

Senate Journal

First Regular Session of the Forty-ninth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma

Sixty-first Legislative Day, Friday, May 16, 2003

The Senate was called to order by Senator Rozell.

Roll Call:

Present: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson, Williams and Williamson.— 44.

Excused: Capps, Ford and Taylor.— 3.

Vacancy: District 7.—1.

Senator Rozell declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by Reverend Doyle Pryor, First Baptist Church, Sapulpa, the guest of Senator Fisher.

REPORT OF ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

SBs 243, 257, 274, 368, 546, 556 and 628 were each correctly enrolled and after fourth reading, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Honorable House for signature of the Speaker.

SR 26 was correctly enrolled, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Secretary of State.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Advising passage of and transmitting for consideration Engrossed **HCR 1033**.

HCR 1033 – By Piatt, Adair, Adkins, Armes, Askins, Balkman, Bengé, Blackburn, Blackwell, Bonny, Boren, Braddock, Brannon, Calvey, Carey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, DeWitt, Deutschendorf, Dorman, Easley, Eddins, Ellis, Ericson, Erwin, Ferguson, Gilbert, Graves, Greenwood, Hamilton, Harrison, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Lamons, Langmacher, Leist, Lerblance, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, McCarter, McClain, McIntyre, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan (Danny), Morgan (Fred), Nance, Nations, Newport, Oneal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Plunk, Pope, Reynolds, Rice, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Smithson, Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Trebilcock, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright and Young of the House and Crutchfield of the Senate.

A Concurrent Resolution commending the Samuel Roberts Noble Foundation; and directing distribution.

The above-numbered measure was read the first time.

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

SB 411

SB 671

SJR 12

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

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Transmitting the following bills, together with conference committee reports thereon, advising adoption of conference committee reports and passage of measures as amended:

HB 1300

HB 1484 - coauthored by Liotta of the House

Conference committee reports were read on the above-numbered bills.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 652** was adopted upon motion of Senator Leftwich.

SB 652, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Coates, Corn, Dunlap, Easley, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson and Williamson.--37.

Nay: Cain.--1.

Excused: Capps, Coffee, Crutchfield, Fair, Ford, Hobson, Price, Taylor and Williams.--9.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 652, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

FIRST READING

The following was introduced and read the first time:

SR 28 – By Monson.

A Resolution praising the career of the Reverend Epron J. Monson upon her receiving the Freedom Award from the Progressive Oklahoma Baptist State Convention; designating Friday, May 16, 2003, “Reverend Epron J. Monson Day” in the State of Oklahoma; and directing distribution.

**UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST
DIRECT TO CALENDAR**

Senator Monson asked unanimous consent to suspend Rule 5-4 and refer **SR 28** direct to the Calendar for consideration, which was the order.

GENERAL ORDER

SR 28 was called up for consideration.

All other members of the Senate asked to coauthor **SR 28**, which was the order.

SR 28 was adopted upon motion of Senator Monson and referred for enrollment.

CHANGE IN CONFEREES

Advising change in Senate conferees as follows:

HB 1767 – remove GCCA and add Hobson, Fisher, Snyder, Williams, Rozell

SB 606 – add Easley

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **HB 1451** was adopted upon motion of Senator Morgan.

HB 1451, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Corn, Dunlap, Easley, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson, Williams and Williamson.--38.

Nay: Kerr.--1.

Excused: Capps, Coffee, Crutchfield, Fair, Ford, Hobson, Price and Taylor.--8.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

HB 1451, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered returned to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 545** was adopted upon motion of Senator Snyder.

SB 545, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson, Williams and Williamson.--42.

Excused: Capps, Crutchfield, Ford, Hobson and Taylor.--5.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill passed.

SB 545, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 607** was adopted upon motion of Senator Smith.

SB 607, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson, Williams and Williamson.--42.

Excused: Capps, Crutchfield, Ford, Hobson and Taylor.--5.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 607, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

CHANGE IN CONFEREE

Advising change in Senate conferee as follows:

SB 501 – remove Fisher

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **HB 1149** was adopted upon motion of Senator Corn.

