

Senate Journal

First Regular Session of the Fifty-second Legislature of the State of Oklahoma

Fourth Legislative Day, Wednesday, February 4, 2009

The Senate was called to order by Senator Sykes.

Roll Call:

Present: Adelson, Aldridge, Anderson, Ballenger, Barrington, Bass, Bingman, Branan, Brogdon, Brown, Burrage, Coates, Coffee, Corn, Crain, Crutchfield, Easley, Eason McIntyre, Ellis, Ford, Garrison, Gumm, Halligan, Ivester, Johnson (C), Johnson (M), Jolley, Justice, Lamb, Laster, Leftwich, Lerblance, Marlatt, Myers, Newberry, Nichols, Paddack, Reynolds, Rice, Russell, Schulz, Sparks, Stanislawski, Sweeden, Sykes, Wilson and Wyrick.—47.

Excused: Mazzei.—1.

Senator Sykes declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Burge Troxel, Heaston Community Church, El Reno, the guest of President Pro Tempore Coffee.

INTRODUCTIONS

Senator Mike Johnson introduced his granddaughters, Mary and Anna Sanders, to the Senate.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST DIRECT TO CALENDAR

Senator Brogdon asked unanimous consent to refer **SCR 4** direct to the Calendar for consideration, which was the order.

GENERAL ORDER

SCR 4 by Brogdon of the Senate and Key of the House was called up for consideration.

All other members of the Senate, except Senators Constance Johnson, Eason McIntyre and Rice, asked to coauthor **SCR 4**, which was the order.

SCR 4 was adopted upon motion of Senator Brogdon and referred for engrossment.

FIRST READING

The following was introduced and read the first time:

SR 5 – By Newberry.

A Resolution strongly opposing the federal Freedom of Choice Act; and directing distribution.

**UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST
DIRECT TO CALENDAR**

Senator Newberry asked unanimous consent to refer **SR 5** direct to the Calendar for consideration, which was the order.

GENERAL ORDER

SR 5 by Newberry was called up for consideration.

Senators Bass, Garrison, Schulz, Marlatt, Ford, Crain, Justice, Russell, Bingman, Barrington, Brown, Johnson (M), Reynolds, Myers, Branan, Halligan, Aldridge, Jolley, Stanislawski, Coffee, Sykes, Lamb, Brogdon and Coates asked to coauthor **SR 5**, which was the order.

SR 5 was adopted upon motion of Senator Newberry and referred for enrollment.

Senator Lamb moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the Senate stand adjourned to convene Thursday, February 5, 2009, at 9:30 a.m., which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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

DO PASS, As Amended:

SB 275 – Education, coauthored by Renegar (principal House author)

Ayes: Branam, Brown, Corn, Eason McIntyre, Ford, Gumm, Halligan, Jolley, Lerblance, Paddack, Reynolds, Sparks, Stanislawski

SB 342 – Public Safety and Homeland Security, coauthored by Thompson (principal House author)

Ayes: Ballenger, Barrington, Easley, Ellis, Halligan, Russell

SB 357 – Public Safety and Homeland Security, coauthored by Hilliard (principal House author)

Ayes: Ballenger, Barrington, Easley, Ellis, Halligan, Russell

SB 497 – Education, coauthored by McNeil (principal House author)

Ayes: Branam, Brown, Corn, Eason McIntyre, Ford, Halligan, Jolley, Lerblance, Paddack, Reynolds, Sparks, Stanislawski

FIRST READING

The following was introduced and read the first time:

SR 6 – By Coates, Laster and Russell.

A Resolution recognizing the musical talent of Wanda Jackson; congratulating her upon her forthcoming induction into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame; and directing distribution.

Pursuant to the Lamb motion, the Senate adjourned at 1:50 p.m. to meet Thursday, February 5, 2009, at 9:30 a.m.