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TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2025

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Patterson in the Chair.

Prayer by Representative Brian Seitz.

Father, we thank You for Your great mercies towards us, and Your choice of us to serve You here, at this time in history. Help us to be mindful of our dependence on You as we serve the people. Let nothing be done in vainglory, but with a selfless attitude of mind, as we seek to govern the state as its elected representatives. We ask these things in Jesus's name. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

The Journal of the twenty-sixth day was approved as printed by the following vote:

AYES: 137

Allen	Amato	Anderson	Aune	Banderman
Barnes	Billington	Black	Boggs	Boykin
Boyko	Bromley	Brown 149	Brown 16	Burton
Bush	Busick	Butz	Byrnes	Caton
Chappell	Christ	Christensen	Coleman	Cook
Costlow	Davidson	Davis	Dean	Deaton
Diehl	Dolan	Douglas	Durnell	Elliott
Falkner	Farnan	Fogle	Fowler	Fuchs
Gallick	Gragg	Griffith	Haden	Hales
Haley	Harbison	Hardwick	Hausman	Hein
Hewkin	Hinman	Hovis	Hruza	Hurlbert
Irwin	Jacobs	Jamison	Jobe	Johnson
Jones 12	Jones 88	Jordan	Justus	Kalberloh
Kelley	Kimble	Knight	Laubinger	Lewis
Loy	Lucas	Mansur	Martin	Mayhew
McGaugh	McGirl	Meirath	Miller	Murphy
Murray	Myers	Nolte	Oehlerking	Overcast
Owen	Parker	Perkins	Peters	Pollitt
Price	Proudie	Reed	Riggs	Riley
Roberts	Rush	Sassmann	Schmidt	Schulte
Seitz	Self	Sharp 37	Sharpe 4	Shields
Simmons	Smith 68	Smith 74	Sparks	Steinhoff
Steinmeyer	Stinnett	Strickler	Taylor 48	Taylor 84
Terry	Thomas	Titus	Van Schoiack	Veit
Vernetti	Violet	Voss	Waller	Walsh Moore
Warwick	Weber	Wellenkamp	West	Whaley
Williams	Wilson	Wolfin	Wright	Young
Zimmermann	Mr. Speaker			

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NOES: 001

Bosley

PRESENT: 003

Collins Fountain Henderson Plank

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 021

Appelbaum Baker Casteel Clemens Crossley Cupps Doll Ealy Ingle Keathley Phelps Pouche Mackey Matthiesen Mosley Smith 46 Reedy Reuter Steinmetz Thompson Woods

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VACANCIES: 001

Representative Peters assumed the Chair.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS

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

- **HB 1411**, introduced by Representative Reuter, relating to the 988 Lifeline.
- **HB 1412**, introduced by Representative Christensen, relating to additives in food provided to students.
- **HB 1413**, introduced by Representative Kelley, relating to teacher representatives on the state board of education.
- **HB 1414**, introduced by Representative Dolan, relating to exemptions from the earned paid sick time law.
- **HB 1415**, introduced by Representative Seitz, relating to the rights of holders of a concealed carry permit or endorsement.
- **HB 1416**, introduced by Representative Seitz, relating to community improvement districts.
- **HB 1417**, introduced by Representative Whaley, relating to equal protection, with a referendum clause.
- **HB 1418**, introduced by Representative Busick, relating to the designation of a memorial highway.
- **HB 1419**, introduced by Representative Mayhew, relating to boating safety identification cards.
- **HB 1420**, introduced by Representative Mayhew, relating to auto theft prevention.
- **HB 1421**, introduced by Representative Byrnes, relating to a missing and murdered African American women and girls task force.

