

# Senate Journal

## Second Regular Session of the Fifty-ninth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma

**Twenty-second Legislative Day, Tuesday, March 12, 2024**

The Senate was called to order by Senator Bullard.

Roll Call:

Present: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.—48.

Senator Bullard declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by Senator Todd Gollihare.

### REPORT OF ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

**SBs 232, 1200, 1257, 1273, 1278, 1308, 1309, 1330, 1331, 1356, 1370, 1372, 1386, 1387, 1391, 1399, 1400, 1403, 1415, 1417, 1449, 1450, 1456, 1457, 1478, 1498, 1504, 1505, 1525, 1536, 1547, 1702, 1803 and 1909 and SJR 16** were each correctly engrossed, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Honorable House for consideration.

### GENERAL ORDER

**SB 615** by Hamilton of the Senate and Olsen of the House was called up for further consideration.

Senator Hamilton moved to amend **SB 615**, Page 4, Line 7, by deleting Section 2 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Section 2 and Section 3 to read as follows: and by amending the title to conform.

“SECTION 2. AMENDATORY 21 O.S. 2021, Section 1112, is amended to read as follows:

Section 1112. No person can be convicted of rape or rape by instrumentation on account of an act of sexual intercourse with anyone over the age of fourteen (14) years and under the age of eighteen (18) years, with his or her consent, unless such person was ~~over the age of eighteen (18) years~~ more than four (4) years older than the other person at the time of such act.

SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.”; and amending the title to conform, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Hamilton moved that **SB 615** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 615** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, McCortney, Murdock, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver and Young.--41.

Excused: Boren, Hall, Kidd, Matthews, Newhouse, Pugh and Woods.--7.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 615** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1198** by Bergstrom and Jett of the Senate and Lepak of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Bergstrom moved that **SB 1198** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1198** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Howard, Jech, Jett, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat and Weaver.--37.

Nay: Boren, Brooks, Deevers, Floyd, Hicks, Kirt, Matthews and Young.--8.

Excused: Kidd, Thompson (Roger) and Woods.--3.

The bill passed.

**SB 1198** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1283** by Treat et al. of the Senate and McCall of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Treat moved to amend **SB 1283**, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies were provided for all Senators.)

Senator Treat moved that **SB 1283** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1283** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat, Weaver and Young.--43.

Nay: Boren and Dahm.--2.

Excused: Kidd, Thompson (Roger) and Woods.--3.

The bill passed.

**SB 1283** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 2035** by Treat and Stephens of the Senate and Hilbert of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Treat moved to amend **SB 2035**, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies were provided for all Senators.)

Senator Treat moved that **SB 2035** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 2035** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver and Young.--46.

Excused: Kidd and Woods.--2.

The bill passed.

**SB 2035** was referred for engrossment.

## GENERAL ORDER

**SB 1358** by Pugh of the Senate and Moore of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Pugh moved to amend **SB 1358**, Page 2, Line 7½, by inserting a new Section 2 as follows:

“SECTION 2. There is hereby appropriated to the Workforce Development Revolving Fund created pursuant to Section 1 of this act from any monies not otherwise appropriated from the General Revenue Fund of the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the sum of One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose provided for in Section 1 of this act.”; and by renumbering subsequent sections, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Pugh moved to amend **SB 1358**, Page 2, Line 7½, by inserting a new Section 2 as follows:

“SECTION 2. AMENDATORY Section 5, Chapter 361, O.S.L. 2023 (40 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 904), is amended to read as follows:

Section 904. The Oklahoma Workforce Commission shall have the following powers, duties, and responsibilities:

1. To administer the provisions of ~~this act~~ the Oklahoma Workforce Transformation Act or any duty as directed by statute;
2. To establish an office for the Commission within this state;
3. To elect whatever other officers may be necessary to direct operations of the Commission;
4. To employ or contract for personnel and administrative support as the Commission deems appropriate to carry out the purpose and provisions of ~~this act~~ the Oklahoma Workforce Transformation Act, including but not limited to a nonprofit corporation to carry out the Commission’s objectives, an Executive Director or other chief executive officer and any other employees or contractors the Commission deems appropriate, and to prescribe their duties and fix their compensation;
5. To administer the Workforce Coordination Revolving Fund created in Section 255.4 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes and the Workforce Development Revolving Fund created in Section 1 of this act;
6. To approve or disapprove the budget of the Commission;
7. To promulgate rules to carry out the provisions of ~~this act~~ the Oklahoma Workforce Transformation Act;

