

# NEVADA LEGISLATURE

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## SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

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### THE THIRTY-SECOND DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), March 6, 2025

Senate called to order at 11:31 a.m.

President Anthony presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senator Neal, who was excused.

Prayer by Reverend Jedidiah Maschke.

We thank You, Holy Trinity, for busy people everywhere who rise each day devoted to their duty.

Give to those who serve here eyes to see the high and holy ways their work fulfills Your will. Keep them from intoxication with their rightness. Remember them with mercy as they face all manner of temptations: to shade the truth to selfish ends, to withhold what should be told, to distort what must be spoken, and to disclose what is best left unsaid. Keep intact their honor and their credibility. Grant them humble hearts and charity to serve You as Your sacred instruments, in all things working for the justice, good and unity of all.

For You, O Father, Son and Holy Spirit, live and reign, one God, now and forever.

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.

#### WAIVERS AND EXEMPTIONS NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

March 6, 2025

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.6, has determined the exemption of: Senate Bills Nos. 70, 90, 104, 132, 133, 134, 135, 145, 146, 159, 178, 190, 212, 216, 228, 232, 271, 280, 283.

WAYNE THORLEY  
*Fiscal Analysis Division*

#### MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

By Senators Cannizzaro and Titus:

Senate Resolution No. 4—Providing for the compensation of the clergy and the coordinator of the clergy for services rendered to the Senate during the 83rd Session of the Nevada Legislature.

WHEREAS, The members of the 83rd Session of the Nevada Legislature sincerely appreciate the daily religious services that have been rendered by members of the clergy representing various denominations; and

WHEREAS, The invocations offered by the clergy provide inspiration and guidance for the members of the Senate as they face the challenges and demands of a legislative session; and

WHEREAS, The assistance provided by the coordinator of the clergy has facilitated the daily services; and

WHEREAS, A reasonable compensation should be provided for the clergy who perform such services and for the coordinator of the clergy; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That the State Controller is authorized and directed to pay the sum of \$40 per service out of the Legislative Fund to the members of the clergy who performed religious services for the Senate during the 83rd Session of the Nevada Legislature; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the State Controller is authorized and directed to pay the sum of \$1,500 to the coordinator of the clergy who facilitated the services for the Senate during the 83rd Session of the Nevada Legislature; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this resolution becomes effective upon adoption.

Senator Cannizzaro moved the adoption of the resolution.

Resolution adopted.

Senator Buck approved the addition of Senator Krasner as a primary sponsor of Senate Bill No. 127.

Senator Doñate approved the addition of Senator Steinbeck as a sponsor of Senate Bill No. 169.

Senator Doñate approved the addition of Senator Stone as a sponsor of Senate Bill No. 124.

Senator Steinbeck approved the addition of Senator Scheible as a primary sponsor of Senate Bill No. 170.

Senator Stone approved the addition of Senators Hansen, Krasner, Steinbeck and Titus as primary sponsors and Senator Buck as a sponsor of Senate Bill No. 264.

#### INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By the Committee on Growth and Infrastructure:

Senate Bill No. 290—AN ACT relating to regional transportation commissions; revising provisions relating to the security in operations of a regional transportation commission; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Senators Doñate, Flores and Taylor:

Senate Bill No. 291—AN ACT relating to personal information; requiring certain employers to implement and maintain reasonable security measures to protect the personal information of certain former residents of this State; revising requirements for the provision of certain notifications in the event of

a breach of the security of the system data; prohibiting certain persons from collecting social security numbers under certain circumstances; prohibiting an employer from retaliating against an employee for certain actions relating to the security of personal information; requiring the Department of Motor Vehicles to establish procedures by which a victim of identity theft may obtain a new driver's license number; providing penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Doñate moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Senator Lange:

