

SIXTY EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

NINTH DAY

House Chamber, Olympia, Tuesday, January 16, 2024

The House was called to order at 9:55 a.m. by the Speaker (Orwall presiding).

Reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the fourth order of business.

INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING

HB 2380 by Representatives Shavers, Harris, Robertson, Chapman, Lekanoff, Paul, Reed, Ramel, Cortes, Fosse, Farivar, Eslick, Goodman, Jacobsen, Leavitt and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to increasing compensation for Washington paraeducators; adding new sections to chapter 28A.400 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2381 by Representatives McEntire, Shavers and Chapman

AN ACT Relating to increasing eligibility for economy and efficiency flexible school calendar waivers; and amending RCW 28A.150.222.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 2382 by Representatives Berry, Lekanoff, Reed, Bronoske, Fosse, Pollet and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to death benefits applicable to drivers of transportation network companies; amending RCW 51.16.250; and adding a new section to chapter 51.32 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards.

HB 2383 by Representatives Eslick, Taylor and Jacobsen

AN ACT Relating to reporting on dependency outcomes; amending RCW 13.34.820 and 13.34.035; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary.

HB 2384 by Representatives Donaghy, Fitzgibbon, Walen and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to automated traffic safety cameras; amending RCW 46.16A.120, 46.63.030, 46.63.075, and 46.68.480; adding new sections to chapter 46.63 RCW; and repealing RCW 46.63.170.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 2385 by Representatives Hutchins, Paul, Low, Robertson, Timmons, Barkis, Donaghy, Lekanoff, Caldier, Couture and Shavers

AN ACT Relating to fuel purchasing for the state ferry system; and amending RCW 47.60.830.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 2386 by Representatives Hutchins, Timmons, Robertson, Donaghy, Low, Paul, Barkis, Lekanoff, Caldier, Couture, Shavers and Rule

AN ACT Relating to off-duty traffic control provided by Washington state patrol officers; and adding a new section to chapter 43.43 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 2387 by Representatives Rude, Corry, Sandlin, Caldier, Couture, Connors, Chambers and Stokesbary

AN ACT Relating to increasing classified allocations to improve student outcomes; amending RCW 28A.150.260; creating a new section; providing an effective date; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2388 by Representatives Hackney, Reed and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to promoting equitable economic and technological advancement through the clean energy fund; and adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 2389 by Representatives Abbarno and Barkis

AN ACT Relating to service of notice by mail in cases involving forcible entry and forcible and unlawful detainer; and amending RCW 59.12.040.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 2390 by Representatives Shavers and Rule

AN ACT Relating to penalties related to eluding police vehicles and resisting arrest; amending RCW 46.55.113, 46.55.360, 46.55.370, 13.40.040, 9.94A.501, 9.94A.701, 9.94A.703, and 13.40.210; adding a new section to chapter 46.61 RCW; and adding a new section to chapter 10.21 RCW.

Referred to Committee on COMMUNITY SAFETY, JUSTICE, & REENTRY.

HB 2391 by Representatives Leavitt, Lekanoff, Ramel, Bronoske, Eslick and Timmons

AN ACT Relating to county ferries; amending RCW 36.54.010 and 39.04.010; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 2392 by Representatives Ryu, Reed, Morgan, Santos, Bronoske and Leavitt

AN ACT Relating to designating kimchi day; reenacting and amending RCW 1.16.050; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 2393 by Representatives Dent, Springer, Chapman, Couture and Christian

AN ACT Relating to establishing tax exemptions for unleaded aircraft fuel; amending RCW 82.42.030, 82.21.040, and 82.23A.030; reenacting and amending RCW 82.42.010; adding a new section to chapter 82.08 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.12 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 82.23B RCW; creating new sections; providing an effective date; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Transportation.

HB 2394 by Representatives Duerr, Reed, Fitzgibbon and Ramel

AN ACT Relating to streamlining certain decisions pertaining to the development or extension of a trail or path from the state environmental policy act; and adding a new section to chapter 43.21C RCW.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 2395 by Representatives Griffey, Davis, Lekanoff, Couture and Jacobsen

AN ACT Relating to improving public safety by deterring assaults involving strangulation or suffocation; amending RCW 9A.36.021; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on COMMUNITY SAFETY, JUSTICE, & REENTRY.

