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Thank you, Mr. President. Calendar 462, marked
Go.

Calendar 465, PR.

Calendar 466, PR.

Calendar 467 is marked Go.

Calendar 469, Senate Bill 1247, Mr. President,
would move to place this item on the foot of the
Calendar.

THE CHAIR:

Hearing and seeing no objection, so ordered, Sir.

SEN. LOONEY:

Thank you, Mr. President. Calendar 470, PR.

Moving to Calendar Page 9, Calendar 481, PR.

Calendar 482, House Bill 5722, Mr. President,

would move to place this item on the Consent Calendar.

THE CHAIR:

Hearing and seeing no objection, so ordered.

SEN. LOONEY:

Thank you, Mr. President. Calendar 483, PR.

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THE CHAIR:

Mr. Clerk.

THE CLERK:

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An immediate roll call has been ordered in the Senate on the Consent Calendar. Will all Senators please return to the Chamber.

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Mr. President, the first Consent Calendar begins on Calendar Page 1, Calendar 110, Senate Bill 1216.

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Senate Bill 1091.

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Senate Bill 1226.

Calendar 337, Senate Bill 260.

Calendar 340, Senate Bill 1416.

And from Senate Agenda No. 2, Substitute for
Senate Bill 1110. Mr. President, that completes those
items previously placed on the first Consent Calendar.

THE CHAIR:

If you can call the Consent Calendar again, Sir,
roll call, I'll open the machine.

THE CLERK:

The Senate is now voting by roll call on the
Consent Calendar. Will all Senators please return to
the Chamber.

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The Senate is now voting by roll call on the Consent Calendar. Will all Senators please return to the Chamber.

THE CHAIR:

Have all Senators voted? If all Senators have voted, the machine will be closed. The Clerk will call the tally.

THE CLERK:

Motion is on adoption of Consent Calendar No. 1.

Total number voting, 36; those necessary for adoption, 19. Those voting "yea", 36; those voting "nay", 0. Those absent and not voting, 0.

THE CHAIR:

The Consent Calendar is adopted. Senator Looney.

SEN. LOONEY:

Yes, thank you, Mr. President. At this point, Mr. President, would call for what we hope will be a relatively brief recess to prepare a second Go list from the items that were marked Passed Temporarily.

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The House of Representatives is voting by Roll
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Roll Call. Members to the Chamber, please.

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

Have all the Members voted? Have all the Members
voted? If so, the machine will be locked. The Clerk
will take the tally, and the Clerk will announce the
tally.

CLERK:

House Bill Number 5197.

Total Number Voting	144
Necessary for Passage	73
Those voting Yea	144
Those voting Nay	0
Those absent and not voting	7

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

The Bill is passed. Mr. Clerk, would you please
call Calendar Number 275.

CLERK:

On Page 19, Calendar Number 275, House Bill
Number 5722, AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT OF

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MARSHAL COSTS WHERE THERE IS AN ERROR BY THE TAX
ASSESSOR OR TAX COLLECTOR, Favorable Report of the
Committee on Appropriations.

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

The distinguished Vice Chairman of the Planning
and Development Committee, Representative Hennessy.

REP. HENNESSY: (127th)

Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I move acceptance of the
Joint Committee's Favorable Report and passage of the
Bill.

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

The question is on acceptance and passage. Will
you please explain the Bill, Sir.

REP. HENNESSY: (127th)

Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, I have a
constituent, Mamie Williams who contacted me after
much travail. She had been wrongly assessed for back
taxes, and the city had contracted with a marshal to
collect those taxes.

After it was done she complained to the city.
The city realized that they were in error of it, and

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she was reimbursed. But unfortunately she was not reimbursed the marshal bill, which was \$175, nor the \$25 processing fee from the credit union.

So she asked for that reimbursement and the city said take it up with the marshal, and the marshal said that he had done his job. He had fulfilled his contract, and that it was the city's point of reimbursing Mamie Williams.

And this happened last year, and we're still trying to get the city to do the right thing and reimburse her and unfortunately they have not.

It's unfortunate that we have to take the state's time to do something like this in which a city should be doing it on their own. I urge my fellow colleagues to support this Bill. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

Thank you, Sir. The Ranking Member of the Planning and Development Committee, Representative Bacchiochi.

REP. BACCHIOCHI: (52nd)

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Thank you, Mr. Speaker. While the tax collectors seldom do make an error, when that does happen, passage of this Bill would protect our residents from having to pay marshal fees that they really shouldn't have incurred.

There was no opposition expressed at the public hearing for this Bill, and it did pass unanimously out of the Planning and Development Committee. Thank you.
DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

Thank you, Madam. Will you remark further on the Bill? Will you remark further on the Bill? If not, staff and guests please come to the Well of the House. Members take your seats. The machine will be opened.

CLERK:

The House of Representatives is voting by Roll Call. Members to the Chamber. The House is voting by Roll Call. Members to the Chamber.

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

Have all the Members voted? Have all the Members voted? If so, the machine will be locked and the

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Clerk will take the tally. And the Clerk will
announce the tally.

CLERK:

House Bill Number 5722.

Total Number Voting	146
Necessary for Passage	74
Those voting Yea	146
Those voting Nay	0
Those absent and not voting	5

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

The Bill is passed. And let's go through the
referrals for the day. Mr. Clerk, if we start.

CLERK:

On Page 17, Calendar Number 208, Substitute for
House Bill Number 7223, AN ACT CONCERNING BUSINESS AND
ENERGY INDEPENDENCE DISTRICTS, Favorable Report of the
Committee on Planning and Development.

DEPUTY SPEAKER GODFREY:

The distinguished Deputy Majority Leader,
Representative Giannaros.

REP. GIANNAROS: (21st)