

SIXTY EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

ELEVENTH DAY

House Chamber, Olympia, Thursday, January 18, 2024

The House was called to order at 10:30 a.m. by the Speaker (Representative Bronoske presiding). The Clerk called the roll and a quorum was present.

The flags were escorted to the rostrum by a Sergeant at Arms Color Guard, Joel Flores and Sienna Shadd. The Speaker (Representative Bronoske presiding) led the Chamber in the Pledge of Allegiance. The prayer was offered by John Schmit, Longview Stake President, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed with and it was ordered to stand approved.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the fourth order of business.

INTRODUCTION & FIRST READING

HB 2415 by Representatives Cortes, Ramel and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to expanding economic assistance for individuals who are eligible for temporary assistance for needy families; amending RCW 74.08A.210; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Human Services, Youth, & Early Learning.

HB 2416 by Representatives Graham and Riccelli

AN ACT Relating to changing the legal title for advanced practice nurses; amending RCW 18.79.030, 18.79.040, 18.79.050, 18.79.060, 18.79.070, 18.79.110, 18.79.160, 18.79.170, 18.79.180, 18.79.200, 18.79.230, 18.79.240, 18.79.250, 18.79.256, 18.79.260, 18.79.270, 18.79.290, 18.79.400, 18.79.800, and 18.79.810; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

HB 2417 by Representatives Barnard and Hackney

AN ACT Relating to establishing the development of renewable energy for Washington revolving loan program and account; reenacting and amending RCW 43.84.092, 43.84.092, and 43.84.092; adding new sections to chapter 43.21F RCW; creating a new section; providing effective dates; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget.

HB 2418 by Representatives Berg, Ramel, Shavers and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to increasing the working families' tax credit to reflect the economic burden of property taxes incorporated into rental amounts charged to residential tenants; reenacting and amending RCW 82.08.0206; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 2419 by Representatives Berg, Ramel, Shavers and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to providing housing safety, security, and protection by creating the homeowner relief property tax

exemption; amending RCW 84.48.010; adding new sections to chapter 84.36 RCW; creating new sections; and providing a contingent effective date.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 2420 by Representatives Donaghy and Ramel

AN ACT Relating to law enforcement training; amending RCW 43.101.230; reenacting and amending RCW 43.101.200; and providing an effective date.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HB 2421 by Representatives Gregerson, Klicker, Ramel, Duerr and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to the sale or lease of manufactured/mobile home communities and the property on which they sit; and amending RCW 59.20.030, 59.20.325, 59.20.330, 59.20.335, 59.21.030, and 59.21.040.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 2422 by Representatives Corry and Walen

AN ACT Relating to expanding affordable housing incentives available to rural counties; amending RCW 84.14.010, 84.14.020, 84.14.021, 84.14.030, and 84.14.060; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

HB 2423 by Representatives Kretz, Springer, Schmick and Dent

AN ACT Relating to gray wolf management; adding a new section to chapter 77.36 RCW; creating a new section; and providing an expiration date.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 2424 by Representatives Kretz, Lekanoff, Springer, Schmick, Dent and Chapman

AN ACT Relating to updating cooperative agreements between the state and federally recognized tribes for the successful collaborative management of Washington's wildlife resources; and creating new sections.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 2425 by Representatives Rule, Reeves, Hackney, Ryu, Chapman, Wilcox, Walen and Leavitt

AN ACT Relating to enacting the home affordability sustainment act, a rental support program; and adding a new chapter to Title 43 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Housing.

HB 2426 by Representatives Rule and Chapman

AN ACT Relating to protecting and preserving the Puget Sound salmon purse seine fishing industry; adding a new

section to chapter 77.12 RCW; creating new sections; making an appropriation; and providing expiration dates.

Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

HB 2427 by Representatives Klicker, Rude and Springer

AN ACT Relating to recognizing the Walla Walla valley historical society as a trustee of the state; and amending RCW 27.34.020 and 27.34.010.

Referred to Committee on State Government & Tribal Relations.

HB 2428 by Representatives Klicker, Rude and Springer

AN ACT Relating to allowing cities to voluntarily share certain sales and use tax revenue; amending RCW 82.14.032; and adding a new section to chapter 39.34 RCW.

Referred to Committee on Local Government.

HB 2429 by Representatives Ramel and Pollet

AN ACT Relating to the process to make recommendations for a project by the energy facility site evaluation council; and amending RCW 80.50.030, 80.50.071, 80.50.080, 80.50.090, and 80.50.100.

Referred to Committee on Environment & Energy.

