

## **Twentieth Legislative Day**

**Thursday, March 9, 2000**

The House was called to order by Speaker Pro Tempore Emeritus Glover.

The roll was called with 101 Members present.

The Speaker Pro Tempore Emeritus declared a quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Roger Thompson, Sr., Church of Christ, Okemah, Oklahoma.

The Journal for the last legislative day was approved.

### **ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES**

**HBs 1170, 1860, 1864, 1902, 1903, 1924, 1937, 1938, 1942, 1946, 2014, 2125, 2133, 2168, 2200, 2204, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2318, 2323, 2382, 2404, 2460, 2505, 2522, 2527, 2541, 2586, 2587, 2592, 2593, 2622, 2666 and 2667** were reported correctly engrossed, properly signed, in open session, and ordered transmitted to the Honorable Senate.

### **GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 2559** by Ervin of the House and Smith of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Ervin moved that **HB 2559** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Ervin, **HB 2559** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**THIRD READING**

**HB 2559** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Fields, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--93.

Excused: Adkins, Blackburn, Ferguson, Frame, Hiatt, Morgan, Ross, Stanley.--8.

The measure passed.

**HB 2559** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 2525** by Stites of the House and Morgan of the Senate was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Covey, Tyler, Smith (Dale)

Representative Stites moved to amend **HB 2525** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Stites moved that **HB 2525** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Stites, **HB 2525** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**THIRD READING**

**HB 2525** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Fields, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller,

Mitchell, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--92.

Nay: Pettigrew.--1.

Excused: Adkins, Cox, Ferguson, Frame, Hiatt, Morgan, Ross, Stanley.--8.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2525** was referred for engrossment.

### RECONSIDERATION

Representative Toure moved to reconsider the vote whereby **HB 2659** passed.

Representative Matlock moved to table the Toure motion to reconsider, which tabling motion prevailed.

**HB 2659** was referred for engrossment.

### MEASURE REREFERRED

Upon motion of Representative Pope (Clay), **HB 1935** was withdrawn from the Calendar and rereferred to the Agriculture Committee.

### GENERAL ORDER

**HB 1717** by Smith (Dale) of the House and Shurden of the Senate was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Pettigrew, Roggow, Winchester

Representative Smith (Dale) moved that **HB 1717** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Smith (Dale), **HB 1717** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**Speaker Pro Tempore Adair Presiding**

**THIRD READING**

**HB 1717** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Case, Claunch, Collins, Corn, Cox, Culver, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Nations, Ostrander, Pettigrew, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Rice, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Weaver, Wells, Winchester, Mr. Speaker.--67.

Nay: Bryant, Calvey, Coleman, Covey, Dank, Davis, Ferguson, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Ingmire, Jones, Liotta, Nance, Newport, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Pope (Tim), Reese, Roach, Smith (Hopper), Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Vaughn, Webb, Wilt, Worthen, Wright.--31.

Excused: Adkins, Hiatt, Morgan.--3.

The measure passed.

On passage of the emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Case, Corn, Culver, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Pettigrew, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stites, Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Wells, Winchester, Mr. Speaker.--68.

Nay: Calvey, Claunch, Coleman, Covey, Dank, Davis, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Ingmire, Lindley, Nance, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Pope (Tim), Settle, Smith (Hopper), Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Webb, Wilt, Worthen, Wright.--25.

Excused: Adkins, Begley, Collins, Cox, Hiatt, Morgan, Roach, Stanley.--8.

The emergency passed.

**HB 1717** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 1956** by Gilbert et al of the House and Cain of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Gilbert moved to amend **HB 1956** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Gilbert moved that **HB 1956** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Gilbert, **HB 1956** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### **THIRD READING**

**HB 1956** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--96.

Nay: Paulk.--1.

Excused: Adkins, Frame, Rice, Thornbrugh.--4.

The measure passed.

**HB 1956** was referred for engrossment.

### **Speaker Pro Tempore Emeritus Glover Presiding**

### **RECONSIDERATION**

Representative Braddock moved to reconsider the vote whereby **HB 2093** failed, which motion prevailed upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Culver, Dank, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt,

Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Weaver, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Mr. Speaker.--88.

Nay: Davis, Fields, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Seikel, Vaughn, Webb, Worthen, Wright.--10.

Excused: Adkins, Cox, Rice.--3.

Upon unanimous consent request of Representative Braddock, **HB 2093** was returned to General Order.

### GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2093** by Braddock of the House and Morgan of the Senate was read and considered further.

Representative Braddock moved to amend **HB 2093**, Page 3, Section 2, Lines 8-9 by deleting the words and figure "Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figure "Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00)", which amendment was declared adopted

Representative Braddock moved that **HB 2093** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Braddock, **HB 2093** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### THIRD READING

**HB 2093** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Beutler, Blackburn, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Cox, Culver, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Gilbert, Glover, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Kirby, Leist, McCarter, Miller, Morgan, Nations, Perry, Phillips, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Rice, Ross, Sellers, Settle, Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Turner, Tyler, Weaver, Wells, Mr. Speaker.-50.

Nay: Benge, Bonny, Case, Claunch, Covey, Dank, Davis, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Jones, Kinnamon, Kouba, Langmacher, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, Mitchell, Nance, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Pettigrew, Piatt, Pope (Tim), Reese, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Seikel, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Toure, Vaughn, Webb, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright.--50.

Excused: Adkins.--1.

The measure failed.

### GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2638** by Settle of the House and Henry of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Settle moved to amend **HB 2638** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Upon unanimous consent request of Representative Settle **HB 2638** was laid over.

### GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2387** by Frame of the House and Shurden of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Frame moved that **HB 2387** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Frame, **HB 2387** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### THIRD READING

**HB 2387** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Mr. Speaker.--94.

Nay: Davis, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Wright.--5.

Excused: Adkins, Bonny.--2.

The measure passed.

**HB 2387** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 2152** by Stites of the House and Morgan of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Stites moved that **HB 2152** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Stites, **HB 2152** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**THIRD READING**

**HB 2152** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Bengel, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--98.

Nay: Graves.--1.

Excused: Adkins, Ervin.--2.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2152** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 1954** by Mitchell of the House and Monson of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mitchell moved that **HB 1954** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mitchell, **HB 1954** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### THIRD READING

**HB 1954** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deuschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew<sup>7</sup>, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--99.

Excused: Adkins, Ervin.--2.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 1954** was referred for engrossment.

### GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2346** by Staggs of the House and Taylor et al of the Senate was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Jones

Representative Davis moved to amend **HB 2346**, Page 1, Line 12 and Page 2, Line 1 by restoring the stricken words "and best" and by striking the new word "responsible", which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Skaggs moved that **HB 2346** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Skaggs, **HB 2346** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### THIRD READING

**HB 2346** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver,

Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Mr. Speaker.--93.

Nay: Fields, Graves, Greenwood, Pope (Tim), Roach, Smith (Hopper), Worthen, Wright.--8.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2346** was referred for engrossment.

### GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2193** by Mitchell of the House and Robinson of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mitchell moved that **HB 2193** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mitchell, **HB 2193** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### THIRD READING

**HB 2193** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--100.

Nay: Graves.--1.

The measure passed.

**HB 2193** was referred for engrossment.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2638** by Settle of the House and Henry of the Senate as previously read and amended on Page 707 was considered further.

Representative Sellers moved to amend **HB 2638**, Page 6 by inserting a new Section 3 to read as follows and renumbering subsequent section, which amendment was declared adopted:

"SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 85 O.S. 1991, Section 44, is amended to read as follows:

Section 44. ~~(a)~~ A. If a worker entitled to compensation under the Workers' Compensation Act is injured or killed by the negligence or wrong of another not in the same employ, such injured worker or representative of the injured worker shall, before any suit or claim under the Workers' Compensation Act, elect whether to take compensation under the Workers' Compensation Act, or to pursue ~~his~~ a remedy against such other. Such election shall be evidenced in such manner as the Administrator may by rule or regulation prescribe. If ~~he~~ the employee elects to take compensation under the Workers' Compensation Act, the cause of action against such other shall be assigned to the insurance carrier liable for the payment of such compensation, and if ~~he~~ the employee elects to proceed against such other person or insurance carrier, as the case may be, the employer's insurance carrier shall contribute only the deficiency, if any, between the amount of the recovery against such other person actually collected, and the compensation provided or estimated by the Workers' Compensation Act for such case. The compromise of any such cause of action by the worker at any amount less than the compensation provided for by the Workers' Compensation Act shall be made only with the written approval of the Court. Whenever recovery against such other person is effected without compromise settlement by the employee or ~~his~~ representatives of the employee, the employer or insurance company having paid compensation under the Workers' Compensation Act shall be entitled to reimbursement as hereinafter set forth and shall pay from its share of said reimbursement a proportionate share of the expenses, including attorneys fees, incurred in effecting said recovery to be determined by the ratio that the amount of compensation paid by the employer bears to the amount of the recovery effected by the employee. After the expenses and attorneys fees have been paid, the balance of the recovery shall be apportioned between the employer or insurance company having paid the compensation and the employee or ~~his~~ representatives of the employee in the same ratio that the amount of compensation paid by the employer bears to the total amount recovered; provided, however, the balance of the recovery may be divided between the employer or insurance company having paid compensation and the employee or ~~his~~ representatives of the employee as they may agree.

