

Fifth Legislative Day
Monday, February 14, 2000

The House was called to order by Speaker Pro Tempore Adair.

The roll was called with 100 Members present.

The following Member was excused: Smith (Hopper).—1.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared a quorum present.

Speaker Benson Presiding

Prayer was offered by Pastor James Robinson, First Baptist Church, Durant, Oklahoma.

Upon motion of Representative Dunegan, Pastor Robinson was confirmed as House Chaplain for this legislative week.

The Journal for the last legislative day was approved.

ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

HB 2720 was reported correctly engrossed, properly signed, in open session, and ordered transmitted to the Honorable Senate.

RESOLUTION REFERRED

The following was withdrawn from the Calendar and referred to committee:

HCR 1069 – Tourism and Recreation

GENERAL ORDER

HB 2676 by Weaver of the House and Fisher of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Gray moved to amend **HB 2676**, Page 80, Line 14 1/2 by inserting a new section to read as follows and renumbering subsequent sections, which amendment was declared adopted upon a division of the question:

“SECTION 30. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5009.5 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall provide Medicaid services for persons who meet the income standards of the Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) Program.

B. It is the intent of the Legislature that senior citizens who meet the income standards of the Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) Program receive three prescription medications to improve their quality of life.”.

Representative Weaver moved that **HB 2676** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Weaver, **HB 2676** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 2676 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, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, 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, Roach, Roggow, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--89.

Nay: Calvey, Graves, Greenwood, Hutchison, Pope (Tim), Rice.--6.

Excused: Roberts, Ross, Smith (Hopper), Sullivan (John), Thornbrugh, Toure.--6.

The measure and emergency passed.

HB 2676 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 2675 by Weaver of the House and Fisher of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Gray moved to amend **HB 2675**, Page 134, Line 9 1/2 by inserting a new section to read as follows and renumbering subsequent section,:

“SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 5009.5 of Title 63, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

A. The Oklahoma Health Care Authority shall provide Medicaid services for persons who meet the income standards of the Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) Program.

B. It is the intent of the Legislature that senior citizens who meet the income standards of the Qualified Medicare Beneficiary (QMB) Program receive three prescription medications to improve their quality of life.”.

Representative Weaver asked a ruling of the Presiding Officer whether the Gray amendment is germane to **HB 2675**.

Representative Weaver withdrew his request.

Representative Gray pressed adoption of his amendment, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Weaver moved that **HB 2675** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Weaver, **HB 2675** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 2675 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, Boyd, Braddock, Bryant, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Collins, Corn, Covey, Cox, Culver, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Frame, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, 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, Seikel, Sellers, Settle, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Thomas, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Weaver, Webb, Wells, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Mr. Speaker.--94.

Nay: Calvey, Hutchison, Rice.--3.

Excused: Bonny, Eddins, Smith (Hopper), Thornbrugh.--4.

The measure passed.

HB 2675 was referred for engrossment.

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Advising rejection of **CCR** to **SB 142** and requesting further conference thereon, the Senate naming same conferees as follows:

SB 142 - GCCA

Returning engrossed measure, as amended

Announcing the passage of and returning engrossed measure as amended:

HB 2653

Senate amendments were read on the above numbered measure.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HB 2653** were rejected upon motion of Representative Settle. The Speaker named the following conferees:

HB 2653 — Benson, Settle, Begley

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Advising conference granted on **HB 2653** and the Senate naming conferees as follows:

HB 2653 - Taylor, Haney, Hobson

CCR SUBMITTED

The conference committee report was read on the following measure:

HB 2653

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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

DO PASS:

HB 2037 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

HB 2052 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

HB 2169 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Authored by Senator Fisher (principal Senate author)

HB 2177 – Commerce, Industry and Labor

HB 2184 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Coauthored by Representative(s) Adair, and Authored by Senator Smith (principal Senate author)

HB 2188 – Commerce, Industry and Labor, Authored by Senator Brown (principal Senate author)

HB 2520 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

HB 2590 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Authored by Senator Herbert (principal Senate author)

HB 2678 – Commerce, Industry and Labor, Coauthored by Representative(s) Tyler, and Authored by Senator Weedn (principal Senate author)

HR 1045 – Community and Family Responsibilities

DO PASS, As Amended:

CS for HB 1961 – Commerce, Industry and Labor, Authored by Senator Mickle (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 2006 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Coauthored by Representative(s) McCarter, and Authored by Senator Long (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 2007 – Community and Family Responsibilities, Coauthored by Representative(s) Bryant, Adkins, Boyd, McCarter, Phillips, Sullivan (John), Ingmire, Roggow, Wells

CS for HB 2115 – Commerce, Industry and Labor, Authored by Senator Long (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 2176 – Commerce, Industry and Labor

CS for SB 456 – Commerce, Industry and Labor, Coauthored by Representative(s) Bryant, Hastings, Ingmire, Newport, Pope (Clay), Sellers, Thornbrugh, Winchester, and Coauthored by Senator(s) Fisher, Kerr, Shurden

Representative Thomas moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 15, 2000, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative Thomas, the House was adjourned at 3:52 p.m., to reconvene Tuesday, February 15, 2000, at 1:30 p.m.