

## **Order of Business 1–Roll Call**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

(Gavel 2 times)

This uLegislate Senate Session will now come to order. I hope everyone is prepared to participate in this hands-on process. This will be an unforgettable experience to see firsthand how the Legislature works for us as constituents.

Will the Secretary of the Senate please call roll of all Senators.

## **Order of Business 2–Prayer & Pledge of Allegiance**

**Secretary of the Senate:**

(Secretary calls the roll as listed on prepared script.)

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Please rise for the invocation by Senator [Invocation Leader].

Thank you, Senator [Invocation Leader]. Please remain standing for the Pledge of Allegiance. I pledge allegiance...

(After the Pledge)

Please be seated.

## **Order of Business 3–Reading & Approval of the Journal**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

(The Senate Journal is the constitutional record of all the business conducted in the Senate Chamber and is transcribed daily by our Journal Clerk, approved and posted daily for public record.)

## **Order of Business 9—Motions, Resolutions & Notices**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

We will proceed to Order of Business No. 9—Motions, Resolutions and Notices. Will the Secretary of the Senate please read Senate Joint Resolution No. 8.

**Secretary of the Senate:**

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8. Urges Congress not to repeal the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act or its most important provisions. End of resolution.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

At this time, I recognize Senator [Majority Leader].

**Senator** (Majority Leader):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President,** I move that all necessary rules be suspended, that the reading so far had considered first reading, rules further suspended, and that Senate Joint Resolution No. 8 be declared an emergency measure under the Constitution and placed at the top of the General File for third reading and final passage this legislative day.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

According to the Nevada Constitution all bills and joint resolutions must be read a total of 3 times and each reading must be on a separate day by the Secretary of the Senate. In this emergency circumstance, this motion seeks to waive those requirements. This requires a 2/3 vote of all Senators.

You have heard the motion, all those in favor signify by saying "Aye" (WAIT for responses). All those opposed say "Nay." (WAIT for

responses). The motion is carried. Senate Joint Resolution No. 8 will be placed at the top of the General File for this legislative day.

### **Order of Business 10—Introduction, First Reading & Reference**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

We will now go to Order of Business No. 10, Introductions, First Reading and Reference. This is the constitutional first reading of a bill. Will the Secretary please proceed.

**Secretary of the Senate:**

Senate Bill No. [#]. AN ACT...]. End of bill.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you. [Senator].

**Senator** (Committee Chair):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.** I move that Senate Bill No. [#] be referred to the Committee on [Committee].

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you. [Senator] has referred Senate Bill No. [#] to the Committee on [Committee]. Are there objections on this referral, hearing none, so ordered.

*(The motion to Refer to Committee is handled under a process called **UNANIMOUS CONSENT**. If the President hears no objections to the motion from the Senators, it is as if they all said "AYE" to the motion and the motion carries.)*

**Secretary of the Senate:**

Senate Bill No. [#]. AN ACT...]. End of bill.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you. [Senator].

**Senator** (Committee Chair):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.** I move that Senate Bill No. [#] be referred to the Committee on [Committee]

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you. [Senator] has referred Senate Bill No. [#] to the Committee on [Committee]. Are there any questions on this referral, hearing none, so ordered. Senator [Majority Leader].

**Senator** (Majority Leader):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.** May we go to Order of Business 4?

### **Order of Business 4—Reports of Committees**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Order of Business No. 4—Reports of Committee

**Secretary of the Senate:**

Mr./Madam President, your Committee on [Committee], to which was referred Senate Bill No. [#], has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass. Signed Senator [Committee Chair], Chair.

Mr./Madam President, your Committee on [Committee], to which was referred Senate Bill No. [#], has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass. Signed Senator [Committee Chair], Chair.  
End of reports.

## **Order of Business 9—Motions, Resolutions & Notices**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Order of Business No. 9—Motions, Resolutions and Notices.  
Senator [Majority Leader].

**Senator** (Majority Leader):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President,** I move that all necessary rules be suspended, and that the bills just reported out of the Committees be declared emergency measures under the Constitution and placed on the General File for third reading and final passage. This motion if adopted will waive the constitutional second reading of these bills as well as have them read, again, on the same day.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

You have heard Senator [Majority Leader]'s motion. All those in favor signify by saying "Aye" (**WAIT for responses**). All those opposed say "Nay." (**WAIT for responses**). The motion is carried.

## **Order of Business 13—General File & Third Reading**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Order of Business No. 13—General File and Third Reading.  
Mr./Madam Secretary, please read Senate Joint Resolution No. 8

**Secretary of the Senate:**

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8. Urges Congress not to repeal the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act or its most important provisions. End of resolution.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Are there any amendments to the Resolution as a whole?

**Secretary of the Senate:**

There are none.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Are there any remarks on Senate Joint Resolution No. 8?  
Senator [Majority Leader].

