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THIRTIETH DAY, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2025

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Patterson in the Chair.

Prayer by Representative Brian Seitz.

Father, we come to You in faith, asking for wisdom as we navigate the legislation that You've put before us today.

Help us to represent You, as we represent the people, in thought, word and deed.

Give us a spirit of discernment as we make decisions, and help us to remember that we are here to serve others, not self.

In Jesus's name we pray. Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

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

AYES: 136

Allen	Anderson	Appelbaum	Aune	Baker
Banderman	Barnes	Billington	Black	Boykin
Boyko	Bromley	Brown 149	Bush	Busick
Casteel	Caton	Chappell	Christ	Christensen
Clemens	Cook	Costlow	Crossley	Davidson
Davis	Dean	Deaton	Diehl	Dolan
Doll	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	Jones 12	Jones 88
Jordan	Justus	Kalberloh	Keathley	Kelley
Kimble	Laubinger	Lewis	Loy	Lucas
Mackey	Mayhew	McGaugh	McGirl	Meirath
Miller	Murphy	Murray	Myers	Nolte
Oehlerking	Overcast	Owen	Parker	Perkins
Peters	Phelps	Plank	Pollitt	Pouche
Price	Proudie	Reed	Reedy	Reuter
Riggs	Riley	Roberts	Rush	Sassmann
Schmidt	Schulte	Seitz	Self	Sharpe 4
Shields	Simmons	Smith 68	Smith 74	Sparks
Steinhoff	Steinmetz	Steinmeyer	Stinnett	Strickler

Titus Taylor 48 Thomas Van Schoiack Vernetti Violet Waller Warwick Weber Voss Wellenkamp West Whaley Williams Wilson Wolfin Woods Wright Young Zimmermann

Mr. Speaker

NOES: 000

PRESENT: 002

Collins Fountain Henderson

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 024

Bosley Burton Amato Boggs Brown 16 Ealy Butz Byrnes Coleman Cupps Johnson Knight Martin Ingle Mansur Smith 46 Taylor 84 Matthiesen Mosley Sharp 37

Veit Terry Thompson Walsh Moore

VACANCIES: 001

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

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

HCR 19, introduced by Representative Walsh Moore, relating to the special relationship between the United States and Ireland.

HCR 20, introduced by Representative Walsh Moore, relating to Srebrenica Genocide Remembrance Day.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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

HJR 96, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to property tax.

HJR 97, introduced by Representative Mayhew, relating to abortion, with penalty provisions.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS

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

HB 1498, introduced by Representative Wellenkamp, relating to a tax credit for critical revitalization property.

HB 1499, introduced by Representative Wellenkamp, relating to a tax credit for motion media production projects.

HB 1500, introduced by Representative Peters, relating to the practice of applied behavior analysis.

HB 1501, introduced by Representative Jamison, relating to college tuition for first responders.

HB 1502, introduced by Representative Parker, relating to court administration.

HB 1503, introduced by Representative Parker, relating to the board of paroles in certain judicial circuits.

HB 1504, introduced by Representative Hovis, relating to contribution rates for the public school retirement system of the city of St. Louis, with an emergency clause.

HB 1505, introduced by Representative Perkins, relating to public safety, with a penalty provision.

HB 1506, introduced by Representative Loy, relating to minimum prison terms.

HB 1507, introduced by Representative Kimble, relating to direct shipping of alcoholic beverages.

HB 1508, introduced by Representative Veit, relating to battery recycling.

HB 1509, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to the statute of limitations for certain debts.

HB 1510, introduced by Representative Miller, relating to education reforms.

HB 1511, introduced by Representative Knight, relating to incentives for converting a business to produce certain chemicals, gases, metals, and minerals.

HB 1512, introduced by Representative Proudie, relating to child abuse or neglect.

HB 1513, introduced by Representative Proudie, relating to reporting of abuse and neglect, with penalty provisions.

HB 1514, introduced by Representative Hinman, relating to college tuition for public safety personnel.

HB 1515, introduced by Representative Young, relating to the Missouri small business property crime prevention grant program.

HB 1516, introduced by Representative Hurlbert, relating to virtual schools.

HB 1517, introduced by Representative Reed, relating to the use of organized labor for certain state contracts.

- HB 1518, introduced by Representative Reed, relating to discriminatory mascots.
- HB 1519, introduced by Representative Diehl, relating to the distribution of certain wine excise tax revenues, with penalty provisions and a delayed effective date.
- HB 1520, introduced by Representative Diehl, relating to tax credits for improving access to food.
- **HB 1521**, introduced by Representative Bosley, relating to the compensation of jurors.
- HB 1522, introduced by Representative Laubinger, relating to the diaper bank tax credit.
- **HB 1523**, introduced by Representative Laubinger, relating to school employee training.
- HB 1524, introduced by Representative Casteel, relating to an entertainment district.
- **HB 1525**, introduced by Representative Christ, relating to college tuition for public safety personnel.
- HB 1526, introduced by Representative Knight, relating to retirement credited service.
- **HB 1527**, introduced by Representative Christ, relating to grants for postsecondary education.
- **HB 1528**, introduced by Representative Sharp (37), relating to a temporary extension of hours for certain liquor licensees.
- **HB 1529**, introduced by Representative Rush, relating to mental health efforts in public schools.
- **HB 1530**, introduced by Representative Aune, relating to a local property tax for children's services.
- **HB 1531**, introduced by Representative Dolan, relating to limited driving privileges.
- HB 1532, introduced by Representative Woods, relating to firearms, with penalty provisions.
- HB 1533, introduced by Representative Woods, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.
- HB 1534, introduced by Representative Meirath, relating to water projects constructed by certain cities.
- HB 1535, introduced by Representative Dean, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.
- **HB 1536**, introduced by Representative Murphy, relating to summer camps, with penalty provisions.