8. To enter into contracts or agreements for studies, professional services, grant administration and procurement, research projects, supplies, or any other services the Commission deems necessary to carry out its purpose, and to incur those expenses necessary to carry out those purposes;
9. To cooperate with any private, local, state, or national commission, organization, agency, or group and to make contracts and agreements for joint programs beneficial to Oklahoma's workforce development efforts;
10. To accept donations, grants, contributions, and gifts from any public or private source and deposit such in the Workforce Coordination Revolving Fund, created in Section 255.4 of Title 62 of the Oklahoma Statutes;
11. To oversee and direct to the extent permitted by law the activities and administration of the Governor's Council for Workforce and Economic Development, including but not limited to the creation and submission of state plans to the federal government pursuant to the provisions of the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act;
12. To collect data from federal, state, and local agencies, departments, educational institutions, boards, commissions, or any other entities including, but not limited to:
  - a. number of participants in workforce development programming,
  - b. cost per participant,
  - c. wages before and after participation in programs,
  - d. degree or certificate conferred on each participant,
  - e. number of jobs open needing degrees or certificates,
  - f. labor force and economic information, and
  - g. any other information the Commission deems appropriate to guide funding decisions, facilitate its work or the work of workforce development entities in the state, or to understand the impact of the state's workforce efforts and programming;
13. To create and maintain a public dashboard and create reports with data concerning workforce development efforts in the state. All state and local agencies, departments, educational institutions, boards, commissions, and other public entities shall cooperate with information and data requests from the Commission or its designees. It is the intent of the Legislature that the Oklahoma Workforce Commission serve as the centralized data and information repository for workforce development activities for the state; and
14. To make recommendations to the Legislature to improve workforce development programs in the state.”; and by renumbering subsequent sections, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Pugh moved that **SB 1358** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1358** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Howard, Jech, McCortney, Murdock, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Treat and Weaver.--31.

Nay: Boren, Dahm, Deevers, Floyd, Hamilton, Hicks, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, Newhouse, Standridge and Young.--12.

Excused: Kidd, Rogers, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger) and Woods.--5.

The bill passed.

The emergency failed.

**SB 1358** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**SJR 34** by Daniels et al. of the Senate and Lepak of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Daniels moved that **SJR 34** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SJR 34** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dugger, Garvin, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Jett, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Treat and Weaver.--32.

Nay: Boren, Brooks, Dossett, Floyd, Gollihare, Green, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kirt, Matthews, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger) and Young.--14.

Excused: Kidd and Woods.--2.

The resolution passed.

**SJR 34** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1334** by Seifried et al. of the Senate and West (Josh) of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Seifried moved that **SB 1334** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1334** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver and Young.--38.

Nay: Burns, Dahm, Deevers, Hamilton, Jech, Jett, Newhouse and Rader.--8.

Excused: Kidd and Woods.--2.

The bill passed.

**SB 1334** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1279** by Paxton of the Senate and West (Kevin) of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Paxton moved to amend **SB 1279**, Page 1, by restoring the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Paxton moved that **SB 1279** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.



### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1279** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver and Young.--44.

Nay: Dahm and Deevers.--2.

Excused: Kidd and Woods.--2.

The bill passed.

**SB 1279** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1429** by Haste and Stephens of the Senate and Miller of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Haste moved to amend **SB 1429**, Page 1, by restoring the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Haste moved that **SB 1429** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1429** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver and Young.--43.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers and Standridge.--3.

Excused: Kidd and Woods.--2.

The bill passed.

**SB 1429** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 2001** by Coleman of the Senate and Hays of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Coleman moved to amend **SB 2001**, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies were provided for all Senators.)

Senator Coleman moved that **SB 2001** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 2001** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hamilton, Hicks, Howard, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--37.

Nay: Bullard, Jech and Pederson.--3.

Excused: Daniels, Hall, Haste, Kidd, Stewart, Treat and Woods.--7.

\*Constitutional Privilege: Thompson (Kristen).--1.

\*Senator Thompson (Kristen) asked to be shown not voting on **SB 2001** for reason of personal interest, as provided in Article V, Section 24, Oklahoma Constitution.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 2001** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1319** by Seifried of the Senate and Newton of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Seifried moved that **SB 1319** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1319** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--38.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers, Hamilton, Jett and Standridge.--5.

Excused: Daniels, Haste, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--5.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1319** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1481** by Floyd of the Senate and Boatman of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Floyd moved to amend **SB 1481**, Page 1, by restoring the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Floyd moved that **SB 1481** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1481** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--40.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers and Standridge.--3.

Excused: Alvord, Haste, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--5.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1481** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1962** by Pugh of the Senate and Osburn of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Pugh moved that **SB 1962** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1962** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--40.

Nay: Bullard, Dahm and Deevers.--3.

Excused: Alvord, Haste, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--5.

The bill passed.

**SB 1962** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 2008** by Rader of the Senate and Hasenbeck of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Rader moved that **SB 2008** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 2008** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger) and Weaver.--36.

Nay: Brooks, Dahm, Deevers, Floyd, Matthews, Standridge and Young.--7.

Excused: Alvord, Haste, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--5.

The bill passed.

**SB 2008** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1677** by Daniels of the Senate and Crosswhite Hader of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Daniels moved that **SB 1677** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1677** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dugger, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Howard, Jech, Jett, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger) and Weaver.--35.

Nay: Boren, Brooks, Dossett, Floyd, Hicks, Kirt, Matthews and Young.--8.

Excused: Alvord, Haste, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--5.

The bill passed.

**SB 1677** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1433** by Thompson (Roger) of the Senate and Wallace of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Thompson (Roger) moved that **SB 1433** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1433** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--41.

Nay: Hamilton and Jett.--2.