In the event that recovery is effected by compromise settlement, then in that event the expenses, attorneys fees and the balance of the recovery may be divided between the

employer or insurance company having paid compensation and the employee or ~~his~~ representatives of the employee as they may agree. Provided, that in the event they are unable to agree, then the same shall be apportioned by the district court having jurisdiction of the employee's action against such other person, in such manner as is just and reasonable.

(b) B. The employer or ~~his~~ the insurance carrier of the employer shall ~~not~~ have the right of subrogation to recover money paid by the employer or ~~his~~ the insurance carrier of the employer for death claims or death benefits under the Workers' Compensation Act from third persons, with all common law rights against other than the employer and ~~his~~ the employees of the employer preserved and to be in those persons who would have had such rights had there been no death claim or death benefits under the Workers' Compensation Act.

(c) C. The employer or ~~his~~ the insurance carrier of the employer shall have the right of subrogation to recover money paid by the employer or ~~his~~ the insurance carrier of the employer for the expenses of the last illness or accident under the Workers' Compensation Act from third persons, with all common law rights against other than the employer and ~~his~~ the employees of the employer preserved and to be in those persons who would have had such rights had there been no benefits under the Workers' Compensation Act."

Representative Settle moved that **HB 2638** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Settle, **HB 2638** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### THIRD READING

**HB 2638** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Case, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Kinnamon, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Mitchell, Nations, Ostrander, Plunk, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Wells, Mr. Speaker.--63.

Nay: Adkins, Benge, Bryant, Calvey, Claunch, Coleman, Dank, Davis, Ferguson, Graves, Greenwood, Hiatt, Ingmire, Jones, Kouba, Liotta, Miller, Morgan, Nance, Newport, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Roggow, Smith (Hopper), Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Thornbrugh, Webb, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright.--38.

The measure passed.

**HB 2638** was referred for engrossment.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2039** by Askins et al of the House and Robinson of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Askins moved that **HB 2039** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Askins, **HB 2039** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

## THIRD READING

**HB 2039** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--101.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2039** was referred for engrossment.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2016** by Begley of the House and Hobson of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Dank moved to amend **HB 2016**, Page 1, Section 1, Lines 4 and 8 by deleting the word "six", which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Begley moved that **HB 2016** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Begley, **HB 2016** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**THIRD READING**

**HB 2016** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--100.

Excused: Hilliard.--1.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2016** was referred for engrossment.

**GENERAL ORDER**

**HB 1865** by Begley of the House and Hobson of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Begley moved that **HB 1865** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Begley, **HB 1865** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

**THIRD READING**

**HB 1865** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas,

Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--99.

Excused: Corn.--1.

Constitutional Priv: Worthen.--1.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 1865** was referred for engrossment.

## MOTION

Representative Corn asked that the Journal reflect that had he been present in the Chamber, he would have voted 'Aye' on **HB 1865**, which was the order.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 1965** by Collins of the House and Monson of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Collins moved that **HB 1965** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Collins, **HB 1965** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

## THIRD READING

**HB 1965** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Askins, Begley, Bengel, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Mr. Speaker.--91.

Nay: Adkins, Coleman, Graves, Greenwood, Hiett, Liotta, Pope (Tim), Smith (Hopper), Webb, Wright.--10.

The measure passed.

**HB 1965** was referred for engrossment.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2415** by Wilt of the House and Dunlap of the Senate was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Corn, Thornbrugh

Representative Kirby moved to amend **HB 2415**, Page 13, Section 3, Lines 13-15 by deleting the following language:

“D. The property specified in subsection A of this section shall not be exempt from forfeiture pursuant to the Uniform Controlled Dangerous Substances Act if the property was used in the manufacture or cultivation of a controlled dangerous substance.”.

