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House Chamber, Olympia, JANUARY 11, 2023

The House was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by the Speaker (Representative Orwall presiding).

Reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the third order of business.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Tuesday, January 10, 2023

Mme. Speaker:

The President has signed:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8400
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8401

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Colleen Rust, Deputy Secretary

Tuesday, January 10, 2023

Mme. Speaker:

The President has signed:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4400
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401

and the same are herewith transmitted.

Colleen Rust, Deputy Secretary

There being no objection, the House advanced to the fourth order of business.

INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING

HB 1222 by Representatives Orwall, Simmons, Reeves, Reed, Leavitt, Kloba, Farivar, Doglio, Morgan, Slatter, Ramel, Goodman, Callan, Fosse, Pollet, Lekanoff and Macri

AN ACT Relating to requiring coverage for hearing instruments; amending RCW 48.43.715; and adding a new section to chapter 48.43 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1223 by Representatives McEntire, Dye and Eslick

AN ACT Relating to clarifying that the statutory statewide emissions limits are not to be used for evaluation and government decision making with respect to individual projects or government decisions except where such use is explicitly statutorily authorized; reenacting and amending RCW 70A.45.020; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1224 by Representatives McEntire, Graham, Dye and Eslick

AN ACT Relating to expediting environmental permitting for job-creating investment in Washington; adding a new section to chapter 43.21C RCW; adding a new section to chapter 90.58 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1225 by Representatives Chapman, Tharinger and Lekanoff

AN ACT Relating to permitting for certain department of fish and wildlife hatchery maintenance activities; amending RCW 90.58.355; adding a new section to chapter 90.58 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1226 by Representatives Chapman and Fitzgibbon

AN ACT Relating to providing for recreational licensing of smelt, crawfish, and carp; amending RCW 77.32.010; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1227 by Representatives Reeves, Morgan, Ramel and Fosse

AN ACT Relating to assessing employers for their employees' health care costs paid by the state; reenacting and amending RCW 74.09.053; adding a new section to chapter 49.60 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 74 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 1228 by Representatives Ortiz-Self, Ybarra, Thai, Simmons, Reeves, Reed, Orwall, Ormsby, Taylor, Leavitt, Kloba, Doglio, Berry, Fey, Davis, Ramel, Callan, Bergquist, Fosse, Pollet, Lekanoff, Slatter, Macri, Alvarado, Stonier, Gregerson and Santos

AN ACT Relating to building a multilingual, multiliterate Washington through dual and tribal language education; amending RCW 28A.300.575 and 28A.180.080; reenacting and amending RCW 28A.180.030; adding new sections to chapter 28A.300 RCW; creating new sections; repealing RCW 28A.300.574; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1229 by Representatives Simmons, Gregerson, Macri, Hackney, Goodman, Ryu, Senn, Mena, Fey, Peterson, Ramel, Street, Alvarado, Thai, Reeves, Reed, Ortiz-Self, Ormsby, Duerr, Doglio, Berry, Bateman, Morgan, Callan, Bergquist, Fosse, Pollet, Lekanoff, Slatter, Stonier and Santos

AN ACT Relating to updating processes related to voter registration; amending RCW 29A.08.010, 29A.08.030, 29A.08.110, 29A.08.125, 29A.08.210, 29A.08.220, 29A.08.260, 29A.08.270, 29A.08.330, 29A.08.340, 29A.08.350, 29A.08.355, 29A.08.357, 29A.08.359, 29A.08.362, 29A.08.365, 29A.08.370, 29A.08.615, 46.20.153, 46.20.155, 46.20.156, 46.20.205, 29A.08.625, 29A.08.630, 29A.08.635, 29A.08.710, 29A.08.810, 29A.08.820, 29A.08.835, 29A.08.840, 29A.04.611, 29A.84.110, 29A.04.058, and 29A.08.115; reenacting and

amending RCW 29A.08.320; adding a new section to chapter 29A.08 RCW; repealing RCW 29A.08.375; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 1230 by Representatives Callan, Harris, Thai, Reeves, Senn, Ortiz-Self, Ormsby, Kloba, Duerr, Doglio, Berry, Riccelli, Morgan, Davis, Ramel, Bergquist, Pollet, Tharinger, Peterson, Stonier and Santos

AN ACT Relating to requiring school districts and other public education entities to make information from the department of health about substance use trends, overdose symptoms and response, and the secure storage of prescription drugs, over-the-counter medications, and firearms and ammunition, available through their websites and other communication resources; adding a new section to chapter 28A.320 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28A.310 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70.54 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1231 by Representatives Berg, Chapman, Wylie, Waters, Reed, Volz, Peterson, Taylor, Leavitt, Doglio, Riccelli, Paul, Fey, McEntire, Ramel, Tharinger, Lekanoff, Slatter, Barkis and Stonier

AN ACT Relating to accelerating rural job growth and promoting economic recovery across Washington through site readiness grants; amending RCW 43.160.060; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans.

