

EIGHTIETH DAY**MORNING SESSION**

Senate Chamber, Olympia
Wednesday, March 31, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 9:01 a.m. by the President of the Senate, Lt. Governor Heck presiding. No roll call was taken.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Liias, the reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was approved.

There being no objection, the Senate advanced to the first order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

March 29, 2021

SB 5092 Prime Sponsor, Senator Rolfes: Making 2021-2023 fiscal biennium operating appropriations. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5092 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Carlyle; Conway; Darneille; Dhingra; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Pedersen; Van De Wege and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Gildon; Muzzall; Rivers; Wagoner and Warnick.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senator Mullet.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 29, 2021

E2SHB 1099 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Improving the state's climate response through updates to the state's comprehensive planning framework. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Carlyle; Conway; Darneille; Dhingra; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Pedersen and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senator Mullet.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Gildon; Muzzall; Rivers; Van De Wege;

Wagoner and Warnick.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1137 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Elevating road maintenance and preservation in transportation planning. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

HB 1198 Prime Sponsor, Representative Dent: Concerning the state commercial aviation coordinating commission. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1207 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Improving access to department of licensing issued documents by extending the issuance period of driver licenses and identicards to eight years, allowing online issuance and renewal of instruction permits, and expanding online renewal of driver licenses and identicards. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

EHB 1251 Prime Sponsor, Representative Orcutt: Concerning the authorization of wheeled all-terrain vehicles on state highways. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1269 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation:

Addressing motor vehicle transporter license plates. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Randall and Wilson, C.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Fortunato; Hawkins; Padden; Sheldon and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1301 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Providing expanded options for fare enforcement by regional transit authorities. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1322 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Addressing off-road vehicle and snowmobile registration enforcement. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1379 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Establishing an unpiloted aircraft system state coordinator and program funding source. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

ESHB 1457 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Facilitating the installation of broadband facilities on limited access highways. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SHB 1502 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Concerning the procurement and design of electric ferries by counties. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

ESHB 1529 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Transportation: Modifying requirements in order to pay for debt service obligations when toll revenues are not sufficient to cover legal obligations. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 30, 2021

SGA 9272 HENRIK KROMBEEN, reappointed on January 22, 2021, for the term ending December 26, 2024, as Member of the Board of Pilotage Commissioners. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: That said appointment be confirmed. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Lovelett; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Liias, all measures listed on the Standing Committee report were referred to the committees as designated.

On motion of Senator Liias, the Senate advanced to the third order of business.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS

February 24, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following appointment, subject to your confirmation.

KAREN JOHNSON, appointed March 8, 2021, for the term ending at the governor's pleasure, as a Director of the Washington State Office of Equity.

Sincerely,

JAY INSLEE, Governor

Referred to Committee on State Government & Elections as Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9288.

EIGHTIETH DAY, MARCH 31, 2021

2021 REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following reappointment, subject to your confirmation.

CLAIRE HESSELHOLT, reappointed March 11, 2021, for the term ending February 28, 2027, as Member of the Board of Tax Appeals.

Sincerely,

JAY INSLEE, Governor

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means as Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9289.

March 23, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following appointment, subject to your confirmation.

MACK L. HOGANS, appointed March 29, 2021, for the term ending September 30, 2023, as Member of the State Board for Community and Technical Colleges.

Sincerely,

JAY INSLEE, Governor

Referred to Committee on Higher Education & Workforce Development as Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9290.

March 23, 2021

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following appointment, subject to your confirmation.

PAH-TU PITT, appointed April 2, 2021, for the term ending June 12, 2024, as Member of the Columbia River Gorge Commission.

Sincerely,

JAY INSLEE, Governor

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Water, Natural Resources & Parks as Senate Gubernatorial Appointment No. 9291.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Liias, all appointees listed on the Gubernatorial Appointments report were referred to the committees as designated.

On motion of Senator Liias, the Senate advanced to the fifth order of business.

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

SB 5479 by Senator King

AN ACT Relating to workforce development in the beverage alcohol industry; and amending RCW 66.44.318.

Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Liias, all measures listed on the Introduction and First Reading report were referred to the committees as designated.

On motion of Senator Liias, the Senate advanced to the eighth

order of business.

MOTION

Senator Gildon moved adoption of the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION
8617

By Senators Gildon and Conway

WHEREAS, For 88 years the annual Daffodil Festival has been a cherished tradition for the people of Pierce County; and

WHEREAS, The Daffodil Festival has been an anticipated event that continues to bring communities together to celebrate unity within our diverse community; and

WHEREAS, Since its inception in the 1920s as a modest garden party, it has grown into the festival that we all know and love today and this year celebrates its 88th anniversary; and

WHEREAS, Each year, 23 young women pass through a rigorous selection process to represent their schools as well as Pierce County communities through ambassadorship, community service, and civic pride; and

WHEREAS, Members of the Daffodil Festival royal court serve as role models for youth around our region. Their volunteerism, civic responsibility, and willingness to be ambassadors for Pierce County serve as a light for youth to look up to; and

WHEREAS, This year's Daffodil Festival royal court includes: Angelina Mireles-Mazz, Eatonville High School; Kelsey Monaghan-Bergson, Wilson High School; Haley Isom, Rogers High School; Lucy Dysart, Graham Kapowsin High School; Liberty Tucker, White River High School; Guadalupe Perez-Delores, Sumner High School; Kayala Purdie, Clover Park High School; Roslyn Addy, Franklin Pierce High School; Lura Shultis, Lakes High School; Joie Goninan, Stadium High School; Annabelle Pepin, Curtis High School; Ashley Anita-Barriga, Mount Tahoma High School; Szoj Stevens, Chief Leschi High School; Ava Fritz, Orting High School; Karah Ritter, Fife High School; Katie Rose Abegglen, Puyallup High School; Annie McAuliffe, Washington High School; Brynne Spicer, Bonney Lake High School; Jewlieanna Granberry, Lincoln High School; and Makesha Conzuelo, Foss High School;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington State Senate recognize and honor the many contributions made to our state by the Daffodil Festival, its organizers, and its royal court for the past 88 years; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be immediately transmitted by the Secretary of the Senate to the 2021 Daffodil Festival officers and to the 23 members of the 2019 Daffodil Festival royalty.

Senators Gildon and Conway spoke in favor of adoption of the resolution.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 8617.

The motion by Senator Gildon carried and the resolution was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

At 9:11 a.m., on motion of Senator Liias, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m. Thursday, April 1, 2021.

DENNY HECK, President of the Senate

BRAD HENDRICKSON, Secretary of the Senate

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