FIFTH DAY, MAY 17, 2013

MORNING SESSION

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by the acting President Pro Tempore Senator Schoesler presiding. No roll call was taken.

MOTION

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

MOTION

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

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

May 13, 2013

The Honorable Brad Owen
Lieutenant Governor of Washington
Legislative Building
Olympia, WA 98504

Dear Lieutenant Governor Owen:

We respectfully transmit for your consideration Substitute Senate Bill No. 5077 and Substitute Senate Bill No. 5518 which have been partially vetoed by the Governor, along with his objection to the bill, as required by Article III, Section 12, of the Washington State Constitution.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have signed and affixed the seal of the state of Washington this 13th day of May, 2013.

Seal

KIM WYMAN
Secretary of State

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

April 22, 2013

To the Honorable President and Members,
The Senate of the State of Washington

Ladies and Gentlemen:

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MOTION

On motion of Senator Fain, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5077 and Substitute Senate Bill No. 5518, together with their respective gubernatorial partial veto messages, were held at the desk.

MOTION

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

SB 5936 by Senators Baumgartner and Bailey

AN ACT Relating to a performance and enrollment-based methodology of distributing state appropriations to public institutions of higher education; amending RCW 28B.10.776 and 28B.77.090; creating new sections; repealing RCW 28B.10.778, 28B.10.780, 28B.10.782, 28B.10.784, and 28B.15.101; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

SB 5937 by Senators Baumgartner and Bailey
AN ACT Relating to decreasing resident undergraduate tuition rates by three percent for the 2013-2015 fiscal biennium and limiting future growth of resident undergraduate tuition rates to inflation; and reenacting and amending RCW 28B.15.067 and 28B.15.068.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

SB 5938 by Senator Chase

AN ACT Relating to incorporating state tax expenditures into the state budget process; amending RCW 43.06.400 and 43.88.030; and adding a new section to chapter 43.88 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

MOTION

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

MOTION

At 10:02 a.m., on motion of Senator Fain, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m. Monday, May 20, 2013.

BRAD OWEN, President of the Senate

HUNTER GOODMAN, Secretary of the Senate
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