

THE FIFTY-SECOND DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), March 25, 2015

Senate called to order at 11:53 a.m.

President pro Tempore Hardy presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senators Segerblom and Smith, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Bruce Henderson.

Father,

It appears as though Spring is making its appearance. We are seeing some greenery, some flowers and fruit trees are blooming!

I am fascinated that in Your word, You speak of another kind of fruit that the Apostle Paul terms the "fruit of the Spirit." The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control.

Lord God, on this Spring day, I pray for that kind of fruit for this place and these good people. I pray in the Name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

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

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Be adopted.

BEN KIECKHEFER, *Chair*

Mr. President pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Government Affairs, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 490, 505, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Re-refer to the Committee on Finance.

PETE GOICOECHEA, *Chair*

Mr. President pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 487, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Re-refer to the Committee on Finance.

GREG BROWER, *CHAIR*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Brower moved that Senate Bill No. 487, just reported out of Committee, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

Senator Goicoechea moved that Senate Bill No. 490, just reported out of Committee, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

Senator Goicoechea moved that Senate Bill No. 505, just reported out of Committee, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 265.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Kieckhefer.

Assembly Bill No. 265 appropriates \$5,000 from the General Fund of the Supreme Court for unexpected expenses in the current fiscal year related to the Judicial selection process. Those are expenses that are incurred by the Commission on Judicial Selection. These expenses are used to fulfill the process to replace the District Court Judges who were ultimately appointed to the intermediate Appellate Court. This is the proper course of action by the Supreme Court to come in and ask for this supplemental appropriation. I would encourage your support.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 265:

YEAS—19.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Seegerblom, Smith—2.

Assembly Bill No. 265 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President pro Tempore declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the President pro Tempore and Secretary signed Assembly Bill No. 155.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF SENATE FLOOR

On request of Senator Kieckhefer, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to students and teachers of Tahoe Expedition Academy: Charles Barrett, Kira Collins, Garen Cross, Jarret Cross, Tashi Ferris, Thaddeus Hamby, Zoe Holiday, Dillon Jenkins, Finley Swan, Isabel Miller, Ryan O'Toole, Kristopher Smith, Taylor Simmers, Rob Van Cleve and Anna Wright.

Senator Roberson moved that the Senate adjourn until Thursday, March 26, 2015, at 11:00 a.m.

Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 12:02 p.m.

Approved:

JOSEPH P. HARDY
President pro Tempore of the Senate

Attest: CLAIRE J. CLIFT
Secretary of the Senate