

THE SEVENTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), February 22, 2023

Senate called to order at 11:33 a.m.

President Anthony presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Reverend Jedidiah Maschke.

Almighty and everlasting God, on this Ash Wednesday, we remember that You despise nothing You have made; You forgive the sins of all the penitent and give grace to the humble. As we seek in our work today to do what is best for the people of Nevada, forgive our sins of pride, bigotry, lawlessness, arrogance and indifference, for abusing our privileges, avoiding our obligations, wasting our resources and neglecting our own rights and the rights of others.

Give us courage to boldly admit and confess our sins, and evermore boldly to receive from You full pardon and forgiveness which You have earned for all people through the work of Jesus Christ, in whose Name we pray.

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 COMMITTEE

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 91, 132, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

PAT SPEARMAN, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which was referred Assembly Joint Resolution No. 10 of the 81st Session, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

JAMES OHRENSCHALL, *Chair*

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Cannizzaro moved that the following persons be accepted as accredited press representatives, and that they be allowed the use of appropriate media facilities: KTVN: George Guthrie; REYNOLDS SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM: Parker Sameulson.

Motion carried.

Senator Krasner approved the addition of Senator Spearman as a primary sponsor of Senate Bill No. 178.

Senator Stone approved the addition of Senator Spearman as a cosponsor of Senate Bill No. 183.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By Senators Spearman and Flores:

Senate Bill No. 184—AN ACT relating to the Charter of the City of North Las Vegas; increasing the number of wards in the City of North Las Vegas; increasing the number of Council Members of the City Council of the City of North Las Vegas; requiring the City Manager to conduct an annual diversity study and establish a supplier diversity program; setting forth residency requirements for certain city officers; revising the powers and duties of the City Attorney; requiring certain reports to the Legislature; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Spearman moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Senator Neal:

Senate Bill No. 185—AN ACT relating to economic development; creating the Business Opportunity Outreach Unit within the Purchasing Division of the Department of Administration; requiring the Administrator of the Purchasing Division to appoint the Director of the Unit; setting forth the duties of the Unit; requiring local governments and state agencies to cooperate with the Unit; requiring certain local governing bodies and the Administrator of the Purchasing Division to establish certain procedures for microbusinesses to submit proposals or bid on certain state and local contracts; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Neal moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Senators Goicoechea, Buck, Titus, Hansen and Dondero Loop; Assemblymen Dickman and Gurr:

Senate Bill No. 186—AN ACT relating to state property; requiring, under certain circumstances, the State Land Registrar to transfer certain real property to the City of Ely and the Nevada Northern Railway Foundation, Inc. or its successor organization; setting forth certain restrictions on the use of such real property; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Goicoechea moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Senator Neal:

Senate Bill No. 187—AN ACT relating to correctional institutions; creating the Offenders' Release Fund; revising provisions relating to deductions made from the wages of offenders; limiting the amount of copayment that an offender may be charged for medical examinations or treatments; requiring offenders who are employed in certain capacities to be paid a living wage; requiring the placement of offenders in certain programs which facilitate their

employment upon their release in positions which utilize skills similar to those used by the offender while incarcerated; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Neal moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.
Motion carried.

By Senators Hansen, Stone, Buck, Goicoechea and Krasner:

Senate Bill No. 188—AN ACT relating to firearms; authorizing a person who holds a permit to carry a concealed firearm to do so on the property of the Nevada System of Higher Education under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Hansen moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Senators Cannizzaro, Lange, Dondero Loop, Doñate, Flores, Daly, Goicoechea, Harris, Neal, Nguyen, Ohrenschall, Pazina, Scheible, Seevers Gansert and Spearman; Assemblymen Anderson, Peters, Brown-May, Carter, Considine, D'Silva, González, Jauregui, Marzola, Newby, Orentlicher, Taylor, Thomas and Watts:

Senate Bill No. 189—AN ACT making an appropriation to Communities In Schools of Nevada to provide integrated student support services to pupils enrolled in public schools in this State; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Judiciary:

Senate Bill No. 190—AN ACT relating to public safety; revising provisions relating to immunity from civil liability for certain actions taken to protect or remove a child or pet from a motor vehicle under certain circumstances; providing immunity from criminal liability for certain actions taken to protect or remove a child or pet from a motor vehicle under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Scheible moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Senator Seevers Gansert:

Senate Bill No. 191—AN ACT relating to applied behavior analysis; requiring the State Plan for Medicaid to include coverage for certain services related to applied behavior analysis; revising the application fee for a license as a behavior analyst or an assistant behavior analyst; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator SeEVERS Gansert moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Health and Human Services:

Senate Bill No. 192—AN ACT relating to county hospitals; revising provisions governing meetings of a board of hospital trustees; revising certain provisions related to a hospital advisory board; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator DoÑate moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 13.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Goicoechea.

Senate Bill No. 13 clarifies that employees of a governmental agency who engage in pest control must obtain a license as an applicator from the State Department of Agriculture. The bill also requires that certain records be kept at each place of business at which a person sells or distributes restricted-use pesticides. Finally, Senate Bill No. 13 updates certain references to existing federal law. This is a housekeeping bill that brings Nevada statute in line with federal requirements.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 13:

YEAS—21.

NAYS—None.

Senate Bill No. 13 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF SENATE FLOOR

On request of Senator Buck, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Trent Scarlett.

On request of Senator Dondero Loop, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Greg Halopoff, Ph.D.

On request of Senator Flores, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Ann Barnett, Gitana Cafasso, Nathan Cartwright, Rebecca Fountain, Carlos Gomez, Ashley Herndon, Rebecca Keenan, Leon Mead, Benjamin Mendez, Juan Mendez, Leslie Mujica, Shaundell Newsome, Chris Roman, Michael Sukeyasu, Patrick Velasquez and Bren Wick.

On request of Senator Goicoechea, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Richard Dieleman and Nadia Griffin.

On request of Senator Hammond, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Natalie Buckel, Karen Gomez, Arielle Lewis and Chuck Mohler.

On request of Senator Hansen, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Derrick Williams.

On request of Senator Krasner, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Sarah Thomas.

On request of Senator Stone, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to David Edelblute and Aviva Gordon.

On request of Senator Titus, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Kenny Gibson and Jeremy McClain.

Senator Cannizzaro moved that the Senate adjourn until Thursday, February 23, 2023, at 11:00 a.m.

Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 11:53 a.m.

Approved:

STAVROS ANTHONY
President of the Senate

Attest: BRENDAN BUCY
Secretary of the Senate