Excused: Alvord, Haste, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--5.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1433** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1964** by Pugh of the Senate and Osburn of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Pugh moved that **SB 1964** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

## **THIRD READING**

**SB 1964** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--41.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers and Dugger.--3.

Excused: Alvord, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--4.

The bill passed.

**SB 1964** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1771** by Stewart and Boren of the Senate and Cantrell of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Stewart moved that **SB 1771** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1771** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--42.

Nay: Dahm and Deevers.--2.

Excused: Alvord, Kidd, Treat and Woods.--4.

The bill passed.

**SB 1771** was referred for engrossment.

Senator McCortney moved that the Senate recess until 1:00 p.m., which motion was declared adopted.

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The Senate reconvened with Senator Jech presiding.

Senator Jech questioned the presence of a quorum and ordered the roll called, following which a quorum was declared present.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1768** by Thompson (Kristen) et al. of the Senate and Baker and Moore of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Thompson (Kristen) moved that **SB 1768** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

**THIRD READING**

**SB 1768** was read for the third time at length.



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

Aye: Alvord, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Dugger, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Howard, Jech, Jett, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat and Woods.--31.

Nay: Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Deevers, Dossett, Floyd, Hamilton, Hicks, Kirt, Matthews, Stephens, Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Young.--16.

Excused: Kidd.--1.

The bill passed.

Senators Thompson (Roger), Bergstrom, Weaver, Bullard and Hamilton desired to vote Aye on the emergency.

On the question of passage of the emergency, the vote resulted as follows: Aye: 36; Nay: 11; Excused: 1.

The emergency passed.

**SB 1768** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1407** by Thompson (Roger) of the Senate and George of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Thompson (Roger) moved that **SB 1407** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

## **THIRD READING**

**SB 1407** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--47.

Excused: Kidd.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1407** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1428** by Alvord of the Senate and Townley of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Alvord moved that **SB 1428** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1428** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver, Woods and Young.--40.

Nay: Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Hamilton, Jett and Pugh.--6.

Excused: Paxton and Treat.--2.

The bill passed.

**SB 1428** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1658** by Garvin of the Senate and Echols of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Garvin moved that **SB 1658** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1658** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--48.

The bill passed.

**SB 1658** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 991** by Green of the Senate and Hilbert of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Green moved to amend **SB 991**, Page 1, Line 17, by deleting the underlined word “seven”; and Page 1, Lines 16 through 18, by striking all language from the word “are” on Line 16 through the word “and” on Line 18; and Page 1, Line 18, by inserting after the period “.”, the following: “The Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology Education shall determine the grade levels that may be offered agricultural education programs.”; and by amending the title to conform, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Green moved that **SB 991** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 991** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--48.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 991** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1761** by Rader of the Senate and West (Tammy) of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Rader moved that **SB 1761** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1761** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Boren, Brooks, Coleman, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Newhouse, Paxton, Pemberton, Rader, Rogers, Seifried, Stewart, Thompson (Roger) and Young.--25.

Nay: Alvord, Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Green, Hamilton, Jett, Kidd, Murdock, Pederson, Prieto, Pugh, Rosino, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Thompson (Kristen), Treat, Weaver and Woods.--23.

The bill passed.

**SB 1761** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1670** by McCortney et al. of the Senate and McEntire of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator McCortney moved to amend **SB 1670**, Page 1, by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator McCortney moved that **SB 1670** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1670** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--48.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1670** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1948** by Stewart of the Senate and Cantrell of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Stewart moved that **SB 1948** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1948** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--46.

Excused: Matthews.--1.

\*Constitutional Privilege: Rogers.--1.

\*Senator Rogers asked to be shown not voting on **SB 1948** for reason of personal interest, as provided in Article V, Section 24, Oklahoma Constitution.

The bill passed.

**SB 1948** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1786** by Thompson (Kristen) of the Senate and Kannady and Deck of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Thompson (Kristen) moved to amend **SB 1786**, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies were provided for all Senators.)

Senator Thompson (Kristen) moved that **SB 1786** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1786** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Boren, Brooks, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat and Weaver.--33.

Nay: Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Dahm, Deever, Hamilton, Jech, Jett, Murdock, Newhouse, Rader, Rogers, Standridge, Woods and Young.--15.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1786** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1724** by Howard of the Senate and Hill of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Howard moved to amend **SB 1724**, Page 3, Line 5, by inserting after the word “Oklahoma” and before the word “and”, the words “for any reason other than a conviction for reckless driving or driving under the influence pursuant to Section 11-901, 11-902, or 11.906.4 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes,”, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Howard moved that **SB 1724** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

## **THIRD READING**

**SB 1724** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Weaver, Woods and Young.--47.

Excused: Treat.--1.

The bill passed.

**SB 1724** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1933** by Floyd and Bullard of the Senate and Wallace of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Floyd moved that **SB 1933** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

## **THIRD READING**

**SB 1933** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--47.

Excused: Thompson (Roger).--1.

The bill passed.

**SB 1933** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1703** by Daniels of the Senate and McEntire of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Daniels moved that **SB 1703** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1703** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Weaver, Woods and Young.--44.

Nay: Dahm and Deevers.--2.

Excused: Thompson (Roger) and Treat.--2.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1703** was referred for engrossment.