- HB 1422, introduced by Representative Cook, relating to pesticides.
- **HB 1423**, introduced by Representative Cook, relating to the offense of keeping a dangerous dog, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1424**, introduced by Representative Riggs, relating to the Missouri advisory boards and commissions association.
- **HB 1425**, introduced by Representative Riggs, relating to licensure reciprocity for chartered engineers in the United Kingdom.
- HB 1426, introduced by Representative West, relating to circuit judges in the eleventh judicial circuit.
- HB 1427, introduced by Representative Busick, relating to motorcycle auxiliary lighting.
- **HB 1428**, introduced by Representative Casteel, relating to virtual currency.
- **HB 1429**, introduced by Representative Oehlerking, relating to electronic bid procurement systems.
- **HB 1430**, introduced by Representative Boykin, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.
- **HB 1431**, introduced by Representative Van Schoiack, relating to make up days of school, with an emergency clause.
- HB 1432, introduced by Representative Mosley, relating to teacher education and training.
- **HB 1433**, introduced by Representative Mosley, relating to insurance coverage of additional living expenses due to gun violence.
- **HB 1434**, introduced by Representative Mosley, relating to absences from school, with a penalty provision.
- **HB 1435**, introduced by Representative Rush, relating to period products in charter schools and public schools.
- **HB 1436**, introduced by Representative Rush, relating to the Missouri four for more program.
- **HB 1437**, introduced by Representative Cook, relating to workers' compensation minimum employee requirements for certain construction industry employers.
- **HB 1438**, introduced by Representative Schulte, relating to an income tax deduction for certain National Guard duties.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolution was read the second time:

HJR 93, relating to persons entitled to vote.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the second time:

- **HB 1392**, relating to the general assembly.
- HB 1393, relating to released time courses.
- HB 1394, relating to the Heart of America Bridge.
- **HB 1395**, relating to unlawful discriminatory practices, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1396**, relating to the department of transportation's fiber network.
- HB 1397, relating to a one-year motor fuel tax reduction.
- **HB 1398**, relating to flags in classrooms.
- **HB 1399**, relating to presentence investigations.
- **HB 1400**, relating to home health agencies, with penalty provisions.
- HB 1401, relating to temporary real estate salesperson licenses.
- **HB 1402**, relating to a sales tax exemption.
- HB 1403, relating to end neighborhood gun violence day.
- HB 1404, relating to birthing centers.
- HB 1405, relating to city-county library boards of trustees.
- **HB 1406**, relating to the Alzheimer's state plan task force.
- HB 1407, relating to employer reimbursement for certain employee expenses.
- **HB 1408**, relating to towing authorization.
- **HB 1409**, relating to transportation funding.
- **HB 1410**, relating to peace officer continuing education requirements.

SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bills were read the second time:

SS SCS SBs 49 & 118, relating to allowing public schools to employ or accept chaplains as volunteers.

SS SCS SB 60, relating to the offense of endangering the welfare of a child in the first degree, with penalty provisions.

SS SCS SBs 81 & 174, relating to fireworks protections, with penalty provisions.

SS SCS SB 97, relating to financial institutions, with penalty provisions.

SS SCS SB 105, relating to nonnative invasive plants.

SS#2 SB 145, relating to the licensure of certain businesses.

SS#2 SB 167, relating to the offense of hazing, with penalty provisions.

PERFECTION OF HOUSE BILLS

HCS HBs 243 & 280, relating to a judgment of dissolution of marriage or legal separation, was taken up by Representative Williams.

On motion of Representative Williams, the title of HCS HBs 243 & 280 was agreed to.

On motion of Representative Williams, HCS HBs 243 & 280 was adopted.

On motion of Representative Williams, **HCS HBs 243 & 280** was ordered perfected and printed.

HB 875, relating to student associations at public institutions of higher learning, was taken up by Representative Chappell.

On motion of Representative Chappell, the title of **HB 875** was agreed to.

Representative Dean raised a point of order that a member was in violation of Rule 84.

Speaker Patterson resumed the Chair.

The Chair ruled the point of order well taken.

Representative Peters resumed the Chair.

On motion of Representative Chappell, **HB 875** was ordered perfected and printed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS - CONSENT

HCS HB 339, relating to records of complaints against child care facilities, was taken up by Representative Kelley.

On motion of Representative Kelley, **HCS HB 339** was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 157

