

# JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE

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SEVENTEENTH DAY, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2025

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Patterson in the Chair.

Prayer by Reverend Monsignor Robert A. Kurwicky, Chaplain.

*In Thee, O Lord, do I put my trust: let me never be put to confusion. (Psalm 71:1)*

Lord of our lives, we know of no finer way to begin this day than by pausing before You in prayer and in praying renew our faith, restore our spirits, and rededicate our lives to You and to the welfare of our great state. In these days that call for wisdom, understanding, and good will, may we possess Your spirit, or better still, may Your spirit possess us, that we may plan with faith, work with courage, and live with love in our hearts.

Finally, grant to all Missourians the graces to be super, to be agile like a Reid in the wind, to be Swift, to be accurate like an Arrowhead, to be sure-footed, and to be able to drink from the bowl of victory not once, not twice but three times! Let Eagles not distract us; may we not have penalties; and may God protect your home, their homes, and Mahomes. May God bless America and the Super Bowl from sea to shining Kelce.

And the House says, "Amen!"

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

The Journal of the sixteenth day was approved as printed by the following vote:

AYES: 143

Allen	Amato	Anderson	Appelbaum	Aune
Baker	Banderman	Barnes	Billington	Black
Boykin	Boyko	Bromley	Brown 149	Brown 16
Burton	Bush	Busick	Butz	Byrnes
Casteel	Caton	Chappell	Christ	Christensen
Clemens	Coleman	Cook	Crossley	Davidson
Davis	Dean	Deaton	Dolan	Doll
Douglas	Durnell	Elliott	Falkner	Farnan
Fogle	Fountain Henderson	Fowler	Fuchs	Gallick
Gragg	Griffith	Haden	Hales	Haley
Harbison	Hardwick	Hausman	Hein	Hewkin
Hinman	Hovis	Hruza	Hurlbert	Ingle
Irwin	Jacobs	Jamison	Jobe	Johnson
Jones 88	Jordan	Justus	Kalberloh	Keathley
Kelley	Kimble	Knight	Lewis	Lucas
Mackey	Mansur	Martin	Mayhew	McGaugh
McGirl	Meirath	Miller	Murphy	Murray

Myers	Nolte	Oehlerking	Overcast	Owen
Perkins	Peters	Phelps	Plank	Pollitt
Pouche	Price	Proudie	Reed	Reedy
Reuter	Riley	Rush	Sassmann	Schmidt
Schulte	Seitz	Self	Sharpe 4	Shields
Simmons	Smith 46	Smith 68	Smith 74	Sparks
Steinhoff	Steinmetz	Steinmeyer	Stinnett	Strickler
Taylor 48	Taylor 84	Terry	Thomas	Titus
Van Schoiack	Veit	Verneti	Violet	Voss
Waller	Walsh Moore	Warwick	Weber	Wellenkamp
Whaley	Williams	Wilson	Wolfen	Woods
Wright	Young	Mr. Speaker		

NOES: 001

Collins

PRESENT: 001

Costlow

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 017

Boggs	Bosley	Cupps	Diehl	Ealy
Jones 12	Laubinger	Loy	Matthiesen	Mosley
Parker	Riggs	Roberts	Sharp 37	Thompson
West	Zimmermann			

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Pro Tem Perkins assumed the Chair.

### INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolutions were read the first time and copies ordered printed:

**HJR 82**, introduced by Representative Simmons, relating to the general assembly.

**HJR 83**, introduced by Representative Cook, relating to the appropriation of state funds.

### INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the first time and copies ordered printed:

**HB 1193**, introduced by Representative West, relating to legislative security officers, with an emergency clause.

**HB 1194**, introduced by Representative Pouche, relating to houses of worship.

**HB 1195**, introduced by Representative Pouche, relating to the cost of prescriptions.

**HB 1196**, introduced by Representative Jacobs, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.

**HB 1197**, introduced by Representative Baker, relating to private school immunity from civil liability for certain actions, with an emergency clause.

