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## ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

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### THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), February 25, 2025

Assembly called to order at 11:57 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by Ms. Michele Chebahtah.

Father in Heaven, we are thankful to gather as citizens of the great state of Nevada. We are grateful for the United States of America and for the freedom and opportunities that we enjoy each day. We pray for guidance and wisdom for our elected officials to make sound and upright decisions on behalf of all Nevadans. Bless each of us with compassion and benevolence for those who are suffering or in need. We pray for unification and cooperation despite differences that we may nurture bonds of community. We ask for these things in the name of Jesus Christ.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblymember Jauregui moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

#### MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

##### NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

February 25, 2025

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of Assembly Bills Nos. 143, 147, 157, 169, 218, 220, 227, 228, 230, 234; Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1.

SARAH COFFMAN  
*Fiscal Analysis Division*

Assemblymember Jauregui moved that the persons set forth on the Nevada Legislature's Press Accreditation List of Tuesday, February 25, 2025, be accepted as accredited press representatives, that they be assigned space at the press table in the Assembly Chamber, that they be allowed the use of appropriate broadcasting facilities, and the list be included in this day's Journal:

KTVN: Makayla Hardy; PBS RENO: Guinivere Clark; THE NEVADA SAGEBRUSH: Peregrine Hart and Nick Stewart.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By Assemblymember Carter:

Assembly Bill No. 283—AN ACT relating to property; revising provisions relating to summary evictions; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Miller moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Brown-May:

Assembly Bill No. 284—AN ACT relating to Medicaid; requiring the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services to seek to establish certain rates of reimbursement under Medicaid for vagus nerve stimulation therapy devices and replacement parts for such a device; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Brown-May moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Mosca:

Assembly Bill No. 285—AN ACT relating to employment; establishing the Nevada State Service Corps as a program within the Department of Administration; requiring the Department to develop and oversee the Nevada State Service Corps; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Considine moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Torres-Fossett and González:

Assembly Bill No. 286—AN ACT relating to education; making an appropriation to the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, to establish a pilot program to assess the competency of applicants for a license to teach through the use of alternative assessment methods; requiring certain regulations adopted by the Commission on Professional Standards in Education to authorize an applicant for a license to teach to be exempt from requirements to pass a competency test in various subjects if the applicant completes the pilot program; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Torres-Fossett moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers González and Monroe-Moreno:

Assembly Bill No. 287—AN ACT relating to elections; revising the circumstances under which a candidate defeated at certain elections may demand a recount; requiring, under certain circumstances, that a recount for certain elections be conducted; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Mosca moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Gurr, DeLong, Hafen, Gray, Hansen, Hibbetts, Kasama and O'Neill; Senators Titus and Hansen:

Assembly Bill No. 288—AN ACT making an appropriation to the White Pine County School District for the construction of an elementary school; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Monroe-Moreno moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Nguyen, Hibbetts, Nadeem, Marzola, Anderson, Brown-May, Carter, Considine, Dalia, D'Silva, Edgeworth, Gallant, González, Goulding, Gray, Hansen, Hunt, Jackson, Karris, La Rue Hatch, Miller, Moore and Roth; Senators Krasner, Nguyen, Doñate, Cruz-Crawford, Flores, Pazina and Rogich:

Assembly Bill No. 289—AN ACT relating to education; authorizing the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada to establish a course of study in financial literacy, for which a student must pass to graduate; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Torres-Fossett moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Nguyen, Considine, Nadeem and Edgeworth; Senators Flores and Nguyen:

Assembly Bill No. 290—AN ACT relating to insurance; imposing requirements governing prior authorization for medical or dental care; prohibiting an insurer from requiring prior authorization for covered emergency services or denying coverage for covered, medically necessary emergency services; requiring an insurer to publish certain information relating to requests for prior authorization on the Internet; requiring an insurer and the Commissioner of Insurance to compile certain reports; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Marzola moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Jackson, Moore, Roth, González and Dalia:

Assembly Bill No. 291—AN ACT relating to records of criminal history; requiring a court to order certain records of criminal history sealed under certain circumstances; eliminating the authority for a court to consider a proceeding for which records have been sealed in determining whether to grant a petition to seal records relating to a conviction of another offense; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Miller moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers La Rue Hatch, Nguyen, Anderson, D'Silva and Jackson:

Assembly Bill No. 292—AN ACT relating to education; revising provisions governing the design, construction and alteration of certain school buildings; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Torres-Fossett moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Koenig and D'Silva:

Assembly Bill No. 293—AN ACT relating to aerospace; creating the Office of Aerospace; setting forth the duties of the Office; revising provisions relating to the Nevada Air Service Development Fund; revising provisions relating to the Nevada Air Service Development Commission; requiring the Office to submit certain written reports relating to grants; requiring the Office to administer the Fund for Aviation; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Considine moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Yurek and Marzola:

Assembly Bill No. 294—AN ACT relating to the protection of minors; requiring a person that operates an online platform, Internet website or other Internet-based service that, as its primary business, publishes or makes available material that is harmful to minors to establish an age verification system to verify the age of prospective users; prohibiting such persons from allowing a prospective user to access material that is harmful to minors under certain circumstances; establishing civil penalties; authorizing the Attorney General to bring a civil action to recover such penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Marzola moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Yurek, Edgeworth and Brown-May:

Assembly Bill No. 295—AN ACT relating to insurance; imposing requirements relating to prior authorization; prescribing certain requirements relating to the use of artificial intelligence by health insurers; requiring the compilation and publication of certain reports relating to prior authorization; providing for the investigation and adjudication of certain violations; providing for the imposition of civil and administrative penalties for such violations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Marzola moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Watts:

Assembly Bill No. 296—AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; requiring the Department of Motor Vehicles to contract with a person who makes installment loans to pay the fees and taxes due for the initial or renewal registration of a vehicle; authorizing the Director of the Department to authorize the use of digital license plates; providing requirements governing the use of digital license plates; extending the pilot program to gather data about annual vehicle miles traveled by certain vehicles registered in this State; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Watts moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Growth and Infrastructure.

Motion carried.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblymember Backus, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Jeremy McCain.

On request of Assemblymember Cole, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Chris Shewbarren, David Marlon, and Michelle McGuire.

On request of Assemblymember D'Silva, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Libby Sauter, N.P. and Sarah Lopez, M.D.

On request of Assemblymember Dickman, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Deborah Ribnick, Regina Marshall, and Stephanie Reyes.

On request of Assemblymember Edgeworth, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Scott Welshelm.

On request of Assemblymember Goulding, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Steve Shell.

On request of Assemblymember Gurr, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Marianne McKown.

On request of Assemblymember Hansen, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Gaby Villar and Jorge Saldana.

On request of Assemblymember Karris, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Brenda Lopez, Jacqueline Lopez, and Sara Moore.

On request of Assemblymember Koenig, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Laura Yanez E.D.

On request of Assemblymember Marzola, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Aimee Errico, Kristen Davis-Coelho, and Rosy Chavez-Najera.

On request of Assemblymember Mosca, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Edwin Jurado, Natalie Duda, and Sara Hunt.

On request of Assemblymember Nadeem, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Lorraine Benuto, Mason Van Houweling, and Travis Brewer LaChapelle.

On request of Assemblymember Nguyen, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Vivien Perez.

On request of Assemblymember O'Neill, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Robin V. Reedy.

On request of Assemblymember Orentlicher, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Cossette Cahovas and Jorge Cao.

Assemblymember Jauregui moved that the Assembly adjourn until Thursday, February 27, 2025, at 11:30 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 12:20 p.m.

Approved:

STEVE YEAGER  
*Speaker of the Assembly*

Attest: BONNIE BORDA HOFFECKER  
*Chief Clerk of the Assembly*