President Owen: “Every year we are privileged to have the Capital Lakefair Queen welcome us on the opening day of legislative session. I am pleased to introduce this year’s Lakefair Queen Jaclyn Deshaye, who is from Olympia High School, to say a few words. Queen Jaclyn is accompanied today by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Deshaye and 2016 Royalty Chair Ms. Karen Griggs, all of whom are seated in the South Gallery. Welcome. Queen Jaclyn the rostrum is yours.”

With permission of the Senate, business was suspended to allow Queen Jaclyn to address the Senate and welcome the senators to Olympia.

REMARKS BY QUEEN JACLYN DESHAYE

Miss Jaclyn Deshaye: “Good morning, and thank you so much for inviting me here today. My name is Jaclyn Deshaye and I am honored to be representing Olympia High School as the 2017 Lakefair Queen.”

“I have learned so much and gained many experiences this year through the Lakefair organization, but I think the most influential lesson I have learned is how to be a role model. I am so grateful to my school, Olympia High, to have trusted me enough to have sent me as their candidate for the court. I know, through my school’s eyes, my job was to be myself and to keep doing my best. To my peers, I learned that it was now my job to be an example, to be poised and intelligent, and to be proud of who I was. To my fellow court members, I learned that it was my job to perform all the duties we had been assigned and to do them with the elegance and honor that follow the Lakefair organization. Being a role model can be challenging, but I am so grateful to fill that spot in my community’s eyes.”

“You are all role models. The people who voted for you truly believe in you. I urge you to do them proud by representing your community and those who stand behind you in the very best way you can, by being yourself, the person they trusted with their vote.”

“As a part of the Lakefair Court this past year, I have gone on numerous parades, volunteered at numerous events, and attended community meetings where the other court members and I gave our platform speeches. I wrote mine December of 2015, in preparation for trying out to be on the Court. My speech centered on my thoughts regarding goal setting and perseverance. A goal of mine was to be on the Lakefair Court, and with a lot of hard work and a lot of perseverance, I get to stand up here today. I have given the same speech to numerous service clubs and community members, and every time I say it I can see it spark a different meaning in listener’s eyes.”

“What does perseverance mean to you? What are some goals you haven't accomplished yet? As a role model yourself, I hope you keep those questions in mind as you begin this next year’s legislation.”

“Again, thank you for inviting me here today and for what you are doing for our beautiful state. Let’s make 2017 the best year we have seen!”

MOTION

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

APPOINTMENT TO VACANCY
A MOTION making an appointment to fill the vacancy in the position of state senator for the 45th legislative district.

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the position of state senator for the 45th legislative district due to the death of Senator Andy Hill, and

WHEREAS, the 45th legislative district Republican precinct committee officers have met to consider candidates for the position.

WHEREAS, the King County Republican Central Committee has submitted the names of three nominees to fill the vacancy;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED by the Council of King County:

Dino Rossi is hereby appointed to the position of state senator for the 45th legislative district.

Motion 14759 was introduced on 12/5/2016 and passed as amended by the Metropolitan King County Council on 12/5/2016, by the following vote:

Yes: 8 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles and Ms. Balducci; No: 0; Excused: 1 - Mr. Gossett,

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
KING COUNTY, WASHINGTON
J. Joseph McDermott, Chair

LETTER OF RESIGNATION
Washington State Senate
Senator Bruce Dammeier
25th Legislative District
December 9, 2016
Governor Jay Inslee
Office of the Governor
PO Box 40002
Olympia, WA 98504
Re: Resignation from the Washington State Senate effective December 31, 2016

Dear Governor Inslee:

Pierce County recently adopted an amendment to the County Charter prohibiting a county elected official from holding any other elected office during his or her term. As I have been elected to the position of Pierce County Executive, based on the new Charter amendment, I must resign my Senate seat prior to taking office.

It has been a pleasure to serve the people of the 25th legislative district as their State Senator, and I look forward to continuing to serve them in my new capacity.

Pursuant to RCW 42.12.020, please accept my resignation from the Washington State Senate effective Saturday, December 31, 2016.

If you have any questions, or if I may provide any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
Senator Bruce Dammeier
25th Legislative District

EDITOR’S NOTE: Pursuant to Article 2, Section 15, State Constitution, haven been elected in the general election and of the same party, Senator Hans Zeiger, 25th Legislative District, was sworn in January 3rd to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Bruce Dammeier.

LETTER OF RESIGNATION
Washington State Legislature
November 29, 2016
The Honorable Jay Inslee
Office of the Governor
P.O. Box 40002
Olympia, WA 98504-0002

Dear Governor Inslee,

I am submitting to you my notice of resignation as Senator of the 37th Legislative District. The effective date of my resignation will be December 11, 2016.

It has been an honor to serve as a member of the State Legislature. I am looking forward to continuing to represent the great people of Washington State as the Representative from the 7th Congressional District. This will begin in January of 2017.

Sincerely,
Pramila Jayapal
State Senator
37th Legislative District

LETTER OF RESIGNATION
Washington State Senate
Senator Pam Roach
37th Legislative District
November 28, 2016
Governor Jay Inslee
Office of the Governor
PO Box 40002
Olympia, WA 98504
Re: Resignation from the Washington State Senate effective December 31, 2016

Dear Governor Inslee:

Pursuant to RCW 42.12.020, please accept my resignation from the Washington State Senate effective Saturday, December 31, 2016.

If you have any questions, or if I may provide any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
Senator Pam Roach
37th Legislative District
WHEREAS, the candidates must reside in the 31st legislative district and be of the same political party as the legislator whose office is vacated, and
WHEREAS, the Washington State Republican Central Committee has submitted the names of three constitutionally qualified candidates to fill the vacancy created by Senator Roach's resignation;
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT MOVED AND RESOLVED by the Councils of King and Pierce County:
A. Phil Fortunato, one of the three nominees, is hereby appointed to the position of state senator for the 31st legislative district in the Washington state senate and continuing until a successor is elected at the next general election, and has qualified.
B. The clerks of the councils shall provide a copy of this joint motion and resolution to the clerk of the Washington state Senate, the governor of the state of Washington and the chair of the Washington State Republican Central Committee.