Senate Bill No. 292—AN ACT relating to insurance; requiring certain insurers to allow certain persons who are less than 65 years of age to purchase a Medicare supplemental policy that the insurer makes available for purchase to new insureds who are 65 years of age or older; imposing certain restrictions on the limitations, terms and conditions such an insurer may impose and the premiums such an insurer may charge for such policies to persons who are less than 65 years of age; requiring such an insurer to establish certain open enrollment periods for the purchase of a Medicare supplemental policy; prohibiting an insurer from imposing an exclusion of certain benefits with respect to a Medicare supplemental policy issued during an open enrollment period; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Lange moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Senator Lange:

Senate Bill No. 293—AN ACT relating to education; revising provisions relating to the compensation of student athletes for use of their name, image or likeness; revising provisions relating to contracts for compensation for the use of the name, image or likeness of student athletes; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Lange moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Senator Flores and Assemblymember D'Silva:

Senate Bill No. 294—AN ACT relating to physician assistants; prescribing the settings in which a physician assistant is authorized to practice; eliminating provisions requiring the supervision of a physician assistant by a physician; authorizing a physician assistant to perform certain medical services under certain circumstances; eliminating provisions governing the testing or examination of applicants for licensure as a physician assistant; prescribing certain authority and duties of a physician assistant and an advanced practice

registered nurse; removing the requirement that a rural clinic be supervised by a physician; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Senator Flores moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Senators Doñate and Flores; Assemblymembers González, Moore and D'Silva:

Senate Bill No. 295—AN ACT relating to food establishments; requiring certain local boards of health to provide certain information and outreach relating to sidewalk vendors; requiring certain local boards of health to establish a task force relating to sidewalk vendors; requiring certain local boards of health to enter into certain agreements relating to conveyances; revising provisions relating to cottage food operations to exempt sidewalk vendors who sell certain food items; exempting an establishment that sells or offers or displays for sale certain foods from the definition of “food establishment”; revising certain requirements which certain local boards of health are required to adopt relating to sidewalk vendors who sell food; 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.

By Senator Ohrenschall:

Senate Bill No. 296—AN ACT relating to governmental administration; prohibiting governmental entities from entering into certain nondisclosure or confidentiality agreements; declaring certain records relating to a predecisional or deliberative process of the governmental entity concerning a rule, ordinance or regulation are public records; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By Senators Nguyen, Ohrenschall and Scheible:

Senate Bill No. 297—AN ACT relating to periods of observance; designating the month of September of each year as “Perimenopause Awareness Month” in this State; designating the month of October of each year as “Menopause Awareness Month” in this State; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Government Affairs:

Senate Bill No. 298—AN ACT relating to public employment; prohibiting the Government Employee-Management Relations Board from drawing an inference in favor of or against a party to a complaint proceeding if the inference is based solely on the fact that a collective bargaining agreement does not expressly address the type of act or omission that is the subject of the complaint; revising the definition of “punitive action” as the term relates to certain peace officers; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Motion carried.

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 former Senator Mo Denis and Todd Walter.

On request of Senator Cannizzaro, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Nancy Downey, Madeline Krieger and Katherine Ramsey.

On request of Senator Daly, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Brenda Hulphers and Ann Santos.

On request of Senator Doñate, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Rosa Mendoza.

On request of Senator Dondero Loop, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Barbra Wolf.

On request of Senator Krasner, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Nancy Carlson and Kathy Kneer.

On request of Senator Lange, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Patrick Ballinger and Matthew De Falco.

On request of Senator Pazina, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Audrey Dempsey.

On request of Senator Scheible, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Chrystal Roll.

On request of Senator Taylor, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Patricia Cuocco and Mary Wilson.

On request of Senator Titus, the privilege of the floor of the Senate Chamber for this day was extended to Linda Miner.

Senator Cannizzaro moved that the Senate adjourn in honor of International Women’s Day until Monday, March 10, 2025, at 11:00 a.m.

Motion carried.

Senate adjourned at 12:08 p.m.

Approved:

STAVROS ANTHONY  
*President of the Senate*

Attest: BRENDAN BUCY  
*Secretary of the Senate*