## **GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 2673** by Baker et al. of the House and Pugh of the Senate was called up for consideration.

Senator Pugh moved to amend **HB 2673**, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies were provided for all Senators.)

Senator Pugh moved to amend the floor substitute to **HB 2673**, Page 1, by restoring the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Pugh moved that **HB 2673** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

## **THIRD READING**

**HB 2673** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--45.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers and Hamilton.--3.

The bill and emergency passed.

**HB 2673** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1447** by Thompson (Kristen) of the Senate and Osburn of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Thompson (Kristen) moved to amend **SB 1447**, Page 7, Line 4, after the word “the” and before the word “no”, by deleting the word “chair” and inserting in lieu thereof the word “Governor”; and Page 7, Line 5, after the word “act” and before the period “.”, by inserting the words “The first meeting shall be chaired by the economic development practitioner appointed by the Governor, at which time the Board shall elect a chair and vice chair.”, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Thompson (Kristen) moved that **SB 1447** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1447** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Haste, Howard, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Rader, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--36.

Nay: Boren, Dahm, Deevers, Hamilton, Hicks, Jett, Murdock, Newhouse, Prieto, Rogers and Standridge.--11.

Excused: Paxton.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1447** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1488** by Floyd of the Senate and West (Tammy) of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Floyd moved that **SB 1488** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1488** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Standridge, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--47.

Excused: Paxton.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1488** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1430** by Hall of the Senate and Wallace of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Hall moved that **SB 1430** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1430** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--42.

Nay: Boren, Hicks and Kirt.--3.

Excused: Howard, Paxton and Standridge.--3.

The bill passed.

**SB 1430** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1419** by Gollihare of the Senate and Boatman of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Gollihare moved to amend **SB 1419**, by substituting the attached floor substitute for the title, enacting clause and entire body of the measure, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies were provided for all Senators.)

Senator Gollihare moved that **SB 1419** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1419** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hall, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--42.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers and Jett.--3.

Excused: Howard, Paxton and Standridge.--3.

The bill and emergency passed.

**SB 1419** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1427** by Hamilton and Stephens of the Senate and Grego of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Hamilton moved that **SB 1427** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1427** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Boren, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dugger, Gollihare, Hamilton, Haste, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Murdock, Newhouse, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Rader, Rogers, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Roger), Weaver and Woods.--26.

Nay: Bergstrom, Brooks, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Floyd, Garvin, Green, Hicks, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Paxton, Pugh, Rosino, Seifried, Thompson (Kristen), Treat and Young.--20.

Excused: Hall and Standridge.--2.

The bill passed.

Senators Seifried, Garvin, Paxton, Thompson (Kristen), Bergstrom, Daniels and Green desired to vote Aye on the emergency.

On the question of passage of the emergency, the vote resulted as follows: Aye: 33; Nay: 13; Excused: 2.

The emergency passed.

**SB 1427** was referred for engrossment.

## **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1914** by Murdock of the Senate and Newton of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Murdock moved that **SB 1914** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

## **THIRD READING**

**SB 1914** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Weaver, Woods and Young.--38.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers, Hamilton and Jett.--4.

Excused: Boren, Hall, Standridge, Thompson (Kristen), Thompson (Roger) and Treat.-  
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The bill passed.

**SB 1914** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1701** by Brooks of the Senate and Kannady of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Brooks moved that **SB 1701** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1701** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Brooks, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Matthews, McCortney, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Rader, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat, Weaver and Young.--  
28.

Nay: Alvord, Bergstrom, Bullard, Burns, Dahm, Deevers, Hamilton, Haste, Jett, Murdock, Newhouse, Prieto, Pugh, Rogers, Stephens and Woods.--16.

Excused: Boren, Hall, Standridge and Thompson (Roger).--4.

The bill passed.

**SB 1701** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1662** by Gollihare of the Senate and Duel of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Gollihare moved that **SB 1662** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1662** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Matthews, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat, Weaver, Woods and Young.--41.

Nay: Dahm and Deevers.--2.

Excused: Boren, Hall, Kirt, Standridge and Thompson (Roger).--5.

The bill passed.

**SB 1662** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1741** by Paxton of the Senate and Pfeiffer of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Paxton moved to amend **SB 1741**, Page 1, by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Senator Paxton moved that **SB 1741** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1741** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Bergstrom, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Daniels, Dossett, Dugger, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hamilton, Haste, Howard, Jech, Kidd, McCortney, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Treat, Weaver and Woods.--35.

Nay: Dahm, Deevers, Floyd, Hicks, Jett, Matthews, Pederson and Young.--8.

Excused: Boren, Hall, Kirt, Standridge and Thompson (Roger).--5.

The bill passed.

**SB 1741** was referred for engrossment.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**SB 1754** by Garvin of the Senate and Boatman of the House was called up for consideration.

Senator Garvin moved that **SB 1754** be advanced, which motion was declared adopted.

### **THIRD READING**

**SB 1754** was read for the third time at length.

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

Aye: Alvord, Brooks, Bullard, Burns, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, Deevers, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Garvin, Gollihare, Green, Hamilton, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Jech, Jett, Kidd, Matthews, McCortney, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Prieto, Pugh, Rader, Rogers, Rosino, Seifried, Stanley, Stephens, Stewart, Thompson (Kristen), Weaver, Woods and Young.--39.