PIERCE COUNTY COUNCIL
Pierce County, Washington
Doug Richardson, Chair

KING COUNTY COUNCIL
King County, Washington
J. Joseph McDermott, Chair

LETTER OF RESIGNATION
Washington State Senate
Senator Cyrus Habib
48th Legislative District

January 4th, 2017
The Honorable Jay Inslee
Office of the Governor
PO Box 40002
Olympia, WA 98504-0002

Dear Governor Inslee,
In light of my impending inauguration as Lieutenant Governor, I write to submit my resignation as State Senator from the 48th Legislative District, effective immediately. Please do not hesitate to contact me on this or any other matter.
Sincerely,

Cyrus Habib
Washington State Senator and Lieutenant Governor-elect
Patty Kuderer is hereby appointed to the position of state senator for the 48th legislative district.

Motion 14786 was introduced on 12/12/2016 and passed as amended by the Metropolitan King County Council on 1/5/2017, by the following vote:

Yes: 9 - Mr. von Reichbauer, Mr. Gossett, Ms. Lambert, Mr. Dunn, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Dembowski, Mr. Upthegrove, Ms. Kohl-Welles and Ms. Balducci; No: 0; Excused: 0.

MESSAGES FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

The Honorable President of the Senate
The Legislature of the State of Washington
Olympia, Washington

Mr. President:

I, Kim Wyman, Secretary of State of the state of Washington, do hereby certify that the following is a full, true, and correct list of persons elected to the Office of State Senator, as shown by the official returns of the November 8, 2016 General Election on file in the Office of the Secretary of State. This list contains newly elected as well as returning Senators.

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INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 1433
Initiative Measure No. 1433 concerns labor standards. This measure would increase the state minimum wage to $11.00 in 2017, $11.50 in 2018, $12.00 in 2019, and $13.50 in 2020, require employers to provide paid sick leave, and adopt related laws.

Yes 1,848,583
No 1,370,907

INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 1464
Initiative Measure No. 1464 concerns campaign finance laws and lobbyists. This measure would create a campaign-finance system; allow residents to direct state funds to candidates; repeal the non-resident sales-tax exempt ion; restrict lobbying employment by certain former public employees; and add enforcement requirements.

Yes 1,415,798

INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 1501
Initiative Measure No. 1501 concerns seniors and vulnerable individuals. This measure would increase the penalties for criminal identity theft and civil consumer fraud targeted at seniors or vulnerable individuals; and exempt certain information of vulnerable individuals and in-home caregivers from public disclosure.

Yes 2,247,906
No 934,365

INITIATIVE MEASURE NO. 732
Initiative Measure No. 732 concerns taxes. This measure would impose a carbon emission tax on certain fossil fuels and fossil-fuel-generated electricity, reduce the sales tax by one percentage point and increase a low-income exemption, and reduce certain manufacturing taxes.

Yes 1,265,123
No 1,839,414

Advisory Vote No. 14
House Bill 2768
The legislature extended, without a vote of the people, the insurance premium tax to some insurance for stand-alone family dental plans, costing an indeterminate amount in the first ten years, for government spending.

Repealed 2,038,321
Maintained 909,701

Advisory Vote No. 15
Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill 2778
The legislature imposed, without a vote of the people, certain limitations on the retail sales and use tax exemptions for clean alternative-fuel vehicles, costing $2,000,000 in the first ten years, for government spending.

Repealed 1,754,489
Maintained 1,174,345

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8210
The legislature has proposed a constitutional amendment on the deadline for completing state legislative and congressional redistricting. This amendment would require the state redistricting commission to complete redistricting for state

EDITOR’S NOTE:  Senator Rossi appointed to fill the vacancy created by the passing of Senator Andy Hill, 45th Legislative District.
legislative and congressional districts by November 15 of each
year ending in a one, 46 days earlier than currently required.

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<td>Amanda Richards (Prefers Independent GOP Party) 19,900</td>
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<td>Norm Johnson (Prefers Republican Party) 35,787</td>
<td>Susan Soto Palmer (Prefers Democratic Party) 18,393</td>
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<td>Gina McCabe (Prefers Republican Party) 36,848</td>
<td>John (Eric) Adams (Prefers Democratic Party) 16,914</td>
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<td>William “Bill” Jenkin (Prefers Republican Party) 29,812</td>
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<td>Gary Downing (Prefers Democratic Party) 15,507</td>
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<td>Ed Orcutt (Prefers Republican Party) 49,195</td>
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Drew Stokesbary (Prefers Republican Party) 42,776
John Frostad (Prefers Libertarian Party) 16,976

Legislative District 31 State Representative Position 2
Phil Fortunato (Prefers Republican Party) 36,000
Lane Walthers (Prefers Independent Dem. Party) 26,364

Legislative District 32 State Representative Position 1
Cindy Ryu (Prefers Democratic Party) 50,061
Alvin Rutledge (Prefers Republican Party) 15,950

Legislative District 32 State Representative Position 2
Ruth Kagi (Prefers Democratic Party) 47,908
David D. Schirle (Prefers Republican Party) 18,115

Legislative District 35 State Representative Position 1
Dan Griffey (Prefers Republican Party) 36,235
Irene Bowling (Prefers Independent Dem. Party) 29,658

Legislative District 35 State Representative Position 2
Drew C. MacEwen (Prefers Republican Party) 35,384
Craig Patti (Prefers Independent Dem. Party) 29,888

Legislative District 39 State Senator
Kirk Pearson (Prefers Republican Party) 50,942

