SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

This is a revised agenda

NOTICE OF MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, February 26, 2020
TIME: Rise of the Senate
PLACE: Room 313 - State House

SCHEDULED FOR ADVICE AND CONSENT

Appointment of Christine Heenan to the University of Rhode Island Board of Trustees for a term expiring February 1, 2022.

Appointment of David Martirano to the University of Rhode Island Board of Trustees for a term expiring February 1, 2023.

SCHEDULED FOR HEARING AND/OR CONSIDERATION

Senate Bill No. 2033
BY DiPalma, Gallo, Pearson, Cano, Quezada
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE BOARD OF EDUCATION ACT {LC3414/1} (Requires the board of education to develop and implement a 5 year plan to improve student performance in science, technology, engineering, and math and increase the number of postsecondary degrees awarded in STEM fields on or before 2/1/21.)
01/21/2020 Introduced, referred to Senate Education
02/21/2020 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 2035
BY Picard
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- THE RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION ACT {LC3611/1} (Requires that the board of elementary and secondary education adopt a competency-based/proficiency-based learning policy whereby students can earn credits through demonstration of competency.)
01/21/2020 Introduced, referred to Senate Education
02/21/2020 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 2104
BY DiPalma, Seveney, Paolino, Metts, Gallo
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM {LC3856/1} (Requires that commencing with the graduating class of 2022 all high school students attending public schools demonstrate proficiency in computer science.)
01/22/2020 Introduced, referred to Senate Education
02/21/2020 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration
Senate Bill No. 2179
BY Gallo, Cano, Metts, Sheehan, Satchell
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- ESTABLISHING A CLASS SIZE MAXIMUM FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE TWO (2) {LC4078/1} (Mandates public school classroom size be limited to twenty (20) students for kindergarten through grade two (2).)
02/04/2020 Introduced, referred to Senate Education
02/21/2020 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 2181
BY Gallo, Lawson, Sheehan, Satchell, Euer
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- CURRICULUM {LC4087/1} (Requires that commencing with the graduating class of 2021 and all subsequent graduating classes thereafter, all high school students attending public schools shall fulfill at least one-half credit or course requirement in civics education.)
02/04/2020 Introduced, referred to Senate Education
02/21/2020 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

Senate Bill No. 2188
BY Quezada, Crowley, Ciccone
ENTITLED, AN ACT RELATING TO EDUCATION -- MODEL FOR DUAL LANGUAGE IMMERSION PROGRAMS {LC3766/1} (Requires the department of education to create a model policy and timeline to assist local education agencies in implementing a dual language immersion program.)
02/04/2020 Introduced, referred to Senate Education
02/21/2020 Scheduled for hearing and/or consideration

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