## Representative Matlock Presiding

Representative Wilt moved to table the Kirby amendment, which tabling motion prevailed upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Collins, Corn, Covey, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Glover, Graves, Hastings, Hefner, Hiett, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Kinnamon, Kouba, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roberts, Roggow, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--83.

Nay: Bonny, Coleman, Cox, Gilbert, Gray, Greenwood, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Liotta, Newport, Pettigrew, Roach, Ross, Stanley, Toure, Webb, Worthen.--18.

Representative Toure moved to amend **HB 2415**, Page 8, Section 1, Lines 7-11 by deleting the following language:

“16. The parent of the child:

a. has been convicted of the crime of manufacturing a controlled dangerous substance, and

b. the child was present while the parent was manufacturing the controlled dangerous substance.”,

which amendment failed of adoption upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Bonny, Case, Coleman, Collins, Covey, Cox, Eddins, Frame, Gilbert, Graves, Kirby, Lindley, Roach, Roberts, Ross, Settle, Stanley, Stites, Toure, Webb, Wells, Mr. Speaker.--22.

Nay: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Claunch, Corn, Culver, Dank, Davis, Dunegan, Easley, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Glover, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roggow, Seikel, Sellers, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright.--78.

Excused: Deutschendorf.--1.

Representative Wilt moved that **HB 2415** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Wilt, **HB 2415** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

### **THIRD READING**

**HB 2415** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Bengé, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Culver, Dank, Davis, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--92.

Nay: Case, Cox, Frame, Graves, Kirby, Newport, Ross, Toure.--8.

Excused: Deutschendorf.--1.

The measure passed.

**HB 2415** was referred for engrossment.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2320** by Tyler of the House and Stipe of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Tyler moved to amend **HB 2320** by striking the title, the enacting clause and the entire measure and inserting in lieu thereof a floor substitute, which amendment was declared adopted. (Xerox copies for Members)

Representative Tyler moved that **HB 2320** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Tyler, **HB 2320** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

## THIRD READING

**HB 2320** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--100.

Excused: Deutschendorf.--1.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2320** was referred for engrossment.

## MOTION

Representative Rice asked that the Journal reflect that had he been present in the Chamber on March 8, 2000, when the vote was taken on **HB 2168**, he would have voted 'Aye'.

## GENERAL ORDER

**HB 2467** by Ross of the House and Horner of the Senate was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Gilbert

Representative Ross moved to amend **HB 2467** by striking the title, the enacting clause and the entire measure and inserting in lieu thereof a floor substitute, which amendment was declared adopted. (Xerox copies for Members)

Representative Ross moved that **HB 2467** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Ross, **HB 2467** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

## THIRD READING

**HB 2467** was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adair, Adkins, Askins, Begley, Bengel, Beutler, Blackburn, Bonny, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Calvey, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kinnamon, Kirby, Kouba, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller, Mitchell, Morgan, Nations, Newport, Ostrander, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Thornbrugh, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Mr. Speaker.--92.

Nay: Graves, Liotta, Nance, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Smith (Hopper), Wright.--7.

Excused: Deutschendorf, Ervin.--2.

The measure and emergency passed.

**HB 2467** was referred for engrossment.

**MEASURES REREFERRED**

Pursuant to House Rule 11, Section 6, the following were withdrawn from the Calendar and rereferred to committee:

**HB 2052** – Community and Family Responsibilities

**HB 2678** – Commerce, Industry and Labor

**RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced and read:

**HR 1050** – By Benson.

A Resolution proclaiming the week of March 13, 2000, “Teach Census Week”; encouraging the Superintendent of Public Instruction to provide district superintendents certain information; encouraging participation in Census 2000; and directing distribution.

**MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE**

Announcing the passage of and returning engrossed measure as amended:

**HB 2209**

Senate amendments were read on the above numbered measure.

**Transmitting enrolled measure**

Advising fourth reading of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **SB 456**.

The above-numbered enrolled measure was, after fourth reading, properly signed and ordered returned to the Honorable Senate.

**Returning CCR**

Returning **HB 1469** together with conference committee report thereon, advising adoption of conference committee report and passage of measure as amended.

The above-numbered measure, as amended by the conference committee report, was referred for enrollment.

**Transmitting engrossed measures**

Announcing the passage of the following engrossed measures.