HB 1232 by Representatives Bergquist, Chambers, Entenman, Slatter, Paul, Ramos, Mena, Street, Riccelli, Pollet, Callan, Hackney, Thai, Reeves, Reed, Ortiz-Self, Kloba, Duerr, Doglio, Morgan, Ramel, Goodman, Tharinger, Lekanoff, Gregerson and Santos

AN ACT Relating to enhancing the college bound scholarship program by increasing opportunities for students to attend community and technical colleges; amending RCW 28B.118.010 and 28B.118.090; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce.

HB 1233 by Representatives Jacobsen, Volz, McEntire, Walsh and Graham

AN ACT Relating to the housing of inmates in state correctional facilities; and adding a new section to chapter 72.09 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1234 by Representatives Goodman, Eslick, Peterson, Leavitt, Fitzgibbon, Bateman, Walen, Stearns and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to the civil forfeiture of animals seized for abuse or neglect; amending RCW 16.52.085; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1235 by Representatives Chapman, Kretz, Tharinger and Lekanoff

AN ACT Relating to modifying miscellaneous provisions impacting department of fish and wildlife licensing

requirements; amending RCW 77.08.010, 77.08.075, 77.32.155, 77.32.470, 77.32.480, 77.32.520, and 79A.80.040; and adding a new section to chapter 77.32 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 1236 by Representatives Hackney, Abbarno, Senn, Reed, Doglio, Ramel and Lekanoff

AN ACT Relating to enhancing access to clean fuel for agencies providing public transportation; and adding a new section to chapter 36.57A RCW.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 1237 by Representatives Robertson and Fey

AN ACT Relating to distribution of the vehicle identification number inspection fee; amending RCW 46.17.130 and 46.68.410; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 1238 by Representatives Riccelli, Harris, Alvarado, Thai, Simmons, Senn, Rude, Reeves, Reed, Walen, Peterson, Ortiz-Self, Ormsby, Taylor, Leavitt, Fitzgibbon, Duerr, Doglio, Berry, Bateman, Morgan, Fey, Ramel, Goodman, Fosse, Pollet, Lekanoff, Macri, Chopp, Stonier, Gregerson and Santos

AN ACT Relating to providing free school meals for all; amending RCW 28A.150.200, 28A.235.250, 28A.235.270, 28A.235.285, 28A.600.290, 28A.150.260, 28A.150.260, and 28A.405.415; reenacting and amending RCW 28A.235.160 and 28A.600.310; adding new sections to chapter 28A.235 RCW; creating a new section; repealing RCW 28A.235.140 and 28A.235.260; providing an effective date; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1239 by Representatives Santos, Kloba, Morgan, Ramel and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to establishing a simple and uniform system for complaints related to, and instituting a code of educator ethics for, conduct within or involving public elementary and secondary schools; amending RCW 9A.16.100; adding a new section to chapter 28A.300 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 43.06B RCW; adding a new section to chapter 28A.400 RCW; creating new sections; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 1240 by Representatives Peterson, Senn, Alvarado, Walen, Street, Springer, Simmons, Reeves, Reed, Ormsby, Kloba, Fitzgibbon, Duerr, Doglio, Berry, Bateman, Fey, Davis, Ramel, Bergquist, Fosse, Pollet, Lekanoff, Macri, Gregerson and Santos

AN ACT Relating to establishing firearms-related safety measures to increase public safety by prohibiting the manufacture, importation, distribution, selling, and offering for sale of assault weapons, and by providing limited exemptions applicable to licensed firearm manufacturers and dealers for purposes of sale to armed forces branches and law enforcement agencies and for purposes of sale or transfer outside the state, and to inheritors; reenacting and amending RCW 9.41.010; adding new sections to chapter 9.41 RCW; creating a new section; prescribing penalties; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 1241 by Representatives Leavitt, Reeves, Reed, Morgan and Bronoske

AN ACT Relating to harassment; amending RCW 9A.46.020, 9A.90.120, and 40.24.030; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 1242 by Representatives Dent, Davis, Ortiz-Self, Doglio, Eslick and Lekanoff

AN ACT Relating to creating a behavioral health work group to study the root causes of rising behavioral health issues in Washington communities; creating a new section; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 1243 by Representatives Dent, Riccelli, Christian and Eslick