HB 2396 by Representatives Mosbrucker, Davis, Couture, Rule, Barkis, Jacobsen and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to fentanyl and other synthetic opioids; adding new sections to chapter 43.70 RCW; adding a new section to chapter 70.48 RCW; creating new sections; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 2397 by Representatives Stonier, Reed, Fosse, Macri and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to assisted living facilities that are owned or operated by affordable housing providers; amending RCW 18.20.020 and 74.39A.032; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 2398 by Representatives Walsh, Couture, Eslick and Jacobsen

AN ACT Relating to requiring parent representation on instructional materials committees; amending RCW 28A.320.230; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 2399 by Representatives Walsh and Jacobsen

AN ACT Relating to requiring formal complaint systems for public school libraries; adding a new section to chapter 28A.320 RCW; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Education.

HB 2400 by Representative Orcutt

AN ACT Relating to an adopt-a-waterway program; and adding a new section to chapter 79A.05 RCW.

Referred to Committee on INNOVATION, COMMUNITY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, & VETERANS.

HB 2401 by Representatives Duerr, Doglio, Berry, Fitzgibbon, Ramel and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to providing for the responsible management of refrigerant gases with a higher global warming potential than carbon dioxide that are used in appliances or other infrastructure; amending RCW 70A.65.260; reenacting and amending RCW 43.21B.110 and 43.21B.300; adding a new section to chapter 82.04 RCW; adding a new chapter to Title 70A RCW; and prescribing penalties.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 2402 by Representatives Dent, Chapman, Griffey, Couture and Bronoske

AN ACT Relating to the fire service training account; and amending RCW 43.43.944.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations.

HB 2403 by Representatives Farivar, Alvarado, Reed, Berry, Ortiz-Self, Donaghy, Fitzgibbon, Bronoske, Walen, Fosse, Goodman, Macri, Pollet and Ormsby

AN ACT Relating to protecting cats and dogs by requiring kennels to meet certain fire safety standards; and adding a new section to chapter 19.27 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

There being no objection, the bills listed on the day's introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the fifth order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

January 12, 2024

HB 1898 Prime Sponsor, Representative Schmidt: Concerning unemployment insurance benefit charging. Reported by Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Berry, Chair; Fosse, Vice Chair; Schmidt, Ranking Minority Member; Bronoske; Doglio; Ormsby; Ortiz-Self; Rude and Ybarra.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

January 12, 2024

HB 1901 Prime Sponsor, Representative Springer: Removing the sunset on changes to the unemployment insurance voluntary contribution program. Reported by Committee on Labor & Workplace Standards

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Berry, Chair; Fosse, Vice Chair; Schmidt, Ranking Minority Member; Bronoske; Doglio; Ormsby; Ortiz-Self; Rude and Ybarra.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

January 12, 2024

- HB 1917 Prime Sponsor, Representative Leavitt: Adopting the physician assistant compact. Reported by Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce
 Jacobsen; Klicker; Leavitt; Nance; Pollet; Schmidt and Timmons.
 Referred to Committee on Appropriations
 January 12, 2024
- MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Slatter, Chair; Entenman, Vice Chair; Reed, Vice Chair; Ybarra, Ranking Minority Member; Chandler; Jacobsen; Klicker; Leavitt; Nance; Pollet; Schmidt and Timmons.
- Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading
 January 12, 2024
- HB 1920 Prime Sponsor, Representative Robertson: Modifying the public accountancy act. Reported by Committee on Consumer Protection & Business
 MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Walen, Chair; Reeves, Vice Chair; Robertson, Ranking Minority Member; McClintock, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; ; Connors; Corry; Donaghy; Hackney; Sandlin; Santos and Volz.
 Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading
 January 12, 2024
- HB 1932 Prime Sponsor, Representative Gregerson: Shifting general elections for local governments to even-numbered years to increase voter participation. Reported by Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations
 MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives , Chair; Stearns, Vice Chair; Gregerson; Low and Mena.
 MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Representatives Cheney, Ranking Minority Member; , Assistant Ranking Minority Member.
 Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading
 January 12, 2024
- HB 1939 Prime Sponsor, Representative Orwall: Adopting the social work licensure compact. Reported by Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce
 MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives Slatter, Chair; Entenman, Vice Chair; Reed, Vice Chair; Ybarra, Ranking Minority Member; Chandler; Jacobsen; Klicker; Leavitt; Nance; Pollet; Schmidt and Timmons.
 Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading
 January 12, 2024
- HB 1943 Prime Sponsor, Representative Leavitt: Modifying the Washington national guard postsecondary education grant program. Reported by Committee on Postsecondary Education & Workforce
 MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Slatter, Chair; Entenman, Vice Chair; Reed, Vice Chair; Ybarra, Ranking Minority Member; Chandler;
- HB 1957 Prime Sponsor, Representative Riccelli: Preserving coverage of preventive services without cost sharing. Reported by Committee on Health Care & Wellness
 MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives , Chair; , Vice Chair; Schmick, Ranking Minority Member; Hutchins, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; ; Bronoske; Caldier; Davis; Macri; Maycumber; Mosbrucker; Simmons; Stonier; Thai and Tharinger.
 MINORITY recommendation: Do not pass. Signed by Representative Graham.
 Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading
 January 12, 2024
- HB 1962 Prime Sponsor, Representative Low: Improving voter registration list accuracy by improving voter address change processes for county election offices and voters. Reported by Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations
 MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives , Chair; Stearns, Vice Chair; Cheney, Ranking Minority Member; , Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Gregerson; Low and Mena.
 Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading
 January 12, 2024
- HB 1969 Prime Sponsor, Representative Alvarado: Expanding the definition of family member for individual providers. Reported by Committee on Health Care & Wellness
 MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives , Chair; , Vice Chair; Schmick, Ranking Minority Member; Hutchins, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; ; ; Bronoske; Caldier; Davis; Graham; Macri; Maycumber; Mosbrucker; Simmons; Stonier; Thai and Tharinger.
 Referred to Committee on Appropriations
 January 11, 2024
- HB 2008 Prime Sponsor, Representative Klicker: Creating a task force on housing cost driver analysis. Reported by Committee on Housing
 MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives Peterson, Chair; Alvarado, Vice Chair; Leavitt, Vice Chair; Klicker, Ranking Minority Member; Connors, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; ; Barkis; Chopp; Entenman; Hutchins; Low; Reed and Taylor.
 Referred to Committee on Appropriations
 January 12, 2024

