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The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Representative Van Schoiack in the Chair.

Prayer by Representative Brian Seitz.

Father we thank You for Your grace and mercy towards us, allowing us to serve the people of Missouri.

Be with those that are traveling, give them safety and discernment.

Guide us as we make decisions affecting the state.

In Jesus name, Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS

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

HB 1276, introduced by Representative Thompson, relating to public safety sales taxes, with an emergency clause.

- **HB 1277**, introduced by Representative Thompson, relating to transient guest taxes for tourism.
- **HB 1278**, introduced by Representative Murphy, relating to liens on property for unpaid bills.
- **HB 1279**, introduced by Representative Plank, relating to eligibility for early release.
- **HB 1280**, introduced by Representative Plank, relating to marijuana, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1281**, introduced by Representative Sassmann, relating to employment security.
- HB 1282, introduced by Representative Plank, relating to marijuana facilities.
- HB 1283, introduced by Representative Plank, relating to medical marijuana.

- HB 1284, introduced by Representative Hewkin, relating to transportation.
- **HB 1285**, introduced by Representative Smith (68), relating to scholarships for dual enrollment courses.
- **HB 1286**, introduced by Representative Matthiesen, relating to ambulance or fire protection district sales taxes.
- HB 1287, introduced by Representative Lewis, relating to rights of parents and educators.
- HB 1288, introduced by Representative Douglas, relating to life insurance.
- **HB 1289**, introduced by Representative Douglas, relating to the provision of state identification cards for at-risk youth.
- **HB 1290**, introduced by Representative Parker, relating to licensure of dentists and dental hygienists.
- **HB 1291**, introduced by Representative Parker, relating to the provision of services to youth in the custody of the department of social services.
- **HB 1292**, introduced by Representative Parker, relating to the protection of children and vulnerable persons.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Concurrent Resolutions were read the second time:

- **HCR 17**, relating to environmental protection.
- **HCR 18**, relating to the Residence Act of 1790.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolution was read the second time:

HJR 86, relating to property tax assessments.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the second time:

- **HB 1252**, relating to reporting requirements of prosecuting attorneys.
- **HB 1253**, relating to passing zones, with a penalty provision.

- HB 1254, relating to charter school use of property.
- HB 1255, relating to transportation network companies.
- **HB 1256**, relating to building permit applications.
- HB 1257, relating to funds used for real estate transactions.
- HB 1258, relating to nuisance actions.
- HB 1259, relating to the taxation of estates and trusts.
- HB 1260, relating to county sales taxes.
- **HB 1261**, relating to annexation.
- **HB 1262**, relating to awareness of religious liberty in educational settings.
- HB 1263, relating to wind energy conversion systems.
- HB 1264, relating to applications for property developments.
- HB 1265, relating to a temporary extension of hours for certain liquor licensees.
- HB 1266, relating to inquiries into the safety of patients in their homes.
- HB 1267, relating to disclosure of patients' citizenship or immigration status.
- HB 1268, relating to taxes for emergency services.
- **HB 1269**, relating to proprietary schools.
- **HB 1270**, relating to alternative methods of instruction school days.
- HB 1271, relating to county sales taxes for park purposes.
- **HB 1272**, relating to contributions to qualified tuition programs.
- HB 1273, relating to statewide activities associations.
- HB 1274, relating to interchange fees, with a penalty provision.
- **HB 1275**, relating to gender transition procedures.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

HB 33 - Higher Education and Workforce Development

HB 235 - Higher Education and Workforce Development

HB 367 - Elections

HB 393 - General Laws

HB 399 - General Laws

HB 507 - Elections

HB 610 - Economic Development

HB 662 - Emerging Issues

HB 1041 - Emerging Issues

HB 1065 - Crime and Public Safety

HB 1075 - Judiciary

HB 1125 - Local Government

HB 1162 - Local Government

HB 1216 - Conservation and Natural Resources

HB 1218 - Crime and Public Safety

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Crime and Public Safety, Chairman Myers reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 49**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Anderson, Bosley, Collins, Cook, Hovis, Irwin, Myers, Phelps, Price, Schulte, Seitz, Sharp (37), Sparks, Violet, West, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Banderman, Jones (88) and Taylor (48)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 87**, 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): Anderson, Collins, Cook, Hovis, Irwin, Myers, Phelps, Price, Schulte, Seitz, Sharp (37), Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Present (1): Bosley