AN ACT Relating to municipal airport commissions; and amending RCW 14.08.120.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 1244 by Representatives Ramel, Bergquist, Peterson, Ortiz-Self, Stonier, Lekanoff, Slatter, Hackney, Entenman, Simmons, Senn, Reeves, Reed, Duerr, Doglio, Pollet, Alvarado and Gregerson

AN ACT Relating to increasing the maximum per pupil limit for enrichment levy authority; amending RCW 84.52.0531; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HJR 4201 by Representatives Gregerson, Farivar, Senn, Reeves, Walen, Peterson, Ortiz-Self, Ormsby, Kloba, Berry, Bateman, Riccelli, Fitzgibbon, Lekanoff, Chapman, Slatter, Reed, Alvarado, Pollet, Taylor, Springer, Morgan, Fey, Street, Ramel, Goodman, Bergquist, Bronoske, Fosse, Tharinger, Macri, Chopp, Stonier, Santos and Simmons

Amending the Constitution to address reproductive freedom.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

There being no objection, the bills and resolution listed on the day's introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

The Speaker assumed the chair.

SIGNED BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed the following bills:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8400
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8401

The Speaker called upon Representative Orwall to preside.

SPEAKER'S PRIVILEGE

The Speaker (Representative Orwall presiding) acknowledged Representative Dent's birthday and asked the Chamber to wish him a Happy Birthday.

JOINT SESSION

The Sergeant at Arms, Mr. Andy Staubitz, announced the presence of the House of Representatives at the Chamber door.

The President called upon the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate and the Sergeant at Arms of the House to escort Speaker of the House, Laurie Jinkins, Speaker Pro Tempore Tina Orwall, Majority Caucus Chair Lillian Ortiz-Self, and Minority Caucus Vice Chair Kelly Chambers to the rostrum and members of the House of Representatives to seats within the Chamber.

Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8400, the President called the Joint Session to order. The Secretary called the roll of the members of the House of Representatives. The Secretary called the roll of the members of the Senate. The President declared that a quorum of the Legislature was present.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a special committee consisting of Senators Hasegawa and Boehnke and Representatives Donaghy and Schmidt to escort the Justices of the Supreme Court to the Chamber.

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The President of the Senate appointed a special committee consisting of Senators Randall and Torres and Representatives Rule and Waters to escort the statewide elected officials to the Chamber.

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The President of the Senate appointed a special committee consisting of Senators Dhingra and Padden and Representatives Taylor and Sandlin to escort the Chief Justice, Steven González, to the Chamber.

Sergeant at Arms Andy Staubitz announced the arrival of the Justices of the Supreme Court. The special committee escorted the Justices to seats at the front of the Chamber and they were introduced: Associate Chief Justice Charles Johnson, Justice Barbara Madsen, Justice Susan Owens, Justice Debra Stephens, Justice Sheryl Gordon McCloud, Justice Mary Yu, and Justice Raquel Montoya-Lewis.

Sergeant at Arms Andy Staubitz announced the arrival of the statewide elected officials. The special committee escorted the statewide elected officials to seats at the front of the Chamber and were introduced: Secretary of State Steve Hobbs, Insurance Commissioner Mike Kreidler, State Treasurer Mike Pellicciotti and Commissioner of Public Lands Hilary Franz.

Sergeant at Arms Andy Staubitz announced the arrival of the Honorable Steven González, Chief Justice of the State Supreme Court. The special committee escorted Chief Justice González to the rostrum and was introduced.

The Sergeant at Arms Color Guard consisting of Pages Miss Lucy Clinton and Miss Jessie Dahl, presented the Colors.

The President led the Chamber in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The National Anthem was performed by José Iñiguez of Encanto Arts in Mattawa. Mr. Iñiguez was a guest of Senator Torres.

The prayer was offered by Reverend Amy Johnson, Minister for Sexuality Education & Justice, United Church of Christ National Ministries Church. Federal Way.

The President welcomed and introduced Chief Justice González.

STATE OF THE JUDICIARY

Chief Justice Steven González: "Thank you for the introduction. Thank you to all the members of the Legislature gathered here from both houses. Thank you, President Heck,

Speaker Jinkins, our statewide electeds; Hilary Franz, Mike Pellicciotti, Steve Hobbs. I wanted to also thank our former Chief Justice Gerry Alexander who has joined us and is in the upper gallery. Thank you, sir, for your service. I also want to pause for a moment and thank my wife Michelle, who is here and has been a source of support and what has been what allows me to do this work. Michelle, thank you I love you. Outside of my prepared remarks, we have two sons both college students so the house is much quieter, and I was told that my speech should be bipartisan, and I said, ‘Well no, it’s actually nonpartisan.’ But since they are both at a school here in the state, I’ve worn a necktie that shows my support. I apologize for those who support.

