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Senate Chamber, Olympia, Thursday, January 25, 2007

The Senate was called to order at 12:00 noon by President Owen. No roll call was taken.

MOTION

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

MOTION

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

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

January 23, 2007

SB 5058  Prime Sponsor, Marr:  Establishing the eastern Washington state veterans' cemetery.  Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass.  Signed by Senators Prentice, Chair; Fraser, Vice Chair, Capital Budget Chair; Pridemore, Vice Chair, Operating Budget; Brandland, Carrell, Fairley, Hatfield, Hewitt, Hobbs, Honeyford, Keiser, Kohl-Welles, Oemig, Parlette, Rasmussen, Regala, Roach, Rockefeller, Schoesler, Tom and Zarelli

Passed to Committee on Rules for second reading.

January 23, 2007

SB 5123  Prime Sponsor, Hobbs:  Protecting persons with veteran or military status from discrimination.  Reported by Committee on Government Operations & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5123 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass.  Signed by Senators Fairley, Chair; Oemig, Vice Chair; Kline, Pridemore, Roach and Swecker

Passed to Committee on Rules for second reading.

January 23, 2007

SB 5193  Prime Sponsor, Brandland:  Authorizing donation of unclaimed personal property to nonprofit charitable organizations.  Reported by Committee on Judiciary

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5193 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass.  Signed by Senators Kline, Chair; Tom, Vice Chair; Carrell, McCaslin, Roach and Weinstein

Passed to Committee on Rules for second reading.

January 24, 2007

SB 5242  Prime Sponsor, Hobbs:  Establishing an internship program for wounded combat veterans.  Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5242 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass.  Signed by Senators Haugen, Chair; Marr, Vice Chair; Murray, Vice Chair; Berkey, Clements, Delvin, Eide, Holmquist, Jacobsen, Kastama, Kauffman, Kilmer, Pflug, Spanel and Swecker

Passed to Committee on Rules for second reading.

January 24, 2007

SB 5280  Prime Sponsor, Jacobsen:  Providing postsecondary education grants for national guard and military families.  Reported by Committee on Higher Education

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5280 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass.  Signed by Senators Shin, Chair; Kilmer, Vice Chair; Berkey, Delvin and Schoesler

Passed to Committee on Rules for second reading.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS

January 23, 2007

SGA 9091  ALLYSON BROOKS,  appointed July 25, 2006, for the term ending at the governor's pleasure, as a Director of the Dept. of Archaeology & Historic Preservation.  Reported by Committee on Government Operations & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: That said appointment be confirmed.  Signed by Senators Fairley, Chair; Oemig, Vice Chair; Kline, Pridemore, Roach and Swecker

Passed to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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

MOTION

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

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

GUBERNATORIAL APPOINTMENTS

January 17, 2007

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.

JEAN-LUC DEVIS, appointed September 25, 2006, for the term ending at the governor's pleasure, as a Director of the Department of Printing.

Sincerely,
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CHRISTINE O. GREGOIRE, Governor

Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Eide, the appointee listed on the Gubernatorial Appointment report was referred to the committee as designated.

MOTION

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

SB 5593 by Senators Fairley, Benton, Haugen, Schoesler, Sheldon, Kline, Swecker, Roach and Rasmussen

AN ACT Relating to the state board for volunteer firefighters and reserve officers; and amending RCW 41.24.250.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5594 by Senators Kastama, Pridemore and Berkey


Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5595 by Senators Holmquist, Hatfield, Honeyford, Shin, Rasmussen, Schoesler, Morton, Roach and Parlette

AN ACT Relating to the excise taxation of persons engaged in farming and farming services; amending RCW 82.04.330; adding a new section to chapter 82.16 RCW; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture & Rural Economic Development.

SB 5596 by Senators Franklin, Benton, Kline, Poulsen, Keiser and Roach

AN ACT Relating to discrimination against chiropractors; adding a new section to chapter 48.43 RCW; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

SB 5597 by Senators Franklin, Benton, Zarelli, Kauffman, Kline, Carrell, Poulsen, Keiser, Kohl-Welles, Delvin and Roach

AN ACT Relating to contracts with chiropractors; adding a new section to chapter 48.43 RCW; creating a new section; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

SB 5598 by Senators Oemig, Prentice, Fairley, Kohl-Welles, Regala, Kastama, Rasmussen and Shin

AN ACT Relating to contracts with chiropractors; adding a new section to chapter 48.43 RCW; creating a new section; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

AN ACT Relating to facilitating the statewide initiative and referendum processes under Article II, section 1 of the state Constitution; amending RCW 29A.32.070, 29A.72.250, and 29A.72.260; adding a new chapter to Title 29A RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5599 by Senators Schoesler, Poulsen and Morton

AN ACT Relating to distributions of tax proceeds from thermal electric generating facilities; and amending RCW 54.28.010 and 54.28.055.

Referred to Committee on Water, Energy & Telecommunications.

SB 5600 by Senators Delvin, Berkey, Stevens, Benton, Swecker, Kastama, Sheldon, Kilmer, Roach and Rasmussen

AN ACT Relating to sales tax exemptions and remittances for nonresidents; and amending RCW 82.08.0273.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

SB 5601 by Senators Oemig, Kline, Roach, Swecker, Rockefeller, Berkey, Kohl-Welles and Parlette

AN ACT Relating to primary election voters' pamphlets; and amending RCW 29A.32.010 and 29A.32.036.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5602 by Senators Roach, Kline and Swecker

AN ACT Relating to presidential primary ballots; and amending RCW 29A.56.040.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5603 by Senators Roach, Fairley and Swecker


Referred to Committee on Government Operations & Elections.