- HB 1537, introduced by Representative Harbison, relating to the sale of wood products.
- **HB 1538**, introduced by Representative Thompson, relating to the imposition of taxes.
- **HB 1539**, introduced by Representative Chappell, relating to the designation of a memorial highway.
- **HB 1540**, introduced by Representative Diehl, relating to comparative negligence or fault.
- HB 1541, introduced by Representative Farnan, relating to ambulance districts.
- **HB 1542**, introduced by Representative Patterson, relating to the department of economic development.
- **HB 1543**, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to the payment of workers' compensation upon the death of an employee.
- **HB 1544**, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to the Missouri homestead preservation act, with a delayed effective date.
- **HB 1545**, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to the transfer of firearms, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1546**, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to water exportation across state boundaries.
- HB 1547, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to payments for vasectomies.
- **HB 1548**, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to John Goodman day.
- **HB 1549**, introduced by Representative Burton, relating to Missouri black bear awareness day.
- **HB 1550**, introduced by Representative Woods, relating to employment practices involving warehouse distribution centers, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1551**, introduced by Representative Hovis, relating to compensation for wrongful conviction.
- **HB 1552**, introduced by Representative Peters, relating to excursion gambling boats.
- **HB 1553**, introduced by Representative Woods, relating to income taxes.
- HB 1554, introduced by Representative Price, relating to income taxes.
- **HB 1555**, introduced by Representative Martin, relating to agricultural education.
- **HB 1556**, introduced by Representative Sharp (37), relating to financial incentives for certain entertainment facilities.

HB 1557, introduced by Representative Costlow, relating to the offense of stealing, with penalty provisions.

HB 1558, introduced by Representative Costlow, relating to unlawful discriminatory practices.

HB 1559, introduced by Representative Black, relating to utility vehicles, with penalty provisions.

HB 1560, introduced by Representative Gallick, relating to financial incentives for certain entertainment facilities.

HB 1561, introduced by Representative Gallick, relating to trauma center designations.

HB 1562, introduced by Representative Hardwick, relating to certain veteran-owned small businesses.

HB 1563, introduced by Representative Walsh Moore, relating to leave from employment, with a referendum clause.

HB 1564, introduced by Representative Steinhoff, relating to purpose-built student housing.

HB 1565, introduced by Representative Steinhoff, relating to income taxes.

HB 1566, introduced by Representative Steinhoff, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.

HB 1567, introduced by Representative Davidson, relating to collaborative practice arrangements between physicians and physician assistants.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolution was read the second time:

HJR 95, relating to the registration of certain voters.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the second time:

HB 1465, relating to the licensure of entities involved in the distribution of drugs.

HB 1466, relating to foam fire suppressants.

HB 1467, relating to treatment courts.

HB 1468, relating to tax credits for improving access to food.

- HB 1469, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.
- **HB 1470**, to authorize the conveyance of certain state property.
- HB 1471, relating to the age of consent, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1472**, relating to panic-alert technology in schools.
- **HB 1473**, relating to gifted education pupils.
- HB 1474, relating to health care.
- **HB 1475**, relating to voter registration, with a contingent effective date.
- **HB 1476**, relating to the sheriff of the City of St. Louis.
- **HB 1477**, relating to a modification of certain fees imposed on spirituous liquors.
- **HB 1478**, relating to income taxes.
- **HB 1479**, relating to income taxes.
- HB 1480, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.
- HB 1481, relating to county municipal courts.
- **HB 1482**, relating to the distribution of certain funds for memorials and museums dedicated to veterans.
- HB 1483, relating to a tax credit for the property tax liabilities of certain vulnerable persons.
- HB 1484, relating to roundabout construction.
- HB 1485, relating to headlamp requirements.
- **HB 1486**, relating to diesel-powered vehicles, with penalty provisions.
- **HB 1487**, relating to rebates by electrical corporations.
- **HB 1488**, relating to water and sewer service for rental property.
- **HB 1489**, relating to electronic communication devices, with penalty provisions.
- HB 1490, relating to parole hearings for certain offenders.
- HB 1491, relating to sports complex authorities.

- HB 1492, relating to prescriptive authority for certain health care professionals.
- HB 1493, relating to a memorial highway designation.
- HB 1494, relating to the office of the lieutenant governor, with a contingent effective date.
- HB 1495, relating to child abuse or neglect.
- HB 1496, relating to married minors.
- HB 1497, relating to tax rate ceilings.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Fiscal Review, Chairman Murphy reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Fiscal Review, to which was referred HCS HJRs 23 & 3, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Casteel, Fogle, Gragg, Hein, Mayhew, Murphy and Pouche

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Cupps

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Fiscal Review, to which was referred HCS HBs 177 & 469, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Casteel, Fogle, Gragg, Hein, Murphy and Pouche

Noes (1): Mayhew

Absent (1): Cupps

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Fiscal Review, to which was referred **HCS HB 247**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Casteel, Fogle, Gragg, Hein, Mayhew, Murphy and Pouche

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Cupps

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Fiscal Review, to which was referred **HB 269**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Casteel, Fogle, Gragg, Hein, Mayhew, Murphy and Pouche

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Cupps

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Fiscal Review, 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 (5): Casteel, Gragg, Mayhew, Murphy and Pouche

Noes (2): Fogle and Hein

Absent (1): Cupps

THIRD READING OF HOUSE BILLS

HCS HB 247, relating to motor vehicle registration, was taken up by Representative Bromley.

