EIGHTY FIFTH DAY, APRIL 3, 2023

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MORNING SESSION

Senate Chamber, Olympia Monday, April 3, 2023

The Senate was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by the President of the Senate, Lt. Governor Heck presiding. No roll call was taken.

MOTIONS

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

On motion of Senator Pedersen, the Senate advanced to the fourth order of business.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

March 31, 2023

MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001, HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, HOUSE BILL NO. 1082, HOUSE BILL NO. 1100, HOUSE BILL NO. 1120, SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1784, and the same are herewith transmitted. BERNARD DEAN, Chief Clerk

MOTION

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

INTRODUCTION AND FIRST READING

SB 5766 by Senators Mullet and Nguyen

AN ACT Relating to improving the administrability of emissions exemptions and business practices under the climate commitment act; amending RCW 70A.65.080 and 70A.65.100; adding new sections to chapter 70A.65 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Pedersen, the measure listed on the Introduction and First Reading report was referred to the committee as designated.

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

MOTION

Senator Schoesler moved adoption of the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION 8633

By Senators Schoesler, Dozier, Hasegawa, Holy, Keiser, King, Lovick, Padden, Rivers, Wagoner, and Warnick

WHEREAS, Stephen Roy Lindstrom was born in Pendleton, Oregon, on May 20, 1946; and

WHEREAS, Stephen grew up in Ione, Oregon, becoming the fourth generation of Swedish homesteaders; and

WHEREAS, He started his schooling career attending schools throughout Ione, Oregon; and

WHEREAS, Stephen had always been an overachiever, participating in sports, student government, music, and community affairs while in high school; and

WHEREAS, Of course he graduated from high school with honors; and

WHEREAS, Stephen started college at Pacific Lutheran University and ultimately graduated from Eastern Oregon College; and

WHEREAS, After college, Stephen enlisted in the U.S. Navy Seabees; and

WHEREAS, He served several tours of duty in Vietnam and Antarctica; and

WHEREAS, During his military service Stephen was awarded many honors and medals for his service, most notably the Navy Achievement Medal for Community Service; and

WHEREAS, After his service he worked as the manager of the Port of Marrow; and

WHEREAS, Stephen's start in politics came when he worked as the Vice President of Pacific Northwest Waterways, where he was an advocate for trade and economic development of the Northwest; and

WHEREAS, To continue in politics, Stephen worked as a contract lobbyist and lobbied in Olympia for over 40 years; and

WHEREAS, During this 40 years, Stephen lobbied for many different clients, ranging from transportation to health care, higher education, special districts, business associations, and more; and

WHEREAS, Over the 40 years, he collected many obscure trivia facts, so he always had a "Did you know..." for everything; and

WHEREAS, Stephen was selected as a contract lobbyist in 1991 to help the Washington Student Lobby; and

WHEREAS, Stephen was hired by Brendan Williams, who still to this day does not regret the decision, stating, "Steve was a character, one-of-a-kind. I never regretted choosing him for that special role," and Stephen mentored dozens of lobbyists in his four-decade career; and

WHEREAS, Stephen also created the Wednesday Night Study Group, a group of health care professionals, advocates, regulators, and legislators, which he was passionate about and even scouted out the venues, and chose the food, drink, and guests for years and years, making sure that the group's week was up to his own epic sense of standards; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, Stephen collected many pieces of historical art, as he was committed to historical preservation; and

WHEREAS, Stephen served on the Washington State Capital Facilities Committee, serving the State Capitol and the State of Washington with a commitment to art and historic preservation; and

WHEREAS, Stephen truly was a man who believed one should live a life of showing kindness to all and enhancing the lives of those you meet;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Senate of the state of Washington recognize and commemorate Stephen Roy Lindstrom on his outstanding service and consideration to everyone.

Senator Schoesler spoke in favor of adoption of the resolution. The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 8633.

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

REMARKS BY SENATOR PEDERSEN

Senator Pedersen: "In fact Mr. President I was going to note that although it is the 85th legislative day, it is a much smaller number day for Senator Short and was thinking that we might all join, since we have a few minutes, we might all join in wishing her a very happy birthday."

[The Senate sang *Happy Birthday* on the occasion of the birthday of Senator Short.]

SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT

Pursuant to Article 2, Section 32 of the State Constitution and Senate Rule 1(5), the President announced the signing of and thereupon did sign in open session:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001, HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, HOUSE BILL NO. 1082, HOUSE BILL NO. 1100, HOUSE BILL NO. 1120, and SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1784.

MOTION

At 9:38 p.m., on motion of Senator Pedersen, the Senate adjourned until 9:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 4, 2023.

DENNY HECK, President of the Senate

SARAH BANNISTER, Secretary of the Senate

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