID H. NEIDITZ:

Mr. Speaker, I move acceptance of the Joint Committee's favorable report and passage of the Bill.

MR. SPEAKER:

Question is on acceptance and passage. Will you remark?

DAVID H. NEIDITZ:

Mr. Speaker, the Clerk has an Amendment.

MR. SPEAKER:

Would the Clerk call House Amendment Schedule "A".

THE CLERK:

House Amendment Schedule "A". Line 29, after the period, delete the words "the General Assembly shall". Delete Lines 30 to

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Will you remark further? If not, all those in favor of adopting the bill signify by saying, "aye". Opposed, "nay". The ayes have it. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

NO. 218. File No. 168. Favorable report of the joint committee on Transportation. House Bill No. 6326. An Act Concerning waiver of Motor Vehicle Fees for Veterans and Service Personnel.

SENATOR MANDANI:

Mr. President, I move acceptance of the joint committee's favorable report and passage of the bill, in concurrence with the House.

Mr. President, this is a technical amendment to existing statutes to change the word separated rather than discharged due to the fact that currently under the selective service act, one might be separated before his six year requirement is up, and he is not discharged. So it puts it in line with this.

THE CHAIR:

Will you remark further? Question is on passage of the bill, if not, all those in favor signify by saying, "aye". Opposed, "nay". The ayes have it. The bill is passed.

THE CLERK:

CAL. NO. 220. File No. 164. Favorable report of the joint standing committee on Transportation. House Bill No. 6421. An Act Concerning Duplicate Drivers' School License.

SENATOR MONDANI:

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Richard Meek: I am Executive Vice President of the Connecticut Automotive Trades Association. I'd like to put our association on record in favor of this bill. I represent the automobile dealers of Connecticut. I believe this is a department bill. We support it. If you read the bill, the laws that presently stand literally, a dealer could not loan a car to anybody but the licensed owner of the vehicle and we're talking about substitute cars when they're in for repairs or something like that. And this bill would certainly - would simply make it possible to loan the vehicle to a representative of the licensed owner of the vehicle. I could think of an obvious example would be where a individual had his wife bring his car in for repairs and he loaned her a car while his car was in for repairs. This would make it lawful to do so. As it stands now technically we probably should not loan anybody but the licensed registered owner of the vehicle, and of course there would be many cases where employees of corporations would bring vehicles over and have replacement vehicles. Thank you.

Anyone else in favor of 6324. Anyone opposed to the bill?

The next bill is 6326 - an act concerning waiver of motor vehicle fees for veterans and service personnel. Anyone in favor?

Barbara Kenny: Hartford, representing the Parent Teacher Association of Connecticut. The PTA strongly supports HB 6417. We believe that the State should put the safety of children before the practical and other considerations. If the State continues to allow vehicles that are not registered school buses to be used as school buses, then the children being transported in such vehicles have the same rights to be protected by all known safety precautions and devices as the children being transported in registered and regular school buses. And our concern for the safety of children, we respectfully urge and request a favorable report on this bill. Thank you.

Anyone else in favor of the bill?

Lt. Michael Griffin: Traffic Division of the State Police Dept. The State Police Department is in favor of this legislation HB 6417 concerning equipment and markings on vehicles used as school buses, requiring that these vehicles used as school buses, but not registered as such shall when used as school buses meet the requirements as providing equipment and signal devices and speed limits similar to those required of registered school buses. Primarily because we are concerned with the safety of passengers being carried on these vehicles.

Question (Inaudible)

Lt. Griffin: No sir, as I understand it it just says lighting equipment and signal devices and speed limits, which provides signs and of course the 50 miles per hour speed limit.

Question: (Inaudible)

Lt. Griffin: Does it specify it here Sir?

Question: (Inaudible)