On motion of Representative Bromley, **HCS HB 247** was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 151

Allen	Anderson	Appelbaum	Aune	Baker
Banderman	Barnes	Billington	Black	Boggs
Bosley	Boykin	Boyko	Bromley	Brown 149
Brown 16	Bush	Busick	Casteel	Caton
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	Gallick	Gragg	Griffith	Haden
Hales	Haley	Harbison	Hardwick	Hausman
Hein	Hewkin	Hinman	Hovis	Hruza
Hurlbert	Ingle	Irwin	Jacobs	Jamison
Jobe	Johnson	Jones 12	Jones 88	Jordan
Justus	Kalberloh	Keathley	Kelley	Kimble
Knight	Laubinger	Lewis	Loy	Lucas
Mackey	Mansur	Martin	Mayhew	McGaugh
McGirl	Meirath	Miller	Mosley	Murphy
Myers	Nolte	Oehlerking	Overcast	Owen
Parker	Perkins	Peters	Phelps	Plank
Pollitt	Pouche	Price	Proudie	Reed
Reedy	Reuter	Riggs	Riley	Roberts
Rush	Sassmann	Schmidt	Schulte	Seitz
Self	Sharpe 4	Shields	Simmons	Smith 46
Smith 68	Smith 74	Sparks	Steinmetz	Steinmeyer
Stinnett	Strickler	Taylor 48	Taylor 84	Terry
Thomas	Thompson	Titus	Van Schoiack	Veit

VernettiVioletVossWallerWalsh MooreWarwickWeberWellenkampWhaleyWilliamsWilsonWoodsWrightYoungZimmermann

Mr. Speaker

NOES: 002

Burton Wolfin

PRESENT: 001

Steinhoff

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 008

Amato Butz Byrnes Ealy Matthiesen

Murray Sharp 37 West

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

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, **HCS HBs 243 & 280** was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 155

Seitz

Smith 46

Steinmetz

Self

Smith 68

Steinmeyer

Allen Anderson Appelbaum Amato Aune Baker Banderman Barnes Billington Black Bosley **Boykin** Boyko Bromley Boggs Brown 149 Brown 16 Busick Burton Bush Casteel Caton Chappell Christ Christensen Collins Cook Costlow Clemens Coleman Crossley Davidson Davis Dean Deaton Diehl Dolan Doll Douglas Durnell Fountain Henderson Elliott Falkner Farnan Fogle Fowler Fuchs Gallick Griffith Gragg Harbison Hardwick Haden Hales Haley Hinman Hovis Hausman Hein Hewkin Hruza Hurlbert Ingle Irwin Jacobs Jamison Jobe Johnson Jones 12 Jones 88 Kalberloh Kelley Jordan Justus Keathley Kimble Knight Laubinger Lewis Loy Mayhew Lucas Mackey Mansur Martin McGaugh McGirl Meirath Miller Mosley Murphy Murray Myers Nolte Oehlerking Owen Parker Perkins Peters Phelps Plank Pollitt Pouche Price Proudie Reuter Riley Reed Reedy Riggs Rush Roberts Sassmann Schmidt Schulte

Sharpe 4

Smith 74

Stinnett

Shields

Sparks

Strickler

Simmons

Steinhoff

Taylor 48

Taylor 84 Terry Thomas Thompson Titus Voss Van Schoiack Veit Vernetti Violet Waller Walsh Moore Warwick Weber Wellenkamp Whaley Williams Wilson Wolfin Woods Wright Zimmermann Mr. Speaker Young

NOES: 000

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 007

Butz Byrnes Cupps Ealy Matthiesen

Overcast Sharp 37

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

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

On motion of Representative Chappell, HB 875 was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 108

Baker Banderman Billington Allen Amato Brown 16 Black Boggs Bromley Brown 149 Busick Casteel Caton Chappell Christ Christensen Coleman Cook Costlow Cupps Diehl Davidson Davis Deaton Dolan Elliott Falkner Fowler Durnell Farnan Griffith Gallick Gragg Haden Haley Hinman Harbison Hardwick Hausman Hewkin Hovis Hruza Hurlbert Irwin Jones 12 Jones 88 Jordan Justus Kalberloh Keathley Laubinger Kelley Knight Lewis Loy McGirl Martin Mayhew McGaugh Lucas Miller Murphy Myers Nolte Meirath Oehlerking Overcast Owen Parker Perkins Peters Phelps Pollitt Pouche Reedy Reuter Riggs Riley Roberts Sassmann Schmidt Schulte Seitz Self Sharpe 4 Shields Simmons Sparks Steinmeyer Stinnett Veit Taylor 48 Thompson Titus Van Schoiack Vernetti Violet Voss Waller Warwick Wellenkamp West Whaley Williams Wilson Wolfin Wright Mr. Speaker NOES: 047

Anderson Appelbaum Aune Barnes Bosley Boykin Boyko Burton Bush Clemens Collins Crossley Dean Doll Douglas Fogle Fountain Henderson Fuchs Hales Hein

Jobe Ingle Jacobs Jamison Johnson Kimble Mackey Mansur Mosley Murray Price Proudie Rush Smith 46 Smith 68 Smith 74 Steinhoff Steinmetz Strickler Taylor 84 Walsh Moore Woods Terry Thomas Weber

Young Zimmermann

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 007

Butz Byrnes Ealy Matthiesen Plank

Reed Sharp 37

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482, relating to licensing of child care facilities, was taken up by Representative Hausman.

On motion of Representative Hausman, HCS HBs 850, 53 & 482 was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 155

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

NOES: 000

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 007

Butz Byrnes Ealy Matthiesen Plank

Reed Sharp 37

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

HB 269, relating to tax credits for child care, was taken up by Representative Shields.

On motion of Representative Shields, ${\bf HB~269}$ was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 120

Allen	Amato	Anderson	Appelbaum	Aune
Barnes	Black	Bosley	Boykin	Boyko
Brown 149	Brown 16	Burton	Bush	Busick
Casteel	Caton	Clemens	Coleman	Collins
Crossley	Dean	Diehl	Dolan	Doll
Douglas	Falkner	Farnan	Fogle	Fountain Henderson
Fowler	Fuchs	Gallick	Griffith	Haden
Hales	Haley	Harbison	Hein	Hewkin
Hinman	Hovis	Hruza	Ingle	Irwin
Jacobs	Jamison	Jobe	Johnson	Jones 12
Justus	Kalberloh	Kimble	Knight	Laubinger
Lewis	Lucas	Mackey	Mansur	Martin
Mayhew	McGaugh	Miller	Mosley	Murphy
Murray	Myers	Nolte	Oehlerking	Overcast
Owen	Parker	Perkins	Peters	Phelps
Pollitt	Pouche	Price	Proudie	Reedy
Reuter	Riggs	Roberts	Rush	Sassmann
Schmidt	Schulte	Seitz	Self	Sharp 37
Sharpe 4	Shields	Smith 46	Smith 68	Smith 74
Steinhoff	Steinmetz	Steinmeyer	Stinnett	Strickler
Taylor 84	Terry	Thomas	Thompson	Van Schoiack
Veit	Vernetti	Violet	Voss	Waller
Walsh Moore	Weber	Wellenkamp	Williams	Wilson
Woods	Wright	Young	Zimmermann	Mr. Speaker
NOES: 034				