HB 2015 Prime Sponsor, Representative Senn: Concerning incentivizing adult family homes to increase bed capacity to seven or eight beds. Reported by Committee on Health Care & Wellness

HOUSE BILL NO. 1054
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1151
HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1508
HOUSE BILL NO. 1530
SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1618
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1851
ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1037
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
HOUSE BILL NO. 1330

MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives , Chair; , Vice Chair; Schmick, Ranking Minority Member; Hutchins, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; ; ; Bronoske; Caldier; Davis; Graham; Macri; Maycumber; Mosbrucker; Simmons; Stonier; Thai and Tharinger.

There being no objection, the House adjourned until 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, January 17, 2024, the 10th Day of the 2024 Regular Session.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

LAURIE JINKINS, Speaker

January 12, 2024

BERNARD DEAN, Chief Clerk

HB 2034 Prime Sponsor, Representative Cheney: Requiring counties and cities to provide the administrative office of the courts with notice of court reorganizations. Reported by Committee on Civil Rights & Judiciary

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Taylor, Chair; Farivar, Vice Chair; Walsh, Ranking Minority Member; Abbarno; Cheney; Entenman; Goodman; Peterson; Thai and Walen.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

January 12, 2024

HCR 4405 Prime Sponsor, Representative Sandlin: Naming the new Irving R. Newhouse Building. Reported by Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives , Chair; Stearns, Vice Chair; Cheney, Ranking Minority Member; , Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Gregerson; Low and Mena.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget

There being no objection, the bills and resolution listed on the day's committee reports under the fifth order of business were referred to the committee so designated.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the eighth order of business.

MOTIONS

There being no objection, the Committee on Finance was relieved of ENGROSSED SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1371, and the bill was referred to the Committee on Rules.

There being no objection, the Committee on Rules was relieved of the following bills and the bills were placed on the second reading calendar:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1226
SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1272
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1637
HOUSE BILL NO. 1726
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1818
HOUSE BILL NO. 1468
HOUSE BILL NO. 1635

There being no objection, the Committee on Rules was relieved of the following bills and the bills were placed on the 3rd Reading calendar:

SECOND SUBSTITUTE HOUSE BILL NO. 1010

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| 1037-S | 2386 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
| Other Action | | Introduction & 1st Reading |
| 1044-S | 2387 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1054 | 2388 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
| Other Action | | Introduction & 1st Reading |
| 1121-S | 2389 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1151-S2 | 2390 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1371-S | 2394 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1468 | 2395 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1508-S | 2397 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1618-S2 | 2399 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1637-S | 2401 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1818-S | 2403 | Introduction & 1st Reading |
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| 1851-S | 4405 | Committee Report |
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