The measures were introduced and read for the first time.

**SB 846** – Leftwich of the Senate and Corn of the House.

[ State government – State Fire Marshal - modifying qualifications – modifying salary - effective date ]

**SB 859** – Weedn of the Senate and Hilliard of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - special license plates - apportionment of fee - effective date ]

**SB 887** – Easley and Crutchfield of the Senate and Tyler of the House.

[ motor vehicles - restricted driver licenses and permits - certificates of title for all-terrain vehicles - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 990** – Morgan of the Senate and Roberts of the House.

[ insurance - State and Education Employees Group Insurance Act - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 992** – Morgan and Crutchfield of the Senate and Dunegan of the House.

[ law enforcement officers - Department of Public Safety - salary increases - future step increases – Lake Patrol – Highway Patrol - effective date - emergency ]

**SB 1004** – Leftwich of the Senate and Nations of the House.

[ state government – Oklahoma Privatization of State Functions Act - deleting certain agency notification - effective date ]

**SB 1014** – Wilkerson of the Senate and Hilliard of the House.

An Act relating to the Alcoholic Beverage Laws Enforcement Commission; amending 37 O.S. 1991, Section 570, which relates to qualifications of certain personnel; deleting peace officer requirement for obsolete personnel category; establishing age and education requirements for agents appointed after certain date; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1045** – Haney and Hobson of the Senate and Settle and Begley of the House.

An Act relating to state government; amending 74 O.S. 1991, Section 19, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 350, O.S.L. 1999 (74 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 19), which relates to the Attorney General's Evidence Fund and Attorney General's Revolving Fund; providing that certain provisions for deposits thereto not be applicable to sums received pursuant to certain agreement; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1050** – Leftwich of the Senate and Paulk of the House.

[ State government - Oklahoma Personnel Act – declare a financial emergency - hiring freeze ]

**SB 1052** – Taylor and Rabon of the Senate and Rice of the House.

An Act relating to corporations; amending 18 O.S. 1991, Section 1006, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 69, O.S.L. 1996 (18 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 1006), which relates to certificates of incorporation; requiring certain information to be included in a certificate of incorporation; exempting certain businesses from certain provisions of law relating to corporations engaged in farming or ranching operations; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1054** – Dunlap of the Senate and Bengé of the House.

An Act relating to crimes and punishments; amending 21 O.S. 1991, Section 1835.1, which relates to trespass on business premises; adding condition for forbidding entry; specifying notification procedure; increasing penalty for entry by certain persons to certain premises; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1071** – Herbert of the Senate and Case of the House.

[ domestic violence and sexual assault shelters - disclosure – emergency ]

**SB 1078** – Muegge of the Senate and Covey of the House.

[ agriculture - Oklahoma Agriculture Mediation Program – codification - emergency ]

**SB 1101** – Rabon of the Senate and Erwin of the House.

[ eminent domain - amending 27 O.S. 1991, Section 2 - condemnation procedure for state lands ]

**SB 1115** – Stipe of the Senate and Tyler of the House.

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 1991, Section 14-118, as last amended by Section 4, Chapter 125, O.S.L. 1998 (47 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 14-118), which relates to size, weight and load; prohibiting certain vehicles from crossing load restricted bridges and modifying weight restriction thereto without certain approval; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1116** – Stipe of the Senate and Tyler of the House.

An Act relating to public buildings and public works; requiring successful contract bidders to return certain contract to the Department of Transportation and the Oklahoma Transportation Authority within certain time period; requiring the Department of Transportation and the Oklahoma Transportation Authority to return a copy of certain executed contracts within certain time period; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1123** – Kerr, Crutchfield and Muegge of the Senate and Adair of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - ad valorem taxes - effective date ]

**SB 1146** – Stipe of the Senate and Mass of the House.

An Act relating to workers' compensation; authorizing certain persons to represent an employer before the Workers' Compensation Court; requiring written authorization; requiring the employer to be bound by the actions and agreements of its authorized representatives; amending 85 O.S. 1991, Section 3.4, as amended by Section 3, Chapter

349, O.S.L. 1993 (85 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 3.4), which relates to commencement of claims pursuant to the Worker's Compensation Act; specifying persons permitted to sign documents on behalf of respondent, insurer, or agent; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1153** – Fair of the Senate and Nance of the House.