Baker	Banderman	Billington	Boggs	Bromley
Chappell	Christ	Christensen	Cook	Cupps
Davidson	Davis	Deaton	Durnell	Elliott
Gragg	Hardwick	Hurlbert	Jones 88	Jordan
Keathley	Kelley	Loy	McGirl	Meirath
Riley	Simmons	Sparks	Taylor 48	Titus
Warwick	West	Whaley	Wolfin	

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 008

Butz Byrnes Costlow Ealy Hausman

Matthiesen Plank Reed

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

HCS HBs 177 & 469, relating to MO HealthNet coverage of hearing-related devices, was taken up by Representative Parker.

On motion of Representative Parker, HCS HBs 177 & 469 was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 148

Allen	Amato	Anderson	Appelbaum	Aune
Banderman	Barnes	Billington	Black	Bosley
Boykin	Boyko	Bromley	Brown 149	Brown 16
Burton	Bush	Busick	Casteel	Caton
Chappell	Christ	Christensen	Clemens	Coleman
Collins	Cook	Costlow	Crossley	Cupps
Davidson	Dean	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	Hruza	Hurlbert
Ingle	Irwin	Jacobs	Jamison	Jobe
Johnson	Jones 12	Jones 88	Jordan	Justus
Kalberloh	Keathley	Kelley	Kimble	Knight
Laubinger	Lewis	Lucas	Mackey	Mansur
Martin	McGaugh	McGirl	Meirath	Miller
Mosley	Murphy	Murray	Myers	Nolte
Oehlerking	Overcast	Owen	Parker	Perkins
Peters	Phelps	Pollitt	Pouche	Price
Proudie	Reed	Reedy	Reuter	Riggs
Riley	Roberts	Rush	Sassmann	Schmidt
Schulte	Seitz	Self	Sharp 37	Sharpe 4
Shields	Simmons	Smith 46	Smith 68	Smith 74
Steinhoff	Steinmetz	Steinmeyer	Stinnett	Strickler
Taylor 48	Taylor 84	Terry	Thomas	Thompson
Van Schoiack	Veit	Vernetti	Violet	Voss
Waller	Walsh Moore	Warwick	Weber	Wellenkamp
Whaley	Williams	Wilson	Woods	Wright
Young	Zimmermann	Mr. Speaker		
NOES: 008				

NOES: 008

Baker Boggs Davis Loy Sparks Titus West Wolfin

PRESENT: 000

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 006

Butz Byrnes Ealy Matthiesen Mayhew

Plank

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

THIRD READING OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

HCS HJRs 23 & 3, relating to assessors, was taken up by Representative Caton.

On motion of Representative Caton, HCS HJRs 23 & 3 was read the third time and passed by the following vote:

AYES: 125

Allen	Amato	Aune	Baker	Banderman
Barnes	Billington	Black	Boggs	Bosley
Boyko	Bromley	Brown 149	Brown 16	Busick
Casteel	Caton	Chappell	Christ	Christensen
Coleman	Collins	Cook	Costlow	Crossley
Cupps	Davidson	Davis	Dean	Deaton
Diehl	Dolan	Doll	Durnell	Elliott
Falkner	Farnan	Fowler	Gallick	Gragg
Griffith	Haden	Haley	Harbison	Hardwick
Hausman	Hein	Hewkin	Hinman	Hovis
Hruza	Hurlbert	Ingle	Irwin	Jacobs
Jamison	Jobe	Jones 12	Jones 88	Jordan
Justus	Kalberloh	Keathley	Kelley	Kimble
Knight	Laubinger	Lewis	Loy	Lucas
Mackey	Mayhew	McGaugh	McGirl	Meirath
Miller	Murphy	Myers	Nolte	Oehlerking
Overcast	Owen	Parker	Perkins	Peters
Phelps	Pollitt	Pouche	Reed	Reedy
Reuter	Riggs	Riley	Roberts	Sassmann
Schmidt	Schulte	Seitz	Self	Sharpe 4
Shields	Simmons	Sparks	Steinmeyer	Stinnett
Strickler	Taylor 48	Thomas	Thompson	Van Schoiack
Veit	Vernetti	Violet	Voss	Waller
Walsh Moore	Warwick	Wellenkamp	West	Whaley
Williams	Wilson	Wolfin	Wright	Mr. Speaker
NOES: 007				
Burton	Douglas	Fountain Henderson	Mansur	Price
Smith 68	Taylor 84			

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PRESENT: 022

Anderson Appelbaum Boykin Bush Clemens Fuchs Hales Fogle Johnson Mosley Murray Proudie Rush Sharp 37 Smith 46

Smith 74 Steinhoff Steinmetz Terry Woods

Young Zimmermann

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 008

Butz Byrnes Ealy Martin Matthiesen

Plank Titus Weber

VACANCIES: 001

Speaker Patterson declared the bill passed.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Joint Resolutions were referred to the Committee indicated:

HJR 91 - Elections

HJR 94 - Government Efficiency

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

HCS HB 943 - Fiscal Review

HB 48 - Legislative Review

HB 90 - Higher Education and Workforce Development

HB 93 - Judiciary

HB 248 - Elementary and Secondary Education

HB 364 - Health and Mental Health

HB 488 - Conservation and Natural Resources

HB 529 - Local Government

HB 576 - Pensions

HB 616 - Higher Education and Workforce Development

HB 777 - Special Committee on Tax Reform

HB 815 - Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs

HB 837 - Corrections and Public Institutions

HB 985 - Legislative Review

HB 989 - Judiciary

HB 1036 - Health and Mental Health

HB 1039 - Elementary and Secondary Education

HB 1120 - Commerce

HB 1124 - Special Committee on Rural Issues

HB 1138 - Commerce

HB 1169 - Judiciary

HB 1180 - Elementary and Secondary Education

HB 1195 - Health and Mental Health

HB 1197 - Children and Families

HB 1198 - Professional Registration and Licensing

HB 1212 -	· Ways	and Means
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HB 1227 - Children and Families