**HB 1198**, introduced by Representative Stinnett, relating to the licensure of international physicians, with a delayed effective date.

**HB 1199**, introduced by Representative Falkner, relating to base salary schedules for county officials.

**HB 1200**, introduced by Representative Reuter, relating to the age of marriage.

**HB 1201**, introduced by Representative Cook, relating to limits on selling or purchasing certain drugs, with penalty provisions.

**HB 1202**, introduced by Representative Cook, relating to conditions of bail.

**HB 1203**, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to Frankie Muse Freeman day.

**HB 1204**, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to unlawful possession of a firearm, with penalty provisions.

**HB 1205**, introduced by Representative Weber, relating to firearms, with penalty provisions.

**HB 1206**, introduced by Representative Stinnett, relating to access to individualized investigational treatment.

**HB 1207**, introduced by Representative Bush, relating to prior authorization of inpatient psychiatric hospital services.

**HB 1208**, introduced by Representative Bush, relating to foam fire suppressants.

**HB 1209**, introduced by Representative Williams, relating to electronic monitoring with victim notification, with a penalty provision.

## **SECOND READING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS**

The following House Joint Resolution was read the second time:

**HJR 81**, relating to educational freedom.

## SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the second time:

**HB 1169**, relating to postconviction relief.

**HB 1170**, relating to taxation of deferred compensation plans.

**HB 1171**, relating to incentives for interstate business relocation.

**HB 1172**, relating to the seminary fund of the state university.

**HB 1173**, relating to the renaming of a roadway.

**HB 1174**, relating to candidate filing location.

**HB 1175**, relating to the sole purpose of reenacting the substantive portion of the Second Amendment Preservation Act and removing certain legislative findings and declarations, with penalty provisions.

**HB 1176**, relating to tax credits for charitable contributions to pregnancy resource centers.

**HB 1177**, relating to binding agreements running with land.

**HB 1178**, relating to customer charges by electric utilities.

**HB 1179**, relating to daylight saving time.

**HB 1180**, relating to personal finance curriculum in schools.

**HB 1181**, relating to tax credits for certain endowment contributions.

**HB 1182**, relating to geographical information systems.

**HB 1183**, relating to the expansion of Interstate 49.

**HB 1184**, relating to tort actions based on improper health care.

**HB 1185**, relating to the motor vehicle emissions inspection program, with penalty provisions.

**HB 1186**, relating to civilian review boards.

**HB 1187**, relating to use of credit scores by employers.

**HB 1188**, relating to the dispensing of insulin.

**HB 1189**, relating to restrictions on electioneering.

**HB 1190**, relating to firefighters, with a penalty provision.

**HB 1191**, relating to supplemental workers' compensation insurance for certain first responders.

**HB 1192**, relating to transient guest taxes in certain cities.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

### **Committee on Children and Families**, Chairman Jones (88) reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Children and Families, to which was referred **HB 243** and **HB 280**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Costlow, Dolan, Gragg, Hausman, Jamison, Jones (88), Kelley, Loy, Peters, Proudie, Schmidt, Steinmetz, Terry and Violet

Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Children and Families, to which was referred **HB 339**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Consent with House Committee Substitute**, and pursuant to Rule 24(5) be referred to the Committee on Consent and Procedure by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Costlow, Dolan, Gragg, Hausman, Jamison, Jones (88), Kelley, Loy, Peters, Proudie, Schmidt, Steinmetz, Terry and Violet

Noes (0)

Absent (0)

### **Committee on Commerce**, Chairman Casteel reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Commerce, to which was referred **HB 68**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (5): Casteel, Gragg, Miller, Peters and Wilson

Noes (4): Butz, Kimble, Mansur and Seitz

Absent (1): Mayhew

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Commerce, to which was referred **HB 939**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Casteel, Gragg, Miller, Peters, Seitz and Wilson

