

# Senate Journal

## First Regular Session of the Fiftieth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma

**Ninth Legislative Day, Thursday, February 17, 2005**

The Senate was called to order by Senator Gumm.

Roll Call:

Present: Adelson, Aldridge, Anderson, Barrington, Bass, Branan, Brogdon, Cain, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crain, Crutchfield, Easley, Eason McIntryre, Fisher, Ford, Garrison, Gumm, Harrison, Johnson, Jolley, Justice, Kerr, Lamb, Laster, Laughlin, Lawler, Leftwich, Lerblance, Mazzei, Morgan, Myers, Nichols, Paddack, Pruitt, Rabon, Reynolds, Riley, Shurden, Wilcoxson, Williamson, Wilson and Wyrick.—44.

Excused: Capps, Hobson, Monson and Taylor.—4.

Senator Gumm declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by Dr. Jeffrey Johnson, Midwest City Free Methodist Church, Oklahoma City, the guest of Senator Mazzei.

### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Advising passage of and transmitting for consideration Engrossed **HCR 1002**.

**HCR 1002** – By Benge, Adkins, Armes, Askins, Auffet, Balkman, Banz, Billy, Bingman, Blackburn, Blackwell, Braddock, Brannon, Brown, Calvey, Carey, Cargill, Case, Coody, Cooksey, Covey, Cox, Dank, DePue, DeWitt, Denney, Deutschendorf, Dorman, Duncan, Eddins, Ellis, Gilbert, Glenn, Hamilton, Harrison, Hastings, Hickman, Hiett, Hilliard, Hyman, Ingmire, Jackson, Jett, Johnson, Jones, Kern, Kiesel, Lamons, Liebmann, Lindley, Liotta, Martin, Mass, McCarter, McDaniel, McMullen, McPeak, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ken), Miller (Ray), Morgan (Danny), Morgan (Fred), Morrissette, Nance, Nations, Newport, Perry, Peters, Peterson (Pam), Peterson (Ron), Piatt, Plunk, Pruett, Reynolds, Richardson, Roan, Roggow, Rousselot, Shelton, Sherrer, Shoemake, Shumate, Smaligo, Smithson, Staggs, Steele, Sullivan, Sweeden, Terrill, Thompson, Tibbs, Toure, Trebilcock, Turner, Walker, Wesselhoft, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright and Young of the House and Pruitt of the Senate.

A Concurrent Resolution commending the Iraqi people for answering the call of democracy by conducting a fair and free election on January 30, 2005; congratulating their endeavors and wishing them well in future elections; and directing distribution.

The above-numbered measure was read the first time.

### **CHANGE IN COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS**

The following bills were reassigned as follows:

**SB 356** – Withdrawn from Rules Committee and referred and Energy and Environment.

**SB 442** – Withdrawn from Rules Committee and referred to Business and Labor.

**SJR 5** – Withdrawn from General Government Committee and referred to Judiciary.

Senator Fisher moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the Senate stand adjourned to convene Monday, February 21, 2005, at 1:30 p.m., which motion prevailed.

### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

The following were reported by the committees named, ordered printed and placed on the Calendar:

DO PASS:

**SB 29** – General Government, coauthored by Hilliard (principal House author)

**SB 53** – Aerospace, Communications and Technology, coauthored by Coffee of the Senate, and coauthored by Piatt (principal House author)

**SB 320** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Nance (principal House author)

**SB 328** – Judiciary, coauthored by Morgan (Fred) (principal House author)

**SB 339** – General Government, coauthored by Corn of the Senate, and coauthored by McCarter (principal House author), and coauthored by Calvey of the House

**SB 344** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Toure (principal House author)

**SB 476** – Judiciary, coauthored by Sullivan (principal House author)

**SB 477** – Judiciary, coauthored by Sullivan (principal House author)

**SB 548** – Judiciary, coauthored by Morgan (Fred) (principal House author)

**SB 580** – General Government, coauthored by Corn of the Senate, and coauthored by McCarter (principal House author), and coauthored by Calvey of the House

**SB 648** – Judiciary, coauthored by Harrison (principal House author)

**SB 706** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Toure (principal House author)

**SB 725** – General Government, coauthored by Gumm of the Senate, and coauthored by Roan (principal House author)

- SB 763** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Wilt (principal House author)
- SB 877** – Finance, coauthored by Gumm of the Senate, and coauthored by Winchester (principal House author)
- SB 929** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Wilt (principal House author)
- SB 967** – Judiciary, coauthored by Sullivan (principal House author)
- SJR 11** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Toure (principal House author)
- SJR 14** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Johnson of the Senate, and coauthored by Morgan (Danny) (principal House author)
- SJR 23** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Smithson (principal House author)
- SCR 4** – Retirement and Group Health, coauthored by Reynolds (principal House author)

DO PASS, As Amended:

- SB 246** – Aerospace, Communications and Technology, coauthored by Coffee of the Senate, and coauthored by Piatt (principal House author)
- SB 377** – Retirement and Group Health, coauthored by Blackwell (principal House author)
- SB 401** – Finance, coauthored by Johnson of the Senate
- CS for SB 407** – Finance, coauthored by Gumm of the Senate, and coauthored by Young (principal House author)
- SB 412** – Agriculture and Rural Development, coauthored by Armes (principal House author)
- SB 461** – Finance, coauthored by Turner (principal House author)
- SB 616** – Business and Labor, coauthored by Carey (principal House author)
- CS for SB 653** – Agriculture and Rural Development, coauthored by Smaligo (principal House author)
- SB 758** – Judiciary, coauthored by Morgan (Fred) (principal House author)
- SB 789** – Judiciary, coauthored by Morgan (Fred) (principal House author)
- SB 811** – Finance
- SB 902** – Aerospace, Communications and Technology, coauthored by Coffee of the Senate, and coauthored by Piatt (principal House author)
- SJR 10** – Energy and Environment, coauthored by Gumm of the Senate, and coauthored by Cox (principal House author)

## **SECOND READING**

The following was read for the second time and referred to committee as indicated:

**HCR 1001** – Agriculture and Rural Development

Pursuant to the Fisher motion, the Senate adjourned at 10:45 a.m. to meet Monday, February 21, 2005, at 1:30 p.m.