Nay: Bergstrom, Murdock, Newhouse and Treat.--4.

Excused: Boren, Hall, Kirt, Standridge and Thompson (Roger).--5.

The bill passed.

**SB 1754** was referred for engrossment.

### **MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE**

Advising fourth reading of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **HJR 1058**.

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



Advising passage of and transmitting for consideration Engrossed **HBs 1611, 2948, 2965, 2966, 2982, 2995, 2996, 3022, 3048, 3076, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3097, 3168, 3215, 3291, 3451, 3452, 3497, 3573, 3598, 3643, 3752, 3760, 3784, 3786, 3787, 3822, 3840, 3885, 3933, 3992, 4092 and 4098.**

**HB 1611** – By Osburn of the House and Standridge of the Senate.

An Act relating to civil procedure; amending 12 O.S. 2021, Section 1751, which relates to The Small Claims Procedure Act; authorizing certain entities to represent themselves in small claims actions; and providing an effective date.

**HB 2948** – By McCall and Sims of the House and Dahm of the Senate.

An Act relating to revenue and taxation; providing for deduction from taxable income computed pursuant to Oklahoma Income Tax Code for corporations; specifying amount of deduction; specifying taxable years for which deduction is authorized; prescribing procedures for election; providing certain exceptions related to subsidiaries; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 2965** – By Culver of the House and Coleman of the Senate.

An Act relating to horse racing; amending 3A O.S. 2021, Sections 205.6, 205.6a, and 205.7a, which relate to the Oklahoma Horse Racing Act; providing exception; permitting certain races to be televised at certain racetracks, out of state, or out of country; and providing an effective date.

**HB 2966** – By Luttrell of the House and Coleman of the Senate.

An Act relating to crimes and punishments; making certain acts unlawful; providing penalties; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 2982** – By Kane of the House and Pemberton of the Senate.

An Act relating to retirement; amending 20 O.S. 2021, Section 1102C, which relates to the Uniform Retirement System for Justices and Judges; amending 74 O.S. 2021, Sections 918 and 935.7, which relate to the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System; modifying how retirement benefits shall be paid to certain members; providing that spouse is not required to consent in writing to election of certain benefit by member; permitting System to use certain funds as permitted by federal law; and providing an effective date.

**HB 2995** – By Luttrell of the House and Coleman of the Senate.

[ Oklahoma Corporation Commission - courier application services - restaurants – agreement - filing of complaint - protocol and fee schedule – codification - effective date ]

**HB 2996** – By Lepak and Randleman of the House and Weaver of the Senate.

An Act relating to retirement; amending 47 O.S. 2021, Sections 2-300, as amended by Section 8, Chapter 151, O.S.L. 2023 (47 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 2-300), 2-304, and 2-307.2, which relate to the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System; defining term; modifying terms; updating references; and declaring an emergency.

**HB 3022** – By Humphrey and McDugle of the House and Garvin of the Senate.

An Act relating to prisons and reformatories; defining terms; providing for the designation and use of changing rooms and restrooms in state correctional facilities; establishing restrictions on the use of changing rooms and restrooms; providing for the designation and use of sleeping quarters in state correctional facilities; establishing restrictions on the use of sleeping quarters; providing exceptions; allowing private causes of action for declaratory and injunctive relief; providing statute of limitations for bringing claims; allowing for the recovery of attorney fees and costs; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3048** – By Boles of the House and Garvin of the Senate.

An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2021, Section 8-101.2, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 193, O.S.L. 2022 (70 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 8-101.2), which relates to the Education Open Transfer Act; modifying criteria for appeals process; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3076** – By Hays of the House and Coleman of the Senate.

An Act relating to alcoholic beverages; amending 37A O.S. 2021, Section 1-103, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 338, O.S.L. 2023 (37A O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 1-103), which relates to definitions; defining term; amending 37A O.S. 2021, Section 2-109, which relates to retail spirits license; permitting an employee to sample alcoholic beverages under certain circumstances; specifying amount to be used in tastings; providing for procedure of tastings that shall occur; allowing for certain resealing and storing; exempting samples from certain excise tax provisions; amending 37A O.S. 2021, Section 5-132, as amended by Section 4, Chapter 94, O.S.L. 2023 (37A O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 5-132), which relates to brand labels; providing brand label fee for small batch spirits; amending 37A O.S. 2021, Section 6-105, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 82, O.S.L. 2022 (37A O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 6-105), which relates to prohibited acts of mixed beverage, public event, special event, or on-premises beer and wine licensees; providing exception; amending 37A O.S. 2021, Section 6-109, which relates to prohibited acts; permitting an employee to sample alcoholic beverages under certain circumstances; specifying amount to be used in tastings; providing for procedure of tastings that shall occur; allowing for certain resealing and storing; exempting samples from certain excise tax provisions; updating statutory language; and updating statutory reference.