Allen Anderson Appelbaum Amato Aune Baker Banderman Barnes Billington Black Bosley Boykin Boyko Bromley Boggs Brown 149 Bush Brown 16 Burton Busick Casteel Caton Butz Byrnes Chappell Christ Christensen Clemens Coleman Collins Cook Costlow Crossley Cupps Davidson Davis Dean Deaton Diehl Dolan Doll Douglas Durnell Elliott Falkner Farnan Fogle Fountain Henderson Fowler Fuchs Griffith Hales Gallick Gragg Haden Haley Harbison Hardwick Hausman Hein Hewkin Hinman Hovis Hruza Hurlbert Irwin Jacobs Jamison Jobe Ingle Johnson Jones 12 Jones 88 Jordan Justus Kelley Kimble Kalberloh Keathley Knight Lucas Laubinger Lewis Mackey Loy McGirl Mansur Martin Mayhew McGaugh Meirath Miller Mosley Murphy Murray Myers Nolte Oehlerking Overcast Owen Parker Perkins Peters Phelps Plank Pollitt Price Reed Pouche Proudie Riley Roberts Reedy Reuter Riggs Rush Sassmann Schmidt Schulte Seitz Self Sharpe 4 Shields Simmons Smith 46 Smith 68 Smith 74 Sparks Steinhoff Steinmeyer Terry Stinnett Strickler Taylor 48 Taylor 84 Thomas Thompson Titus Van Schoiack Veit Vernetti Violet Voss Waller Walsh Moore Warwick Weber Wellenkamp West Whaley Williams Wilson Wolfin Woods Young Zimmermann Mr. Speaker

NOES: 000

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 005

Ealy Matthiesen Sharp 37 Steinmetz Wright

VACANCIES: 001

Representative Peters declared the bill passed.

The emergency clause was adopted by the following vote:

AYES: 155

Allen Anderson Aune Amato Appelbaum Baker Banderman Black Barnes Billington Boggs Bosley Boyko Bromley Boykin Brown 149 Brown 16 Burton BushBusick Butz Byrnes Casteel Caton Christ Christensen Clemens Coleman Collins Cook Costlow Crossley Davidson Dean Cupps Deaton Diehl 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 Hurlbert Hruza Ingle Irwin Jacobs Jamison Jobe Johnson Jones 12 Jones 88 Jordan Justus Kalberloh Keathley Kelley Kimble Knight Laubinger Lewis Loy Lucas Mackey Mansur Martin McGaugh McGirl Miller Mayhew Meirath Nolte Mosley Murphy Murray Myers Oehlerking Parker Perkins Overcast Owen Peters Phelps Plank Pollitt Pouche Price Proudie Reed Reedy Reuter Riggs Riley Roberts Rush Sassmann Schmidt Schulte Seitz Self Sharp 37 Sharpe 4 Shields Smith 46 Simmons Smith 68 Smith 74 Sparks Steinhoff Steinmeyer Stinnett Strickler Taylor 48 Taylor 84 Terry Thomas Van Schoiack Vernetti Thompson Titus Veit Violet Voss Waller Walsh Moore Warwick Weber Wellenkamp West Whaley Williams Wilson Woods Young Zimmermann Mr. Speaker

NOES: 003

Chappell Davis Wolfin

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 004

Ealy Matthiesen Steinmetz Wright

VACANCIES: 001

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bill was referred to the Committee indicated:

HB 716 - Financial Institutions

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions, Chairman Mayhew reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions, to which was referred **HB 122**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Brown (16), Bush, Collins, Cook, Davis, Elliott, Falkner, Fountain Henderson, Kalberloh, Lucas, Mayhew, Sassmann, Terry and Veit Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions, to which was referred **HB 572**, 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): Brown (16), Bush, Cook, Davis, Elliott, Falkner, Fountain Henderson, Kalberloh, Lucas, Mayhew, Sassmann and Terry
Noes (2): Collins and Veit
Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Corrections and Public Institutions, to which was referred **HB 916**, 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): Brown (16), Bush, Collins, Cook, Davis, Elliott, Falkner, Fountain Henderson, Kalberloh, Lucas, Mayhew, Sassmann, Terry and Veit Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Committee on Local Government, Chairman Hinman reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred **HB 200**, 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 (12): Amato, Barnes, Diehl, Falkner, Hales, Hinman, McGaugh, Reedy, Smith (74), Violet, Voss and Wellenkamp Noes (0)
Absent (5): Sharp (37), Steinmeyer, Walsh Moore, West and Wolfin Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred **HB 313**, 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): Amato, Barnes, Diehl, Falkner, Hales, Hinman, McGaugh, Reedy, Smith (74), Violet, Voss, Wellenkamp and Wolfin

Absent (4): Sharp (37), Steinmeyer, Walsh Moore and West

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred **HB 923**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (11): Amato, Barnes, Falkner, Hinman, McGaugh, Reedy, Smith (74), Violet, Voss, Wellenkamp and Wolfin