**Senator** (Majority Leader):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.**

*(Now, read the **INTRODUCTORY REMARKS** provided on your desk beginning with the section **INTRODUCTORY REMARKS.**)*

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you, Senator [Majority Leader]. We will now proceed to general debate on this joint resolution. Any Senator who wishes to speak either in favor of or opposed to this measure may be recognized. This is your first opportunity to speak, and I highly encourage all Senators to speak at least once during today's Floor Session. Please press the orange button next to your desk if you wish to speak.

*This is the time any Senator may offer debate. Be creative and do not be shy!*

- 1. Push your orange spk button immediately to request to speak.*
- 2. The President will recognize each Senator before they speak.*
- 3. Once recognized, press orange SPK button off.*
- 4. Stand, press white MIC button to speak.*
- 5. Thank the President, then continue. Push white MIC button off when done.*

*When all wishing to speak have done so, the President will proceed to the next step.*

**Lt. Governor** (President):

If there are no further remarks the Secretary will now open the roll for each Senator to vote YEA or NAY. *(Wait for all Senators to vote.)*

Has everyone voted and does anyone wish to change his or her vote at this time? If not, the Secretary will close the roll. The vote on

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8 is \_\_\_\_\_ in favor, and \_\_\_\_\_ against the measure.

(If the majority is **PASSED**, then say),

The resolution having received a constitutional majority is declared passed.

(If the majority is **FAILED**, then say),

The resolution having NOT received a constitutional majority is declared lost.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

We will continue with the General File.

Will the Secretary please proceed.

**Secretary of the Senate:**

Senate Bill No. [#]. AN ACT ...]. End of bill.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Are there any amendments to the bill as a whole?

**Secretary of the Senate:**

There are none.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

You have heard the bill. Are there any remarks on Senate Bill No. [#]? Senator [Bill Sponsor].

**Senator** (Bill Sponsor):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.**

(Now, read the *INTRODUCTORY REMARKS* provided on your desk beginning with the section *INTRODUCTORY REMARKS*.)

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you, Senator [Bill Sponsor]. We will now proceed to general debate on this bill. Any Senator who wishes to speak either in favor of or opposed to this measure may be recognized. As a reminder, under Senate Rules, all Senators will be given the chance to speak once before anyone will be recognized a second time. Please press the orange button next to your desk if you wish to speak.

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**Lt. Governor** (President):

If there are no further remarks the Secretary will now open the roll for each Senator to vote YEA or NAY. (**WAIT for all Senators to vote.**) Has everyone voted, and does anyone wish to change his or her vote at this time? If not, the Secretary will close the roll. The vote on Senate Bill No. [#] is \_\_\_\_\_ in favor, and \_\_\_\_\_ against the measure.

(If the majority is **PASSED**, then say),

The bill having received a constitutional majority is declared passed.

(If the majority is **FAILED**, then say),

The bill having **NOT** received a constitutional majority is declared lost.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

We will continue with the General File.

Will the Secretary please proceed.



**Secretary of the Senate:**

Senate Bill No. [#]. AN ACT ...]. End of bill.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Are there any amendments to the bill as a whole?

**Secretary of the Senate:**

There are none.

**Lt. Governor** (President):

You have heard the bill. Are there any remarks on Senate Bill No. [#]? Senator [Bill Sponsor].

**Senator** (Bill Sponsor):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.**

(Now, read the *INTRODUCTORY REMARKS* provided on your desk beginning with the section *INTRODUCTORY REMARKS*.)

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Thank you Senator [Bill Sponsor]. We will now proceed to general debate on this bill. Any Senator who wishes to speak either in favor of or opposed to this measure may be recognized. Please press the orange button next to your desk if you wish to speak.

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**Lt. Governor** (President):

If there are no further remarks the Secretary will now open the roll for each Senators to vote YEA or NAY. (WAIT for all Senators to vote.)

Has everyone voted, and does anyone wish to change his or her vote at this time? If not, the Secretary will close the roll. The vote on Senate Bill No. [#] is \_\_\_\_\_ in favor, and \_\_\_\_\_ against the measure.

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**Lt. Governor** (President):

Mr./Madam Secretary.

**Secretary of the Senate:**

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.** That concludes Order of Business 13 and business of the desk.

### **Order of Business 16—Remarks from the Floor**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

We will now proceed to Order of Business No. 16—Remarks From the Floor, And Introduction Of Guests. At this time any Senator may press their button to speak and perhaps comment on their experience of this day. We would appreciate any feedback you would like to offer.

**When all wishing to speak have done so, the President will proceed to the next step.**

**Lt. Governor** (President):

Now, that we have concluded our scheduled business for the day, is there anything further to attend to at this time?

The Majority Leader is now recognized. Senator [Majority Leader].

**Senator** (Majority Leader):

**Thank you, Mr./Madam President.** At this time I move that the uLegislate Senate adjourn *sinē die*.

(Pronounced: "sign-e die." This means to adjourn to no specific time or date.)

**Lt. Governor** (President):

You have heard the motion. All those in favor signify by saying "AYE"... (WAIT for responses) opposed say "NAY"...(WAIT for responses). The motion is carried. The uLegislate Senate Session of this day is now adjourned *sinē die*.

("Pronounced: sign-e die")

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