

# Senate Journal

## First Regular Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma

**Sixty-sixth Legislative Day, Thursday, May 27, 2021**

The Senate was called to order by Senator McCortney.

Roll Call:

Present: Allen, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dossett (J.A.), Dossett (J.J.), Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, McCortney, Merrick, Montgomery, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Quinn, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Simpson, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Taylor, Thompson, Treat, Weaver and Young.—  
48.

Senator McCortney declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by of Senator Tom Dugger.

### INTRODUCTIONS

Senator David introduced the children of President Pro Tempore Treat, Olivia and Cooper; and Senator Kidd introduced his daughter, Kacey Lou, to the Senate.

### REPORT OF ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURE

**SR 24** was correctly enrolled, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Secretary of State.

### FOURTH READING

**SB 1033** by Leewright of the Senate and Fetgatter of the House, previously considered on May 26, 2021, was called up for further consideration.

On the question of passage of the bill and emergency, the vote resulted as follows:

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Daniels, David, Dossett (J.A.), Dossett (J.J.), Dugger, Floyd, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, Montgomery, Murdock, Newhouse, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Simpson, Stanley, Stephens, Taylor, Thompson, Weaver and Young.--37.

Nay: Allen, Burns, Dahm, Garvin, Hamilton, McCortney, Merrick, Paxton, Quinn, Standridge and Treat.--11.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1033**, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

#### **PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR**

The **2<sup>nd</sup> CCR** on **HB 2674** was adopted upon motion of Senator Howard.

**HB 2674**, as amended in conference, was read at length.

On the question of passage of the bill and emergency, the vote resulted as follows:

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett (J.A.), Dossett (J.J.), Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, McCortney, Montgomery, Murdock, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Simpson, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Taylor, Thompson, Treat, Weaver and Young.--39.

Nay: Allen, Burns, Dahm, David, Hamilton, Jett, Merrick, Newhouse and Quinn.--9.

The bill and emergency passed.

**HB 2674**, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered returned to the Honorable House.

#### **GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 2964** by McCall et al. of the House and Treat and Jech of the Senate was called up for consideration.

Senator Jech moved that **HB 2964** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**HB 2964** was read for the third time at length.

On the question of passage of the bill, the vote resulted as follows:

Aye: Allen, Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dugger, Garvin, Hall, Haste, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Leewright, McCortney, Montgomery, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Quinn, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Simpson, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Taylor, Thompson, Treat and Weaver.--37.

Nay: Boren, Brooks, Dossett (J.A.), Dossett (J.J.), Floyd, Hamilton, Hicks, Kirt, Matthews, Merrick and Young.--11.

The bill passed.

**HB 2964** was properly signed and ordered returned to the Honorable House.

**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE**

Advising passage of and returning the following Engrossed measure:

**SCR 6** - coauthored by Representative Kendrix

The above-numbered measure was referred for enrollment.

Returning following bills, together with conference committee reports thereon, advising adoption of conference committee reports and passage of measures as amended.

**SB 959**  
**SB 1033**

The above-numbered measures, as amended in conference, were referred for enrollment.

**REPORT OF ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES**

**SBs 959** and **1033** were each correctly enrolled and after fourth reading, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Honorable House for signature of the Speaker.

**SCR 6** was each correctly enrolled, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Honorable House for signature of the Speaker.

**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE**

Advising fourth reading of and returning Enrolled **SBs 959** and **1033**.

The above-numbered enrolled measures were referred to the Governor.

Advising the signing of and returning Enrolled **SCR 6**.

The above-numbered enrolled measure was transmitted to the Secretary of State.

Advising conferees are unable to agree on the following:

**HB 1122**

Advising fourth reading of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **HBs 2674** and **2964**.

The above-numbered enrolled measures were, after fourth reading, properly signed and ordered returned to the Honorable House.

**CHANGE IN AUTHORS/COAUTHOR**

The following measure was authored/coauthored:

**HB 2964** - Coauthored by Senator Jech

**MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR**

Advising that on May 27, 2021, in accordance with Article 2, Section 11, of the Oklahoma Constitution, **Senate Bill 131** has become law without the Governor's signature and has been filed with the Office of the Secretary of State.

Senator Simpson moved that pursuant to Article V, Section 26 of the Oklahoma Constitution, that the First Regular Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature adjourn sine die.

Pursuant to the Simpson motion, the First Regular Session of the Fifty-eighth Legislature adjourned sine die at 11:40 a.m., Thursday, May 27, 2021.

**FINAL ACTION ON BILLS AFTER ADJOURNMENT**

Advising his approval May 28, 2021, of Enrolled SBs **48, 54, 66, 207, 229, 270, 345, 408, 422, 434, 463, 472, 609, 624, 639, 650, 658, 689, 778, 779, 893, 909, 915, 959, 1013** and **1033**.

**POCKET VETO**

**SB 236** was not signed by the Governor constituting a pocket veto.

The pocket veto message reads as follows:

June 16, 2021

To the Honorable President Pro Tempore  
And Members of the Oklahoma Senate  
First Session of the  
Fifty-Eighth Oklahoma Legislature

**ENROLLED SENATE BILL NO. 236:**

This is to advise you that on this date, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article IV of the Oklahoma Constitution to approve or object to legislation presented to me, I did not act on Senate Bill 236 within fifteen days of Final Adjournment of the Legislature. Therefore, Senate Bill 236 shall not become law.

By the Governor of the State of Oklahoma  
/s/ Kevin Stitt