Noes (3): Butz, Kimble and Mansur

Absent (1): Mayhew

**Committee on Elections**, Chairman Reedy reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred **HJR 23** and **HJR 3**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Banderman, Byrnes, Coleman, McGaugh, Reedy, Simmons, Smith (46), Voss, Waller and Wright

Noes (2): Barnes and Woods

Absent (2): Bosley and Christensen

**Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education**, Chairman Lewis reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education, to which was referred **HB 538**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Baker, Banderman, Byrnes, Gragg, Hewkin, Hurlbert, Kelley, Laubinger, Lewis, Loy, Mackey, Martin, Meirath, Overcast, Pollitt, Schmidt and Williams

Noes (6): Boykin, Boyko, Jacobs, Smith (68), Steinhoff and Steinmetz

Absent (0)

**Committee on Emerging Issues**, Chairman Christ reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Emerging Issues, to which was referred **HB 875**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Baker, Busick, Christ, Davidson, Hausman, Hinman, Hovis, Hruza, Overcast and Peters

Noes (3): Fuchs, Thomas and Weber

Absent (1): Price

\*The following ex officio members were present: Aune and Crossley

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Emerging Issues, to which was referred **HB 970**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Baker, Christ, Davidson, Hausman, Hinman, Hruza, Overcast and Peters

Noes (5): Busick, Fuchs, Hovis, Thomas and Weber

Absent (1): Price

\*The following ex officio members were present: Aune and Crossley

**Committee on Government Efficiency, Chairman Baker reporting:**

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Government Efficiency, to which was referred **HB 247**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Baker, Boyko, Chappell, Clemens, Cook, Davis, Irwin, Knight, Mayhew, Murphy, Reed, Riggs, Self, Smith (74), Van Schoiack, West and Wolfin

Noes (0)

Present (2): Burton and Jordan

Absent (1): Mansur

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Government Efficiency, to which was referred **HB 799, HB 334, HB 424 and HB 1069**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (16): Baker, Chappell, Clemens, Cook, Davis, Irwin, Jordan, Knight, Mayhew, Murphy, Riggs, Self, Smith (74), Van Schoiack, West and Wolfin

Noes (3): Boyko, Burton and Reed

Absent (1): Mansur

**Committee on Health and Mental Health, Chairman Stinnett reporting:**

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Health and Mental Health, to which was referred **HB 177 and HB 469**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Appelbaum, Bosley, Bush, Caton, Dolan, Doll, Fogle, Griffith, Haden, Harbison, Hruza, Kelley, Laubinger, Peters, Schmidt, Stinnett and Whaley

Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Health and Mental Health, to which was referred **HB 943**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Appelbaum, Bosley, Bush, Caton, Dolan, Doll, Fogle, Griffith, Haden, Harbison, Hruza, Kelley, Laubinger, Peters, Schmidt, Stinnett and Whaley

Noes (0)

Absent (0)

**Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing**, Chairman Knight reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing, to which was referred **HB 850**, **HB 53** and **HB 482**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (19): Allen, Bush, Coleman, Cook, Doll, Douglas, Farnan, Fowler, Hausman, Hewkin, Hruza, Knight, Loy, Nolte, Phelps, Reed, Roberts, Rush and Williams

Noes (0)

Absent (4): Appelbaum, Caton, Parker and Zimmermann

**Special Committee on Tax Reform**, Chairman Coleman reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tax Reform, to which was referred **HB 629**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Christ, Coleman, Costlow, Keathley, Pouche, Simmons and Warwick

Noes (3): Butz, Jobe and Strickler

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tax Reform, to which was referred **HB 798**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Christ, Coleman, Costlow, Keathley, Pouche, Simmons and Warwick

Noes (3): Butz, Jobe and Strickler

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tax Reform, to which was referred **HB 903**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Christ, Coleman, Costlow, Keathley, Pouche, Simmons and Warwick

Noes (3): Butz, Jobe and Strickler

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tax Reform, to which was referred **HB 999**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Butz, Christ, Coleman, Costlow, Jobe, Keathley, Pouche, Simmons, Strickler and Warwick

