

EIGHTEENTH DAY, JANUARY 27, 2022

2022 REGULAR SESSION

EIGHTEENTH DAY**AFTERNOON SESSION**Senate Chamber, Olympia
Thursday, January 27, 2022

The Senate was called to order at 12:30 p.m. by the President of the Senate, Lt. Governor Heck presiding. No roll call was taken.

MOTIONS

Pursuant to Rule 46, on motion of Senator Pedersen, and without objection, the Committee on Law & Justice was granted special leave to meet during the day's floor session.

On motion of Senator Pedersen, 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

January 26, 2022

SB 5555 Prime Sponsor, Senator Van De Wege: Concerning public safety telecommunicators. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5555 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair and Hasegawa.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5584 Prime Sponsor, Senator Trudeau: Increasing representation and voter participation in local elections. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5584 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair and Hasegawa.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5589 Prime Sponsor, Senator Robinson: Concerning statewide spending on primary care. Reported by Committee on Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5589 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Frockt, Vice Chair; Muzzall,

Ranking Member; Cleveland, Chair; Conway; Keiser; Randall; Rivers; Robinson and Van De Wege.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Padden and Sefzik.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SB 5597 Prime Sponsor, Senator Saldaña: Concerning the Washington voting rights act. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5597 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair and Hasegawa.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

January 26, 2022

SB 5606 Prime Sponsor, Senator Mullet: Expanding the use of air conditioning in adult family homes. Reported by Committee on Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5606 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Frockt, Vice Chair; Muzzall, Ranking Member; Cleveland, Chair; Conway; Keiser; Padden; Randall; Rivers; Robinson; Sefzik and Van De Wege.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5610 Prime Sponsor, Senator Frockt: Requiring cost sharing for prescription drugs to be counted against an enrollee's obligation, regardless of source. Reported by Committee on Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5610 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Frockt, Vice Chair; Cleveland, Chair; Conway; Keiser; Randall; Rivers; Robinson and Van De Wege.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Muzzall, Ranking Member; Padden and Sefzik.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SB 5636 Prime Sponsor, Senator Hunt: Concerning secure automatic voter registration. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill

No. 5636 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair and Hasegawa.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

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SB 5649 Prime Sponsor, Senator Robinson: Modifying the Washington state paid family and medical leave act. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5649 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Rivers; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Braun and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5699 Prime Sponsor, Senator Conway: Concerning quality standards for laboratories conducting cannabis analysis. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Rivers; Robinson; Saldaña and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5706 Prime Sponsor, Senator Saldaña: Creating the community reinvestment account and community reinvestment program. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5706 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators King, Ranking Member and Rivers.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Braun and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5749 Prime Sponsor, Senator Trudeau: Concerning rent payments made by residential tenants. Reported by Committee on Housing & Local Government

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill

No. 5749 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Fortunato, Ranking Member; Gildon, Assistant Ranking Member; Kuderer, Chair; Das, Vice Chair; Cleveland; Lovelett; Salomon; Sefzik; Trudeau; Warnick and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SB 5756 Prime Sponsor, Senator Hunt: Establishing the semiquincentennial committee. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5756 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member; Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair; Hasegawa and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SB 5796 Prime Sponsor, Senator Saldaña: Restructuring cannabis revenue appropriations. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5796 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; Rivers; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Braun and Schoesler.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senator King, Ranking Member.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

January 26, 2022

SB 5821 Prime Sponsor, Senator Rivers: Evaluating the state's cardiac and stroke emergency response system. Reported by Committee on Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Frockt, Vice Chair; Muzzall, Ranking Member; Cleveland, Chair; Conway; Keiser; Padden; Randall; Rivers; Robinson; Sefzik and Van De Wege.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

January 25, 2022

SB 5885 Prime Sponsor, Senator Salomon: Concerning marine shoreline habitat. Reported by Committee on Environment, Energy & Technology

MAJORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Lovelett, Vice Chair; Short, Ranking Member; Carlyle, Chair; Brown; Das; Liias; Lovick; Nguyen; Schoesler; Sheldon; Stanford and Wellman.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Water, Natural Resources & Parks.

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SB 5892 Prime Sponsor, Senator Brown: Establishing pilot projects for utilizing high school student nursing assistant-certified programs to address the nursing workforce shortage and promote nursing careers in rural hospitals. Reported by Committee on Health & Long Term Care

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5892 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Frockt, Vice Chair; Muzzall, Ranking Member; Cleveland, Chair; Conway; Padden; Randall; Rivers; Robinson; Sefzik and Van De Wege.

SB 5952 by Senator Carlyle
AN ACT Relating to creating pathways to recovery from addiction by eliminating an obsolete tax preference for the warehousing of opioids and other drugs; amending RCW 82.04.272; adding a new section to chapter 71.24 RCW; creating new sections; and providing an effective date.

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

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SB 5953 by Senator Fortunato
AN ACT Relating to the auction of abandoned vehicles and payment of sales tax; amending RCW 82.04.040; amending 2019 c 357 s 3 (uncodified); reenacting and amending RCW 82.04.050; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

January 26, 2022
SGA 9311 PEDRO ESPINOZA-BRAVO, reappointed on July 1, 2021, for the term ending June 30, 2025, as Member of the Housing Finance Commission. Reported by Committee on Housing & Local Government

SB 5954 by Senators Gildon and Braun
AN ACT Relating to reducing the impacts and incidences of chronic and unsheltered homelessness; amending RCW 43.185C.030, 69.50.4011, 69.50.4013, 10.31.115, and 74.04.660; reenacting and amending RCW 43.185C.060 and 43.185C.190; adding a new section to chapter 43.21A RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.16 RCW; creating new sections; repealing 2021 c 311 ss 15 and 16; repealing 2021 c 311 s 29 (uncodified); prescribing penalties; making appropriations; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Housing & Local Government.

MAJORITY recommendation: That said appointment be confirmed. Signed by Senators Fortunato, Ranking Member; Gildon, Assistant Ranking Member; Kuderer, Chair; Das, Vice Chair; Cleveland; Lovelett; Salomon; Trudeau and Warnick.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

SB 5955 by Senators Stanford and Fortunato
AN ACT Relating to railroad grade crossings; adding a new section to chapter 81.53 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

January 26, 2022
SGA 9324 BRIAN SURRETT, appointed on July 15, 2021, for the term ending June 30, 2025, as Member of the Housing Finance Commission. Reported by Committee on Housing & Local Government

MAJORITY recommendation: That said appointment be confirmed. Signed by Senators Fortunato, Ranking Member; Gildon, Assistant Ranking Member; Kuderer, Chair; Das, Vice Chair; Cleveland; Lovelett; Salomon; Trudeau and Warnick.

SB 5956 by Senator Stanford
AN ACT Relating to insurance data security; adding a new chapter to Title 48 RCW; prescribing penalties; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Business, Financial Services & Trade.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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

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

At 12:32 p.m., on motion of Senator Pedersen, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m. Friday, January 28, 2022.

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

DENNY HECK, President of the Senate

SARAH BANNISTER, Secretary of the Senate

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