The Senate was called to order at 12:04 p.m. by the President Pro Tempore, Senator Keiser presiding. No roll call was taken.

The President Pro Tempore called upon the Secretary to read the journal of the preceding day.

MOTION

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 21, 2019

SB 5549 Prime Sponsor, Senator Liias: Modernizing resident distillery marketing and sales restrictions. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5549 be substituted therefor, and the second substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Frockt, Vice Chair, Operating, Capital Lead; Schoesler; Conway; Braun, Ranking Member; Rolfs, Chair; Warnick; Wagoner; Liias; Keiser; Hunt; Billig; Becker; Bailey; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Hasegawa and Pedersen.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Darneille and Van De Wege.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 21, 2019

SB 5643 Prime Sponsor, Senator King: Modifying theater license provisions. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5643 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Warnick; Frockt, Vice Chair, Operating, Capital Lead; Schoesler; Pedersen; Rolfs, Chair; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Bailey; Becker; Hunt; Keiser; Wagoner Braun, Ranking Member.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Carlyle; Van De Wege; Darneille and Conway.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Liias and Hasegawa.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 21, 2019

EHB 1074 Prime Sponsor, Representative Harris: Protecting youth from tobacco products and vapor products by increasing the minimum legal age of sale of tobacco and vapor products. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfs, Chair; Carlyle; Pedersen; Hunt; Frockt, Vice Chair, Operating, Capital Lead; Braun, Ranking Member; Bailey; Billig; Conway; Darneille; Keiser; Liias and Van De Wege.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Becker; Hasegawa and Wagoner.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Warnick and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 21, 2019

HB 1137 Prime Sponsor, Representative Leavitt: Concerning national guard pay in state active service for wildland fire response duty. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wagoner; Schoesler; Warnick; Conway; Van De Wege; Liias; Keiser; Hunt; Hasegawa; Darneille; Billig; Rolfs, Chair; Becker; Bailey; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Braun, Ranking Member; Frockt, Vice Chair, Operating, Capital Lead; Carlyle and Pedersen.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 22, 2019

2SHB 1216 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Concerning nonfirearm measures to increase school safety and student well-being. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Wilson, C., Vice Chair; Hawkins, Ranking Member; Hunt; McCoy; Pedersen; Salomon and Wagoner.

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

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

March 22, 2019

2SHB 1272 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Concerning school lunch durations. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Salomon; Pedersen; McCoy; Hunt; Wilson, C., Vice
Chair Wellman, Chair.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Wagoner; Padden Hawkins, Ranking Member.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

ESHB 1308 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Addressing plan membership default provisions in the public employees' retirement system, the teachers' retirement system, and the school employees' retirement system. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Carlyle; Pedersen; Keiser; Becker; Billig; Conway; Darneille; Hasegawa; Hunt; Liias; Van De Wege; Wagoner Frockt, Vice Chair, Operating, Capital Lead.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Bailey; Braun, Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Warnick and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 21, 2019

HB 1318 Prime Sponsor, Representative Tharinger: Making the public art capital budget language permanent for efficiency. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Carlyle; Pedersen; Keiser; Becker; Billig; Conway; Darneille; Hasegawa; Hunt; Liias; Van De Wege; Wagoner Frockt, Vice Chair, Operating, Capital Lead.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Bailey; Braun, Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Warnick and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 21, 2019

2SHB 1344 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Concerning child care access. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Wilson, C., Vice Chair; Hunt; McCoy; Pedersen and Salomon.

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

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

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

March 22, 2019

HB 1349 Prime Sponsor, Representative Schmick: Clarifying the definition of a geriatric behavioral health worker for individuals with a bachelor's or master's degree in social work, behavioral health, or other related areas. Reported by Committee on Behavioral Health Subcommittee to Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Dhingra, Chair; Wagoner, Ranking Member; Darneille and Frockt.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

March 22, 2019

2SHB 1394 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Concerning community facilities needed to ensure a continuum of care for behavioral health patients. Reported by Committee on Behavioral Health Subcommittee to Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Frockt; Darneille; Wagoner, Ranking Member Dhingra, Chair.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

March 22, 2019

HB 1534 Prime Sponsor, Representative Dufault: Concerning psychiatric payments under medical assistance programs for certain rural hospitals that are not designated as critical access hospitals, do not participate in the certified public expenditure program, have less than fifty acute care beds, and have combined medicare and medicaid inpatient days greater than fifty percent of total days. Reported by Committee on Behavioral Health Subcommittee to Health & Long Term Care

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Dhingra, Chair; Wagoner, Ranking Member; Darneille and Frockt.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

March 22, 2019

SHB 1545 Prime Sponsor, Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations: Concerning curing ballots to assure that votes are counted. Reported by Committee on State Government, Tribal Relations & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair; Zeiger, Ranking Member; Hasegawa and Takko.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 22, 2019

HB 1604 Prime Sponsor, Representative Stonier: Changing the Washington state center for childhood deafness and hearing loss to the Washington center for deaf and hard of hearing youth. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wagoner; Salomon; Pedersen and Padden; McCoy; Hunt; Hawkins, Ranking Member; Wilson, C., Vice Chair Wellman, Chair.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 22, 2019

SHB 1621 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Education: Concerning basic skills assessments for approved teacher preparation programs. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Dhingra, Chair; Wagoner, Ranking Member; Darneille and Frockt.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 22, 2019
MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Wilson, C., Vice Chair; Hawkins, Ranking Member; Hunt; McCoy; Padden; Pedersen; Salomon and Wagoner.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

March 22, 2019

HB 2008 Prime Sponsor, Representative Hudgins: Concerning alternate methods of ballot security. Reported by Committee on State Government, Tribal Relations & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Takko; Hasegawa; Zeiger, Ranking Member; Kuderer, Vice Chair Hunt, Chair.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

MOTION

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

MOTION

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