Having two children in college at once I think maybe there is a way that the Treasurer can help me, that our check goes straight to the University of Washington so it’s less painful somehow. Thank you again for being here for the first in-person State of the Judiciary since 2019 when Justice Fairhurst gave those remarks. We miss her very much.

The pandemic has been a challenge for all of us. It challenged the judicial branch to provide equitable access to justice throughout the entire crisis. People in courthouses around the state rose to that challenge, and I thank them from the bottom of my heart. Actually, as I think about it wasn’t from courthouses, sometimes it was from garages and living rooms dressed well at least from the waist up.

The pandemic made clearer than ever the inequities within our justice system. But by making those issues more visible, the pandemic also made them more addressable. Courts and judicial branch partners across the state worked tirelessly at no small risk to themselves, to deliver access to justice to the people of Washington. We have identified and confronted many of the barriers to fair and open system. We need to continue that work, and to do that, we need the legislature’s continued partnership.

Time will not permit me to catalog all the good work that has happened in the last years since we were here. But I want to highlight a few things. The Washington Indian Child Welfare Act passed by this legislature recognizes the painful and unjust history of indigenous children being taken from their families and from their communities. The Act imposes a heightened standard in cases where the state seeks to remove Indian children. Recently, we have expanded court calendars to make sure these cases are heard and decided promptly.

In addition, the pandemic left thousands without jobs, and many have faced eviction as a result of that and health issues. You passed legislation to provide counsel in eviction cases that we have helped to implement. Thank you for doing that work. In addition, the Dispute Resolution Centers and other community partners continue to help resolve through mediation, disputes between landlords and tenants, this lightens our court calendars and helps many people who will remain safe and housed.

I want to recognize some of those who have done the work: Clallam County’s Superior Court Commissioner Brandon Mack who established specialized family court calendars focused on native families and families with infants or toddlers. Pierce County’s Superior Court Commissioner Clint Johnson who worked with local attorneys to craft a highly successful eviction-prevention program with Right to Counsel. The Clark County Volunteer Lawyers Program. They expanded the scope of their work to yet more vulnerable people during the COVID pandemic.

I also want to recognize members of the organization Civil Survival together with Kitsap, Pierce, and Thurston County courts they relieve the burden of unpayable court fines and fees for thousands of people. It was gratifying to see prosecutors and defenders working side-by-side with clerks to accomplish this work, together.

We have adopted new technologies during the pandemic and found ways to keep court doors open, sometimes just virtually. Remote access has made our courts available to more people in the same way that the legislature has become more available for remote public participation. I think it is all to the good. Remote access has relieved the burden of travel from those unable to afford childcare or to take time off from work. It has allowed disabled people better, more inclusive access to justice. We’ve expanded electronic filings and the use of electronic signatures; we launched remote and hybrid trials; we gave remote hearing technology to litigants who didn’t have it, giving them both the option and the

means to appear remotely. Some of these pandemic necessities have been so effective we will adopt rules to make them permanent.

But our work is not done. Deep disparities remain. The Board for Judicial Administration’s Reimagining Our Courts Task Force expanded its work in response to the tragic and avoidable killing of George Floyd in May 2020. Racial justice must be central in how we think about improving access to justice.

For example, powerful research from the Minority and Justice Commission’s Race and Justice Task Force shows what too many already know from lived experience: Court fines and fees criminalize poverty. They have a disparate, inequitable effect on communities of color without improving public safety, and they have for decades.

Our Gender and Justice Commission looked at gender, race, and poverty to show how bias infiltrates courtrooms. It found evidence of many gender-based inequities in the justice system, inequities that intensify when layered with race. Black women, Indigenous women, women of color, transgender women, and gender nonconforming folks all face increased gender bias in our justice system. This hard data reinforces what many already know from lived experience. But these reports give us tangible, actionable data we can point to as we push for change.

Our Interpreter Commission has made great improvements in language access beyond just licensing and regulating interpreters. We are grateful to the legislature for its recent investment in interpreter reimbursements. Thank you.

Therapeutic courts are an increasingly important part of our work. I was pleased to hear the Governor yesterday speak about improving mental health diversion and treatment programs. I also want to thank the Legislature for funding new programs in district and municipal courts. Generally, though, success for all of us is keeping people with mental illness, people without housing, people with drug dependency, and families and children out of court all together. We must do our best to keep kids in school and away from courts. Courts are neither the best nor most efficient place to remedy all of society’s ills, yet we must be there when issues can’t otherwise be resolved. We must have culturally competent courts, able to direct appropriate services. This is essential to protect both those who come to court and the public at large.