Legislative District 39 State Representative Position 1
Dan Kristiansen (Prefers Republican Party) 37,503
Linda M. Wright (Prefers Democratic Party) 23,306

Legislative District 39 State Representative Position 2
John Koster (Prefers Republican Party) 37,250
Ronda Metcalf (Prefers Democratic Party) 23,854

Legislative District 40 State Senator
Kevin Ranker (Prefers Democratic Party) 47,108
Daniel R. Miller (Prefers Republican Party) 23,081

Legislative District 40 State Representative Position 1
Kristine Lytton (Prefers Democratic Party) 53,429

Legislative District 40 State Representative Position 2
Jeff Morris (Prefers Democratic Party) 52,376

Supreme Court Justice Position 1
Mary Yu Nonpartisan 1,577,495
David DeWolf Nonpartisan 1,174,263

Supreme Court Justice Position 5
Barbara Madsen Nonpartisan 1,679,786
Greg Zempel Nonpartisan 1,031,698

Supreme Court Justice Position 6
Charles (Charlie) Wiggins Nonpartisan 1,535,554
Dave Larson Nonpartisan 1,135,285

Court of Appeals, Division 2, District 3 Judge Position 2
Jill M. Johanson Nonpartisan 211,205

Court of Appeals, Division 3, District 2 Judge Position 1
George Fearing Nonpartisan 86,411
Patrick McBurmy Nonpartisan 74,813

Court of Appeals, Division 3, District 3 Judge Position 1
Rebecca Pennell Nonpartisan 106,059

Asotin, Columbia, Garfield Superior Court Judge Position 1
Scott D. Gallina Nonpartisan 10,406

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 1
Bruce A. Spanner Nonpartisan 75,587

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 2
Joe Burrowes Nonpartisan 48,499
Sam Swanberg Nonpartisan 43,603

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 3
Alexander Carl Nonpartisan 49,528
Ekstrom Nonpartisan 41,433

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 4
Cameron Mitchell Nonpartisan 78,206

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 5
Vic L. VanderSchoor Nonpartisan 75,928

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 6
Carrie Runge Nonpartisan 75,210

Benton, Franklin Superior Court Judge Position 7
Jackie Shea Brown Nonpartisan 75,697

Ferry, Pend Oreille, Stevens Superior Court Judge Position 1
Patrick A. Monasmith Nonpartisan 21,247
C. Olivia Irwin Nonpartisan 7,477

Ferry, Pend Oreille, Stevens Superior Court Judge Position 2
Jessica (Taylor) Reeves Nonpartisan 17,459
Terry L. Williams Nonpartisan 11,324

Klickitat, Skamania Superior Court Judge Position 1
Randall Krog Nonpartisan 10,035

Pacific, Wahkiakum Superior Court Judge Position 1
Douglas E. Goelz Nonpartisan 5,743
Michael S. Turner Nonpartisan 5,666

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the State of Washington on this 7th day of December 2016, at Olympia, the State Capital.

SEAL /s/ Kim Wyman
Secretary of State

The Secretary called the roll of the following holdover members of the Senate and all were present: Senators Angel, Baumgartner, Brown, Chase, Conway, Dansel, Erickson, Fain, Frockt, Hobbs, Honeyford, Keiser, Lias, McCoy, Miloscia, Nelson, Pedersen, Sheldon and Warnick.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Padden and Hunt to escort The Honorable Mary Fairhurst, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Washington, to the rostrum.
FIRST DAY, JANUARY 9, 2017

The President welcomed and introduced the Honorable Mary Fairhurst, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Washington, who was present to administer the oath of office to the newly elected Senators.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Zeiger and Van De Wege to escort the The Honorable Kim Wyman, Secretary of State, to the rostrum.

The President welcomed and introduced Secretary of State Kim Wyman who was present to deliver the certificates of election.

The Secretary called the roll of the following newly re-elected members of the Senate and all were present: Senators Bailey, Becker, Billig, Braun, Cleveland, Darmie, Hasegawa, King, Mullet, O’Ban, Padden, Pearson, Ranker, Rivers, Rolfes and Schoesler.

The Sergeant at Arms, Mr. Andrew Staubitz, escorted each of the newly re-elected members of the Senate to the rostrum of the Senate to receive their oath of office.

Chief Justice Fairhurst thereupon administered the oath of office to each of the newly elected senators.

The Secretary of State presented each of the newly re-elected senators a certificate of election.

The Sergeant at Arms escorted each of the newly re-elected senators to their seat on the floor of the Senate.

The Secretary called the roll of the following newly elected members and all were present: Senators Carlyle, Hawkins, Hunt, Mc Coy, Mullet, Nelson, O’Ban, Padden, Palumbo, Pearson, Pedersen, Ranker, Rivers, Rolfes, Rossi, Saldaña, Schoesler, Sheldon, Takko, Van De Wege, Walsh, Warnick, Wellman, Wilson and Zeiger.

The Sergeant at Arms escorted each of the newly elected members of the Senate to the rostrum of the Senate to receive their oath of office.

Chief Justice Mary Fairhurst thereupon administered the oath of office to each of the newly elected senators.

The Secretary of State presented each of the newly elected senators a certificate of election.

The Sergeant at Arms escorted each of the newly elected senators to their seat on the floor of the Senate.

The President announced the newly appointed members: Senators Fortunato, Kuderer, Rossi and Saldaña.

The Sergeant at Arms escorted each of the newly appointed members of the Senate to the rostrum of the Senate to receive their oath of office.

Chief Justice Fairhurst thereupon administered the oath of office to each of the newly appointed senators.

The Secretary of State presented each of the newly appointed senators a certificate of appointment.

The Sergeant at Arms escorted each of the newly appointed senators to their seat on the floor of the Senate.

The President declared the nominations for the Office of President Pro Tempore of the Senate to be open.