Noes (1): Hales

Absent (5): Diehl, Sharp (37), Steinmeyer, Walsh Moore and West

Committee on Rules - Administrative, Chairman Shields reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative, to which was referred **HB 121**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Christ, Griffith, Mackey, Oehlerking, Perkins, Proudie, Shields, Stinnett and Taylor (48)

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Smith (46)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative, to which was referred **HCS HB 236**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Christ, Griffith, Oehlerking, Perkins, Proudie, Shields, Stinnett and Taylor (48)

Noes (1): Mackey

Absent (1): Smith (46)

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed SCS SB 3 entitled:

An act to repeal section 136.055, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to department of revenue fee offices.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Riley, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, February 25, 2025.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

AGRICULTURE

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7. Public hearing will be held: HB 1295, HB 642, HB 565 Executive session will be held: HB 489, HB 1042, HB 533

BUDGET

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3. Budget presentations from the Office of the Lieutenant Governor and the Department of Health and Senior Services.

BUDGET

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3. Budget presentation from the Office of the Public Defender (HB 12).

BUDGET

Thursday, February 27, 2025, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 3. Executive session will be held: HB 14, HB 70 Markup of House Committee Substitute for HB 14.

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6. Public hearing will be held: HB 1148, HB 1165, HB 1025, HB 381 Executive session will be held: HB 1259

COMMERCE

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6. Public hearing will be held: HB 897, HB 918, HB 952, HB 69 Executive session will be held: HB 567, HB 794

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 1. Public hearing will be held: HB 953, HB 610, HB 900, HB 1068 Executive session will be held: HB 669, HB 770, HB 969

ELECTIONS

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 638, HB 793

Executive session will be held: HJR 67, HB 507, HB 126, HB 367

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1238, HB 1287

Executive session will be held: HB 267, HB 368, HB 1153, HB 220

FISCAL REVIEW

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 4:00 PM, House Hearing Room 4. Executive session will be held: HCS HJRs 23 & 3, HCS HB 247

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

GENERAL LAWS

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 4:00 PM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 196, HB 271, HB 393

Executive session will be held: HB 242, HB 417, HB 1175, HB 696

Added HB 696. AMENDED

GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 433, HB 630, HB 1316

Executive session will be held: HB 520

Removed HB 1264.

AMENDED

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 398, HB 803, HB 366

Executive session will be held: HB 232

HIGHER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 4:30 PM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 168, HB 937

Executive session will be held: HB 33, HB 183, HB 268, HB 291, HB 1017

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JUDICIARY

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1075, HB 731, HB 709

Executive session will be held: HB 736, HB 182, HB 123, HB 129, HB 131, HB 83

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 5. Public hearing will be held: HB 622, HB 1162, HB 47, HB 199

Executive session will be held: HB 388, HB 241, HB 369

PENSIONS

Thursday, February 27, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 329, HB 976 Executive session will be held: HB 205, HB 977

PROFESSIONAL REGISTRATION AND LICENSING

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 764, HB 1013, HB 1290 Executive session will be held: HB 56, HB 765, HB 946

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON TAX REFORM

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 440

Executive session will be held: HB 425, HB 1160, HB 780, HB 641

TRANSPORTATION

Tuesday, February 25, 2025, 4:30 PM, House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 665, HB 239, HB 928, HB 272, HB 1284

Executive session will be held: HB 293, HB 971, HB 978

UTILITIES

Wednesday, February 26, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 476, HB 569 Executive session will be held: HB 748, HB 376

HOUSE CALENDAR

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2025

HOUSE BILLS FOR SECOND READING

HB 1411 through HB 1438

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482 - Hausman HB 269 - Shields HCS HBs 177 & 469 - Parker HB 810 - Baker HCS HB 943 - Peters HB 121 - Murphy HCS HB 236 - Gallick

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING

HCS HJRs 23 & 3, (Fiscal Review 2/20/25) - Caton

HOUSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

HCS HB 247, (Fiscal Review 2/20/25) - Bromley

SENATE BILLS FOR SECOND READING

SCS SB 3

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 2012 - Deaton SS SCS HCS HB 2013 - Deaton SS SCS HCS HB 2017 - Deaton SS SCS HCS HB 2017 - Deaton SS SCS HCS HB 2018 - Deaton SS SCS HCS HB 2018 - Deaton SS SCS HCS HB 2019 - Deaton

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