HB 1229 - Economic Development

HB 1257 - Emerging Issues

HB 1263 - Special Committee on Rural Issues

HB 1268 - Local Government

HB 1274 - Financial Institutions

HB 1350 - Commerce

HB 1366 - Conservation and Natural Resources

HB 1369 - Corrections and Public Institutions

HB 1374 - Crime and Public Safety

HB 1399 - Judiciary

HB 1409 - Transportation

HB 1414 - Commerce

HB 1415 - General Laws

HB 1416 - Local Government

HB 1442 - Conservation and Natural Resources

HB 1444 - Government Efficiency

HB 1456 - Local Government

HB 1457 - Judiciary

HB 1482 - Veterans and Armed Forces

REFERRAL OF SENATE BILLS

The following Senate Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

SS SB 1 - Local Government

SS#2 SB 4 - Utilities

SS SB 7 - Health and Mental Health

SS SB 28 - Agriculture

SS SCS SB 47 - Emerging Issues

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Budget, Chairman Deaton reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Budget, to which was referred **HB 14**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (29): Black, Brown (149), Chappell, Christensen, Crossley, Cupps, Davidson, Deaton, Douglas, Fogle, Hausman, Hein, Kalberloh, Kimble, Lewis, Martin, Mayhew, Murray, Owen, Proudie, Riggs, Sharpe (4), Steinmeyer, Taylor (48), Taylor (84), Vernetti, Voss, Warwick and Young

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Boggs and Steinhoff

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Budget, to which was referred **HB 70**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (28): Black, Brown (149), Chappell, Christensen, Crossley, Cupps, Davidson, Deaton, Douglas, Fogle, Hausman, Hein, Kalberloh, Kimble, Lewis, Martin, Mayhew, Murray, Proudie, Riggs, Sharpe (4), Steinmeyer, Taylor (48), Taylor (84), Vernetti, Voss, Warwick and Young

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Boggs, Owen and Steinhoff

Committee on Commerce, Chairman Casteel reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Commerce, to which was referred **HB 567**, **HB 546**, **HB 758** and **HB 958**, 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): Casteel, Gragg, Mayhew, Miller, Peters, Seitz and Wilson

Noes (3): Butz, Kimble and Mansur

Absent (0)

Committee on Crime and Public Safety, Chairman Myers reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 42**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Anderson, Banderman, Collins, Cook, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Phelps, Price, Schulte, Sharp (37), Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Bosley, Hovis and Seitz

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 362**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (17): Anderson, Banderman, Collins, Cook, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Phelps, Price, Schulte, Sharp (37), Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Bosley, Hovis and Seitz

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 757**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (12): Banderman, Cook, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Phelps, Schulte, Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West and Williams

Noes (5): Anderson, Collins, Price, Sharp (37) and Zimmermann

Absent (3): Bosley, Hovis and Seitz

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Crime and Public Safety, to which was referred **HB 1218**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (16): Anderson, Banderman, Bosley, Irwin, Jones (88), Myers, Phelps, Price, Schulte, Sharp (37), Sparks, Taylor (48), Violet, West, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (4): Collins, Cook, Hovis and Seitz

Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education, Chairman Lewis reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education, to which was referred **HB 267**, 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 (18): Banderman, Boykin, Boyko, Hurlbert, Jacobs, Kelley, Laubinger, Lewis, Mackey, Martin, Meirath, Overcast, Pollitt, Schmidt, Smith (68), Steinhoff, Steinmetz and Williams

Noes (0)

Absent (5): Baker, Byrnes, Gragg, Hewkin and Loy

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Elementary and Secondary Education, to which was referred **HB 1153**, 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): Banderman, Boykin, Boyko, Hurlbert, Jacobs, Kelley, Laubinger, Lewis, Martin, Meirath, Overcast, Pollitt, Schmidt, Smith (68), Steinhoff, Steinmetz and Williams

Noes (1): Mackey

Absent (5): Baker, Byrnes, Gragg, Hewkin and Loy

Committee on Higher Education and Workforce Development, Chairman Brown (16) reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Higher Education and Workforce Development, to which was referred **HB 33**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Allen, Brown (16), Gallick, Haley, Hein, Mansur, Proudie, Sassmann, Shields, Smith (68), Titus, Wilson and Wright

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Stinnett

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Higher Education and Workforce Development, to which was referred **HB 183**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Allen, Brown (16), Gallick, Haley, Hein, Mansur, Proudie, Sassmann, Shields, Smith (68), Stinnett, Titus, Wilson and Wright Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Committee on Judiciary, Chairman Parker reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 83**, 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): Black, Dolan, Jamison, Parker, Reuter, Sharpe (4), Smith (46) and Veit Noes (0)

Absent (6): Ealy, Hardwick, Keathley, Overcast, Smith (74) and Sparks

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 123**, 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): Black, Dolan, Hardwick, Jamison, Parker, Reuter, Sharpe (4), Smith (46) and Veit Noes (0)

Absent (5): Ealy, Keathley, Overcast, Smith (74) and Sparks

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 129**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Black, Dolan, Hardwick, Jamison, Parker, Reuter, Sharpe (4), Smith (46) and Veit

Absent (5): Ealy, Keathley, Overcast, Smith (74) and Sparks

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 131**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Black, Dolan, Hardwick, Jamison, Parker, Reuter, Sharpe (4), Smith (46) and Veit

Noes (0)

Noes (0)

Absent (5): Ealy, Keathley, Overcast, Smith (74) and Sparks

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 182**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Black, Dolan, Hardwick, Jamison, Parker, Reuter, Sharpe (4), Smith (46) and Veit

Noes (0)

