The Senate was called to order at 10:19 a.m. by the President Pro Tempore, Senator Karen Keiser.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Liias, the Senate reverted to the first order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

February 15, 2021

SB 5019 Prime Sponsor, Senator Kuderer: Concerning the recording standards commission. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senator Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5045 Prime Sponsor, Senator Warnick: Establishing a state meat and poultry inspection program. Report by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5045 be substituted therefor, and the second substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5051 Prime Sponsor, Senator Pedersen: Concerning state oversight and accountability of peace officers and corrections officers. Report by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5051 be substituted therefor, and the second substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Rolfes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Carlyle; Darnelle; Dhingra; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Pedersen and Wellman.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.
February 15, 2021

SB 5054  Prime Sponsor, Senator Padden: Concerning impaired driving. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair; Capital; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

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

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue and Mullet.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5062  Prime Sponsor, Senator Carlyle: Concerning the management, oversight, and use of data. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5062 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Dhingra; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5063  Prime Sponsor, Senator Honeyford: Concerning the expiration date of the invasive species council. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SB 5082  Prime Sponsor, Senator Fortunato: Reestablishing the productivity board. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5082 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Dhingra; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5118  Prime Sponsor, Senator Darneille: Supporting successful reentry. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Dhingra; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5158  Prime Sponsor, Senator Hawkins: Concerning the utility wildland fire prevention advisory committee. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frockt, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darnelle; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.
MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senator Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5294  Prime Sponsor, Senator Cleveland: Concerning the creation of statewide epidemic preparedness and response guidelines for long-term care facilities. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frocket, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darneille; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senator Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5315  Prime Sponsor, Senator Mullet: Concerning captive insurance. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: That Second Substitute Senate Bill No. 5315 be substituted therefor, and the second substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frocket, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darneille; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5332  Prime Sponsor, Senator Padden: Clarifying equipment requirements for wheeled all-terrain vehicles. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: That Substitute Senate Bill No. 5332 be substituted therefor, and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, C. and Wilson, J.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5352  Prime Sponsor, Senator Braun: Allowing new government employees the option of opting out of retirement system membership if the employee is age sixty or older when first hired, or when the employee's employer opts into retirement plan participation. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frocket, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Dhingra; Gildon; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Conway and Keiser.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SB 5367  Prime Sponsor, Senator Conway: Directing the department of retirement systems to create rules regarding automatic refunds of retirement contributions in the retirement systems listed in RCW 41.50.030. Reported by Committee on Ways & Means

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Rolffes, Chair; Frocket, Vice Chair, Capital; Robinson, Vice Chair, Operating & Revenue; Wilson, L., Ranking Member; Brown, Assistant Ranking Member, Operating; Honeyford, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Schoesler, Assistant Ranking Member, Capital; Braun; Carlyle; Conway; Darneille; Dhingra; Gildon; Hasegawa; Hunt; Keiser; Liias; Mullet; Muzzall; Pedersen; Rivers; Van De Wege; Wagoner; Warnick and Wellman.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Conway and Keiser.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

February 15, 2021

SGA 9258  MARIKO K. DOERNER, appointed on January 15, 2021, for the term ending September 30, 2025, as Member of the Skagit Valley College Board of Trustees. Reported by Committee on Transportation

MAJORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Hobbs, Chair; Saldaña, Vice Chair; King, Ranking Member; Cleveland; Das; Fortunato; Hawkins; Nguyen; Nobles; Padden; Randall; Sheldon; Wilson, J. and Wilson, C.

Referred to Committee on Higher Education & Workforce Development.

MOTIONS

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

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5140, by Senators Kuderer, Frockt,
Conway, Das, Dhingra, Hasegawa, Hunt, Lovelett, Randall, Saldaña, Stanford, Wellman, and Wilson, C.

Protecting pregnancy and miscarriage-related patient care.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Kuderer, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5140 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

MOTION

Senator Fortunato moved that the following floor amendment no. 074 by Senator Fortunato be adopted:

On page 1, line 17, after "care" insert "for a reasonably prudent health care provider in same or similar circumstances"

On page 2, line 2, after "care" insert "for a reasonably prudent health care provider in same or similar circumstances"

Senator Fortunato spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Cleveland spoke against adoption of the amendment.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Randall, Senator Carlyle was excused.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Wagoner, Senators McCune, Schoesler and Sheldon were excused.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 074 by Senator Fortunato did not carry and floor amendment no. 074 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Rivers moved that the following floor amendment no. 065 by Senator Rivers be adopted:

On page 1, beginning on line 19, after "to" strike "complications of pregnancy, including but not limited to health services related to"

Senator Rivers spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Kuderer spoke against adoption of the amendment.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Padden and Short spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Cleveland spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 076 by Senator Padden did not carry and floor amendment no. 076 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Padden moved that the following floor amendment no. 060 by Senator Padden be adopted:

On page 2, line 17, after "may" strike "not"

On page 2, line 17, after "suspend," insert "or"

On page 2, line 18, after "discipline" strike ", or otherwise discriminate against"

On page 2, line 19, after "services" strike "in compliance with this section" and insert "under this section when peer review determines one or more of these actions is necessary"

Senator Padden spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Kuderer spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 060 by Senator Padden did not carry and floor amendment no. 060 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Warnick moved that the following floor amendment no. 064 by Senator Warnick be adopted:

On page 2, after line 19, insert the following:

"(4) For the purposes of this section:

(a) "Miscarriage" means a pregnancy loss that occurs up to 20 weeks gestation and by spontaneous abortion.