**HB 3090** – By Tedford of the House and Coleman of the Senate.

An Act relating to insurance; providing definitions; providing the effect of reorganization; stating that the converting mutual insurer becomes a converted stock insurer; requiring certain filings; directing the Insurance Commissioner to make certain amendment; describing certain conversion; clarifying membership of the mutual holding company; directing for the acquisition and retention of certain shares of stock; directing for continuation of corporate existence of converting mutual insurer; directing that certain

intermediate stock holding companies be incorporated; permitting certain issuances to certain third parties; directing who shall serve as directors and officers; permitting domestic mutual insurers under certain circumstances to engage in conversion; requiring mutual insurer to make certain filings before seeking approval of plan; directing the Insurance Commissioner to approve or disapprove plan following certain procedure; permitting board to make amendments or withdraw plan; providing requirements for approval by eligible members of the converting mutual insurer; mandating that the plan shall be carried out; clarifying that certain information and documents are confidential except in certain circumstance; providing required contents of plan of reorganization of a domestic mutual insurer; directing the Insurance Commissioner to review plan of reorganization; directing the Insurance Commissioner to approve plan if certain findings are made; directing the Insurance Commissioner to gauge certain effects of merger; setting time frame for expiration of approval of plan; permitting Insurance Commissioner to retain certain experts; permitting Insurance Commissioner to hold hearing; clarifying that a mutual holding company is not an insurer; prohibiting dissolution without certain approval; stating that Insurance Commissioner retains certain jurisdiction; clarifying that members have certain rights and obligations; prohibiting transfer of certain membership and rights; clarifying members are not personally liable; prohibiting certain assessment; clarifying assessment; clarifying membership does not constitute a security; establishing voting rights of members; directing that meetings of members be governed in same manner as domestic mutual insurer; providing required provisions for the articles of incorporation of a mutual holding company; directing that mutual holding company be party to certain rehabilitation or liquidation proceedings; permitting for concurrent reorganization of domestic mutual insurer with one or more mutual insurers; permitting certain reorganization of certain converting companies; clarifying that a mutual holding company is considered an insurer; establishing that a mutual holding company is party to certain proceedings; prohibiting certain dissolution or liquidation; permitting certain conversion; directing that the Insurance Commissioner review certain plan; permitting Insurance Commissioner to make certain requirements; permitting the retention of qualified expert; establishing Insurance Commissioner's jurisdiction over certain mutual holding companies; directing that certain mutual holding companies follow certain organization guidelines; clarifying that certain articles and amendments are subject to approval of Insurance Commissioner; clarifying that certain interests become interests in the mutual holding company; clarifying that certain members become members of the mutual holding company; establishing that certain membership interest does not constitute security; providing definitions; directing issuance of certain initial shares of capital stock; directing that mutual holding company own majority of certain voting shares of capital stock; permitting certain indirect ownership; prohibiting certain actions by mutual holding company or intermediate holding company; providing process for certain violation; providing procedure for approved reorganization of foreign mutual insurance companies; permitting foreign mutual insurance companies to remain foreign; permitting foreign mutual insurance companies to redomesticate; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3091** – By Tedford of the House and Pemberton of the Senate.

An Act relating to insurance; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 902, which relates to excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory rates; modifying certain compliance burden; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 908, which relates to penalties; clarifying applicability to rules and orders; modifying penalty; stipulating no penalty without hearing; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1106.1, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 154, O.S.L. 2022 (36 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 1106.1), which relates to exemption from due diligence search; modifying conditions requiring a due diligence search; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1107, which relates to required application and informational filings; requiring certain filings; clarifying method of filing; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1114, which relates to surplus lines licensee's or broker's annual statement; clarifying method for filing; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1250.9, which relates to Unfair Claims Settlement Practices Act; modifying required information; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1450, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 149, O.S.L. 2023 (36 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 1450), which relates to third-party administrator licensure; modifying licensing procedures; permitting Insurance Commissioner to deny or refuse to renew license in certain circumstances; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1682, which relates to the Insurance Business Transfer Act; modifying district court approval; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 2122, which relates to domestic mutual and stock insurers; modifying definition; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 6060.4, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 199, O.S.L. 2022 (36 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 6060.4), which relates to coverage for child immunization; modifying definition; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3092** – By Tedford of the House and Pemberton of the Senate.

An Act relating to insurance; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 3639.1, which relates to cancellation, refusal to renew or increase premium of homeowner's insurance policy; prohibiting certain terminations; prohibiting certain actions by insurers for claims occurring more than five years before policy effective date or renewal; directing that insurers shall not refuse underwriting risk for homeowner's insurance in certain cases; prohibiting certain actions by insurers for certain claims; providing exceptions; directing that insurers may only consider at-fault motor vehicle claims history in provided time frame; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3097** – By Hasenbeck, Conley and Cantrell of the House and Alvord of the Senate.

An Act relating to crimes and punishments; defining terms; making commercial entities liable for publishing or distributing obscene material; providing internet and cellular service subscribers the opportunity to make certain request; requiring commercial entities to block access without charge; establishing liability provisions for violations; providing exemptions from liability; prohibiting the retention of identifying information; providing liability provisions for retaining identifying information; seek injunctive and other relief for noncompliance; authorizing and directing the Attorney General to develop and publish certain guidelines and regulations; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3168** – By Kerbs of the House and Kidd of the Senate.