Absent (5): Ealy, Keathley, Overcast, Smith (74) and Sparks

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 736**, 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): Black, Dolan, Hardwick, Jamison, Parker, Reuter, Sharpe (4), Smith (46) and Veit

Noes (0)

Absent (5): Ealy, Keathley, Overcast, Smith (74) and Sparks

Committee on Local Government, Chairman Hinman reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred **HB 369**, 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 (14): Amato, Barnes, Diehl, Falkner, Hales, Hinman, McGaugh, Reedy, Smith (74), Violet, Walsh Moore, Wellenkamp, West and Wolfin Noes (0)

Absent (3): Sharp (37), Steinmeyer and Voss

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred **HB 388**, 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 (14): Amato, Barnes, Diehl, Falkner, Hales, Hinman, McGaugh, Reedy, Smith (74), Violet, Walsh Moore, Wellenkamp, West and Wolfin

Absent (3): Sharp (37), Steinmeyer and Voss

Committee on Pensions, Chairman Waller reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Pensions, to which was referred **HB 205**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (14): Allen, Bromley, Clemens, Haley, Hovis, Jacobs, Kelley, McGirl, Owen, Reedy, Steinhoff, Steinmetz, Van Schoiack and Waller

Noes (1): Smith (68)

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Reuter

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Pensions, to which was referred **HB 977**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Allen, Bromley, Haley, Hovis, Jacobs, Kelley, McGirl, Owen, Reedy, Reuter, Smith (68), Van Schoiack and Waller

Noes (1): Steinhoff

Present (2): Clemens and Steinmetz

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 56**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (16): Allen, Bush, Coleman, Cook, Doll, Douglas, Hewkin, Hruza, Knight, Nolte, Phelps, Reed, Roberts, Rush, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (1): Parker

Present (2): Caton and Farnan

Absent (4): Appelbaum, Fowler, Hausman and Loy

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing, to which was referred **HB 765**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (19): Allen, Bush, Caton, Coleman, Cook, Doll, Douglas, Farnan, Hewkin, Hruza, Knight, Nolte, Parker, Phelps, Reed, Roberts, Rush, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (4): Appelbaum, Fowler, Hausman and Loy

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Professional Registration and Licensing, to which was referred **HB 946**, 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): Allen, Caton, Coleman, Cook, Farnan, Hewkin, Hruza, Knight, Nolte, Parker, Phelps, Roberts, Williams and Zimmermann

Noes (5): Bush, Doll, Douglas, Reed and Rush

Absent (4): Appelbaum, Fowler, Hausman and Loy

Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, Chairman Byrnes reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs, to which was referred **HB 105**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (15): Amato, Brown (16), Byrnes, Falkner, Fowler, Gallick, Hales, Meirath, Oehlerking, Reuter, Rush, Smith (68), Walsh Moore, Wellenkamp and Wolfin

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Black and Mosley

Special Committee on Tourism, Chairman Seitz reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tourism, to which was referred **HB 37**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Allen, Cook, Durnell, Fountain Henderson, Seitz, Self, Vernetti, Wilson and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (4): Hardwick, Reed, Weber and Whaley

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tourism, to which was referred **HB 107**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Allen, Cook, Durnell, Fountain Henderson, Seitz, Self, Vernetti, Whaley, Wilson and Zimmermann

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Hardwick, Reed and Weber

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tourism, to which was referred **HB 501**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Allen, Cook, Fountain Henderson, Seitz, Self, Vernetti, Wilson and Zimmermann

Noes (2): Durnell and Whaley

Absent (3): Hardwick, Reed and Weber

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tourism, to which was referred **HB 636**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes~(10): Allen, Cook, Durnell, Fountain~Henderson, Seitz, Self, Vernetti, Whaley, Wilson~and~Zimmermann~Aller (2001) and Cook, Durnell, Fountain~Henderson, Seitz, Self, Vernetti, Whaley, Wilson~and~Zimmermann~Aller (2001) and Cook, Durnell, Fountain~Aller (2001) and Cook, Durnell~Aller (2001) and Cook, Durnel

Noes (0)

Absent (3): Hardwick, Reed and Weber

Committee on Rules - Administrative, Chairman Shields reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative, to which was referred **HB 1086**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Christ, Griffith, Oehlerking, Perkins, Shields, Stinnett and Taylor (48)

Noes (2): Mackey and Proudie

Absent (1): Smith (46)

Committee on Rules - Legislative, Chairman Cupps reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred HCS HBs 35, 1081, 1038 & 1016, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Pollitt, Pouche and West

Noes (3): Bosley, Dean and Ingle

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred HCS HBs 113, 624 & 36, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Pollitt, Pouche and West

Noes (3): Bosley, Dean and Ingle

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HCS HB 117**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Pollitt, Pouche and West

Noes (3): Bosley, Dean and Ingle

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 147**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Cupps, Dean, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche and West

Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred **HB 148**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

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Ayes (10): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Cupps, Dean, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche and West
Noes (0)
Absent (0)
        Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred HB 207,
begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it Do Pass by the following
vote:
Ayes (9): Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Cupps, Dean, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche and West
Noes (1): Baker
Absent (0)
        Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, to which was referred HB 225,
begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it Do Pass by the following
vote:
Ayes (7): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Pollitt, Pouche and West
Noes (3): Bosley, Dean and Ingle
Absent (0)
        Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, 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 (7): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Pollitt, Pouche and West
Noes (3): Bosley, Dean and Ingle
Absent (0)
        Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, 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 (7): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Cupps, Pollitt, Pouche and West
Noes (3): Bosley, Dean and Ingle
Absent (0)
        Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative, 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 (10): Baker, Billington, Boggs, Bosley, Cupps, Dean, Ingle, Pollitt, Pouche and West
Noes (0)
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Absent (0)

REPORT OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS HOUSE ELECTION CONTEST NO. 1

February 24, 2025

Jon Patterson, Speaker Missouri House of Representatives State Capitol Building Room 308 Jefferson City, MO 65101