HB 1149, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Branan, Cain, Corn, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Price, Rabon, Reynolds, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith and Wilkerson.--28.

Nay: Aldridge, Brogdon, Coates, Coffee, Dunlap, Johnson, Maddox, Nichols, Pruitt, Riley, Snyder, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--13.

Excused: Capps, Crutchfield, Ford, Hobson, Taylor and Williams.--6.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill passed.

HB 1149, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered returned to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 633** was called up for consideration.

Senator Smith asked that **SB 633** be laid over for this legislative day pending consideration of the **CCR**, which was the order.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE
CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Transmitting the following bills, together with conference committee reports thereon, advising adoption of conference committee reports and passage of measures as amended:

HB 1358 - coauthored by Pettigrew of the House
HB 1396
HB 1676

Conference committee reports were read on the above-numbered bills.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Advising fourth reading of and returning Enrolled **SBs 243, 257, 274, 368, 546, 556 and 628**.

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

Advising conferees unable to agree on **HB 1052**.

Senator Fisher moved that the Senate recess to the call of the Chair, which motion was declared adopted.

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The Senate reconvened with Senator Rozell presiding.

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

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 589** was adopted upon motion of Senator Rabon.

SB 589, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder and Williamson.--39.

Excused: Capps, Crutchfield, Ford, Hobson, Taylor, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson and Williams.--8.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 589, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 668** was adopted upon motion of Senator Corn.

SB 668, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilkerson and Williamson.--39.

Excused: Capps, Ford, Kerr, Monson, Rabon, Taylor, Wilcoxson and Williams.--8.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill passed.

The Chair advised that Senator Rabon having been present in the Chamber during the vote on **SB 668** would be shown voting Nay in compliance with Rule 14-1B. The vote thereby resulted as follows: Aye: 39; Nay: 1; Excused: 7; Vacancy: 1.

Senators Rabon and Monson desired to vote Aye on the emergency.

On the question of passage of the emergency, the vote resulted as follows: Aye: 41; Excused: 6; Vacancy: 1.

The emergency passed.

SB 668, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 40** was adopted upon motion of Senator Robinson.

SB 40, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price,

Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Wilkerson and Williamson.--39.

Nay: Snyder.--1.

Excused: Capps, Ford, Hobson, Pruitt, Taylor, Wilcoxson and Williams.--7.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 40, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 44** was adopted upon motion of Senator Robinson.

SB 44, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson and Williamson.--43.

Excused: Capps, Ford, Taylor and Williams.--4.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 44, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 45** was adopted upon motion of Senator Robinson.

SB 45, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Cain, Coates, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson and Wilkerson.--36.

Nay: Branan, Brogdon, Coffee, Johnson, Pruitt and Williamson.--6.

Excused: Capps, Ford, Rabon, Taylor and Williams.--5.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 45, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 48** was adopted upon motion of Senator Robinson.

SB 48, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Easley, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson and Williamson.--42.

Nay: Laughlin.--1.

Excused: Capps, Ford, Taylor and Williams.--4.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 48, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 86** was adopted upon motion of Senator Wilkerson.

SB 86, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson and Williamson.--41.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Pruitt, Taylor and Williams.--6.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 86, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 130** was adopted upon motion of Senator Leftwich.

SB 130, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--40.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Hobson, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--7.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 130, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 134** was adopted upon motion of Senator Leftwich.

SB 134, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--40.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Hobson, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--7.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 134, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 144** was adopted upon motion of Senator Leftwich.

SB 144, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Branan, Cain, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--32.

Nay: Aldridge, Brogdon, Coates, Laughlin, Myers, Riley, Smith and Snyder.--8.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Hobson, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--7.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 144, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 146** was adopted upon motion of Senator Leftwich.

SB 146, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--39.

Nay: Snyder.--1.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Hobson, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--7.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 146, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 156** was adopted upon motion of Senator Kerr.