An Act relating to insurance; amending 36 O.S. 2021, Section 1250.8, which relates to motor vehicle total loss or damage claims; prohibiting insurers from requiring certain estimate methods; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3215** – By West (Kevin) of the House and Daniels of the Senate.

An Act relating to professions and occupations; amending 59 O.S. 2021, Sections 1684 and 1688, which relate to the Electrical License Act; establishing maximum grade value and passing score; providing for retaking of exam; establishing time limit for registration certificates; requiring continuing education for renewal of certain licenses; requiring amendment of administrative rules; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3291** – By Hardin and Hilbert of the House and Woods of the Senate.

An Act relating to state employee benefits; amending 62 O.S. 2021, Section 3103, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 306, O.S.L. 2022 (62 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 3103), which relates to the Oklahoma Pension Legislation Actuarial Analysis Act; modifying definition; providing certain provisions to be deemed nonfiscal; amending 74 O.S. 2021, Section 902, as amended by Section 2, Chapter 146, O.S.L. 2023 (74 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 902), which relates to the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System; modifying definition; providing for service credit for purposes of normal retirement age or date; prohibiting use of service credit for purpose of retirement benefit computations; amending 74 O.S. 2021, Section 840-2.18, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 18, 1st Extraordinary Session, O.S.L. 2023 (74 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 840-2.18), which relates to longevity payments; modifying provisions to authorize computation for certain services performed pursuant to contracts; providing for codification; and providing effective dates.

**HB 3451** – By Boatman and Deck of the House and Rosino of the Senate.

An Act relating to mental health; amending 43A O.S. 2021, Section 1-103, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 297, O.S.L. 2022 (43A O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 1-103), which relates to definitions; clarifying a definition; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3452** – By Boatman of the House and Rader of the Senate.

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 2021, Section 11-309, which relates to driving on roadways laned for traffic; requiring the overtaking and passing of another vehicle to be performed expeditiously; setting time limit to complete act; setting penalty for violations; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3497** – By West (Tammy) of the House and Gollihare of the Senate.

[ criminal procedure - sentencing powers of the court - district attorney's supervision fee - deferred sentences - effective date ]

**HB 3573** – By Pae, Miller, Talley, Menz, Schreiber, Kendrix, McCall, Alonso-Sandoval, Provenzano, May, Ranson, Roberts, Munson and Deck of the House and Stephens of the Senate.

[ cancer screening - Fighting Chance for Firefighters Act - insurance coverage – members - exclusions - political subdivisions – agencies – trusts - departments - Office of Management and Enterprise Services – codification - effective date ]

**HB 3598** – By Ford of the House and Weaver of the Senate.

An Act relating to criminal procedure; defining terms; directing law enforcement agencies to establish policies and procedures relating to the use, maintenance, and storage of certain cameras; requiring certain policies and procedures; establishing requirements for peace officers who utilize vehicle mounted cameras or wear body cameras; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3643** – By Boatman of the House and Jech of the Senate.

An Act relating to records; amending 67 O.S. 2021, Sections 203, 206, 211, 301, 306, and 317, which relate to record-keeping activities; adding punctuation; modifying exempt groups; changing procedures for destruction of nonrecord materials; modifying storage procedures for original media; updating citations; clarifying record disposition methods; modifying definitions; repealing 67 O.S. 2021, Section 312, which relates to microfilm maintenance and supplies; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3752** – By Talley of the House and Seifried of the Senate.

An Act relating to domestic violence; amending 22 O.S. 2021, Sections 1601 and 1602, which relate to the Domestic Violence Fatality Review Board; authorizing the Board to request and obtain certain records; increasing membership of the Board; modifying certain recommendation requirement; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3760** – By Cantrell of the House and Thompson (Kristen) of the Senate.

An Act relating to public health and safety; amending 63 O.S. 2021, Section 1-1902, which relates to the Nursing Home Care Act; adding a definition; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3784** – By George of the House and Weaver of the Senate.

An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending 21 O.S. 2021, Section 13.1, required service of prison sentences; adding certain criminal offenses to list of crimes; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3786** – By George of the House and Weaver of the Senate.

An Act relating to professions and occupations; amending 59 O.S. 2021, Sections 1750.3A and 1750.6, which relate to the Oklahoma Security Guard and Private Investigation Act; extending period of exemption for retired peace officers; exempting retired peace officers from certain application requirements; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3787** – By George and Hefner of the House and Weaver of the Senate.

[ state employee compensation - increase in compensation of Park Rangers of the Division of State Parks – noncodification - effective date - emergency ]

**HB 3822** – By Alonso-Sandoval, Menz, Hardin, Burns, Lowe (Dick), Archer, Pfeiffer and Hefner of the House and Pederson of the Senate.

An Act relating to definitions and general provisions; designating Healthy Soils Week; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3840** – By Pittman of the House and Gollihare of the Senate.

[ mental health – Office of Faith-based and Community Initiatives – Oklahoma Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services – reports – codification – effective date ]

**HB 3885** – By Ford of the House and Daniels of the Senate.

An Act relating to bail; amending 22 O.S. 2021, Section 1115.1A, as amended by Section 7, Chapter 310, O.S.L. 2023 (22 O.S. Supp. 2023, Section 1115.1A), which relates to the State and Municipal Traffic, Water Safety, and Wildlife Bail Bond Procedure Act; increasing time limitation for certain notification requirement; and providing an effective date.

