

THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), May 3, 2017

Senate called to order at 11:12 a.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senator Spearman, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Chad Adamik.

Creator God, we give sincere thanks for this opportunity to meet in this Senate chamber to conduct the business of our state. May we listen to one another intently, with the purpose of bettering ourselves and our community. May we humbly accept the responsibilities assigned to us. May we carry out each of these responsibilities to the best of our capabilities. This chamber is composed of many old and fast friends, acquaintances of a very brief time, those who strive together, and some who have never met. Permit no one to leave here a stranger, or less a person than when arriving.

Since each of us is a part of all we have ever witnessed, let what we have observed, be to Your good and available to all. There are those among us who have come many miles to either witness or to be a part of today's proceedings. Grant that they may return safely to their homes and their families.

All of these things, and whatever else you see that we need, be granted to us. In your many, holy names we pray. Amen.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

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.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Commerce, Labor and Energy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 282, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

KELVIN ATKINSON, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Natural Resources, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 32, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

YVANNA D. CANCELA, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 11, 17, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

MARK A. MANENDO, *Chair*

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, Carson City, May 2, 2017

To the Honorable the Senate:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day concurred in the Senate Amendment No. 515 to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2.

CAROL AIELLO-SALA

Assistant Chief Clerk of the Assembly

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 519—AN ACT making supplemental appropriations to the Division of Child and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services for projected shortfalls for adoption subsidies; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 520—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the Division of Child and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services for an unanticipated increase in expenditures relating to the mainframe hosted by the Division of Enterprise Information Technology Services of the Department of Administration; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 521—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the Office of the State Treasurer for information system programming costs associated with the implementation of the Education Savings Account program; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 522—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the State Distributive School Account for a shortfall resulting from an unanticipated increase in K-12 enrollment for the 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 school years; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 523—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for an unanticipated increase in terminal leave payments; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 524—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the Division of Forestry of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for a projected shortfall for activities related to higher than anticipated costs for fire suppression and emergency response; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 525—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the Nevada Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety for a projected shortfall related to higher than anticipated costs for providing protective services for dignitaries visiting the State of Nevada; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 526—AN ACT making supplemental appropriations to the Division of Child and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services for projected shortfalls related to child and adolescent services; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Finance:

Senate Bill No. 527—AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation to the Nevada Supreme Court for a projected shortfall related to judicial selection processes; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Woodhouse moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 3.

Bill read third time.

Senator Ford moved that Senate Bill No. 3 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There being no objections, the President and Secretary signed Assembly Bills Nos. 35, 54, 162, 387, 476; Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2; Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 11.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF SENATE FLOOR

On request of Senator Gansert, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Angie Bridges, Savanna Guidas, Sunday Sasser, Madison Steiner and Gianna Zaccheo.

On request of Senator Ratti, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Rita Evasovic, Jack Harris, Bernard Paolini and Lonnie Strait.

Senator Ford moved that the Senate adjourn until Thursday, May 4, 2017, at 11:00 a.m.

Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 11:25 p.m.

Approved:

MARK A. HUTCHISON
President of the Senate

Attest: CLAIRE J. CLIFT
Secretary of the Senate