Absent (2): Banderman and Jones (88)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 615**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (18): Anderson, Bosley, Collins, Cook, Hovis, Irwin, Myers, Phelps, Price, Schulte, Seitz, Sharp (37), Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Banderman and Jones (88)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 862**, **HB 314** and **HB 389**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (12): Cook, Hovis, Irwin, Myers, Phelps, Schulte, Seitz, Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West and Williams

Noes (6): Anderson, Bosley, Collins, Price, Sharp (37) and Zimmermann

Absent (2): Banderman and Jones (88)

Committee on Financial Institutions, Chairman Owen reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Financial Institutions, to which was referred **HB 596**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Consent**, and pursuant to Rule 24(5) be referred to the Committee on Consent and Procedure by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Billington, Casteel, Clemens, Hales, Hein, Hewkin, Hinman, Murray, Oehlerking, Owen, Phelps, Thompson and Voss

Noes (0)

Absent (1): McGirl

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Financial Institutions, to which was referred **HB 707**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Billington, Casteel, Clemens, Hales, Hein, Hewkin, Hinman, Murray, Oehlerking, Owen, Phelps, Thompson and Voss

Noes (0)

Absent (1): McGirl

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Financial Institutions, to which was referred **HB 754**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Billington, Casteel, Clemens, Hales, Hein, Hewkin, Hinman, Murray, Oehlerking, Owen, Phelps, Thompson and Voss

Noes (0)

Absent (1): McGirl

Committee on Health and Mental Health, Chairman Stinnett reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Health and Mental Health, to which was referred **HB 825**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (11): Appelbaum, Bosley, Bush, Fogle, Griffith, Harbison, Hruza, Kelley, Schmidt, Stinnett and Whaley

Noes (0)

Absent (6): Caton, Dolan, Doll, Haden, Laubinger and Peters

Committee on Legislative Review, Chairman Pollitt reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Legislative Review, to which was referred **HB 711**, 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): Diehl, Hausman, Hurlbert, Keathley, Laubinger, Perkins and Pollitt

Noes (2): Fuchs and Terry

Absent (1): Doll

*The following ex officio member was present: Aune

Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing, Chairman Knight reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing, to which was referred **HB 478**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Allen, Cook, Farnan, Hruza, Knight, Loy, Parker and Roberts

Noes (5): Douglas, Nolte, Reed, Rush and Zimmermann

Absent (10): Appelbaum, Bush, Caton, Coleman, Doll, Fowler, Hausman, Hewkin, Phelps and Williams

Special Committee on Tax Reform, Chairman Coleman reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tax Reform, to which was referred **HB 499**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Christ, Coleman, Costlow, Keathley, Simmons and Warwick

Noes (3): Butz, Jobe and Strickler

Absent (1): Pouche

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tax Reform, to which was referred **HB 1007**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House**Committee Substitute by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Christ, Coleman, Costlow, Keathley, Simmons and Warwick

Noes (3): Butz, Jobe and Strickler

Absent (1): Pouche

Committee on Consent and Procedure, Chairman Pouche reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Consent and Procedure, to which was referred **HR 30**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Appelbaum, Byrnes, Falkner, Kalberloh, Matthiesen, Mosley, Pouche and Sharp (37)

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Hovis and Thompson

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Consent and Procedure, to which was referred **HR 196**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Appelbaum, Byrnes, Falkner, Kalberloh, Matthiesen, Mosley, Pouche and Sharp (37)

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Hovis and Thompson

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Consent and Procedure, to which was referred HCS HB 339, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Consent** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Appelbaum, Falkner, Hovis, Kalberloh, Matthiesen, Mosley and Pouche

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Byrnes, Sharp (37) and Thompson