**HB 3933** – By Provenzano and Hefner of the House and Rader of the Senate.

An Act relating to revenue and taxation; amending 68 O.S. 2021, Section 3105, which relates to sale of property for delinquent ad valorem taxes; modifying certain value amount related to single-family properties; and providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

**HB 3992** – By Fetgatter, Sims, Conley and Bashore of the House and Gollihare of the Senate.

[ sex crimes – Knights Law – full sentences – earned credits – required minimum sentences – human trafficking – child abuse – Oklahoma Law on Obscenity and Child Pornography – first degree rape – penalties – persons authorized to take bail – rebuttable presumption – credits for good conduct – noncodification – codification - effective date ]

**HB 4092** – By Caldwell (Trey) and West (Rick) of the House and Jech of the Senate.

[ revenue and taxation – banks – associations – credit unions – associations – institutions – deductions – loans – terms - effective date ]

**HB 4098** – By Kendrix, Caldwell (Trey), McDugle, West (Josh) and McBride of the House and Gollihare of the Senate.

An Act relating to dentists and dental hygienists; providing the purpose; defining terms; providing for commission membership; providing duties for Compact member states; providing the powers and duties of the Compact Commission; providing the application, eligibility, and issuance of the Compact license privilege to a practice state; specifying jurisdiction of Compact license privilege holders; providing for fees and military waiver; providing for joint investigations and disciplinary actions; providing for request of information from non-member states; directing rulemaking functions of the Compact commission; providing for oversight of Compact; providing for enforcement; providing for dispute resolution; providing for withdrawal from the Compact; providing for dissolution of the Compact; providing for severability; providing for binding effect of the Compact; providing rules of order; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

The above-numbered measures were read the first time.

Senator McCortney moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the Senate stand adjourned to convene Wednesday, March 13, 2024, at 9:00 a.m., which motion prevailed.

## **FIRST READING**

The following was introduced and read the first time:

**SR 30** – By Paxton.

A Resolution urging federal action to reform United States processes relating to permitting and environmental review in order to expedite the deployment of modern energy infrastructure; and directing distribution.

## **CHANGE IN AUTHORS/COAUTHORS**

The following measures were authored/coauthored:

**SB 615** - Coauthored by Senator Jett

**SB 991** - Coauthored by Senator Stephens

**SB 1036** - Remove as author Senator Dahm; authored by Senator Daniels

Coauthored by Senator Dahm

**SB 1407** - Coauthored by Senator Floyd

**SB 1427** - Coauthored by Senator Newhouse

Coauthored by Senator Jett

**SB 1705** - Coauthored by Senator Burns

**SB 1728** - Coauthored by Senator Garvin



**SJR 34** - Coauthored by Senator Hamilton  
Coauthored by Representative Lepak (principal House author)  
**HB 2948** - Authored by Senator Dahm  
**HB 3787** - Coauthored by Representative Rosecrants  
**HB 3992** - Coauthored by Representative West (Tammy)  
**HB 4012** - Coauthored by Representative Sims  
Coauthored by Representative Fetgatter  
Coauthored by Representative Strom

## **MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR**

Advising his veto March 12, 2024, of Enrolled **SB 1196**.

The veto message reads as follows:

March 12, 2024

The Honorable President Pro Tempore  
And Members of the Oklahoma Senate  
Second Regular Session of the  
Fifty-ninth Oklahoma Legislature

### **ENROLLED SENATE BILL NO. 1196:**

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article VI of the Oklahoma Constitution, I have vetoed Enrolled Senate Bill 1196.

Enrolled Senate Bill 1196 is duplicative and unnecessary. Even if Secretaries in the Governor's cabinet were officers under a dual office holding analysis, Oklahoma law already provides for them to simultaneously serve as agency heads.

A person is not prohibited from simultaneously holding more than one office if either: (1) 51 O.S. § 6 specifically exempts them *or* (2) where the law elsewhere provides an exception. In the case of cabinet Secretaries, there is an exception elsewhere and Oklahoma governors have long operated accordingly. Secretaries' ability to also serve as agency heads is covered in 74 O.S. § 10.3, which provides, in relevant part:

A cabinet Secretary may be ... appointed as a cabinet Secretary from among the agency heads within the cabinet area.

[T]he appointment or removal of a cabinet Secretary who is also an agency head shall not otherwise affect the status of the other duties of the agency head.

While I appreciate the floor amendment author's well-meaning attempt to ensure that a great public servant is spared from potential ripple effects of an Attorney General Opinion, the Secretary of Agriculture and all other cabinet Secretaries who also serve as agency heads can maintain their posts pursuant to the law as it already is. I trust a court of law will soon resolve this issue, so any confusion created by an Attorney General Opinion that disrupted decades-long precedent can be mitigated.

For these reasons, I have vetoed Enrolled Senate Bill 1196.

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

Pursuant to the McCortney motion, the Senate adjourned at 5:10 p.m. to meet Wednesday, March 13, 2024, at 9:00 a.m.