(b) "Spontaneous abortion" means abortion occurring due to natural causes."

Senator Warnick spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Padden spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 064 by Senator Padden did not carry and floor amendment no. 064 was not adopted by voice vote.

POINT OF ORDER

Senator Short: “I disagree with the statement that the gentlelady used impugning that this was political, and I would ask for it to stop.”

RULING BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

President Pro Tempore Keiser: “Thank you for that comment and we will maintain decorum and advise that we will avoid political comments.”

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 064 by Senator Warnick did not carry and floor amendment no. 064 was not adopted by voice vote.
Senator Fortunato moved that the following floor amendment no. 073 by Senator Fortunato be adopted:

On page 2, after line 19, insert the following:

"(4) For the purposes of this section, "accepted standard of care" means safe medical care in accordance with the breadth of decisions that through informed consent can be either implemented or declined by patients and offered or withheld by health care providers. "Accepted standard of care" does not mean any specific decision when more than one possible acceptable treatment course may apply."

Senator Fortunato spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Cleveland spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 073 by Senator Fortunato on page 2, after line 19 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140.

The motion by Senator Fortunato did not carry and floor amendment no. 073 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Muzzall moved that the following floor amendment no. 061 by Senator Muzzall be adopted:

On page 2, beginning on line 20, strike all of section 3
Renumber the remaining sections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

Senators Muzzall and Padden spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Padden demanded a roll call.

The President declared that one-sixth of the members supported the demand, and the demand was sustained.

Senator Cleveland spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of the amendment by Senator Muzzall on page 2, line 20 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the adoption of the amendment by Senator Muzzall and the amendment was not adopted by the following vote: Yeas, 20; Nays, 28; Absent, 0; Excused, 1.


Voting nay: Senators Billig, Carlyle, Cleveland, Conway, Darmelle, Das, Dingra, Frockt, Hasegawa, Hobbs, Hunt, Keiser, Kuderer, Liias, Lovelett, Mullet, Nguyen, Nobles, Pedersen, Randall, Robinson, Rolles, Saldaña, Salomon, Stanford, Van De Wege, Wellman and Wilson, C.

Excused: Senator Sheldon.

MOTION

Senator Rivers moved that the following floor amendment no. 066 by Senator Rivers be adopted:

On page 2, beginning on line 20, after "patient" strike ", a" and insert "or"

"(4) For the purposes of this section, "accepted standard of care" means safe medical care in accordance with the breadth of decisions that through informed consent can be either implemented or declined by patients and offered or withheld by health care providers. "Accepted standard of care" does not mean any specific decision when more than one possible acceptable treatment course may apply."

Senators Rivers, Short and Wagoner spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senators Kuderer and Frockt spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 066 by Senator Rivers on page 2, line 20 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140.

The motion by Senator Rivers did not carry and floor amendment no. 066 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Wagoner moved that the following floor amendment no. 069 by Senator Wagoner be adopted:

On page 2, line 20, after "patient" strike ", a" and insert "or"

On page 2, beginning on line 20, after "provider" strike ", or an individual."

Senator Wagoner spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.

Senator Kuderer spoke against adoption of the amendment.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 069 by Senator Wagoner on page 2, line 20 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140.

The motion by Senator Wagoner did not carry and floor amendment no. 069 was not adopted by voice vote.

PARLIAMENTARY INQUIRY

Senator Padden: “Thank you Madam President. I know we’re all getting used to this virtual system, but I just wanted to point out that I had pointed the request to speak at the end of the last time. And I am sure, inadvertently, you didn’t see me, but they’ll be some other, help from other people up there on the dais there. At the rostrum. Thank you. Thank you, Madam President.”

REPLY BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

President Pro Tempore Keiser: “Thank you Senator Padden and I apologize but I was not notified of any request to speak further. I tried to pause but you’re right, this virtual system is clunky, at best.”

MOTION

On motion of Senator Kuderer, the rules were suspended, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senator Kuderer spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

Senator Rivers spoke against passage of the bill.

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

President Pro Tempore Keiser: “Thank you Senator Rivers. As I cautioned Senator Darmelle earlier, I’m going to caution you as well. It isn’t perhaps the best procedure to refer to the private employment of other members or uh, let’s just realize this is an emotional issue and things need to be circumspect. Thank you.”