Noes (0)

Absent (0)



**Committee on Ways and Means**, Chairman McGirl reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **HJR 4**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Coleman, Davis, Jones (88), Matthiesen, McGirl, Mosley, Self, Strickler and Wright

Noes (1): Taylor (84)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **HB 349**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Coleman, Davis, Jones (88), McGirl, Self and Wright

Noes (3): Mosley, Strickler and Taylor (84)

Absent (1): Matthiesen

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **HB 660**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Coleman, Davis, Jones (88), McGirl, Self and Wright

Noes (3): Mosley, Strickler and Taylor (84)

Absent (1): Matthiesen

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred **HB 816**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Coleman, Davis, Jones (88), McGirl, Mosley, Self, Strickler, Taylor (84) and Wright

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Matthiesen

**Committee on Consent and Procedure**, Chairman Pouche reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Consent and Procedure, to which was referred **HR 20**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Appelbaum, Byrnes, Falkner, Hovis, Kalberloh, Pouche, Sharp (37) and Thompson

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Matthiesen and Mosley

## COMMITTEE CHANGES

February 5, 2025

Mr. Joseph Engler  
Chief Clerk  
Missouri House of Representatives  
State Capitol, Room 310  
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Mr. Engler:

I hereby make the following change to the Budget committee:

I hereby appoint Representative Tim Taylor to the committee.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

/s/ Jonathan Patterson  
Speaker of the House

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February 5, 2025

Joe Engler  
Chief Clerk  
Missouri House of Representatives  
State Capitol, Room 310  
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Mr. Engler:

I hereby appoint Representative Michael Johnson and Representative Michael Burton to the Joint Committee on Transportation Oversight.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

/s/ Ashley Aune  
Minority Caucus Floor Leader  
District 14

The following members' presence was noted: Bosley, Cupps, Diehl, Jones (12), Laubinger, Loy, Mosley, Riggs, Roberts, Sharp (37), Thompson, and West.

## ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Riley, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Thursday, February 6, 2025.

## COMMITTEE HEARINGS

### ADMINISTRATION AND ACCOUNTS

Thursday, February 6, 2025, 10:30 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 4.

Discuss potential policy change.

Added MOST policy contract.

AMENDED

### BUDGET

Thursday, February 6, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3.

Budget presentations from the Office of the State Auditor (HB 12), Department of Agriculture (HB 6), and the Department of Natural Resources (HB 6). No public testimony will be taken.

### CORRECTIONS AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Thursday, February 6, 2025, 10:30 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 170

### JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 8:00 AM, Joint Hearing Room (117).

MoDOT's presentation of annual report.

Pending applications for memorial highway and bridge designations.

Pending applications for specialty license plates.

### LEGISLATIVE REVIEW

Thursday, February 6, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HCS HB 495

Executive session will be held: HB 145, HB 59, HB 233, HCS HB 495

Added HB 495.

AMENDED

### PENSIONS

Thursday, February 6, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 44, HB 426, HB 977

Executive session will be held: HB 147, HB 657

### RULES - ADMINISTRATIVE

Thursday, February 6, 2025, 11:45 AM, House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS HBs 595 & 343, HCS HBs 737 & 486, HCS HB 75, HCS HBs 594 & 508

Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

Added HB 75 and HB 594.

Time correction.

AMENDED

WAYS AND MEANS

Monday, February 10, 2025, 4:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),  
House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 326, HJR 7, HB 493, HB 531, HB 635

**HOUSE CALENDAR**

EIGHTEENTH DAY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2025

**HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING**

HJR 82 and HJR 83

**HOUSE BILLS FOR SECOND READING**

HB 1193 through HB 1209

**ACTIONS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 27**

SS SCS HCS HB 2002 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2003 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2004 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2005 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2006 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2007 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2008 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2009 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2010 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2011 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2012 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2013 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2017 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2018 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2019 - Deaton

SS SCS HCS HB 2020 - Deaton