HB 2430 by Representatives Springer, Wilcox, Jacobsen, Chambers, Caldier, Reeves, Chapman, Berg, Orcutt, Walen, Schmick, Barkis, Rule, Leavitt, Gregerson, Wylie, Barnard and Farivar

AN ACT Relating to waiving business licensing handling and delinquency fees for eligible businesses; amending RCW 19.02.075 and 19.02.085; and creating a new section.

Referred to Committee on Consumer Protection & Business.

HB 2431 by Representatives Ramos and Chapman

AN ACT Relating to expanding the locations where a person can be guilty of unlawful transit conduct to include the Washington state ferries; and amending RCW 9.91.025.

Referred to Committee on Community Safety, Justice, & Reentry.

HJR 4209 by Representatives Berg and Pollet

Concerning a constitutional amendment providing for a residential real property exemption from property taxes levied for state purposes.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

There being no objection, the bills and resolution listed on the day's introduction sheet under the fourth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the fifth order of business.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

January 15, 2024

HB 1249 Prime Sponsor, Representative Corry: Regarding limits on the sale and possession of retail cannabis products. Reported by Committee on Regulated Substances & Gaming

MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives Kloba, Co-Chair; Wylie, Co-Chair; Stearns, Vice Chair; Chambers, Ranking Minority Member; Robertson, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Cheney; Morgan; Orwall; Reeves and Waters.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

January 15, 2024

HB 1299 Prime Sponsor, Representative Chambers: Concerning workforce development in the beverage alcohol industry. Reported by Committee on Regulated Substances & Gaming

MAJORITY recommendation: The second substitute bill be substituted therefor and the second substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives Kloba, Co-Chair; Wylie, Co-Chair; Stearns, Vice Chair; Chambers, Ranking Minority Member; Robertson, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Cheney; Morgan; Orwall; Reeves and Waters.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

January 16, 2024

HB 1869 Prime Sponsor, Representative Leavitt: Enacting the keeping our Washington guard strong act. Reported by Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Ryu, Chair; Donaghy, Vice Chair; Rule, Vice Chair; Volz, Ranking Minority Member; Barnard, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Chambers; Christian; Cortes; Paul; Senn; Shavers; Street; Waters and Wilcox.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations

January 16, 2024

HB 1870 Prime Sponsor, Representative Barnard: Promoting economic development by increasing opportunities for local communities to secure federal funding. Reported by Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Ryu, Chair; Donaghy, Vice Chair; Rule, Vice Chair; Volz, Ranking Minority Member; Barnard, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Chambers; Christian; Cortes; Paul; Senn; Shavers; Street; Waters and Wilcox.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations

January 16, 2024

HB 1925 Prime Sponsor, Representative Shavers: Expanding the veterans service officer program to increase veteran support statewide. Reported by Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans

MAJORITY recommendation: The substitute bill be substituted therefor and the substitute bill do pass. Signed by Representatives Ryu, Chair; Donaghy, Vice Chair; Rule, Vice Chair; Volz, Ranking Minority Member; Barnard, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Chambers; Christian; Cortes; Paul; Senn; Shavers; Street; Waters and Wilcox.

Referred to Committee on Appropriations

January 16, 2024

HB 1978 Prime Sponsor, Representative Rule: Adding special purpose and junior taxing districts to the intrastate mutual aid system. Reported by Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Ryu, Chair; Donaghy, Vice Chair; Rule, Vice Chair; Volz, Ranking Minority Member; Barnard, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Chambers; Christian; Cortes; Paul; Senn; Shavers; Street; Waters and Wilcox.

Referred to Committee on Rules for second reading

January 16, 2024

HB 1982 Prime Sponsor, Representative Waters: Concerning the authority of the community economic revitalization board with respect to loans and grants to political subdivisions and federally recognized Indian tribes for broadband. Reported by Committee on Innovation, Community & Economic Development, & Veterans

MAJORITY recommendation: Do pass. Signed by Representatives Ryu, Chair; Donaghy, Vice Chair; Rule, Vice Chair; Volz, Ranking Minority Member; Barnard, Assistant Ranking Minority Member; Caldier; Chambers; Christian; Cortes; Paul; Senn; Shavers; Street; Waters and Wilcox.

Referred to Committee on Capital Budget

There being no objection, the bills listed on the day's committee reports under the fifth order of business were referred to the committees so designated.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the eighth order of business.

MOTION

There being no objection, the Committee on Appropriations was relieved of HOUSE BILL NO. 1450, and the bill was referred to the Committee on Health Care & Wellness.

There being no objection, the House adjourned until 9:55 a.m., Friday, January 19, 2024, the 12th Day of the 2024 Regular Session.

LAURIE JINKINS, Speaker

BERNARD DEAN, Chief Clerk

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