[ motor vehicles - financial responsibility for operation of motor vehicles - effective date ]

**SB 1165** – Henry of the Senate and Toure of the House.

An Act relating to civil procedure; amending 12 O.S. 1991, Sections 134 and 137, which relate to venue of actions against domestic and foreign corporations and nonresidents; clarifying language; updating statutory reference; authorizing actions against certain corporations to be brought in county where corporation is doing business; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1167** – Henry of the Senate and Phillips of the House.

[ mortgages - mortgages of realty - real estate – language - effective date ]

**SB 1172** – Robinson of the Senate and Paulk of the House.

[ public buildings and public works – regularizing surety requirements – emergency ]

**SB 1176** – Robinson of the Senate and Paulk of the House.

An Act relating to public buildings and public works; amending 61 O.S. 1991, Section 113, as last amended by Section 4, Chapter 365, O.S.L. 1998 (61 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 113), which relates to requirements for contracts under the Public Competitive Bidding Act of 1974; deleting obsolete provisions; prohibiting requirement by agencies or general contractors that subcontractors participate in specified insurance program; defining term; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1178** – Robinson of the Senate and Deutschendorf of the House.

An Act relating to the Corporation Commission; amending Section 9, Chapter 408, O.S.L. 1997 (17 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 139.109), which relates to funds; allowing use of monies of the Oklahoma Telecommunications Technology Training Fund for training of school administrators; stating legislative intent; providing for noncodification, and providing an effective date.

**SB 1180** – Taylor of the Senate and Jones of the House.

An Act relating to fire protection districts; amending 19 O.S. 1991, Section 901.5, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 357, O.S.L. 1998 (19 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 901.5), which relates to the board of directors of fire protection districts; modifying time period for filling vacancy; authorizing alternative procedures for election of directors; providing additional requirements for membership; providing for filling vacancies; providing for appeals; limiting frequency of authorized change of election procedures; providing for applicability of certain statutory provisions; providing for codification; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1200** – Henry of the Senate and Vaughn of the House.

[ child support – orders – guidelines - gross income - shared parenting – emergency ]

**SB 1228** – Weedn of the Senate and Taylor of the House.

An Act relating to counties; amending 19 O.S. 1991, Section 180.62, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 195, O.S.L. 1998 and Section 6, Chapter 334, O.S.L. 1993, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 258, O.S.L. 1998 (19 O.S. Supp. 1999, Sections 180.62 and 180.74), which relate to salaries; deleting obsolete language; providing for the setting of county officials salaries; deleting salary limitation for ensuing term of office for certain counties; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1308** – Dunlap of the Senate and Taylor of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - exemptions for certain retirement benefits ]

**SB 1324** – Fisher, Snyder and Johnson of the Senate and Kinnamon of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - Small Business Capital Formation Incentive Act - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1325** – Long of the Senate and Bengé of the House.

An Act relating to motor vehicles; amending 47 O.S. 1991, Section 8-104, as amended by Section 5, Chapter 85, O.S.L. 1998 (47 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 8-104), which relates to the financial responsibility of taxicab operators; deleting alternative methods of providing evidence of proof of financial responsibility; deleting procedures for bringing action on bond filed as proof of financial responsibility; modifying definition; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1356** – Williamson of the Senate and Perry of the House.

[ Secretary of State - fee - foreign adoption - effective date ]

**SB 1360** – Monson of the Senate and Toure of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - Oklahoma Quality Jobs Program Act - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1364** – Monson of the Senate and Rice of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - Oklahoma Sales Tax Code - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1378** – Henry of the Senate and Toure of the House.

An Act relating to securities; amending 71 O.S. 1991, Sections 12, as amended by Section 6, Chapter 241, O.S.L. 1992, and 16 and 412, as last amended by Sections 1 and 8, Chapter 109, O.S.L. 1999 (71 O.S. Supp. 1999, Sections 12, 16 and 412), which relate to the Department of Securities and fees and charges; modifying organization of Department; designating additional positions as being in the unclassified service; modifying portion of filing fee to be deposited in Oklahoma Department of Securities Revolving Fund; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1434** – Douglass of the Senate and Bryant of the House.

An Act relating to the Crime Victims Compensation Act; amending 21 O.S. 1991, Section 142.3, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 177, O.S.L. 1999 (21 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 142.3), which relates to definitions; providing certain exception to definition of criminally injurious conduct; authorizing consideration of claims for certain victims of accidents involving felonious failure to stop after being involved in an accident; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1451** – Henry of the Senate and Toure of the House.

