

Thirty-ninth Legislative Day

Thursday, April 11, 2002

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

The roll was called with 99 Members present.

The following Members were excused: Mass, Stanley.—2.

The Speaker Pro Tempore declared a quorum present.

Prayer was offered by Mr. Randy Johns, Westwood Church of Christ, Edmond.

The Journal for the last legislative day was approved.

REMARKS

Upon unanimous consent request of Representative Vaughn, Mr. Johns' remarks were ordered printed in the Journal as follows:

ARE YOU OVERWHELMED?@

It has been an honor to be your chaplain this week. I want to thank Representative Vaughn for the invitation. Ray is not only one of my elders at the Westwood Church, but has also become a dear and respected friend. There is a Scripture in the book of Acts which I have often used to describe some church business meetings. Fortunately, it has not been what I have observed from the Oklahoma State House of Representatives this week:

^The assembly was in confusion. Some were shouting one thing, some another. Most of the people did not even know why they were there.@ (Acts 19:32)

I am even more confident of the future of Oklahoma. I pledge to pray for you regularly. Thank you again for this great privilege you have given to me this week.

Zig Ziglar tells the story of a man who was waiting in an airport. He walked up to a machine, put in a quarter, and out came a card which read, "Your name is Bill Jones, you weigh 215 pounds, and you are about to take the 2:20 to Boston." The man could not believe it. How did this machine name all of that? He put another quarter in. Again, a card came out which read, "Your name is still Bill Jones, you still weigh 215 pounds, and you still are about to take the 2:20 to Boston." The man was beside himself. One more time he put a quarter into the machine. The card read, "Your name is still Bill Jones, you still weigh 215 pounds, but you just missed the 2:20 to Boston!"

"Hurry." "Frantic." "Overwhelmed." "Out of control." Do these words describe your life? Is sitting in a dentist's chair, or having surgery, your idea of getting away from the rat race?

We are obsessed with going faster. We buy things that promise speed. We ship items Federal Express. We have a long distant carrier called Sprint. We balance our checkbooks on Quicken. We diet with Slim Fast. People buy bathing suits from Speedo! And I have heard you can get a 1.2 megahertz Pentium IV B whatever that means!

In addition to speed, our lives are also complex. There are so many aspects of our lives: a wife or husband, family, children, grandchildren, work, education, personal time, friends, social, spiritual, and seasonal responsibilities, and more and more and more! One study claims that the average middle manager has 36 hours of work piled up on his desk and he spends three hours per week just rearranging and organizing the piles!

Our lives might be reduced to this simple, but complicated formula:

Life Components + Personalities + State of Life + Crisis + Insecurities = Overwhelmed. When overwhelmed, you can experience stress, fatigue, frustration, anger, fear, tears, illness, pressure, damaged relationships, resentment, regret, guilt, depression, compromised morality, hurt, doubt, and more.

But, Jesus said, "I have come that you may have life and have it more abundantly." (John 10:10). Jesus understands what it was like to be overwhelmed. He knows what it is like to feel pressure from people and the crowds, not to mention opposition and temptation from Satan. One day Jesus looked at some people who were hurried and overwhelmed and made a promise, "Are you tired? Worn out? Burned out on religion? Come to me. Get away with me and you'll recover life. I'll show you how to take a real rest. Walk with me and work with me B watch how I do it." (Matthew 11:28, **The Message**).

When life is too fast, complex, and crowded:

Recognize your value. You matter to God. I am valued for who I am, not for what I do.

Realize you cannot please everyone. A definition of failure is trying to please everyone.

Make a decision about who you are and whom you are going to please B God or people?

Resolve to make decisions based on convictions, not the agendas of others. If you don't plan your schedule, others will plan it for you.

Retreat to be refreshed. Even Jesus withdrew to charge his battery.

Rest and take time to be quiet. Relax. Reflect. "Be still, and know that I am God" (Psalm 46:10). Jesus said, "Learn the unforced rhythms of grace."

I won't lay anything heavy or ill fitting on you. Keep company with me and you'll learn to live freely and lightly. @ (Matthew 11:28-29, **The Message**).

Let us pray:

Dear God of all comfort,

Often we feel frazzled and out of control. So many demands are placed upon us. We become weary and weak. We become weary of the adversity, weary of the relentless expectations, weary of not feeling full of life. We become weary over explaining things and weary of acting cheery and positive when we really feel tired and confused.

Teach us through your word to walk humbly with you rather than proudly ahead of you. Please give us all the strength we need to lead well, and to serve well. Recreate us through your Spirit.

Father, thank you for the dedication of these representatives. Help them not to be discouraged. Renew their spirits. Refresh their minds. Rekindle their desire to make a difference in our state. Bless their lives and their families. Help them to follow Jesus who represents us before you.

In Jesus name I pray,

Amen.

ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

HAs to SBs 880, 915, 920, 936, 991, 1223, 1249, 1282, 1304, 1352, 1370, 1410, 1430, 1502 and 1536 were reported correctly engrossed, properly signed, in open session, and the measures, as amended, were ordered returned to the Honorable Senate.

HBs 2037, 2068, 2174, 2250, 2314, 2509 and 2705 were reported correctly enrolled and, after fourth reading, properly signed, in open session, and ordered transmitted to the Honorable Senate.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 1336 by Rozell of the Senate and Askins of the House was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Hilliard, Pettigrew

Representative Askins moved to amend **SB 1336** by striking the title, the enacting clause and the entire measure and inserting in lieu thereof a floor substitute, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies for Members)

Representative Askins moved that **SB 1336** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Askins, **SB 1336** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 1336 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, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Graves, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--94.

Nay: Gray.--1.

Excused: Blackburn, Ervin, Glover, Mass, Ross, Stanley.--6.

The measure and emergency passed.

SB 1336 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 981 by Smith of the Senate and Benson of the House was read and considered.

Representative Benson moved that **SB 981** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

Upon request of Representative Benson, **SB 981** was placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 981 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, DeWitt, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert,

Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--95.

Excused: Ervin, Glover, Mass, Pope (Clay), Ross, Stanley.--6.

The measure passed.

The Presiding Officer signed, in open session, Engrossed **SB 981** and ordered same returned to the Honorable Senate.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 1458 by Smith of the Senate and Benson of the House was read and considered.

Representative Benson moved that **SB 1458** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Benson, **SB 1458** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 1458 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, DeWitt, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--96.

Excused: Glover, Mass, Pope (Clay), Ross, Stanley.--5.

The measure passed.

SB 1458 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 1595 by Williams of the Senate and Nations of the House was read and considered.

Representative Nations moved to amend **SB 1595** by striking the title, the enacting clause and the entire measure and inserting in lieu thereof a floor substitute, which amendment was declared adopted. (Copies for Members)

Representative Dank moved to amend the floor substitute, Page 1, Section 1, Line 31, by inserting the following language before the word "Five":

"(1) Except as provided in subsections (2) and (3), beginning in the year 2003, no public school may commence the school term until September 1.

(2) Subsection (1) does not prohibit a local school board from doing any of the following:

- (a) Holding athletic contests or practices before September 1.
- (b) Scheduling in-service days or work days before September 1.
- (c) Holding school year-round.

(3) A local school board may commence the school term before September 1 in any school year if the school board requests the State Board of Education to allow it to commence the school term before September 1 and the school board includes reasons with the request. The State Board of Education may grant a request only if it determines that there are extraordinary reasons for granting it. The State Board of Education shall promulgate rules to implement and administer this section."

Representative Nations moved to table the Dank amendment, which tabling motion failed upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Askins, Begley, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Corn, Covey, Cox, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Erwin, Fields, Gilbert, Gray, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Nations, Paulk, Plunk, Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stites (J.T.), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Walker, Wells, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.--48.

Nay: Adkins, Balkman, Bengel, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Dank, Davis, DeWitt, Ericson, Ervin, Ferguson, Friskup, Graves, Greenwood, Hastings, Hiatt, Ingmire, Jones, Liotta, Miller (Doug), Morgan, Nance, Newport, O'Neal, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Pope (Tim), Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Hopper), Steele, Stites (Chad), Sullivan, Tibbs, Vaughn, Webb, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young.--48.

Excused: Glover, Mass, Pope (Clay), Ross, Stanley.--5.

Representative Dank pressed adoption of her amendment, which amendment failed upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Balkman, Bengé, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Dank, Davis, Ericson, Ervin, Graves, Greenwood, Hastings, Ingmire, Jones, Liotta, Morgan, Nance, O'Neal, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Hopper), Stites (Chad), Sullivan, Tibbs, Vaughn, Webb, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young.--36.

Nay: Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Corn, Covey, Cox, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Nations, Newport, Paulk, Peters, Peterson, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Ross, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Steele, Stites (J.T.), Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Walker, Wells, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.--59.

Excused: Glover, Gray, Mass, Perry, Stanley, Sweeden.--6.

Representative Dank moved to amend the floor substitute, Page 11 by inserting a new Section 5 to read as follows and renumbering subsequent sections:

“SECTION 5: B. 1. The administrative duties of an independent school district shall be combined if the school district has:

- a. an average daily membership of less than two hundred (200), and
- b. a transportation area of less than one hundred (100) square miles.

2. The administrative duties of an elementary school district shall be combined if the school district has:

- a. an average daily membership of less than one hundred (100), and
- b. a transportation area of less than seventy-five (75) square miles.