There are things we can do. Therapeutic courts decrease recidivism, improve community safety, and help people make life-altering, positive changes. We know this is true. For example, eighty-one percent of King County Drug Court participants — not just graduates — have no new felonies thirty-six months after treatment.

On racial justice, we still have work to do. In June 2020, following the George Floyd uprisings and under the leadership of then Chief Justice Stephens, we issued an open letter drafted initially by Justice Yu that recognized the justice system’s role in perpetuating systemic racism. Judicial branch leaders, from every level of court, rose to the challenge of addressing systemic racism. Many of these leaders are here today, as are members of the Racial Justice Consortium that has moved this work forward.

That Consortium brought together judicial branch partners to develop a plan to address systemic racism in the courts. That group included judges from every court level as well as court clerks, court administrators, attorneys, and community members who have lived the trauma of a racialized justice system, and so have an essential perspective on how to change it.

In addition, we became the first court in the nation to adopt a statewide rule targeting both implicit and explicit racial bias in jury selection. This rule, General Rule 37, strengthens the prohibition against the use of race based peremptory challenges in jury selection, making our juries more diverse and representative of Washington’s diverse communities. The rule also bars both intentional race discrimination and “implicit” race discrimination or bias in jury selection. Our rule has become a national model for change.

The pandemic forced us to engage with each other in new ways. In 2021, our annual Judicial Summit included not just judges and court partners but also leaders from the Legislative and Executive branches. Out of the pandemic, we have forged stronger bonds, and those bonds are necessary to address what lies ahead.

Our state is growing fast. This presents challenges and opportunities for Washington courts. We hope, with your

continued support, Washington's courts can continue to address the complex demands of justice. We appreciate the investments of the Legislature in our branch.

Court funding has always been a challenge in Washington. In territorial times, traveling judges were paid from the fines and fees they themselves collected from litigants. While that is no longer the case, all too much of the funding for our judicial branch IT system still comes from district and municipal court fines and fees. Court fines and fees are disparately imposed on the poorest and most marginalized communities. This needs to change.

Our courts face many challenges. Court security is an increasing concern. People come to court because they are commanded to or because they are there asking for justice and protection of their individual rights. Our democracy depends on people having a safe and fair place to adjudicate their disputes. Courthouses must be safe. As recent events demonstrate, not all of them are.

We have traveled far along the road to justice, but we still have far to go. We need your help to continue our progress.

Thank you to the Legislature for hosting us here today, thank you to the Administrative Office of the Courts, to my colleagues on the Supreme Court, the judges of the Court of Appeals, Superior Courts, and District and Municipal Courts for their work. We have accomplished much, and I look forward to working with all of you to fulfill the promise of equal justice under the law.

Earlier this week, Justice Montoya-Lewis was able to swear in newly-elected members across the way, and I was here swearing in new members of the Senate.

It is the most diverse group we have ever seen. Our Court is now more diverse than it has ever been.

But studies that we have done on group decision making, including deliberations by juries, how that diverse groups make better decisions than homogenous groups do. On every objective measure, except for one.

It takes more time. I expect you might find that too.

But I also expect you might find yourself making good decisions and strong legislation that we'll get to review in due course.

I want to thank you all again for inviting us here, and I hope you can join us if you can for a reception downstairs in the Columbia Room starting immediately after we leave here."

The President thanked Chief Justice González for his remarks.

The President called upon the special committee to escort Chief Justice González from the rostrum and the Chief Justice retired from the Chamber.

The President called upon the special committee to escort the statewide elected officials from the Chamber.

The President called upon the special committee to escort the Justices of the Supreme Court from the Chamber.

MOTION

On the motion of Senator Pedersen, the Joint Session was dissolved.

The Sergeant at Arms of the Senate and the Sergeant at Arms of the House escorted Speaker of the House, Laurie Jenkins, Speaker Pro Tempore Tina Orwall, Majority Caucus Chair Lillian Ortiz-Self, and Minority Caucus Vice Chair Kelly Chambers and members of the House of Representatives from the Senate Chamber.

With the consent of the House, SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8400 and SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8401 were immediately transmitted to the Senate.

There being no objection, the House adjourned until 10:30 a.m., Thursday, January 12, 2023, the 4th Day of the 2023 Regular Session.

LAURIE JINKINS, Speaker

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