REMARKS BY SENATOR HONEYFORD

Senator Honeyford: “It is my privilege to serve with Senator Sheldon both in the House and in the Senate. During all that time I have found him to be an honorable and principled man so I am pleased to second this nomination.”

On motion of Senator Fain, the nominations for the office of President Pro Tempore of the Senate were closed.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the election for the office of President Pro Tempore.

The Secretary called the roll for the office of President Pro Tempore and Senator Sheldon was elected President Pro Tempore of the Senate by the following vote: Sheldon, 49.


APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Kuderer and Walsh to escort the newly elected President Pro Tempore to the rostrum.

Chief Justice Mary Fairhurst thereupon administered the oath of office to Senator Sheldon.

Senator Sheldon returned to his seat on the floor of the Senate.

ELECTION OF VICE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The President declared the nominations for the Office of Vice President Pro Tempore of the Senate to be open.

REMARKS BY SENATOR BECKER

Senator Becker: “Thank you, Mr. President. I proudly nominate a dear friend of mine my colleague from the 15th Legislative District, that is Senator Jim “Honeybear” Honeyford. You know his qualifications are many he served in the House and he’s served in the House but he’s been here for 19 years and he’s led the Capital Budget meetings and committees for a number of years now and he is a wonderful person and I would totally support his position. Thank you.”

REMARKS BY SENATOR FROCKT

Senator Frockt: “Thank you, Mr. President. I, too, would like to support the nomination of Senator Honeyford in recognition of his distinguished service to the people of his district and his long service to the people of our state through his time in the state Senate. I look forward to his time as Vice President Pro Tempore and also I look forward, on a personal note, to working with him on the capital budget. Thank you Mr. President.”
On motion of Senator Fain, the nominations for the office of Vice President Pro Tempore of the Senate were closed.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the election for the office of Vice President Pro Tempore.

The Secretary called the roll for the office of Vice President Pro Tempore and Senator Honeyford was elected Vice President Pro Tempore of the Senate by the following vote: Honeyford, 49.


APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Conway and Wilson to escort the newly elected Vice President Pro Tempore to the rostrum.

Chief Justice Mary Fairhurst thereupon administered the oath of office to Senator Honeyford.

Senator Honeyford returned to his seat on the floor of the Senate.

ELECTION OF SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

The President declared the nominations for the office of Secretary of the Senate to be open.

REMARKS BY SENATOR FAIN

Senator Fain: “Thank you Mr. President. It is with great pleasure that I bring this name forward today. This is a very important job running the administration of this chamber in a nonpartisan way, that is fair to both the majority and the minority. I believe that Hunter Goodman has done an exemplary job of caring about each and every member of this floor no matter of their party identity. Again, it is with great honor that I recommend him to the chamber.”

REMARKS BY SENATOR ROLFES

Senator Rolfes: “Thank you Mr. President. Hunter Goodman has been serving and we find him to be fair and honorable and very hard working and it is my honor to nominate him.”

MOTION

On motion of Senator Fain, the nominations for the office of Secretary of the Senate were closed.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the election for the office of Secretary of the Senate.

The Secretary called the roll for the office of Secretary of the Senate and Hunter Graham Goodman was elected Secretary of the Senate by the following vote: Goodman, 49.


APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Fain and Rolfes to escort Mr. Goodman to the rostrum.

Chief Justice Mary Fairhurst thereupon administered the oath of office to Mr. Hunter G. Goodman.

The Secretary of the Senate returned to his seat at the rostrum.

The President thanked Chief Justice Mary Fairhurst and Secretary of State Kim Wyman for their participation in the day’s ceremonies.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Padden and Hunt to escort Chief Justice Mary Fairhurst from the Senate Chamber.

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

The President of the Senate appointed a committee of honor consisting of Senators Zeiger and Van De Wege to escort Secretary of State Kim Wyman from the Senate Chamber.

MOTION

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

MOTION

Senator Fain moved adoption of the following resolution:

By Senators Schoesler and Nelson

BE IT RESOLVED, That a committee consisting of two members of the Senate be appointed by the President of the Senate to notify the Governor that the Senate is organized and ready to conduct business.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 8600.

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

APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE

In accordance with Senate Resolution No. 8600, the President appointed Senators Hawkins and Palumbo to notify the Governor that the Senate is organized and ready to conduct business.

On motion of Senator Fain, the proposed standing committee assignments were adopted:
Agriculture, Water, Trade & Economic Development  
Warnick, Chair  
Hawkins, Vice Chair  
Chase, Ranking Minority Member  
Wellman, Assistant Ranking Minority Member  
Brown  
Dansel  
Honeyford  
McCoy  
Pearson  
Takko  
Van De Wege  

Commerce, Labor & Sports  
Baumgartner, Chair;  
Braun, Vice Chair;  
Keiser; Ranking Minority Member  
Conway  
Hasegawa  
King  
Rossi  
Saldaña  
Wilson  

Early Learning & K-12 Education  
Zeiger, Chair  
Fain, Vice Chair  
Rolfes, Ranking Minority Member  
Billig  
Mullet  
Rivers  
Warnick  

Energy, Environment & Telecommunications  
Ericksen, Chair  
Sheldon, Vice Chair  
Carlyle, Ranking Minority Member  
Brown  
Dansel  
Hobbs  
Honeyford  
Ranker  
Wellman  

Financial Institutions & Insurance  
Angel, Chair  
Ericksen, Vice Chair  
Mullet, Ranking Minority Member  
Fain  
Fortunato  
Hobbs  
Kuderer  

Health Care  
Rivers, Chair  
Becker, Vice Chair  
Cleveland, Ranking Minority Member  
Kuderer, Assistant Ranking Minority Member  
Bailey  
Baumgartner  
Conway  
Fain  

Keiser  
Miloscia  
Mullet  
O'Ban  
Walsh  

Higher Education  
Wilson, Chair  
Bailey, Vice Chair  
Palumbo, Ranking Minority Member  
Baumgartner  
Frockt  

