

Thirteenth Legislative Day

Thursday, February 22, 2001

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

The roll was called with 100 Members present.

The following Member was excused: Pettigrew.—1.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared a quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Jeff Jenkins, North MacArthur Church of Christ, Oklahoma City.

The Journal for the last legislative day was approved.

MOTION

Upon unanimous consent request of Representative Nance, the remarks of Mr. Jenkins were ordered printed in the Journal as follows:

Mr. Speaker, distinguished members of the House of Representatives and guests, it is a great honor to be able to speak to you today. Allow me to begin by telling you what a great privilege it has been to be with you each day throughout this week. I want to especially thank my friend Representative John Nance for inviting me to serve as the Chaplain this week. John and I work together every week at church. He leads our singing at church and then listens to me preach. I promise you, I'll continue to do the best I can on Sundays and expect you to keep him straight the rest of the week.

My prayer is that we can continue to learn from each other. Socrates once said, "...The man who is really a lover of learning must from youth on strive as intensely as possible for every kind of truth." Plato described truth by saying it was a food for the soul. What is truth? That is the question that was posed by Pilate to Christ during the trial of Jesus. Jesus had just made the statement that everyone who is of the truth would hear His voice. It was

said of Winston Churchill that he brought into history's consummate struggle for power the idea of truth as the consummate weapon. It was truth as the foundation of his strategy that allowed him to marshal the allies to destroy the enemies that had nearly overwhelmed them. Mark Helprin, of the Wall Street Journal, said that truth enabled Churchill "...to see when others could not, to speak when others would not and to record his times with majesty, elevation and wit." It appears that Churchill knew, as did Abraham Lincoln and every statesman who chose the right rather than the easy course, that truth must be paramount. They lived by truth. They saw their long-lasting power swell with it. It lay at the heart of their achievements, their beliefs and their very lives. It is why we remember them even now. It is truth.

Just as some have always sought and proclaimed truth, there have always been those who seek to undermine and even kill truth. Pontius Pilate and those who attempted to put an end to the work of Jesus tried. The very influential philosopher Friedrich Nietzsche tried to destroy truth. Nietzsche argued in favor of what he called, the Will to Power. It was Nietzsche who proclaimed, God is dead. It turns out, of course, that it is Nietzsche who is dead, while God and His Truth live on. He believed that if God is dead, if there is no truth, then everything is permitted, thus the Will to Power.

My generation, the baby boomers, have accepted the teachings of Joseph Fletcher and others who proclaim that there are no absolutes. There is no objective standard that can guide us (Dear Abby). Josh McDowell said, "I believe that one of the prime reasons this generation is setting new records for dishonesty, disrespect and sexual promiscuity, violence, suicide and other pathologies is because they have lost their moral underpinnings; their foundational belief in morality and truth has been eroded." As General Roland Nethaway said, "They don't seem to know right from wrong."

Well, I for one, want my children, and everybody else I can influence to know that there is a difference. I want them to remember that Jesus said, "You can know the truth, and the truth will set you free." I want them to know that it is right to be truthful in school; that it is right to make a long-term commitment and be truthful when they get married; that they can be honest and truthful in business; that they can and should expect truth from government leaders.

As William Bennett said, "there is no more important task in our time than defending truth against its enemies." If we give up now on objective moral truth, we will not be able to fight the evil in our world. Truth is what will lead us to declare allegiance to those things that are good and right. Enemies of truth do not understand reality. They would have us believe that nothing is worthy of our allegiance; nothing deserving of our reverence; nothing elevating for which to live; and nothing - not family, country, faith, honor or truth - for which to sacrifice or even die. If the relativists are right, then, as Malcolm Muggeridge once said, "The cynics, the hedonists and the suicides would be right." The most we can hope for from life is some passing amusement, some gratification of our senses and death. But as Muggeridge pointed out, that is not all there is. There is more to life than shadows and caves. There is also, always, sublime truth. It is that truth that led Jesus to die. It is truth that made America the greatest nation the world has ever known. And if America is going to continue to be a great nation we must recognize truth, state truth, defend truth and live by truth. As Bennett said, "In defense of truth we must be prudent, large-minded, non-censorious, intellectually serious, and morally imaginative. But we must also be engaged and purposeful. And perhaps, above all, we must be brave. We must not be afraid." Nearly 2000 years ago Jesus said something that resonates in the heart of man even now. He said "You shall know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

May God help all of us to realize that it is only the truth of God that can set us free. May His richest blessings be upon all of you as you lead our state and may you always lead according to truth. Thank you. May God bless you all, and may God bless the State of Oklahoma and may God bless America.

ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

HBs 1083, 1084, 1191, 1252, 1439, 1530, 1531, 1532, 1533 and 1534 and HJR 1012 were reported correctly engrossed, properly signed, in open session, and ordered transmitted to the Honorable Senate.

SECOND READING

The following were read for the second time and referred to committee:

SB 90 – Government Operations and Agency Oversight

SB 313 – Direct To Calendar

SB 331 – Appropriations and Budget

SB 384 – Agriculture and Rural Development

SB 798 – Public Health

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Announcing the passage of the following engrossed measure.

The measure was introduced and read for the first time.

SB 101 – Mickle of the Senate and Dunegan of the House.

An Act relating to revenue and taxation; amending 68 O.S. 1991, Section 2902, as last amended by Section 20, Chapter 339, O.S.L. 2000 (68 O.S. Supp. 2000, Section 2902), which relates to exemptions from ad valorem taxes; merging and repealing duplicate section provisions; modifying qualifications for receipt of five-year ad valorem tax exemption; repealing 68 O.S. 1991, Section 2902, as last amended by Section 1, Chapter 219, O.S.L. 2000 (68 O.S. Supp. 2000, Section 2902), which is a duplicate section and which relates to exemptions from ad valorem taxes; and declaring an emergency.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 8 by Helton of the Senate and Wells et al of the House was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Braddock, Adair

Representative Wells moved that **SB 8** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

Upon request of Representative Wells, **SB 8** was placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 8 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--97.

Excused: Calvey, Hastings, Pettigrew, Toure.--4.

The measure and emergency passed.

The Presiding Officer signed, in open session, Engrossed **SB 8** and ordered same returned to the Honorable Senate.

Speaker Adair Presiding

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1381 by Matlock of the House and Rabon of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Matlock moved that **HB 1381** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Matlock, **HB 1381** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1381 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Balkman, Benge, Bonny, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Cox, Dank, Dunegan, Ericson, Erwin, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Gray, Greenwood, Hefner, Hiatt, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Steele, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Tyler, Vaughn, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--77.

Nay: Askins, Begley, Benson, Blackburn, Braddock, Covey, Davis, Deutschendorf, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Ferguson, Graves, Hilliard, Peters, Pope (Clay), Staggs, Toure, Turner, Walker.--20.

Excused: Glover, Hastings, Pettigrew, Stanley.--4.

The measure passed.

HB 1381 was referred for engrossment.

Speaker Pro Tempore Matlock Presiding

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1354 by Vaughn of the House and Coffee of the Senate was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Davis, Graves

Representative Vaughn moved that **HB 1354** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Vaughn, **HB 1354** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1354 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover,

Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--98.

Excused: Nance, Pettigrew, Stanley.--3.

The measure and emergency passed.

HB 1354 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1621 by Vaughn of the House and Coffee of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Vaughn moved that **HB 1621** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Vaughn, **HB 1621** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1621 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--98.

Excused: Nance, Pettigrew, Sullivan (John).--3.

The measure passed.

HB 1621 was referred for engrossment.

MOTION

Representative Calvey asked that the Journal reflect that had he been present in the Chamber, he would have voted Aye on **SB 8**, which was the order.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1467 by Ferguson of the House and Coffee of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Ferguson moved that **HB 1467** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Ferguson, **HB 1467** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1467 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--98.

Excused: Nance, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim).--3.

The measure and emergency passed.

HB 1467 was referred for engrossment.

RESOLUTION FOR CONSIDERATION

SCR 8 was called up for consideration.

Upon motion of Speaker Adair, **SCR 8** was considered and adopted.

SCR 8 was properly signed, in open session, by the Presiding Officer and ordered returned to the Honorable Senate.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1535 by Mass et al of the House and Haney et al of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mass moved to amend **HB 1535** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Mass moved that **HB 1535** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mass, **HB 1535** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1535 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Bengé, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Young, Mr. Speaker.--89.

Nay: Coleman, Graves, Greenwood, Liotta, Smaligo, Sullivan (John), Tibbs, Wright.--8.

Excused: Nance, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Ross.--4.

The measure passed.

HB 1535 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1536 by Mass et al of the House and Haney et al of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mass moved to amend **HB 1536** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Mass moved that **HB 1536** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mass, **HB 1536** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1536 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Mr. Speaker.--82.

