



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

Patrick M. Gallivan

## Votes in the NYS Senate for the Week of February 4, 2019

JIM RANNEY February 8, 2019

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The bills listed below were voted on this week in the New York State Senate. The legislation is listed by bill number and includes a short description, followed by Senator Gallivan's vote. You can access each bill individually at the links provided below.

**#S1634** Creates a task force on disasters to examine how insurers who write policies that cover loss of or damage to real property, personal property or other liabilities for loss of damage to, or injury to persons or property in the state respond to disasters.

AYE

**#S1012** This bill will authorize the Enlarged City School District of Middletown to create an insurance reserve fund.

AYE

**#S250** Establishes a private student loan refinance task force to study and report on ways lending institutions offering private student loans to graduates of institutions of higher education can be encouraged to establish student loan refinancing programs.

AYE

**#S2039** Chapter amendment that makes changes to provisions of L.2018, c.402, to change the effective date and allow the Department of Financial Services to promulgate regulations to facilitate the transition to standardized license renewal dates for business entities.

AYE

**#S521A** Designates that portion of state route 17 in the village of Hillburn, town of Ramapo, county of Rockland, as the "Justice Thurgood Marshall Memorial Highway".

AYE

**#S978** Relates to parking spaces for handicapped persons; provides that the commissioner of motor vehicles shall provide in any pre-licensing course a mandatory component of education of the laws relating to handicapped accessible parking.

AYE

**#S2377** Requires the veterans health care information program to provide information concerning health issues to veteran's children; requires the department of corrections and community supervision to maintain records regarding the military background of certain individuals under its jurisdiction.

NAY (Potential infringement of privacy and impact on gun ownership)

**#S300** The Marriage Equality Act enacted as Chapter 95 of 2011 provides that marriages of same-sex and different-sex couples are to be treated equally in all respects under the law. This bill makes conforming changes to the Estates, Powers and Trusts Law (EPTL) and the Surrogate's Court Procedure Act (SCPA) to reflect the provisions of the Act.

AYE

**#S2316** To prohibit oil and natural gas drilling in New York's coastal areas.

NAY (Drilling not subject to State jurisdiction as it will be done in Federal waters; purely symbolic; continued natural gas shortage in NYS)

**#S2317** Relates to the taking of menhaden; provides that menhaden (*Brevoortia tyrannus*) from which oil or meal is made may not be taken from the waters of the marine district with a purse seine unless the department determines there is an imminent risk of a fish kill.

AYE

**#S2411** To extend the authorization for New York's Ocean Acidification Task Force to facilitate research, public education, and information-sharing regarding ocean acidification and its impacts on the State.

AYE

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RELATED LEGISLATION

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## 2019-S1634

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- Introduced
- - In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
- - On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
- - Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
- Vetoed By Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Creates a task force on disasters

January 15, 2019

Vetoed

Sponsored by **John E. Brooks**

Do you support this bill?

NAY

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## 2019-S1012

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- Introduced
- - In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
- - On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
- - Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
- Delivered to Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Relates to permitting the Middletown school district to establish an insurance reserve fund

January 10, 2019

Signed by Governor

Sponsored by [Jen Metzger](#)

Do you support this bill?

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## 2019-S250

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- Introduced
  - - In Committee Assembly
    - In Committee Senate
  - - On Floor Calendar Assembly
    - On Floor Calendar Senate
  - - Passed Assembly
    - Passed Senate
  - Delivered to Governor
  - Signed By Governor
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Establishes a private student loan refinance task force

January 02, 2019

In Assembly Committee

Sponsored by [Timothy M. Kennedy](#)

Do you support this bill?

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**2019-S2039**

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- Introduced
  - ◦ In Committee Assembly
    - In Committee Senate
  - ◦ On Floor Calendar Assembly
    - On Floor Calendar Senate
  - ◦ Passed Assembly
    - Passed Senate
  - Delivered to Governor
  - Signed By Governor
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Relates to registration fees and continuing education requirements for license renewal

January 18, 2019

Signed by Governor

Sponsored by [James L. Seward](#)

Do you support this bill?

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## 2019-S521A

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- Introduced

- ○ In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
- ○ On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
- ○ Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
- Delivered to Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Designates a portion of the state highway system as the "Justice Thurgood Marshall memorial highway"

January 07, 2019

Signed by Governor

Sponsored by **David Carlucci**

Do you support this bill?

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## 2019-S978

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- Introduced



- ○ In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
- ○ On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
- ○ Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
- Delivered to Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Requires that instruction in the laws relating to handicapped parking be included in the pre-licensing driver's course

January 09, 2019

In Senate Committee [Rules](#)

Sponsored by [Neil D. Breslin](#)

Do you support this bill?

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## 2019-S2377

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- Introduced

- ○ In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
  
- ○ On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
  
- ○ Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
  
- Delivered to Governor
  
- Signed By Governor
  
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Requires the veterans health care information program to provide information concerning health issues to veteran's children; requires the department of corrections and community supervision to maintain records

January 24, 2019

Signed by Governor

Sponsored by **Brad Hoylman-Sigal**

Do you support this bill?

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**2019-S300**

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- Introduced
  - ◦ In Committee Assembly
    - In Committee Senate
  - ◦ On Floor Calendar Assembly
    - On Floor Calendar Senate
  - ◦ Passed Assembly
    - Passed Senate
- Delivered to Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Makes certain technical amendments to the estates, powers and trusts law and the surrogate's court procedure act to reflect the provisions of the marriage equality act

January 03, 2019

Signed by Governor

Sponsored by **Brad Hoylman-Sigal**

Do you support this bill?

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**2019-S2316**

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- Introduced
  - ◦ In Committee Assembly
    - In Committee Senate
  - ◦ On Floor Calendar Assembly
    - On Floor Calendar Senate
  - ◦ Passed Assembly
    - Passed Senate
  - Delivered to Governor
  - Signed By Governor
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Relates to prohibiting state authorizations related to certain offshore oil and natural gas production

January 24, 2019

Senate Floor Calendar

Sponsored by [Todd Kaminsky](#)

Do you support this bill?

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**2019-S2317**

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- Introduced
- - In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
- - On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
- - Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
- Delivered to Governor
- Signed By Governor
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Relates to the taking of menhaden

January 24, 2019

Senate Floor Calendar

Sponsored by **Todd Kaminsky**

Do you support this bill?

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## 2019-S2411

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- Introduced

- ○ In Committee Assembly
  - In Committee Senate
  
- ○ On Floor Calendar Assembly
  - On Floor Calendar Senate
  
- ○ Passed Assembly
  - Passed Senate
  
- Delivered to Governor
  
- Signed By Governor
  
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Relates to reports by the New York state ocean acidification task force and to extending provisions related to such task force

January 24, 2019

Signed by Governor

Sponsored by **John E. Brooks**

Do you support this bill?