Human Services, Mental Health & Housing  
O'Ban, Chair  
Miloscia, Vice Chair  
Darneille, Ranking Minority Member  
Carlyle  
Hunt  
Padden  
Walsh  

Law and Justice  
Padden, Chair  
O'Ban, Vice Chair  
Pedersen, Ranking Minority Member  
Angel  
Darneille  
Frockt  
Wilson  

Local Government  
Dansel, Chair  
Angel, Vice Chair  
Takko, Ranking Minority Member  
Angel  
Palumbo  
Sheldon  

Natural Resources & Parks  
Pearson, Chair  
Hawkins, Vice Chair  
Van De Wege, Ranking Minority Member  
Fortunato  
McCoy  

Rules  
Lieutenant Governor, Chair  
Bailey  
Becker  
Billig  
Braun  
Chase  
Cleveland  
Ericksen  
Fain  
Hasegawa  
Honeyford  
King  
Liias  
McCoy  
Miloscia  
Nelson  
O'Ban  
Pearson
On motion of Senator Fain, the Senate reverted to the fourth order of business.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE
January 9, 2017

MR. PRESIDENT:
The House has adopted:  
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401, and the same is herewith transmitted.

BERNARD DEAN, Chief Clerk
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produce sixty thousand gallons or less of spirits per year; reenacting and amending RCW 66.24.371; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Commerce, Labor & Sports.

SB 5007 by Senators Angel and Mullet
AN ACT Relating to surplus line broker licensing; and amending RCW 48.15.070 and 48.15.073.

Referred to Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance.

SB 5008 by Senators King, Hunt, Sheldon, Hobbs, Mullet and Warnick
AN ACT Relating to facilitating compliance with the federal REAL ID act by modifying driver's license and identicard design and fees; amending RCW 46.20.202; adding a new section to chapter 46.20 RCW; and repealing RCW 43.41.390 and 46.20.191.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

SB 5009 by Senators Ericksen and Sheldon
AN ACT Relating to offenses involving economic disruption; amending RCW 9.94A.753; adding a new section to chapter 9A.84 RCW; creating new sections; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Law & Justice.

SB 5010 by Senator Warnick
AN ACT Relating to promoting water conservation by protecting certain water rights from relinquishment; amending RCW 90.14.140 and 90.14.140; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Water, Trade & Economic Development.

SB 5011 by Senators Pedersen, Padden, Frockt, Fain and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to the business corporation act; amending RCW 23B.12.010, 23B.12.020, 23B.07.050, 23B.13.020, 23B.07.300, 23B.07.320, 23B.11.040, and 23B.19.020; reenacting and amending RCW 23B.01.400; adding a new section to chapter 23B.02 RCW; and adding a new chapter to Title 23B RCW.

Referred to Committee on Law & Justice.

SB 5012 by Senators Pedersen, Padden, Frockt, Fain, Mullet and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to the distribution of a Washington trust's assets to another trust; and adding a new chapter to Title 11 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Law & Justice.

SB 5013 by Senators Warnick and Hobbs
AN ACT Relating to the disposition of tenant property placed upon the nearest public property; and amending RCW 59.18.312.

Referred to Committee on Law & Justice.

Referred to Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance.

SB 5014 by Senators Pearson, Hobbs and Chase
AN ACT Relating to calculating the benchmark rate for certain community residential services; and adding a new section to chapter 71A.12 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Health Care.

SB 5015 by Senators Warnick and Hobbs
AN ACT Relating to unlawful detainer actions for at-will tenancies; and adding a new section to chapter 59.12 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Financial Institutions & Insurance.

SB 5016 by Senators Hobbs, Rivers and Warnick
AN ACT Relating to deficiency claims after auction of a private property vehicle impound; and amending RCW 46.55.140.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

SB 5017 by Senators Bailey, Wilson and Conway
AN ACT Relating to providing student loan information to students; and adding a new section to chapter 28B.92 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

SB 5018 by Senators Hasegawa and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to authorizing wheelchair accessible taxicabs access to high occupancy vehicle lanes; and amending RCW 46.61.165 and 47.52.025.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

SB 5019 by Senators Hasegawa, Palumbo, Hunt, Keiser, Pedersen, Conway, Wellman, Rolfs and Frockt
AN ACT Relating to prepaid postage for primary and general election ballots; amending RCW 29A.04.420 and 29A.40.091; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

SB 5020 by Senators Hasegawa, Hunt, Keiser and Chase
AN ACT Relating to certain state ethnic and cultural diversity commissions; amending RCW 43.113.030 and 43.117.070; and repealing RCW 43.131.342.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

SB 5021 by Senators O'Ban, Frockt, Schoesler, Darnelle, Nelson, Pearson, Rolfs, Conway, Sheldon, Fortunato, Fain, Hasegawa and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to pro bono legal services for military service members, veterans, and their families; and adding new sections to chapter 43.10 RCW.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

SB 5022 by Senators Bailey, Rolfs, Liias, Keiser, Conway, Wellman, Hasegawa, Mullet, Frockt and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to providing information to students about education loans; adding a new section to chapter 28B.10 RCW; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education.

SB 5023 by Senators Wellman, Rolfs, Nelson, McCoy, Carlyle, Frockt, Palumbo, Liias, Billig, Hunt, Keiser, Pedersen, Conway, Saldaña, Darneille, Hasegawa, Chase, Mullet and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to delaying implementation of revisions to the school levy lid; amending RCW 84.52.0531; amending 2013 c 242 s 10, 2012 1st sp.s. c 10 s 10, 2010 c 237 ss 9, 8, and 10, and 2016 c 202 s 56 (uncodified); reenacting and amending RCW 84.52.0531; creating a new section; providing effective dates; and providing expiration dates.