Mr. Speaker,

Your Committee on Elections has taken up and considered **House Election Contest No. 1**. The committee found that the notice required in statute was neither timely nor sufficient. The below listed members are pleased to submit the attached report:

/s/ Chair, Rodger Reedy	/s/Vice Chair, Representative Ken Waller
/s/ Ranking Minority Member, Representative Eric Woods	/s/ Representative Brad Banderman
/s/ Representative Donna Barnes	/s/ Representative LaKeySha Bosley
Representative Tricia Byrnes	/s/ Representative Mazzie Christensen
/s/ Representative Jeff Coleman	/s/ Representative Peggy McGaugh
/s/ Representative John Simmons	/s/ Representative David Tyson Smith
/s/ Representative John Voss	/s/ Representative Dale Wright

PETITION

On January 3, 2025, contestant Stephanos Freeman submitted a verified petition to the Speaker of the Missouri House of Representatives. Petitioner Freeman received verification of receipt of the petition by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Contestant Freeman, candidate for Missouri House District 132, alleged that the winner of the election for Missouri House District 132, contestee Jeremy Dean, failed to meet the residency requirements set forth in Article III, Section 4 of the Missouri Constitution, and sought an order disqualifying Representative Dean from serving in the Missouri House of Representatives.

This petition was referred to the Committee on Elections on January 30, 2025, as **House Election Contest No. 1**.

RELEVANT PROVISIONS OF LAW

A review of relevant constitutional provisions, statutes, and House rules found the following:

- Per Article III Section 18 of the Missouri Constitution, each house of the General Assembly shall be sole
 judge of the qualifications, election and returns of its own members, and may determine the rules of its own
 proceedings.
- Per section 115.563, RSMo, all contested elections for the office of State Representative shall be heard and determined by the House of Representatives.
- Per section 115.573, RSMo, the determination made by the House of Representatives on a contested election shall be final and not subject to court review.
- Per section 115.565, RSMo, in the case of contests based on the qualifications of a candidate for an office, not later than 30 days after the results of the general election have been certified by the Secretary of State, any candidate who wishes to contest the qualifications of another candidate shall file a verified petition

- with the Speaker of the House. The petition shall set forth the points on which the contestant wishes to contest the election. The House shall have exclusive jurisdiction over all matters relating to the contest.
- Per section 115.567, RSMo, at the time of filing, the contestee shall be served with a copy of the petition by
 the contestant or his representative. If the contestee is not found within two days after the petition is filed,
 the copy of the petition and notice shall be left at the residence address shown on the contestee's
 declaration of candidacy and by posting the petition in a conspicuous place in the office of the Chief Clerk
 of the House.
- Per House Rule 36, whenever there shall be filed with the Speaker a notice of contest of the election of a member of the House, he or she shall refer the same, without discussion, either to the regular standing Committee on Elections or a special standing committee appointed to hear the matter. Such committee shall examine the timeliness and sufficiency of the notice and report to the House its recommendations.

ACTIVITY OF THE COMMITTEE AND RECOMMENDATION

On February 20, 2025, the Committee on Elections noticed up **House Election Contest No. 1** for public hearing and executive session.

Chair Reedy invited contestant Freeman to address the committee. The committee sought to verify the timeliness and sufficiency of the notice required by sections 115.565 and 115.567, RSMo. Contestant Freeman produced the verification of receipt of the petition by the Chief Clerk as evidence of sufficiency of notice required by 115.565, RSMo. When asked whether he served the contestee with a copy of the petition at the time of filing or left a copy of the petition at the residence address shown on the contestee's declaration of candidacy, contestant Freeman would not answer in the affirmative, and could produce no evidence that he served or attempted to serve the contestee. Considering the evidence presented, the Committee on Elections concluded that contestant Freeman did not serve contestee Dean with a copy of the petition as required by section 115.567, RSMo; thus the notice was neither timely nor sufficient.

By motion of Chair Reedy, the committee entered executive session and took up **House Election Contest No. 1**. Representative Simmons moved that the committee dismiss **House Election Contest No. 1**, which motion passed by a vote of 12-0.

REFERRAL OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTIONS - RULES

The following House Joint Resolution was referred to the Committee indicated:

HCS HJR 67 - Rules - Administrative

REFERRAL OF HOUSE BILLS - RULES

The following House Bills were referred to the Committee indicated:

HB 138 - Rules - Legislative

HCS HBs 195 & 1119 - Rules - Legislative

HCS HB 331 - Rules - Legislative

HCS HB 344 - Rules - Legislative

HB 437 - Rules - Legislative

HCS HB 534 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HBs 735 & 686 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HB 916 - Rules - Administrative

HCS HB 1259 - Rules - Administrative

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that President Pro Tem O'Laughlin has appointed Senator Nicola to replace Senator Brattin on the escort committee pursuant to **HCR 2**.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed **SS#2 SCS SB 10** entitled:

An act to repeal sections 67.5050, 67.5060, 135.305, 135.341, 135.621, 135.686, 135.750, 135.753, 135.772, 135.775, 135.778, 135.1610, 135.1670, 137.1018, 163.048, 168.036, 190.839, 191.1720, 198.439, 208.437, 208.480, 292.606, 338.550, 348.436, 348.491, 348.493, 455.095, 477.650, 620.2010, and 633.401, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twenty-six new sections relating to expiration dates of certain sections.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed SS#2 SCS SB 22 entitled:

An act to repeal sections 116.155, 116.160, 116.190, 116.334, and 526.010, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof five new sections relating to ballot summaries, with an emergency clause for a certain section.

Emergency clause adopted.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed **SS SB 63** entitled:

An act to repeal section 167.042, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to participation of certain students in nontraditional educational settings.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed SS SCS SB 68 entitled:

An act to amend chapters 160 and 162, RSMo, by adding thereto two new sections relating to safe school environments.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed **SB 94** entitled:

An act to repeal section 191.1145, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to telehealth services.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed SS SCS SB 98 entitled:

An act to amend chapter 570, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the fraudulent use of accounts with a financial institution, with penalty provisions.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

Mr. Speaker: I am instructed by the Senate to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate has taken up and passed **SB 156** entitled:

An act to amend chapter 9, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to Chris Sifford Day in Missouri.