SB 156, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson, Wilkerson and Williamson.--42.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Taylor and Williams.--5.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 156, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 158** was adopted upon motion of Senator Kerr.

SB 158, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--41.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--6.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 158, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 160** was adopted upon motion of Senator Kerr.

SB 160, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Aldridge, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--35.

Nay: Branan, Brogdon, Myers, Reynolds and Snyder.--5.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Nichols, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--7.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 160, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 162** was adopted upon motion of Senator Kerr.

SB 162, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Branan, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crutchfield, Dunlap, Fair, Fisher, Gumm, Harrison, Helton, Hobson, Horner, Johnson, Kerr, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Littlefield, Maddox, Milacek, Monson, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Price, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Robinson, Rozell, Shurden, Smith, Snyder, Wilcoxson and Williamson.--39.

Nay: Aldridge and Brogdon.--2.

Excused: Capps, Easley, Ford, Taylor, Wilkerson and Williams.--6.

Vacancy: District 7.--1.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 162, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Transmitting the following bills, together with conference committee reports thereon, advising adoption of conference committee reports and passage of measures as amended:

HB 1174

HB 1175

HB 1176

HB 1178

HB 1412

HB 1535 – coauthored by Maddux of the House

HB 1744

Conference committee reports were read on the above-numbered bills.

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

SB 4 - coauthored by Roan, Hamilton, Miller (Ray), Walker

SB 830

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

Advising adding House conferees as follows

SB 606 - Mitchell, Rice, Hastings, Peters

CHANGE IN CONFEREES

Advising change in Senate conferees as follows:

SB 442 – remove GCCA and add Kerr, Fisher, Morgan, Reynolds

HB 1790 – add Morgan

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS

Transmitting the following bills, together with conference committee reports thereon, advising adoption of conference committee reports and passage of measures as amended:

HB 1177

HB 1183

HB 1184

HB 1189

HB 1191

HB 1193

HB 1197

HB 1200

HB 1222

HB 1229

HB 1231
HB 1233
HB 1234
HB 1249 - coauthored by Liotta, Smith (Hopper), Wright of the House

Conference committee reports were read on the above-numbered bills.

PENDING SENATE ACTION
HOUSE REQUEST FOR CONFERENCE

Upon motion of Senator Fisher, the request of the Honorable House for further conference was ordered granted and same Senate conferees appointed as follows:

HB 1569 – Crutchfield, Easley, Myers

Senator Fisher moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the Senate stand adjourned to convene Monday, May 19, 2003, at 10:00 a.m., which motion prevailed.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS SUBMITTED

Conference committee reports were read on the following bills:

SB 6
SB 117
SB 176
SB 213
SB 216
SB 221
SB 286
SB 297
SB 300
SB 322
SB 377
SB 379
SB 383
SB 391
SB 408
SB 412
SB 437
SB 439
SB 512
SB 524
SB 543

SB 553

SB 565

SB 566

SB 601

SB 606 (2nd CCR), remove Corn and substitute Easley as principal Senate author and add Rice of the House as coauthor

SB 610

SB 616

SB 629

SB 643

SB 661, remove Kerr and substitute Wilkerson as principal Senate author

SB 667

SB 669

SB 686

SB 704 (2nd CCR)

SB 706

SB 713

SB 724

SB 787

SB 803

SB 818

SB 820

SB 823

SB 834 (2nd CCR)

SJR 21

FIRST READING

The following was introduced and read the first time:

SCR 32 – By Taylor and Easley.

A Concurrent Resolution creating the Task Force on the Master Settlement Agreement; creating Task Force; stating purpose; requiring recommendations, providing for membership, meetings, officers, staffing and travel reimbursement; and directing distribution.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

Advising his approval May 15, 2003, of Enrolled **SBs 247, 423 and 602**.

Pursuant to the Fisher motion, the Senate adjourned at 12:05 p.m. to meet Monday, May 19, 2003, at 10:00 a.m.