SB 5604 by Senators Roach, Oemig, Hatfield and Swecker

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AN ACT Relating to insurance coverage of pharmacy services; adding new sections to chapter 48.43 RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

AN ACT Relating to the creation of health sciences and services authorities; reenacting and amending RCW 42.56.270; adding a new section to chapter 82.08 RCW; creating a new section; providing an expiration date; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Education.

A new section to chapter 82.08 RCW; and making RCW 43.330 applicable.

AN ACT Relating to establishing a state-run online business training and entrepreneurial curriculum; and making an appropriation.

Referred to Committee on Economic Development, Trade & Management.

AN ACT Relating to investment cost recovery incentives for renewable energy systems; and amending RCW 82.16.110 and 82.16.120.

Referred to Committee on Water, Energy & Telecommunications.

AN ACT Relating to penalties against convicted motor vehicle offenders to pay for chemical dependency and prevention programs; amending RCW 3.50.100, 3.62.020, 3.62.090, 10.82.070, 3.46.120, 3.62.040, and 35.20.220; adding a new section to chapter 46.61 RCW; creating a new section; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

AN ACT Relating to the location endorsement to certain licenses for microbreweries and domestic breweries; amending RCW 66.24.244 and 66.24.240; reenacting and amending RCW 66.24.244 and 66.24.240; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research & Development.

AN ACT Relating to the authority of a watershed management partnership to exercise powers of its forming
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governments; and adding a new section to chapter 39.34
RCW.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary.

SB 5618  by Senators Shin, Clements, Sheldon, Rasmussen, Kilmer and Kastama

AN ACT Relating to assisting manufacturers; amending
RCW 24.50.010; creating a new section; and making
appropriations.

Referred to Committee on Economic Development, Trade &
Management.

SB 5619  by Senators Pflug, Keiser, Parlette, Marr, Weinstein, Fairley, Kastama, Kline and Kohl-Welles

AN ACT Relating to informed consent to health care;
amending RCW 7.70.020, 7.70.040, 7.70.050, and 7.70.060;
creating a new section; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

SB 5620  by Senator Fairley

AN ACT Relating to the civil service commissions for
sheriffs' offices; and amending RCW 41.14.050.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations &
Elections.

SB 5621  by Senators Kastama, Rasmussen, Clements, Hatfield and Shin

AN ACT Relating to the creation of certified capital
companies to promote economic development through
investment in start-up and emerging Washington businesses;
adding a new section to chapter 48.14 RCW; adding a new
chapter to Title 43 RCW; creating a new section; and
declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Economic Development, Trade &
Management.

SB 5622  by Senators Kohl-Welles, Roach, Keiser, Hobbs, Poulsen, Zarrelli, Spanel, Shin, Pridemore, Kline,
Hatfield, Kilmer, Oemig, Hargrove, Murray, McAuliffe and
Rasmussen

AN ACT Relating to collective bargaining for certain
employees of institutions of higher education and related
boards; and amending RCW 41.80.005.

Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce, Research &
Development.

SB 5623  by Senators Carrell, Brandland, Holmquist, Shin and Delvin

AN ACT Relating to providing a salary bonus for teachers
in high market demand subjects; adding a new section to
chapter 28A.405 RCW; making an appropriation; and
providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Early Learning & K-12
Education.

SB 5624  by Senators Kastama, Tom, Fairley, Pflug, Carrell and Kohl-Welles

AN ACT Relating to prohibiting discrimination against
licensed health care providers; and adding a new section to
chapter 48.30 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Health & Long-Term Care.

SB 5625  by Senators Hargrove and Pridemore

AN ACT Relating to contracts for jail services with counties
and cities in adjacent states; and amending RCW 70.48.090.

Referred to Committee on Human Services & Corrections.

SB 5626  by Senators McAuliffe, Hobbs, Eide, Oemig, Weinstein, Clements, Kaufman, Murray and Rasmussen

AN ACT Relating to training for school directors; adding a
new section to chapter 28A.343 RCW; and creating a new
section.

Referred to Committee on Early Learning & K-12
Education.

SB 5627  by Senators McAuliffe, Tom, Hobbs, Eide, Oemig, Kastama, Hobbs, Pridemore, Eide, Franklin, Shin, Regala, Carr, Kline, Kilmer, Murray, Wennick, Hargrove, Rasmussen

AN ACT Relating to basic education funding; creating new
sections; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Early Learning & K-12
Education.

SB 5628  by Senators Oemig, Fairley, Pridemore and Kohl-Welles

AN ACT Relating to electing the president of the United
States by national popular vote; amending RCW 29A.56.320;
adding a new section to chapter 29A.56 RCW; and
providing an contingent effective date.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations &
Elections.

SB 5629  by Senators Oemig, Kilmer and Rockefeller

AN ACT Relating to modifying provisions on the
 canvassing of ballots; amending RCW 29A.60.160 and
29A.60.170; reenacting and amending RCW 29A.60.160;
providing an effective date; and providing an expiration
date.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations &
Elections.

SJR 8217  by Senators Carrell, Kastama, Brandland,
Regala and Stevens

Repealing a conflicting residency requirement for voting in
a presidential election.

Referred to Committee on Government Operations &
Elections.

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

MOTION

At 12:06 p.m., on motion of Senator Eide, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m. Friday, January 26, 2007.

BRAD OWEN, President of the Senate

THOMAS HOEMANN, Secretary of the Senate