

**SIXTY SEVENTH DAY**

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**AFTERNOON SESSION**

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Senate Chamber, Olympia  
Thursday, March 18, 2021

The Senate was called to order at 12:30 p.m. by the President of the Senate, Lt. Governor Heck presiding. No roll call was taken.

**MOTIONS**

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 17, 2021

HB 1022 Prime Sponsor, Representative MacEwen: Modifying Washington state horse racing commission provisions. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Honeyford; Robinson; Saldaña and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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ESHB 1056 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Local Government: Concerning open public meeting notice requirements and declared emergencies. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member; Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair; Hasegawa and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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E2SHB 1073 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Expanding coverage of the paid family and medical leave program. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass as amended. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators King, Ranking Member; Braun; Honeyford and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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HB 1087 Prime Sponsor, Representative Berry: Clarifying the continuity of employee family and medical leave rights. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senator Schoesler.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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ESHB 1097 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards: Increasing worker protections. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators King, Ranking Member; Braun; Honeyford and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SHB 1206 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards: Protecting temporary workers. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Robinson and Saldaña.

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

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Honeyford and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SHB 1208 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Education: Modifying the learning assistance program. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Nobles, Vice Chair, K-12; Wilson, C., Vice Chair, Early Learning; Hunt and Pedersen.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Hawkins, Ranking Member; Dozier and McCune.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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EHB 1271 Prime Sponsor, Representative Orwall: Ensuring continuity of operations in the offices of county elected officials during the current COVID-19 pandemic and future public health crises. Reported by Committee on State Government & Elections

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wilson, J., Ranking Member; Hunt, Chair; Kuderer, Vice Chair; Hasegawa and Hawkins.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SHB 1302 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Education: Concerning college in the high school programs. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Nobles, Vice Chair, K-12; Wilson, C., Vice Chair, Early Learning; Hawkins, Ranking Member; Dozier; Hunt; McCune; Mullet and Pedersen.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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HB 1315 Prime Sponsor, Representative Mosbrucker: Creating a task force to identify the role of the workplace in helping curb domestic violence. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Honeyford and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SHB 1363 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Education: Addressing secondary trauma in the K-12 workforce. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Nobles, Vice Chair, K-12; Wilson, C., Vice Chair, Early Learning; Hunt; Mullet and Pedersen.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Hawkins, Ranking Member; Dozier and McCune.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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E2SHB 1365 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations:

Procuring and supporting appropriate computers and devices for public school students and instructional staff. Reported by Committee on Early Learning & K-12 Education

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Wellman, Chair; Nobles, Vice Chair, K-12; Wilson, C., Vice Chair, Early Learning; Hunt; Mullet and Pedersen.

MINORITY recommendation: That it be referred without recommendation. Signed by Senators Hawkins, Ranking Member; Dozier and McCune.

Referred to Committee on Ways & Means.

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SHB 1455 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards: Concerning the use of social security numbers by the department of labor and industries and the employment security department. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Honeyford; Robinson and Saldaña.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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HB 1469 Prime Sponsor, Representative Wicks: Concerning enhanced raffle procedures. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Honeyford; Robinson; Saldaña and Schoesler.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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E2SHB 1480 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Appropriations: Extending certain privileges granted to liquor licensees to mitigate the impact of the coronavirus pandemic. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Braun; Robinson; Saldaña and Schoesler.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senator Honeyford.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

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SHB 1493 Prime Sponsor, Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards: Concerning job search monitoring. Reported by Committee on Labor, Commerce & Tribal Affairs

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by

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2021 REGULAR SESSION

Senators Keiser, Chair; Conway, Vice Chair, Labor; Stanford, Vice Chair, Commerce & Tribal Affairs; King, Ranking Member; Robinson and Saldaña.

MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Senators Honeyford and Schoesler.

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

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading.

MOTIONS

On motion of Senator Liias, all measures listed on the Standing Committee report were referred to the committees as designated with the exceptions of Engrossed Substitute House Bill No. 1097 and Substitute House Bill No. 1208 which were designated to the Committee on Ways & Means and referred to the Committee on Rules.

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

Senator Liias moved adoption of the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION  
8613

By Senators Liias and Salomon

WHEREAS, The COVID-19 pandemic has placed an incredible burden on the people of Washington state, both through the loss of loved ones and through financial hardship; and

WHEREAS, The economic impacts of COVID-19 have created vulnerability and the need for support in many working families in our state; and

WHEREAS, Community support and generous assistance can be a line of support, hope, and safety for vulnerable populations; and

WHEREAS, Washington Kids in Transition (WAKIT) is a group that works in Edmonds, WA to provide support to income-

eligible Edmonds families; and

WHEREAS, WAKIT assists residents who have children in the Edmonds School District, providing housing and basic living assistance; and

WHEREAS, As part of the City of Edmonds Housing and Supplementary Relief Program WAKIT distributed more than \$215,000 to qualifying Edmonds School District families; and

WHEREAS, Their good work has been further validated by the recent award of a \$129,000 Student Learning Support Grant from the state Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI); and

WHEREAS, WAKIT is also a supporter of the Edmonds Hub (E-Hub), which provides access to meals, stable technology, tutoring, educational support materials, and access to laundry services, all for students and families who qualify for McKinney-Vento and foster care; and

WHEREAS, WAKIT has gone above and beyond to ensure that our most vulnerable children and families are able to safely receive extra care and support during these difficult times;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Washington State Senate recognize Washington Kids in Transition for the generosity, support, and assistance they provide to their community.

Senators Liias and Short spoke in favor of adoption of the resolution.

The President declared the question before the Senate to be the adoption of Senate Resolution No. 8613.

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

MOTION

At 12:35 p.m., on motion of Senator Liias, the Senate adjourned until 12:30 p.m. Friday, March 19, 2021.

DENNY HECK, President of the Senate

BRAD HENDRICKSON, Secretary of the Senate

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