[ criminal procedure - deferral of prosecutions - confidential information - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1481** – Henry and Robinson of the Senate and Bryant of the House.

[ Consumer credit - modifying charges - reverse mortgage transactions codification – effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1500** – Henry of the Senate and Braddock of the House.

[ administrative law - Administrative Hearings Act - Administrative Hearings Panel of Oklahoma – codification - effective date ]

**SB 1510** – Dunlap of the Senate and Miller of the House.

[ mental health - hospital services for inmates of correctional institutions - requiring reimbursement - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1519** – Henry of the Senate and Toure of the House.

[ Article 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code – codification – recodification - effective dates ]

**SB 1527** – Snyder of the Senate and Liotta of the House.

An Act relating to insurance; amending Section 2, Chapter 329, O.S.L. 1992, as last amended by Section 2, Chapter 304, O.S.L. 1998 (36 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 6512), which relates to the Small Employer Health Insurance Reform Act; modifying definitions; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1536** – Fair of the Senate and Phillips of the House.

[ protection of labor - authorizing administrative fines for employers who violate certain statutory provisions – emergency ]

**SB 1565** – Henry of the Senate and Paulk of the House.

[ criminal procedure - the Interstate Compact for Adult Offender Supervision – Commission – Council – codification - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 1576** – Cain of the Senate and Stanley of the House.

An Act relating to public health and safety; amending 63 O.S. 1991, Sections 1-822, 1-823, 1-824, 1-826, 1-829, 1-830 and 1-831, which relate to the Residential Care Act; clarifying that issuance of a license should not constitute a waiver of enforcement actions; updating language; removing probationary licenses; deleting certain procedures relating

thereto; providing for issuance of licenses and procedures thereto; authorizing certain extensions; deleting certain powers and duties; removing certain requirements for inspections by the State Department of Health; authorizing certain inspections; making inspections unannounced; authorizing certain visits; making certain actions unlawful; providing penalty; modifying notice and hearing provisions; amending 63 O.S. 1991, Sections 1-1905, as last amended by Section 9, Chapter 230, O.S.L. 1995, 1-1912, as amended by Section 12, Chapter 230, O.S.L. 1995, Section 15, Chapter 230, O.S.L. 1995 and 1-1923, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 42, O.S.L. 1998 (63 O.S. Supp. 1999, Sections 1-1905, 1-1912, 1-1914.2 and 1-1923), which relate to the Nursing Home Care Act and the Long Term Care Facility Advisory Board; prohibiting issuance of effective dates of certain initial licenses or renewals prior to application dates; providing for emergency actions and providing process, hearing and notice; defining terms; providing for certain releases; adding to Board membership and providing terms; modifying duties of the Advisory Board; repealing 63 O.S. 1991, Section 1-828 and Section 7, Chapter 223, O.S.L. 1997 (63 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 1-890.7), which relate to fire safety inspections and the Continuum of Care and Assisted Living Standards Council; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 1589** – Monson of the Senate and Seikel of the House.

An Act relating to professions and occupations; amending 59 O.S. 1991, Section 567.8, as last amended by Section 3, Chapter 288, O.S.L. 1996 (59 O.S. Supp. 1999, Section 567.8), which relates to nursing licensure and certification; expanding powers of the Oklahoma Board of Nursing; modifying criteria for imposition of disciplinary action; allowing levying of fines and imposing of payment of costs as a condition of disciplinary action; and providing an effective date.

**SB 1595** – Williams, Morgan and Wilcoxson of the Senate and Boyd of the House.  
[ schools - alternative placement programs - effective date – emergency ]

Announcing the passage of the following engrossed measure.

The measure was introduced and read.

**SCR 71** – Kerr and Capps of the Senate and Braddock of the House.

A Concurrent Resolution authorizing the Commission for Human Services to enter into certain lease/purchase agreement for certain office space; and directing distribution.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following were reported by the committees named, ordered printed and placed on the Calendar unless otherwise indicated:

DO PASS, As Amended:

**SB 840** – County and Municipal Government  
**CS for SCR 61** – Human Services

Representative Thomas moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 13, 2000, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative Thomas, the House was adjourned at 11:35 a.m., to reconvene Monday, March 13, 2000, at 1:30 p.m.