C. The State Board of Education shall take action necessary to assist school districts which meet the criteria established in subsection B of this section to reach an agreement on combining the administrative duties of the school district with one or more contiguous school districts.”,

which amendment failed of adoption upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Balkman, Bengé, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Dank, Davis, Ferguson, Graves, Greenwood, Hastings, Hiatt, Ingmire, Jones, Liotta, Miller (Doug), Morgan, Nance, O'Neal, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Roach, Smaligo, Smith (Hopper), Sullivan, Tibbs, Webb, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young.--37.

Nay: Askins, Begley, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Corn, Covey, Cox, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Gray, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Nations, Newport, Paulk, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Rice, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Steele, Stites (J.T.), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Walker, Wells, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.--7.

Excused: Glover, Mass, Perry, Phillips, Stanley, Stites (Chad), Vaughn.--7.

Representative Nations moved to amend the floor substitute, Page 2, Section 1, Line 10 and Page 9, Section 4, Lines 22-23, by deleting the words “not less than”, which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative Nations moved that **SB 1595** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Nations, **SB 1595** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 1595 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure and emergency, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benson, Blackburn, Braddock, Corn, Covey, Cox, Davis, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Gray, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Kirby, Lindley, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, Paulk, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Winchester, Young, Mr. Speaker.--70.

Nay: Balkman, Bengel, Bonny, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Dank, Dunegan, Graves, Greenwood, Hastings, Hiatt, Jones, Langmacher, Leist, Liotta, Mitchell, O'Neal, Perry, Pope (Clay), Smith (Hopper), Tibbs, Turner, Wilt, Wright.--27.

Excused: Glover, Mass, Stanley.--3.

Constitutional Priv: Worthen.--1.

The measure and emergency passed.

SB 1595 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 1579 by Wilkerson of the Senate and Braddock of the House was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Nance

Representative Braddock moved that **SB 1579** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

Upon request of Representative Braddock, **SB 1579** was placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 1579 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, DeWitt, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Friskup, Gilbert, Graves, Gray, Greenwood, Hastings, Hefner, Hiatt, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--98.

Excused: Glover, Mass, Stanley.--3.

The measure and emergency passed.

The Presiding Officer signed, in open session, Engrossed **SB 1579** and ordered same returned to the Honorable Senate.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 1231 by Morgan et al of the Senate and Stites (J.T.) of the House was read and considered.

Coauthored by Representative(s) Deutschendorf, Easley, Leist, Mitchell, Adair

Representative O'Neal moved to amend **SB 1231**, Page 1, Section 1, Line 6, by deleting the blank line and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figure "One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00)" and Line 9, by deleting the blank line and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figure "three and one-half percent (3.5%)", which amendment was declared adopted.

Representative O'Neal moved to amend **SB 1231** by restoring the title.

Representative Stites (J.T.) raised a point of order citing House Rule 12, Section 4.

Representative O'Neal moved to suspend House Rule 12, Section 4 as it pertains to his amendment to restore the title, which motion failed of adoption upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Balkman, Cargill, Claunch, Coleman, Dank, Davis, DeWitt, Ervin, Ferguson, Friskup, Graves, Greenwood, Hiatt, Liotta, Miller (Doug), Morgan, Nance, Newport, O'Neal, Perry, Phillips, Pope (Tim), Roggow, Smaligo, Smith (Hopper), Steele, Stites (Chad), Sullivan, Tibbs, Webb, Wilt, Worthen, Wright, Young.--34.

Nay: Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Case, Corn, Covey, Cox, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Erwin, Fields, Gilbert, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Maddux, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Nations, Paulk, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Rice, Roan, Roberts, Ross, Smith (Dale), Staggs, Stites (J.T.), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Wells, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.--62.

Excused: Glover, Mass, Roach, Stanley, Winchester.--5.

Representative Stites (J.T.) moved that **SB 1231** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

By unanimous consent, upon request of Representative Stites (J.T.), **SB 1231** was considered engrossed and placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 1231 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, Davis, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, 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, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--98.

Excused: Mass, Stanley.--2.

Constitutional Priv: Dank.--1.

The measure and emergency passed.

SB 1231 was referred for engrossment.

GENERAL ORDER

SB 1450 by Hobson of the Senate and Askins of the House was read and considered.

Representative Askins moved that **SB 1450** be advanced from General Order, which motion was declared adopted.

Upon request of Representative Askins, **SB 1450** was placed on Third Reading and Final Passage.

THIRD READING

SB 1450 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, Bengel, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, 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, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--99.

Excused: Mass, Stanley.--2.

The measure and emergency passed.

The Presiding Officer signed, in open session, Engrossed **SB 1450** and ordered same returned to the Honorable Senate.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HB 1971** were called up for consideration.

Upon motion of Representative Wells, the House concurred in the **SAs** to **HB 1971**.