Senator Rivers: “Madam President, no less than five times has
the good lady from the 48th mentioned her own employment."

President Pro Tempore Keiser: "Thank you Senator Rivers. I appreciate what you are saying. I would just caution everyone; this is an emotional topic. Please keep your remarks appropriate and use a little bit of circumspection on these topics."

Senators Dhingra and Cleveland spoke in favor of passage of the bill.
Senators Warnick, Short, and Fortunato spoke against passage of the bill.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Substitute Senate Bill No. 5140 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 29; Nays, 20; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.

Voting yea: Senators Billig, Carlyle, Cleveland, Conway, Darnelle, Das, Dhingra, Frockt, Hasegawa, Hobbs, Hunt, Keiser, Kuderer, Liias, Lovelett, Mullet, Nguyen, Nobles, Pedersen, Randall, Robinson, Rolfs, Saldaña, Salomon, Sheldon, Stanford, Van De Wege, Wellman and Wilson, C.


SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5140, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

SECOND READING

SENATE BILL NO. 5229, by Senators Randall, Das, Keiser, Lovelett, Nobles, Wilson, C., Dhingra, Hasegawa, Kuderer, Nguyen and Stanford

Concerning health equity continuing education for health care professionals.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Randall, Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229 was substituted for Senate Bill No. 5229 and the substitute bill was placed on the second reading and read the second time.

Senator Randall moved that the following floor amendment no. 063 by Senator Randall be adopted:

On page 2, line 5, after "January 1," strike "2023" and insert "2024"

Senator Randall spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.
The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 063 by Senator Randall on page 2, line 5 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229.
The motion by Senator Randall carried and floor amendment no. 063 was adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Ericksen moved that the following floor amendment no. 072 by Senator Ericksen be adopted:

On page 2, line 15, after ")3)" insert "A licensee of a health care profession subject to this section is not required to comply with the requirements of this section, and may not be subject to disciplinary action, including a suspension, restriction, or limitation of his or her license, for failure to comply.

(4)"

Renumber the remaining subsections consecutively and correct any internal references accordingly.

Senator Ericksen spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.
Senators Cleveland and Randall spoke against adoption of the amendment.
The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 072 by Senator Ericksen on page 2, line 15 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229.
The motion by Senator Ericksen did not carry and floor amendment no. 072 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Holy moved that the following floor amendment no. 062 by Senator Holy be adopted:

On page 2, line 22, after "licensees" insert ", and no course shall be more expensive than the most expensive continuing education course for that profession"

Senator Holy spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.
Senator Cleveland spoke against adoption of the amendment.
The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 062 by Senator Holy on page 2, line 22 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229.
The motion by Senator Holy did not carry and floor amendment no. 062 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Wilson, J. moved that the following floor amendment no. 075 by Senator Wilson, J. be adopted:

On page 3, line 2, after "ability," insert "and"
On page 3, beginning on line 2, after "socioeconomic status" strike ", and other categories of identity"

Senator Wilson, J. spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.
Senator Randall spoke against adoption of the amendment.
The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 075 by Senator Wilson, J. on page 3, line 2 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229.
The motion by Senator Wilson, J. did not carry and floor amendment no. 075 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

Senator Rivers moved that the following floor amendment no. 067 by Senator Rivers be adopted:

On page 3, line 29, after "this section," insert "The Washington medical commission must be the body to review and approve courses for physicians licensed under chapter 18.71 RCW."

Senator Rivers spoke in favor of adoption of the amendment.
Senator Cleveland spoke against adoption of the amendment.
The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the
Senate to be the adoption of floor amendment no. 067 by Senator Rivers on page 3, line 29 to Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229.

The motion by Senator Rivers failed and floor amendment no. 067 was not adopted by voice vote.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Randall, the rules were suspended, Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229 was advanced to third reading, the second reading considered the third and the bill was placed on final passage.

Senators Randall and Muzzall spoke in favor of passage of the bill.

Senator Padden spoke against passage of the bill.

The President Pro Tempore declared the question before the Senate to be the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229.

ROLL CALL

The Secretary called the roll on the final passage of Engrossed Substitute Senate Bill No. 5229 and the bill passed the Senate by the following vote: Yeas, 35; Nays, 14; Absent, 0; Excused, 0.


Voting nay: Senators Brown, Dozier, Ericksen, Fortunato, Hawkins, Honeyford, McCune, Padden, Schoesler, Short, Wagoner, Warnick, Wilson, J. and Wilson, L.

ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE SENATE BILL NO. 5229, having received the constitutional majority, was declared passed. There being no objection, the title of the bill was ordered to stand as the title of the act.

MOTION

At 12:01 p.m., on motion of Senator Liias, the Senate adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m. Thursday, February 18, 2021.

KAREN KEISER, President Pro Tempore of the Senate

BRAD HENDRICKSON, Secretary of the Senate
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