

Senate Journal

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

Fifty-seventh Legislative Day, Tuesday, May 14, 2019

The Senate was called to order by Senator Daniels.

Roll Call:

Present: Allen, Bergstrom, Bice, Boggs, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Ikley-Freeman, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, McCortney, Montgomery, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Quinn, Rader, Rosino, Scott, Sharp, Shaw, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Standridge, Stanislawski, Stanley, Thompson, Treat, Weaver and Young.—48.

Senator Daniels declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by Reverend Josh Attaway, St. Luke's United Methodist Church, Edmond, the guest of Senator Pugh.

REPORT OF ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

SBs 513 and **993** were each correctly enrolled and after fourth reading, properly signed and ordered transmitted to the Honorable House for signature of the Speaker.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

The **CCR** on **SB 848** was adopted upon motion of Senator Rader.

SB 848, as amended in conference, was read at length.

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

Aye: Allen, Bergstrom, Bice, Boggs, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Ikley-Freeman, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, Montgomery, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pederson, Pemberton, Pugh, Quinn, Rader, Rosino, Scott, Sharp, Shaw, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Standridge, Stanislawski, Stanley, Weaver and Young.--45.

Excused: McCortney, Thompson and Treat.--3.

The bill and emergency passed.

SB 848, together with the conference committee report thereon, was ordered transmitted to the Honorable House.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF HAS

HAs to SB 336 were concurred in upon motion of Senator Bice.

SB 336, as amended by the Honorable House, was read at length.

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

Aye: Allen, Bergstrom, Bice, Boggs, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Ikley-Freeman, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, Montgomery, Murdock, Paxton, Pemberton, Pugh, Rader, Rosino, Scott, Sharp, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Standridge, Stanislawski, Stanley, Weaver and Young.--41.

Nay: Newhouse, Pederson, Quinn and Shaw.--4.

Excused: McCortney, Thompson and Treat.--3.

The bill passed.

House amendments were properly signed and the above-numbered bill was referred for enrollment.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF HAS

HAs to SB 804 were concurred in upon motion of Senator Bice.

SB 804, as amended by the Honorable House, was read at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Bice, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Ikley-Freeman, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, Montgomery, Murdock, Newhouse, Paxton, Pemberton, Pugh, Rader, Rosino, Scott, Sharp, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Standridge, Stanley, Weaver and Young.--39.

Nay: Allen, Boggs, Pederson, Quinn, Shaw and Stanislawski.--6.

Excused: McCortney, Thompson and Treat.--3.

The bill and emergency passed.

House amendments were properly signed and the above-numbered bill was referred for enrollment.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF HAS

HAs to SB 936 were concurred in upon motion of Senator Bice.

SB 936, as amended by the Honorable House, was read at length.

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

Aye: Bergstrom, Bice, Boren, Brooks, Bullard, Coleman, Dahm, Daniels, David, Dossett, Dugger, Floyd, Hall, Haste, Hicks, Howard, Ikley-Freeman, Jech, Kidd, Kirt, Leewright, Matthews, Montgomery, Murdock, Paxton, Pemberton, Pugh, Rader, Rosino, Scott, Sharp, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Stanislawski, Stanley, Weaver and Young.--38.

Nay: Allen, Boggs, Newhouse, Pederson, Quinn, Shaw and Standridge.--7.

Excused: McCortney, Thompson and Treat.--3.

The bill passed.

House amendments were properly signed and the above-numbered bill was referred for enrollment.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

Advising fourth reading of and returning Enrolled **SBs 513** and **993**.

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

Advising conference granted on Engrossed **SBs** and naming House conferees as follows:

SB 70 - Conference Committee on Common Education

SB 193 - GCCA

SB 876 - Conference Committee on Rules

Advising concurrence in **SAs** to and passage of Engrossed **HB 1364**.

Advising changing of House conferees on Engrossed:

HB 2472 - Conference Committee on Rules

Advising the signing of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **HCR 1006**.

The above-numbered enrolled measure was properly signed and ordered returned 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 1435 - coauthored by Representative Crosswhite Hader

HB 1437 - coauthored by Representative Crosswhite Hader

HB 1438 - coauthored by Representative Crosswhite Hader

HB 1440 - coauthored by Representative Crosswhite Hader

HB 1441 - coauthored by Representative Crosswhite Hader

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

Senator David moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the Senate stand adjourned to convene Wednesday, May 15, 2019, at 1:30 p.m., which motion prevailed.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT SUBMITTED

Conference committee report was read on the following bill:

SB 170

CHANGE IN CONFEREE

Advising change in Senate conferee as follow:

SB 101 - add Scott and retain Smalley, Leewright, Shaw, Pugh, Brooks and Young

**PENDING SENATE ACTION
HOUSE REQUEST FOR CONFERENCE**

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

HB 1262 - GCCA

SCs NAMED

Upon motion of Senator David, Senate conferees were appointed as follows:

SB 998 – Murdock, Allen, Weaver, Quinn, Boren, Matthews

SECOND READING

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

SB 1079 – Judiciary

FIRST READING

The following was introduced and read the first time:

SR 6 – By Standridge.

A Resolution recognizing May as Self-Care Awareness Month; and directing distribution.

CHANGE IN AUTHOR/COAUTHOR

The following measure was authored/coauthored:

SB 879 - Remove as author Senator Allen; authored by Senator Dahm

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

Advising his approval May 14, 2019, of Enrolled **SBs 30, 89, 92, 184, 400, 740, 742, 811, 815, 844, 885, 975** and **1038**.

May 14, 2019

Advising his veto May 14, 2019, of Enrolled **SB 251**.

The veto message reads as follows:

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

ENROLLED SENATE BILL NO. 251:

This is to advise you that on this date, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 11 of Article IV of the Oklahoma Constitution to approve or object to legislation presented to me, I have vetoed Senate Bill 251.

Senate Bill 251 would mandate the Oklahoma Health Care Authority (“OHCA”) use third parties to recover against tortfeasors of amounts paid for medical expenses. The Bill would also remove the approval of those third party contracts from the OHCA. While the privatization of this function may have merit, it is not in the best interest of the State to further dilute the limited authority of the executive branch by placing the contract approval authority outside of the OHCA.

Earlier this session, the OHCA was one of five agencies that underwent significant reform. I look forward to working with agency leadership and the new board to further evaluate the merits of this proposal and other issues to ensure we move the needle on healthcare outcomes in Oklahoma.

For the aforementioned reasons, I have vetoed Senate Bill 251.

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

Pursuant to the David motion, the Senate adjourned at 2:05 p.m. to meet Wednesday, May 15, 2019, at 1:30 p.m.