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

SB 5024 by Senators McCoy, Hasegawa, Chase, Liias, Rolfs, Cleveland, Wellman, Frockt, Pedersen, Keiser and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to groundwater supply availability in areas with ground and surface water interaction; amending RCW 19.27.097, 58.17.110, and 90.42.110; adding a new section to chapter 36.70 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 90.44 RCW; creating new sections; making appropriations; providing an expiration date; and declaring an emergency.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Water, Trade & Economic Development.

SB 5025 by Senators Miloscia, Walsh, O’Ban, Darneille, Cleveland, King, Keiser, Pedersen, Frockt, Liias, Hunt, Chase and Kuderer
AN ACT Relating to protecting youth from tobacco products and vapor products by increasing the minimum legal age of sale of tobacco and vapor products; amending RCW 26.28.080, 70.155.005, 70.155.010, 70.345.010, 70.155.020, 70.345.070, 70.345.100, 70.155.030, 70.345.160, 70.155.110, and 70.155.120; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care.

SJM 8000 by Senators Takko, Nelson, Billig, Conway, Hunt, Ranker, Frockt, Rolfs, Wellman, Hobbs, Van De Wege, Palumbo, Keiser, Darneille, Rivers, Miloscia and Kuderer
Asking congress to call a limited convention, authorized under Article V of the United States Constitution, for the purpose of proposing a free and fair elections amendment to that Constitution.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

SJM 8001 by Senators Hasegawa, Hunt and Keiser
Calling on Congress to exercise its authority under Article V of the United States Constitution to regulate money spent on elections.

Referred to Committee on State Government.

SJR 8200 by Senator Baumgartner
Amending the Constitution to provide for a system of publicly funded schools.

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

SUPPLEMENTAL INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

SCR 8400 by Senators Schoesler and Nelson
Establishing cutoff dates for the consideration of legislation during the 2017 regular session of the sixty-fifth legislature.

HCR 4401 by Representatives Sullivan, Kretz and Sawyer
Calling a Joint Session of the Legislature.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Fain, all measures listed on the Introduction and First Reading report were referred to the committees as designated with the exception of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8400 and House Concurrent Resolution No. 4401, which were placed on the day’s second reading calendar.

MOTION

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

SECOND READING

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8400, by Senators Schoesler and Nelson
Establishing cutoff dates for the consideration of legislation during the 2017 regular session of the sixty-fifth legislature.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Fain, the rules were suspended, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8400 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8400.

Senator Fain spoke in favor of adoption of the resolution.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8400 having received a majority was adopted by voice vote.

SECOND READING

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401, by Representatives Sullivan, Kretz and Sawyer
Calling a Joint Session of the Legislature.

The measure was read the second time.

MOTION
On motion of Senator Fain, the rules were suspended, House Concurrent Resolution No. 4401 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of House Concurrent Resolution No. 4401.

Senator Fain spoke in favor of adoption of the resolution.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4401 having received a majority was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

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

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

The Honorable President of the Senate
Legislature of the State of Washington
Olympia, Washington 98504

MR. PRESIDENT:

I respectfully transmit for your consideration the following measures which were vetoed by the Governor, along with his objections to the bills, as required by Article III, section 12, of the Washington State Constitution:

SSB 6117 Relating to notice against trespass.
ESB 6166 Relating to allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of certain capital investment projects to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act.
SSB 6329 Relating to creating the parent to parent program for individuals with developmental disabilities.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the state of Washington, this 5th day of April, 2016.

/s/KIM WYMAN, Secretary of State
(Seal)

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
VETO ON SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6117

April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Substitute Senate Bill No. 6117 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to notice against trespass."

I don't believe this bill is necessary to achieve the ends it hopes to accomplish and encourage the stakeholders work together to develop other alternatives.

For these reasons I have vetoed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6117 in its entirety.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
VETO ON ENGROSSED SENATE BILL No. 6166

April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Engrossed Senate Bill No. 6166 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to allowing incremental electricity produced as a result of certain capital investment projects to qualify as an eligible renewable resource under the energy independence act."

This bill would allow electricity produced by new capital investments in older biomass facilities to be fully eligible as renewable energy under Initiative 937, the Energy Independence Act.

I appreciate the intent of this bill to encourage owners to make capital improvements that increase the efficiency and use of renewable energy at older biomass facilities. However, the bill would undermine investments in renewable energy previously made by others.

I remain open to changes in our renewable energy standards that encourage new investments and new technologies, without displacing current investments.

For these reasons I have vetoed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 6166 in its entirety

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
VETO ON SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6329

April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval, Substitute Senate Bill No. 6329 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to creating the parent to parent program for individuals with developmental disabilities."

I fully support the intent of this legislation, including the establishment of this program in state statute and provision of certain activities through a contracted agency, dependent on funding provided for that purpose. However, this bill is identical in its substantive provisions with the House companion bill, House Bill 2394, creating the parent to parent program for individuals with developmental disabilities. I have previously signed House Bill 2394 into law, thereby making the provisions of this bill duplicative and unnecessary.

For these reasons I have vetoed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6329 in its entirety

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

The Honorable President of the Senate
Legislature of the State of Washington
Olympia, Washington 98504

MR. PRESIDENT:
We respectfully transmit for your consideration the following bill which was partially vetoed by the Governor, together with the official veto message setting forth his objections to the sections or items of the bill, as required by Article III, section 12, of the Washington State Constitution:

Substitute Senate Bill 5778

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the state of Washington, this 1st day of April, 2016.

/s/KIM WYMAN, Secretary of State
(Seal)

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
PARTIAL VETO OF SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 5778

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Section 7, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5778 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to ambulatory surgical facilities."
Section 7 is a fiscal null and void clause, but this bill does not have a fiscal impact. Therefore the clause is not necessary.
For these reasons I have vetoed Section 7 of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5778. With the exception of section 7, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5778 is approved.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
PARTIAL VETO OF ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6242

April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Section 3, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6242 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to the indeterminate sentence review board."

