

## Twenty-sixth Legislative Day

**Monday, March 19, 2001**

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

The roll was called with 101 Members present.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared a quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Richard Ehlers, Selecman United Methodist Church, Oklahoma City.

Upon motion of Representative Gray, Reverend Ehlers was confirmed as House Chaplain for this legislative week.

The Journal for the last legislative day was approved.

### MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Announcing the passage of the following engrossed measures.

The measures were introduced and read for the first time.

**SB 307** – Haney and Hobson of the Senate and Mass and Bonny of the House.

An Act relating to state finance; amending 68 O.S. 1991, Section 1004, as last amended by Section 4, Chapter 419, O.S.L. 2000 (68 O.S. Supp. 2000, Section 1004), which relates to gross production tax apportionment; modifying limits; and declaring an emergency.

**SB 493** – Laughlin of the Senate and Erwin of the House.

[ County and Municipal Law Enforcement Benefits Act – codification – effective date ]

**SB 532** – Easley of the Senate and Rice of the House.

[ revenue and taxation - extending date of levy of certain tax - apportionment - Corporation Commission Plugging Fund - effective date – emergency ]

**SB 752** – Robinson and Monson of the Senate and Vaughn of the House.

An Act relating to public health and safety; amending 63 O.S. 1991, Section 1-1524, as amended by Section 15, Chapter 137, O.S.L. 1994 (63 O.S. Supp. 2000, Section 1-1524), which relates to designation of smoking and nonsmoking areas; deleting language relating to designation of smoking and nonsmoking areas; providing exception to allowable designation of smoking and nonsmoking areas in a public place; deleting compliance provision; repealing 63 O.S. 1991, Section 1-1527, which relates to legislative intent with regard to preemption; and providing an effective date.

**SB 756** – Rozell and Wilkerson of the Senate and Dunegan of the House.

An Act relating to corrections; amending 57 O.S. 1991, Section 37, which relates to prisons and jails reaching maximum capacity; requiring consideration of certain inmates by Pardon and Parole Board upon need of Department of Corrections to contract for bed space; requiring county sheriffs to notify Department of Corrections upon commitment of certain inmates; authorizing promulgation of certain transfer form; requiring Department of Corrections to notify sheriff of bed space availability; modifying definition of county jail capacity; clarifying mode of certain notification; removing obsolete language; requiring sheriff to notify Department of transportation of certain inmates; requiring scheduling of reception of certain inmates within certain time; making Department responsible for certain costs of housing certain inmates; providing per diem rate for certain costs; providing methods and procedures for reimbursement of sheriff for certain costs; amending 57 O.S. 1991, Section 332.18, as amended by Section 1, Chapter 341, O.S.L. 1998 (57 O.S. Supp. 2000, Section 332.18), which relates to Pardon and Parole Board docket; exempting certain inmates on medical parole review from certain hearing process.

### **Returning engrossed measure, as amended**

Announcing the passage of and returning engrossed measure as amended:

#### **HB 1524**

Senate amendments were read on the above numbered measure.

### **ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES**

**HBs 1380, 1409, 1486 and 1671** 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 73** – Judiciary  
**SB 91** – Energy and Utility Regulation  
**SB 135** – Appropriations and Budget  
**SB 146** – County and Municipal Government  
**SB 189** – Commerce, Industry and Labor  
**SB 337** – Environment and Natural Resources  
**SB 354** – Commerce, Industry and Labor  
**SB 440** – Energy and Utility Regulation  
**SB 510** – Retirement Laws  
**SB 522** – Agriculture and Rural Development  
**SB 571** – Appropriations and Budget  
**SB 578** – Insurance  
**SB 599** – Appropriations and Budget  
**SB 627** – Environment and Natural Resources  
**SB 660** – Environment and Natural Resources  
**SB 733** – Insurance  
**SB 738** – Human Services  
**SB 742** – Rules  
**SB 813** – Common Education  
**SJR 18** – Rules  
**SJR 19** – Rules  
**SJR 20** – Rules  
**SJR 21** – Rules

## MEASURE REASSIGNED

By unanimous consent, the following was reassigned:

**SB 341** –Withdrawn from Appropriations and Budget and referred to Higher Education.

## APPOINTMENTS

March 15, 2001 – The Speaker announced the following appointments as ex-officio Members of all subcommittees of the Redistricting Committee:

Majority Floor Leader(or designate)	Representative Blackburn
Deputy Floor Leader(or designate)	Representative Roach
Minority Floor Leader(or designate)	Representative Morgan
Assistant Minority Floor Leader(or designate)	Representative Reese

March 15, 2001 – The Speaker announced the following appointments:

Representative Leist as Vice-Chair and Representative Covey as an ex-officio Member of the Task Force on the Economic Status of Agriculture (**SB 1062**, Section 1, 2000)

Representative Blackburn as an ex-officio Member of the Task Force on Electronic Commerce (**HB 2310**, Section 1, 2000)

Representative Mass as a Member of the Joint Committee on Federal Funds (O.S. 74-452.7)

Representative Ervin reappointed as a Member of the Oklahoma Futures (O.S. 74-5002.3)

Representative Pope (Clay) appointed as Joint Chair and as an ex-officio Member of the Legislative Oversight Committee on the Streamlined Sales Tax System (O.S. 68-1354.12, **SB 1040**, Section 13, 2000)

Representative Hilliard moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 20, 2001, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative Hilliard, the House was adjourned at 2:15 p.m., to reconvene Tuesday, March 20, 2001, at 1:30 p.m.