In which the concurrence of the House is respectfully requested.

Read the first time.

WITHDRAWAL OF HOUSE BILLS

February 27, 2025

Joseph Engler Chief Clerk and House Administrator Missouri House of Representatives 201 West Capitol Ave., Room 310 Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Chief Clerk Engler,

I would like to withdraw House Bill No. 1397 from further consideration in the House of Representatives.

Respectfully,

/s/ Mike Steinmeyer State Representative District 20

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Riley, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Friday, February 28, 2025.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

AGRICULTURE

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 910

Executive session will be held: HB 1295, HB 642, HB 565

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6. Public hearing will be held: HB 1197, HB 835, HB 1441, HB 927 Executive session will be held: HB 1025, HB 381, HB 1165

COMMERCE

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 69, HB 1067

Executive session will be held: HB 897, HB 918, HB 952

CONSENT AND PROCEDURE

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 4:00 PM, House Hearing Room 5. Executive session will be held: HB 313, HB 200, HCS HBs 513, 413 & 536

CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Monday, March 3, 2025, 12:00 PM, House Hearing Room 7. Public hearing will be held: HB 627, HB 488, HB 1366

Executive session will be held: HB 60, HB 995

Removed HB 1442 and added HB 1366.

AMENDED

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1068, HB 833, HB 1168, HB 125

Executive session will be held: HB 325, HB 953, HB 610, HB 900, HB 669

ELECTIONS

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 208, HB 1064

Executive session will be held: HB 793

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 332, HB 1287

Executive session will be held: HB 1238

EMERGING ISSUES

Monday, March 3, 2025, 4:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 845, HB 134, HB 209, HB 210, HB 1101

Executive session will be held: HB 1041, HB 1037, HB 1062, HB 1254, HB 1363

GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 315, HB 1222, HB 1264, HB 1309, HB 337

Executive session will be held: HB 1316, HB 433, HB 630

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH

Monday, March 3, 2025, 10:00 AM, House Hearing Room 6.

Brent McGinty of the Missouri Behavioral Health Council will give an update on the Community-based Provider Program.

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 390, HB 605, HB 553, HB 710

Executive session will be held: HB 398, HB 784

JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 8:15 AM, Joint Hearing Room (117).

Organizational meeting. No public testimony will be taken.

Portions of the meeting may be closed pursuant to section 610.021(3) of the Missouri Revised Statutes.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT

Monday, March 10, 2025, 1:00 PM, Joint Hearing Room (117).

Agenda: Chair and vice chair elections, presentation of the 2025 JCPER Annual Report for Plan Year 2023, quarterly investment report, plan updates, MAPERS, staff update, comments of the Chair.

A vote may be taken to close the meeting pursuant to section 610.021(3), RSMo, and section 610.021(13), RSMo, relating to personnel matters.

Executive Session may follow.

JUDICIARY

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 82, HB 1139, HB 1145, HB 93, HB 1399, HB 1457

Executive session will be held: HB 709 Added HB 93, HB 1399 and HB 1457.

AMENDED

LEGISLATIVE REVIEW

Monday, March 3, 2025, 12:30 PM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1464

Executive session will be held: HB 1464, HB 838

Time change. CORRECTED

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Monday, March 3, 2025, 4:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 815 Executive session will be held: HB 321

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON RURAL ISSUES

Wednesday, March 5, 2025, 4:00 PM, House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 245, HB 1263, HB 1124

SUBCOMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS - AGRICULTURE, CONSERVATION, NATURAL RESOURCES, AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

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

Discuss budget recommendations for the Department of Agriculture (HB 6), Department of Conservation (HB 6), Department of Natural Resources (HB 6), Department of Economic Development (HB 7), Department of Commerce and Insurance (HB 7), and the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (HB 7).

SUBCOMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS - EDUCATION

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 3:00 PM or upon adjournment of Subcommittee on Appropriations - Health, Mental Health, and Social Services (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 3. Discuss budget recommendations for the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (HB 2), and the Department of Higher Education and Workforce Development (HB 3).

SUBCOMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS - GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 3.

Discuss budget recommendations for the Office of Administration (HB 5), Employee Benefits (HB 5), Elected Officials (HB 12), Judiciary (HB 12), the Public Defender (HB 12), the General Assembly (HB 12), and Real Estate (HB 13).

SUBCOMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS - HEALTH, MENTAL HEALTH, AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Tuesday, March 4, 2025, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 3.

Discuss budget recommendations for the Department of Health and Senior Services (HB 10), Department of Mental Health (HB 10), and the Department of Social Services (HB 11).

SUBCOMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS - PUBLIC SAFETY, CORRECTIONS, TRANSPORTATION, AND REVENUE

Monday, March 3, 2025, 1:00 PM or upon adjournment of Subcommittee on Appropriations - Agriculture, Conservation, Natural Resources, and Economic Development (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 3.

Discuss budget recommendations for the Department of Transportation (HB 4), Department of Revenue (HB 4), Department of Public Safety (HB 8), Department of the National Guard (HB 8) and Department of Corrections (HB 9).

Amended to add National Guard.

AMENDED

TRANSPORTATION

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

Public hearing will be held: HB 412, HB 745

Executive session will be held: HB 239, HB 272, HB 775, HB 1284, HB 928

VETERANS AND ARMED FORCES

Monday, March 3, 2025, 4:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 954, HB 1447

Executive session will be held: HB 829

Presentations by Terry Woodcock, Manager, Mid-Missouri Fisher House, and Daniel P. Slawski,

MD, President with Guardian Hills Veterans Healing Center.

Added HB 1447. AMENDED

AMENDED

WAYS AND MEANS

Monday, March 3, 2025, 4:30 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),

House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1212

Executive session will be held: HB 411, HB 828, HB 859

HOUSE CALENDAR

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HOUSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

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HB 121 - Murphy

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SENATE BILLS FOR SECOND READING

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