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Will the Clerk please announce the tally.

THE CLERK:

Bill Number 6502.  
Total Number Voting 145  
Necessary for Passage 73  
Those voting Yea 145  
Those voting Nay 0  
Absent and not voting 5

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

The bill passes.

Will the Clerk please call Calendar Number 378?

THE CLERK:

House Calendar 378, favorable report of the Joint  
Standing Committee on HUMAN SERVICES, Substitute  
Senate Bill 853, AN ACT CONCERNING TECHNICAL AND OTHER  
REVISIONS TO STATUTES CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF  
REHABILITATION SERVICES.

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

Representative Stallworth of the 126th, what  
purpose do you rise sir?

REP. STALLWORTH (126th):

Mr. Speaker, I move that acceptance of the Joint  
Committees favorable report and passage of the bill.

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

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Motion before the Chamber is acceptance of the Joint Committee's favorable report and passage of the bill.

Will you comment further, Representative?

REP. STALLWORTH (126th):

Yes, Mr. Speaker.

This bill is a simple bill that changes some -- makes some technical changes to the Department of Rehabilitation Services and it came out of the Committee with a unanimous vote. And I move adoption.

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

Thank you, Representative.

Will you remark further on the bill before us?

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Representative Wood of the 141st.

REP. WOOD (141st):

Thank -- thank you, Mr. Speaker.

I also stand in support of this bill and with the Vice Chair of the Committee, I would like to add a few other comments. It does make technical revisions to DRS. It helps conform to Federal programmatic provisions. It updates antiquated terminology and it makes minor technical changes that have no fiscal impact.

I think, of note, there is one piece in the bill that certainly stood out for me, in that the limit -- the statutory limit that DRS may spend on wheelchair rises from \$3,500 to \$20,000 and on adaptive equipment rises from \$10,000 to \$120,000 and that is still within available appropriations, so this is no fiscal impact on this bill. I hope you all will support the bill.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

Thank you, Representative.

Will you comment further on the bill before us?

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Seeing none, will staff and guests please come to the Well of the House? Will the members please take your seats? The machine will be open.

THE CLERK:

The House of Representatives is voting by roll.

The House of Representative is voting by roll. Will members please return to the chamber immediately.

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

Have all the members voted? Have all the members voted?

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Will the members please check the board to determine if your vote is properly cast.

If all the members have voted, the machine will be locked and the Clerk will take the tally.

Will the Clerk please announce the tally.

THE CLERK:

Bill Number 853 in concurrence with the Senate.

Total Number Voting	146
Necessary for Passage	74
Those voting Yea	146
Those voting Nay	0
Absent and not voting	4

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

The bill passes.

Will the Clerk please call Calendar Number 343?

THE CLERK:

Calendar Number 343, Favorable Report of the Joint Standing Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT, House Bill 5725, AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE-WIDE PHOSPHORUS REDUCTION PLAN.

DEPUTY SPEAKER BERGER:

Representative Rojas.

REP. ROJAS (9th):

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

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THE CHAIR:

Seeing no objection so ordered, sir.

SENATOR LOONEY:

Thank you, Madam President.

Madam President, moving to Calendar page 16, Calendar 156, Senate Bill Number 1004, Madam President, that item is marked go; the next item, Calendar 157, Senate Bill Number 1006 that item is also marked go.

Moving to Calendar page 17, Calendar 166 is marked -- that's Substitute for Senate Bill Number 752, marked go.

Moving to Calendar page 18, Madam President, Calendar 168, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 880, Madam President, move to place that item on our Consent Calendar.

THE CHAIR:

Seeing no objection so ordered, sir.

SENATOR LOONEY:

Thank you, Madam President.

Continuing on that page, Calendar 173, second item from the bottom of the page, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 874, Madam President, that item is marked go.

Continuing Calendar page 19, Madam President, Calendar 183, second item from the bottom of that page, Calendar 183, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 853, Madam President, would move to place this item on our Consent Calendar.

THE CHAIR:

Seeing no objection so ordered, sir.

SENATOR LOONEY:

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Mr. Clerk, call for a roll call vote, but will you do the proceedings and go through and read the vote on the -- on that Consent Calendar. Read the bills on the Consent Calendar and the machine then will be opened.

THE CLERK:

On page 1, Calendar 96, Senate Resolution Number 19,  
RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE NOMINATION OF JASON E.  
BOWSA OF BROAD BROOK TO BE A MEMBER OF THE  
CONNECTICUT RIVER VALLEY FLOOD CONTROL COMMISSION,  
favorable report of the Senate Committee on Executive  
and Legislative Nominations.

Also on page 1 --

THE CHAIR:

Mr. Clerk, if you'd like you can just read the  
Calendar Number --

THE CLERK:

Okay.

THE CHAIR:

-- and the Resolution Number. Okay.

THE CLERK:

Great.

Page 1, Calendar 97, Senate Resolution Number 20.

On page 2, Calendar 98, Senate Joint Resolution Number  
46; also on page 2, Calendar 99, Senate Joint  
Resolution Number 47; page 2, Calendar 130, Senate  
Joint Resolution Number 21; page 2, Calendar 131,  
Senate Joint Resolution Number 48; page 2, Calendar  
136, Senate Joint Resolution 49.