Nay: Adkins, Coleman, Graves, Greenwood, Liotta, Peters, Peterson, Smaligo, Smith (Hopper), Sullivan (John), Tibbs, Webb, Worthen, Wright, Young.--15.

Excused: Maddux, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Ross.--4.

The measure passed.

HB 1536 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1537 by Mass et al of the House and Haney et al of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mass moved to amend **HB 1537** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Mass moved that **HB 1537** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mass, **HB 1537** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1537 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Bengé, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Mass, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--97.

Excused: Maddux, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Ross.--4.

The measure passed.

HB 1537 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1538 by Mass et al of the House and Haney et al of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mass moved to amend **HB 1538** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Mass moved that **HB 1538** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mass, **HB 1538** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1538 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Bengé, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Corn, Covey, Cox, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Mass, Matlock, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal,

Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Mr. Speaker.--82.

Nay: Calvey, Coleman, Dank, Graves, Greenwood, Peters, Peterson, Smaligo, Smith (Hopper), Tibbs, Worthen, Wright, Young.--13.

Excused: Maddux, McCarter, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Ross, Sullivan (John).--6.

The measure passed.

HB 1538 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

HB 1539 by Mass et al of the House and Haney et al of the Senate was read and considered.

Representative Mass moved to amend **HB 1539** by striking the title, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Mass moved that **HB 1539** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Mass, **HB 1539** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

HB 1539 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Glover, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiett, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Mass, Matlock, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Reese, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Stanley, Steele, Stites, Sullivan (John), Sullivan (Leonard), Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--96.

Excused: Maddux, McCarter, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Ross.--5.

The measure passed.

HB 1539 was referred for engrossment.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Advising the signing of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **SCR 8**.

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

Advising fourth reading of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **SB 8**.

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

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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

DO PASS:

HB 1177 – Public Safety, Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

HB 1186 – Revenue and Taxation, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

HB 1189 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Crutchfield (principal Senate author)

HB 1215 – Tourism and Recreation, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

HB 1221 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Rozell (principal Senate author)

HB 1227 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

HB 1246 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Dickerson (principal Senate author)

HB 1278 – Human Services, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

HB 1303 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

HB 1312 – Appropriations and Budget

HB 1332 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

HB 1359 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Nations, and Authored by Senator Milacek (principal Senate author)

HB 1372 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Horner (principal Senate author)

HB 1397 – Public Health, Authored by Senator Dickerson (principal Senate author)

HB 1429 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

HB 1430 – Revenue and Taxation, Coauthored by Representative(s) Hiett, Miller (Doug), Smith (Hopper), Roggow, and Authored by Senator Price (principal Senate author)

HB 1454 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

HB 1470 – Rules, Authored by Senator Capps (principal Senate author)

HB 1559 – Appropriations and Budget

HB 1575 – Appropriations and Budget

HB 1600 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilcoxson (principal Senate author)

HB 1603 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Riley (principal Senate author)

HB 1627 – Public Health, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

HB 1650 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Capps (principal Senate author)

HB 1679 – Rules, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

HB 1690 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

HB 1727 – Public Health, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

HB 1729 – Revenue and Taxation, Authored by Senator Rabon (principal Senate author)

HB 1740 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) McCarter, and Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

HB 1772 – Transportation, Authored by Senator Stipe (principal Senate author)

HB 1778 – Transportation, Authored by Senator Leftwich (principal Senate author), and Coauthored by Senator Stipe

HB 1819 – Rules, Coauthored by Representative(s) Toure

HB 1823 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Capps (principal Senate author)

HB 1844 – Rules, Coauthored by Representative(s) Matlock, and Authored by Senator Crutchfield (principal Senate author)

HB 1846 – Rules, Coauthored by Representative(s) Matlock, and Authored by Senator Shurden (principal Senate author)

HB 1848 – Rules, Authored by Senator Hobson (principal Senate author)

HB 1897 – Rules, Coauthored by Representative(s) Fields, Pope (Tim), and Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

HB 1908 – Rules, Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author)

HB 1934 – Rules, Authored by Senator Monson (principal Senate author)

HB 1961 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Toure, and Authored by Senator Helton (principal Senate author)

HB 1964 – Public Health, Authored by Senator Morgan (principal Senate author)

HCR 1001 – Transportation, Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author)

DO PASS, As Amended:

CS for HB 1029 – Public Health, Authored by Senator Morgan (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1034 – County and Municipal Government, Authored by Senator Price (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1035 – County and Municipal Government, Authored by Senator Price (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1064 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Monson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1081 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1100 – Human Services, Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1103 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Kerr (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1104 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Pruitt (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1106 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Shurden (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1112 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Pettigrew, and Authored by Senator Pruitt (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1116 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1132 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Milacek (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1143 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Gilbert, Easley, and Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author), and Coauthored by Senator Riley

CS for HB 1144 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Stipe (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1171 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1173 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Coleman, Davis, Ferguson, Nance, Pettigrew, Piatt, Young, and Authored by Senator Herbert (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1183 – Public Health, Remove Representative Reese as principal House author and substitute with Representative Wright, and Coauthored by Representative(s) Reese, and Authored by Senator Milacek (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1194 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Price (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1212 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1231 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1232 – Small Business, Authored by Senator Maddox (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1241 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1254 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1267 – Public Health, Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1288 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Crutchfield (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1297 – Public Health, Coauthored by Representative(s) Peters, Rice, and Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1298 – Human Services, Authored by Senator Cain (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1308 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Rozell (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1362 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Ferguson, and Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1364 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Ferguson, and Authored by Senator Capps (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1365 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Hobson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1379 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Williamson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1380 – Public Safety, Authored by Senator Dunlap (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1385 – Public Safety, Coauthored by Representative(s) Benge, and Authored by Senator Kerr (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1398 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Muegge (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1405 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1406 – Veterans and Military Affairs, Authored by Senator Helton (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1409 – Public Safety, Authored by Senator Shurden (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1411 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Helton (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1416 – Tourism and Recreation, Authored by Senator Dickerson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1418 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Easley, Maddux, Corn, Stites, Toure, McCarter, Braddock, Mitchell, Turner, Askins, Blackburn, and Authored by Senator Rozell (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1421 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Stipe (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1450 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Nichols (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1451 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1460 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1484 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Muegge (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1494 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1495 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1499 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1503 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Wilson, Ferguson, and Authored by Senator Rozell (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1564 – Appropriations and Budget

CS for HB 1593 – Appropriations and Budget, Remove Representative Mass as principal House author and substitute with Representative Dunegan, and Coauthored by Representative(s) Fields, Corn, Sweeden, Webb, Morgan, Claunch, Braddock

CS for HB 1601 -- Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilcoxson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1608 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1615 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author), and Coauthored by Senator Henry

CS for HB 1630 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Easley, Toure, and Authored by Senator Crutchfield (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1639 – Public Safety, Coauthored by Representative(s) Roan, and Authored by Senator Crutchfield (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1674 – Revenue and Taxation, Authored by Senator Fisher (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1692 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Corn, Webb, and Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1693 – Public Health, Coauthored by Representative(s) Vaughn, Morgan, Deutschendorf, and Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1696 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Hobson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1703 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Leftwich (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1710 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Stites, Toure, Staggs, Nations, Easley, Dunegan, Braddock, Sweeden, Pettigrew, and Authored by Senator Leftwich (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1721 – Public Safety, Authored by Senator Wilkerson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1741 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Leftwich (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1767 – Appropriations and Budget, Remove Representative Winchester as principal House author and substitute with Representative Roberts, and Authored by Senator Dunlap (principal Senate author), and Coauthored by Senator Fisher

CS for HB 1794 – Public Safety, Authored by Senator Campbell (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1805 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Toure, and Authored by Senator Williamson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1825 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Martin (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1831 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Helton (principal Senate author), and Coauthored by Senator Martin

CS for HB 1840 – Appropriations and Budget, Coauthored by Representative(s) Toure, and Authored by Senator Williams (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1843 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1854 – Human Services

CS for HB 1858 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Coffee (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1889 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Fair (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1915 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Robinson (principal Senate author)

CS for HB 1949 – Appropriations and Budget, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

CS for HJR 1021 – Revenue and Taxation, Authored by Senator Kerr (principal Senate author)

HCR 1007 – Transportation, Authored by Senator Easley (principal Senate author)

APPOINTMENT

The Speaker announced the following appointment:

February 21, 2001 – Representative Jones as a Member of the Joint Legislative Oversight Committee on the Eastern State Hospital Transition. (O.S. 43A-3-101.5, **SB 149**, Section 5, 1999)

Representative Hilliard moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 1:00 p.m., Monday, February 26, 2001, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative Hilliard, the House was adjourned at 11:40 a.m., to reconvene Monday, February 26, 2001, at 1:00 p.m.