I am vetoing the emergency clause provision in this bill. To properly implement this legislation, the Indeterminate Sentence Review Board (ISRB) needs time to hire and train additional staff, update and create new forms, and notify offenders of the bill requirements. I expect that during this implementation process, the ISRB will continue to work closely with prosecutors and victims to improve transparency and notification.
For these reasons I have vetoed Section 3 of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6242. With the exception of Section 3, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6242 is approved.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
PARTIAL VETO OF ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6248

April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Section 3, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6248 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to risk mitigation plans to promote the transition of eligible coal units."

Section 3 of the bill prohibits the Utilities and Transportation Commission (UTC) from authorizing the use of retirement account funds if the electrical company proposes a closure or retirement date before December 31, 2022, subject to certain exceptions. This section inappropriately changes the long-standing definition of how the commission determines whether utility investment and expenses are prudent. It unnecessarily interferes with the market and with UTC's role in determining how best to protect the ratepayers of Washington-owned utilities.
For these reasons I have vetoed Section 3 of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6248. With the exception of Section 3, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6248 is approved.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
PARTIAL VETO OF SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6523

April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Section 1, Substitute Senate Bill No. 6523 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to service credit for pension purposes for certain emergency medical services employees."

The first section of this bill is not necessary for the implementation of the bill, and it raises facts that are inconsistent with the remainder of the bill. This may cause confusion and make the statute less clear.
For these reasons I have vetoed Section 1 of Substitute Senate Bill No. 6523.
With the exception of Section 1, Substitute Senate Bill No. 6523 is approved. Respectfully submitted, 
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
PARTIAL VETO OF ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6528
April 1, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Section 1, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6528 entitled:
"AN ACT Relating to promoting economic development through protection of information technology resources."

Section 1 is an intent section that is not necessary for the policy implementation of the bill. It does, however, contain language that may create unintended liability for the state.

For these reasons I have vetoed Section 1 of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6528.

With the exception of Section 1, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6528 is approved. Respectfully submitted, 
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE
The Honorable President of the Senate
Legislature of the State of Washington
Olympia, Washington 98504

MR. PRESIDENT:
We respectfully transmit for your consideration the following bill which was partially vetoed by the Governor, together with the official veto message setting forth his objections to the sections or items of the bill, as required by Article III, section 12, of the Washington State Constitution:

Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6656

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the state of Washington, this 21st day of April, 2016. 
/s/KIM WYMAN, Secretary of State (Seal)

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR
PARTIAL VETO OF ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL No. 6656
April 19, 2016

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, without my approval as to Sections 2, 7, 9, and 12, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6656 entitled: 
"AN ACT Relating to the reform of practices at state hospitals." Section 2 refers to the creation of a transition plan for changing the current financing structure for civil bed utilization. While I agree a transition plan is needed, I would prefer to use the consultant’s recommendations to inform the development of the plan. The consultant is funded in the Office of Financial Management’s (OFM) budget. I will charge OFM to work with the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) and the consultant to address the requirements of this section and report back to me and the Select Committee on Quality Improvement in State Hospitals by November 2016.

Section 7 creates rules for how funds from the Governor’s Behavioral Health Innovation Fund can be used. While I agree with many of the categories for funding, I am concerned that funding cannot be used for compensation increases for hospital personnel, a critical tool in increasing staffing at the state hospitals. As a result, I have vetoed Section 7.

Section 9 requires DSHS to assure that several policies are implemented, subject to the availability of funding. This section is effective in July of 2016. While I agree with many of the policies stipulated in the bill, this section requires implementation of policies that have not had the full benefit of the recommendations made by the consultants called for in section 5. In addition, provisions that require a plan to use all the funding appropriated for Enhanced Services Facilities is duplicative of the requirements of Section 11. For these reasons, I have vetoed Section 9.

Section 12 requires the Office of Financial Management to create a job class for Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioner (ARNP) and Physician Assistants (PA) to allow them to work at the top of their practice. While I agree that allowing ARNPs and other mid-level professionals to practice in our hospitals should be an important part of the state's strategy to address workforce shortages, the requirement to create the job class is not consistent with the process provided in law for creation of classified positions. I have therefore vetoed Section 12.

For these reasons I have vetoed Sections 2, 7, 9, and 12 of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6656.

With the exception of Sections 2, 7, 9, and 12, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6656 is approved. Respectfully submitted, 
/s/Jay Inslee, Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE STATE OFFICERS
January 9, 2017

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

Ladies and Gentleman:
For your information, the following reports have been submitted by various agencies, departments, and taskforces and received by the Office of the Secretary of the Senate since the close of the previous session.

Joint Legislative Executive Committee on Aging and Disability Issues - "2016 Final Report”, in accordance with Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6052;

Department of Agriculture - "Pesticide Management Division 2015 Report", pursuant to 15.58.420 RCW; "Implementation of Nutrient Management Training Program for Farmers", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6052; "Electronic Cattle Transaction Reporting System, 2016 Report", pursuant to 16.57.450 RCW;