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On page 3, Calendar 197, Senate Joint Resolution  
Number 50; also on page 3, Calendar 198, Senate Joint  
Resolution Number 51; page 3, Calendar 245, Senate  
Resolution Number 22; page 3, Calendar 246, Senate

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Joint Resolution Number 23; page 3, Calendar 247,  
Senate Joint Resolution Number 52.

And on page 4, Calendar 316, House Joint Resolution  
Number 72; page 4, Calendar 317, House Joint  
Resolution Number 73; also on page 4, Calendar 318,  
House Joint Resolution Number 74; page 4, Calendar  
319, House Joint Resolution Number 75.

On page 5, Calendar 320, House Joint Resolution Number  
76; also on page 5, Calendar 321, House Joint  
Resolution Number 77; page 5, Calendar 322, House  
Joint Resolution Number 78; on page 5, 323 is the  
Calendar, House Joint Resolution Number 79.

And on page 6, Calendar 324, House Joint Resolution  
Number 80; also on page 6, Calendar 325, House Joint  
Resolution 81; page 6, Calendar 326, House Joint  
Resolution Number 82; page 6, Calendar 327, House  
Joint Resolution Number 84.

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On page 7, Calendar 329, House Joint Resolution Number  
85; page 7, Calendar 330, House Joint Resolution  
Number 86; page 7, Calendar 331, House Joint  
Resolution Number 87; and on page 7, Calendar 332,  
House Joint Resolution Number 88.

On page 13, Calendar 128 --

THE CHAIR:

Mr. Clerk, would you also check page 11, Calendar  
Number 1 -- 0111.

THE CLERK:

I think that was referred to the Consent Calendar.

THE CHAIR:

It is the Consent Calendar, sir.

THE CLERK:

Oh, yes, yes, yes, you're right. Sorry about that.

On page 11, Calendar 111, Senate Bill Number 825.

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And on page 13, now, Calendar 128, Senate Bill --

THE CHAIR:

Mr. Clerk, would you look at 127, also, please, 127,  
Calendar 127.

THE CLERK:

Okay.

Calendar 127, Senate Bill Number 927; also on page 13,  
Calendar 128, Senate Bill 1032; and on page 13,  
Calendar 137, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 837.

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THE CHAIR:

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THE CLERK:

-- 15, Calendar 151 --

THE CHAIR:

Senator, would you look at Calendar 147, please.

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Thank you.

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-- Senate Bill Number 1061; also on page 15, Calendar  
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THE CLERK:

-- 49, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 909; on page 15, Calendar 151, Senate Bill Number 63.

And, now, on page 16, Calendar 156, Senate Bill Number 1004; also Calendar 157, Senate Bill Number 1006.

And on page 18, Calendar 173, Substitute --

THE CHAIR:

-- Mr. Clerk, can you look at 168 first, please.

THE CLERK:

I'm sorry.

Calendar 168, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 880, and Calendar 173, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 874.

On page 19; Calendar 183, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 853.

And on page 20, Calendar 187, Senate Bill Number 953; also on page 20, Calendar 191, Senate Bill Number 704.

On page 22, Calendar 206, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 950.

On page 23, Calendar 213, Substitute for Senate Bill Number 826.

On page 24, Calendar 221, Senate Bill Number 946.

And on page 29, Calendar 25 --

THE CHAIR:

Sir, on page 28, first.

THE CLERK:

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Page 28, Calendar 250, Substitute for Senate Bill  
Number 1010.

And on page 29, Calendar 258, Substitute for Senate  
Bill Number 1073.

On page 37, Calendar 306, Senate Bill Number 111.

And I think that's it.

THE CHAIR:

Yes, I think so.

This time I'll ask everybody to please vote. The machine is open, and we're voting on the Consent Calendar.

Do you -- would you please announce it again, Mr. Clerk.

THE CLERK:

Immediate roll call has been ordered in the Senate,  
voting today's Consent Calendar. Immediate roll call has been ordered in the Senate.

THE CHAIR:

Have all members voted, all members have voted, the machine will be closed.

Mr. Clerk, will you please call the tally.

THE CLERK:

On today's Consent Calendar.

Total Number Voting	36
Those voting Yea	36
Those voting Nay	0
Those absent and not voting	0

THE CHAIR:

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The Consent Calendar passes.

Senator Looney.

SENATOR LOONEY:

Thank you, Madam President.

Madam President, a couple of additional items. First of all, on a matter adopted earlier today, Calendar 344, Substitute for House Bill Number 6648, would ask for a suspension for immediate transmittal of that item to the Governor.

THE CHAIR:

Seeing no objection so ordered, sir.

SENATOR LOONEY:

Thank you, Madam President.

Madam President, for a couple of -- of items for recommittals on the last -- near the end of the Calendar, Calendar page 52, under "Favorable Reports and Resolutions," Calendar 34, Senate Resolution Number 8, I would move to recommit that item to the Appropriations Committee.

THE CHAIR:

Seeing no objection so ordered.

SENATOR LOONEY:

And also, Madam President, Calendar 212, Senate Resolution Number 14, I move to recommit that item to the Education Committee.

THE CHAIR:

Seeing no objection so ordered.

SENATOR LOONEY:

Thank you, Madam President.