

# Journal of the Senate

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 7, 2011

The Senate was called to order by the President.

## Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Reverend Ann Grady of Montpelier.

## Recess

On motion of Senator Campbell the Senate recessed until the fall of the gavel.

## Called to Order

At eleven o'clock and thirty minutes the Senate was called to order by the President.

## Message from the House No. 3

A message was received from the House of Representatives by Ms. H. Gwynn Zakov, its Second Assistant Clerk, as follows:

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform the Senate that:

The House has considered joint resolutions originating in the Senate of the following titles:

**J.R.S. 5.** Joint resolution relating to Town Meeting adjournment.

**J.R.S. 6.** Joint resolution relating to weekend adjournment.

And has adopted the same in concurrence.

The House has adopted House concurrent resolutions of the following titles:

**H.C.R. 1.** House concurrent resolution in memory of Representative Albert Audette of South Burlington.

**H.C.R. 2.** House concurrent resolution in memory of Vermont National Guard Sergeant Steven J. DeLuzio of South Glastonbury, Connecticut.

**H.C.R. 3.** House concurrent resolution in memory of United States Marine Lance Corporal Anthony James Rosa of Swanton.

**H.C.R. 4.** House concurrent resolution in memory of Vermont National Guard Sergeant Tristan H. Southworth of Walden.

**H.C.R. 5.** House concurrent resolution in memory of Specialist Ryan Grady of West Burke.

**H.C.R. 6.** House concurrent resolution honoring the Dean of the House of Representatives, Michael Obuchowski of Rockingham.

In the adoption of which the concurrence of the Senate is requested.

**Standing Committees Appointed**

The President, on behalf of the Committee on Committees, reported the appointment of the standing committees, as follows:

**Agriculture**

A.M.	Senator Kittell, Chair Giard, Vice-Chair Starr Campbell Baruth	Room 26
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**Appropriations**

P.M.	Senator Kitchel, Chair Sears, Vice-Chair Snelling Miller Illuzzi Nitka Starr	Room 5
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**Economic Development, Housing and General Affairs**

A.M.	Senator Illuzzi, Chair Ashe, Vice-Chair Carris Doyle Galbraith	Room 27
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**Education**

P.M.	Senator Mullin, Chair Lyons, Vice-Chair Doyle Kittell Baruth	Room 28
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**Finance**

P.M. Senator Cummings, Chair Room 6  
MacDonald, Vice-Chair  
McCormack  
Ashe  
Fox  
Brock  
Westman

**Government Operations**

P.M. Senator White, Chair Room 4  
Ayer, Vice-Chair  
Flory  
Galbraith  
Pollina

**Health and Welfare**

A.M. Senator Ayer, Chair Room 17  
Mullin, Vice-Chair  
Miller  
Fox  
Pollina

**Institutions**

P.M. Senator Hartwell, Chair Room 7  
Mazza, Vice-Chair  
Giard  
Carris  
Benning

**Judiciary**

A.M. Senator Sears, Chair Room 1  
Nitka, Vice-Chair  
Cummings  
Snelling  
White

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**Natural Resources and Energy**

A.M.                      Senator Lyons, Chair                      Room 8  
                                    MacDonald, Vice-Chair  
                                    McCormack  
                                    Brock  
                                    Benning

**Transportation**

A.M.                      Senator Mazza, Chair                      Room 3  
                                    Kitchel, Vice-Chair  
                                    Flory  
                                    Hartwell  
                                    Westman

**Bills Introduced**

Senate bills of the following titles were severally introduced, read the first time and referred:

**S. 1.**

By Senator Sears,

An act relating to technical amendments to the judicial restructuring act of 2010.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**S. 2.**

By Senator Sears,

An act relating to sexual exploitation of a minor and the sex offender registry.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**S. 3.**

By Senator Sears,

An act relating to establishing that traffic tickets and video recordings of roadside DUI stops are public records.

To the Committee on Government Operations.

**S. 4.**

By Senator Sears,

An act relating to expanding the review power of the secretary of human services.

To the Committee on Government Operations.

**S. 5.**

By Senators Sears and Hartwell,

An act relating to prescription drug co-payments.

To the Committee on Finance.

**S. 6.**

By Senators Doyle and Campbell,

An act relating to caffeinated and stimulant-enhanced malt beverages.

To the Committee on Economic Development, Housing and General Affairs.

**S. 7.**

By Senator Giard,

An act relating to the Uniform Limited Cooperative Association Act.

To the Committee on Finance.

**S. 8.**

By Senator Kittell,

An act relating to providing that commercial composting on farms is an accepted agricultural practice.

To the Committee on Agriculture.

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Campbell, the Senate adjourned, to reconvene on Tuesday, January 11, 2011, at nine o'clock and thirty minutes in the forenoon pursuant to J.R.S. 6.