Caseload Forecast Council - "Racial and Ethnic Impact Statements", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376;
Department of Commerce - "Financial Fraud and Identity Theft Investigation and Prosecution Program" pursuant to 43.330.300 RCW;
Department of Commerce - "Criminal Penalty Fees", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1291; "Civilian-Military Land Use Study", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "Developmental Disabilities Ombuds Program", in accordance with Engrossed Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 6564; "Achieving a Better Life Experience (ABLE)", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2323; "Associate Development Organizations, 2015-2016 Report", pursuant to 43.330.082 RCW; "Jobs Act for K-12 Public Schools and Higher Education Institutions, 2016 Report", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2836; "Local Infrastructure Financing Tool Program (LIFT)", pursuant to 39.102 RCW; "Staff Safety, 2016 Report pursuant to 72.09.680 RCW;
Department of Corrections - "Extraordinary Medical Placement Reports for 2015", in pursuant to 72.09.620 RCW;
Department of Ecology - "Model Toxics Control Accounts Ten-Year Financing Report 2016", in pursuant to 70.105D.030 RCW; "Voluntary Cleanup Program", pursuant to 70.105D.030 RCW; "Dredged Material Management Program Review", in accordance with House Bill No. 2376; "Cleanup Settlement Account, Annual Report for 2016 Fiscal Year", pursuant to 70.105D.130 RCW; "Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory Report 2010-2013", pursuant to 70.235.020 RCW; "E-Cycle Washington: Use of Existing Infrastructure for Collection of Electronics", pursuant to 70.95.290 RCW; "2016 Columbia River Basin Long-Term Water Supply and Demand Forecast", pursuant to 70.105D.030 RCW;
Department Employment Security - "Training Benefits Program Report, 2016" pursuant to 50.22.157 RCW; "WorkFrist Wage Progression and Returns Report: through third quarter 2015", in accordance with 74.08A.411 RCW;
Department of Enterprise Services - "Jobs Act for K-12 Public Schools and Higher Education Institutions, 2016 Report", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2836; "Washington State Energy Code, Progress toward 2030", pursuant to 19.27A.160 RCW;
Office of Financial Management - "Audit Resolution, 2016 Report", pursuant to 43.88.160 RCW;
Department of Fish and Wildlife - "Washington Animal Trafficking Act Report", pursuant to 77.15.135 RCW; "Fish Barrier Removal Board - Progress Report", pursuant to House Bill No. 2251: "Use of Renewable Biofertilizers", in accordance with House Bill No. 2380;
GET Committee - "Future Options for the Washington Advanced College Tuition Program: Impacts of the College Affordability Program", pursuant to 28B.95.045 RCW;
Governor's Interagency Council on Health Disparities - "State Action Plan to Eliminate Health Disparities, 2016 Update", pursuant to 43.20.270 RCW;
Health Care Authority - "Medicaid Fraud, Waste, and Abuse Program", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6052; "SmartHealth Effectiveness", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "SmartHealth Effectiveness, January - June 2016", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "Child Health Services: Provider Performance", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2128 74.09.480 RCW; "Holding Managed Care Rates at Calendar Year 2016 Level", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "Comparison of Federally Qualified Health Centers and Rural Health Clinics to Uniform Medical Plan Rates", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "Medicaid Managed Care Preventive Services and Vaccinations", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "PEBB Annual Report of Customer Service Complaints and Appeals, 2016 Report" , pursuant to 41.05.630 RCW; "Bleeding Disorder Collaborative for Care", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 6052; "PEBB Health Benefit Plan: Cost and Utilization, Trends, Demographics, and Impacts of Alternative Consumer-Directed Health Plan", pursuant to 41.05.065 RCW; "Proportion of Non-Participating Providers Serving Apple Health Enrollees", pursuant to 74.09.522 RCW; "Medicaid Dental Prior Authorization", in accordance with 74.09 RCW; "Home Health Nursing", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "Reimbursement for Births Performed at Birth Centers", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2376; "Inpatient Hospital Certified Public Expenditure Program", in accordance with Senate Bill No. 6052; "Employment Status of Apple Health Care Clients and Non-Client Individuals with Dependents Who Are Apple Health Care Clients, 2016 Report", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 3079; "Employment Status of Apple Health Care Clients, Statewide Data for 2016, Part A", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 3079; "Employment Status of Apple Health Care Clients, Statewide Data for 2016, Part B", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 3079;
Washington State Health Insurance Pool -, "Annual Report for 2015 pursuant to 48.41.240 RCW;
Department of Health -"Hospital Survey/Audit Customer Satisfaction Survey, September 2014 - August 2015", in accordance with Senate Bill No. 6485; "Mental Health Providers'
Bill No. 2524; "Capital Projects and Nickel/TPA Projects Quarterly Reports, 2015-17 Biennium Quarter 5", in accordance with Second Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1299; "Freight Rail Assistance Program/Freight Rail Investment Bank Project Lists for 2017-2019", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2524; "Bicycle and Pedestrian Project Funding Recommendations", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2524; "Out-of-Boundary Transit Study", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2524; "I-405 Express Toll Lanes Nine Month Update, April - June 2016", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2524; "Transit Integration Report, Transit Coordination Grants, and Summary of Public Transportation System Coordination", pursuant to 35.58.2796 RCW; "Pedestrian and Bicycle and Safe Routes to School Programs, 2017 Prioritized Project List and Program Update", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2524; "2016 Prioritized Freight Project List", in accordance with House Bill No. 2524; "2016 Freight Rail Investment Bank (FRIB) Report", in accordance with House Bill No. 1299; "Transit Mobility 2016 Report", pursuant to 47.01.330 RCW; "Practical Design Savings, Semiannual Report", pursuant to 47.01.480 RCW; "Diesel Fuel Price Hedging 2016 Report", pursuant to 47.60.830 RCW; 

**Joint Legislative Task Force on the Use of Deadly Force in Community Policing** - "Final Report to the Legislature and the Governor", in accordance with Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 2908;

**Washington Health Plan Finder** - "Washington State Health Benefit Exchange Report to the Legislature" in accordance with Second Engrossed Senate Bill No. 6089.

Respectfully Submitted,
Hunter G. Goodman
Secretary of the Senate
Washington State Senate

**MOTION**

On motion of Senator Fain, the vetoes and partial vetoes by the Governor were held at the desk without objection.

**MOTION**

At 2:13 p.m., on motion of Senator Fain, the Senate adjourned until 12:00 o'clock p.m. Monday, January 10, 2017.

BRAD OWEN, President of the Senate
HUNTER G. GOODMAN, Secretary of the Senate