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS - RULES

The following House Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

HCS HB 169 - Rules - Administrative

HB 233 - Rules - Administrative

HB 352 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HBs 516, 290 & 778 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HBs 575 & 551 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HB 593 - Rules - Administrative HCS HB 607 - Rules - Administrative HB 714 - Rules - Administrative HB 810 - Rules - Administrative

COMMITTEE CHANGES

February 12, 2025

Mr. Joseph Engler Chief Clerk State Capitol, Room 310 Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Mr. Engler:

I hereby appoint Representative Travis Wilson to the Midwest Interstate Passenger Rail Commission.

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

Sincerely,
/s/ Jonathan Patterson
Speaker of the House

February 12, 2025

Mr. Joseph Engler Chief Clerk State Capitol, Room 310 Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Mr. Engler:

I hereby make the following changes to the Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs:

I hereby remove Representative Yolanda Young from the committee and the position of Ranking Minority Member.

I hereby appoint the following members to the committee:

Representative Tonya Rush Representative Kem Smith

I hereby appoint Representative Bridget Walsh Moore to the position of Ranking Minority Member.

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

Sincerely,

/s/ Jonathan Patterson Speaker of the House

WITHDRAWAL OF HOUSE BILLS

February 12, 2025

Mr. Joe Engler, Chief Clerk 201 West Capitol Avenue Room 310 Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Chief Clerk,

With this letter, I respectfully request that you withdraw **House Bill No. 1201** which modifies provisions relating to limits on selling or purchasing certain drugs. Feel free to reach out to our office for any concerns or further information.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Bennie Cook State Representative District 143

The following members' presence was noted: Allen, Amato, Anderson, Aune, Baker, Banderman, Barnes, Billington, Black, Boggs, Bosley, Boykin, Boyko, Bromley, Brown (149), Burton, Bush, Butz, Byrnes, Casteel, Chappell, Christ, Christensen, Clemens, Coleman, Collins, Cook, Costlow, Crossley, Davidson, Davis, Dean, Deaton, Diehl, Dolan, Douglas, Durnell, Elliott, Farnan, Fogle, Fountain Henderson, Fowler, Fuchs, Gragg, Griffith, Haden, Hales, Haley, Harbison, Hardwick, Hausman, Hein, Hewkin, Hinman, Hovis, Hruza, Hurlbert, Ingle, Irwin, Jacobs, Jobe, Johnson, Jones (88), Jones (12), Jordan, Justus, Kalberloh, Kelley, Kimble, Knight, Laubinger, Lewis, Loy, Lucas, Mackey, Mansur, Martin, Matthiesen, Mayhew, Meirath, Miller, Mosley, Murphy, Murray, Myers, Nolte, Oehlerking, Overcast, Owen, Parker, Patterson, Perkins, Peters, Plank, Pollitt, Pouche, Price, Proudie, Reed, Reedy, Reuter, Riggs, Riley, Roberts, Rush, Sassmann, Schmidt, Schulte, Seitz, Sharp (37), Sharpe (4), Simmons, Smith (68), Smith (74), Steinhoff, Steinmetz, Steinmeyer, Stinnett, Strickler, Taylor (48), Terry, Thomas, Thompson, Titus, Van Schoiack, Veit, Vernetti, Violet, Voss, Walsh Moore, Warwick, Weber, West, Whaley, Williams, Wilson, Wolfin, Woods, Wright, Young, and Zimmermann.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Van Schoiack, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Thursday, February 13, 2025.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

BUDGET

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3.

Budget presentations from the Office of the Governor (HB 12), Judiciary (HB 12), the Office of the Public Defender (HB 12), and the General Assembly (HB 12). No public testimony will be taken.

BUDGET

Monday, February 17, 2025, 12:00 PM, House Hearing Room 3.

Budget presentation from the Department of Social Services - Support Divisions, FSD, CD, and DYS. No public testimony will be taken.

BUDGET

Tuesday, February 18, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3.

Budget presentations from the Office of the State Treasurer and the Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development. No public testimony will be taken.

BUDGET

Wednesday, February 19, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3.

Budget presentation from the Department of Mental Health. No public testimony will be taken.

CORRECTIONS AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 122, HB 572, HB 916

CANCELLED

ETHICS

Tuesday, February 18, 2025, 2:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 4.

Portions of this meeting may be closed under the authority of Article III, Sections 18 and 20 of the Constitution of Missouri, House Rule 37, House Resolution 141 and RSMo 610.021(1), (3), (13) and (14) to discuss Complaint 25-01.

Portions of this meeting may be closed under the authority of Article III, Sections 18 and 20, of the Missouri Constitution, the House Rules and Resolutions governing the Committee on Ethics, and RSMo § 610.21(3).

FISCAL REVIEW

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 9:00 AM, House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS HBs 594 & 508, HCS HBs 737 & 486

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

Added HCS HB 594 & 508 and HCS HB 737 & 486.

AMENDED

GENERAL LAWS

Thursday, February 13, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1175

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH

Monday, February 17, 2025, 10:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Presentations by Mary Fox, Missouri State Public Defender Director, and Annie Legomsky of the Missouri State Public Defender Holistic Services Division regarding the Department of Mental Health Competency Restoration Program. Emily Emery and Myleah Schrimpton will discuss this program from a family standpoint.

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.

RULES - LEGISLATIVE

Monday, February 17, 2025, 4:15 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS HB 117, HB 225, HB 262, HB 269, HB 349, HB 629, HB 660, HCS HB 798, HCS HBs 799, 334, 424 & 1069, HB 816, HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482, HB 875, HB 903, HB 939, HCS HB 943, HCS HB 970, HCS HB 999, HCS HJR 4 Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

RULES - LEGISLATIVE

Tuesday, February 18, 2025, 10:15 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 6.

Executive session will be held: HCS HB 117, HB 225, HB 262, HB 269, HB 349, HB 629, HB 660, HCS HB 798, HCS HBs 799, 334, 424 & 1069, HB 816, HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482, HB 875, HB 903, HB 939, HCS HB 943, HCS HB 970, HCS HB 999, HCS HJR 4 Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

RULES - LEGISLATIVE

Wednesday, February 19, 2025, 10:15 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS HB 117, HB 225, HB 262, HB 269, HB 349, HB 629, HB 660, HCS HB 798, HCS HBs 799, 334, 424 & 1069, HB 816, HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482, HB 875, HB 903, HB 939, HCS HB 943, HCS HB 970, HCS HB 999, HCS HJR 4 Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

RULES - LEGISLATIVE

Thursday, February 20, 2025, 10:15 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 4.

Executive session will be held: HCS HB 117, HB 225, HB 262, HB 269, HB 349, HB 629, HB 660, HCS HB 798, HCS HBs 799, 334, 424 & 1069, HB 816, HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482, HB 875, HB 903, HB 939, HCS HB 943, HCS HB 970, HCS HB 999, HCS HJR 4 Executive session may be held on any matter referred to the committee.

WAYS AND MEANS

Monday, February 17, 2025, 4:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 517, HB 783, HB 1086, HB 1133, HB 1155, HB 859 Executive session will be held: HB 326, HB 531, HB 493, HB 635, HJR 7 Removed HB 515 and added HB 517.

AMENDED

HOUSE CALENDAR

TWENTY-SECOND DAY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2025

HOUSE BILLS FOR SECOND READING

HB 1276 through HB 1292

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS FOR PERFECTION

HCS HJRs 23 & 3 - Caton

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

HB 742 - Baker HCS#2 HB 495 - Christ HB 544 - Diehl HB 68 - Overcast HCS HB 247 - Bromley

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION - CONSENT

(02/13/2025)

HCS HB 339 - Kelley

HOUSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

HCS HBs 737 & 486, (Fiscal Review 2/11/25) - Schmidt HCS HBs 594 & 508, (Fiscal Review 2/11/25) - Perkins HCS HBs 595 & 343 - Brown (16) HCS HB 75 - Loy

ACTIONS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 27

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