HB 1971, as amended by the Honorable Senate, was read at length for the fourth time and the roll was called on the measure and emergency as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Balkman, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Calvey, Cargill, Case, Claunch, Coleman, Corn, Covey, Cox, Dank, Davis, Deutschendorf, DeWitt, 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, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Doug), Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nance, Nations, Newport, O'Neal, Paulk, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Pope (Tim), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Tibbs, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young, Mr. Speaker.--99.

Excused: Mass, Stanley.--2.

The measure and emergency passed.

Senate amendments were properly signed, in open session, and the above-numbered measure was referred for enrollment.

RECONSIDERATION

Representative Fields moved to reconsider the vote whereby **SB 1250** failed, which motion prevailed upon roll call as follows:

Aye: Adkins, Askins, Begley, Benge, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Case, Corn, Covey, Cox, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hastings, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Jones, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Liotta, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Morgan, Nations, Paulk, Perry, Phillips, Piatt, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Staggs, Steele, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Vaughn, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.--70.

Nay: Balkman, Calvey, Cargill, Claunch, Dank, Davis, DeWitt, Ericson, Friskup, Graves, Greenwood, Hiatt, Maddux, Miller (Doug), Nance, Newport, O'Neal, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Pope (Tim), Sullivan, Tibbs, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young.--28.

Excused: Coleman, Mass, Stanley.--3.

THIRD READING

SB 1250 was read at length for the third time. On passage of the measure, the roll call was as follows:

Aye: Askins, Begley, Benson, Blackburn, Bonny, Braddock, Cargill, Case, Corn, Covey, Cox, Deutschendorf, Dunegan, Easley, Eddins, Ericson, Ervin, Erwin, Ferguson, Fields, Gilbert, Glover, Gray, Hefner, Hilliard, Hutchison, Ingmire, Kirby, Langmacher, Leist, Lindley, Matlock, McCarter, Miller (Ray), Mitchell, Nations, Paulk, Phillips, Plunk, Pope (Clay), Rice, Roach, Roan, Roberts, Roggow, Ross, Staggs, Stites (Chad), Stites (J.T.), Sullivan, Sweeden, Taylor, Toure, Turner, Tyler, Walker, Webb, Wells, Wilson, Mr. Speaker.--60.

Nay: Adkins, Balkman, Bengel, Calvey, Claunch, Dank, Davis, DeWitt, Friskup, Graves, Greenwood, Hastings, Hiatt, Jones, Liotta, Maddux, Miller (Doug), Morgan, Nance, Newport, O'Neal, Perry, Peters, Peterson, Pettigrew, Piatt, Pope (Tim), Smaligo, Smith (Dale), Smith (Hopper), Steele, Tibbs, Vaughn, Wilt, Winchester, Worthen, Wright, Young.--38.

Excused: Coleman, Mass, Stanley.--3.

The measure passed.

The Presiding Officer signed, in open session, Engrossed **SB 1250** and ordered same returned to the Honorable Senate.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HB 1719** were rejected upon motion of Representative Staggs. Conferees to be named later.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HB 2212** were rejected upon motion of Representative Corn. Conferees to be named later.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HBs 2120** and **2719** were rejected upon motion of Representative Case. Conferees to be named later.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HB 2790** were rejected upon motion of Representative Askins. Conferees to be named later.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF SAs

SAs to **HBs 2046** and **2341** were rejected upon motion of Representative Wilt. Conferees to be named later.

PENDING CONSIDERATION OF CCR

Upon motion of Representative Askins, the **CCR** on **SB 405** was rejected and further conference requested. Conferees to be named later.

CONFEREES NAMED

The Speaker named the following conferees:

- HB 1146** – Graves, Hilliard, Roach, Vaughn, Davis, Benson, Rice
- HB 1985** – Erwin, Hutchison, Tibbs, Graves, Gray, Dank, Glover
- HB 1995** – Pope (Clay), Maddux, Taylor, Sweeden, DeWitt, Erwin, Hutchison, Liotta
- HB 2009** – Phillips, Wilt, Hefner, Glover, Gray, Blackburn
- HB 2040** – Pope (Clay), Maddux, Sweeden, Leist, Wilt
- HB 2041** – Pope (Clay), Wilson, Corn, Deutschendorf, Hiatt, Kirby, Langmacher, Maddux, Miller (Doug), Nance, Roberts, Ferguson
- HB 2149** – Gilbert, Lindley, Jones, Balkman, Begley, Nations, Steele
- HB 2161** – Nance, Braddock, Case, Paulk, Askins, Toure, Ingmire
- HB 2253** – Eddins, Mitchell, Roach, Coleman, Pettigrew, Wright, Ross, Leist
- HB 2264** – Dunegan, Corn, Davis, Webb, Sweeden, Wells, Claunch
- HB 2359** – Dunegan, Corn, Davis, Webb, Sweeden, Pope (Clay), Wilson, Hiatt
- HB 2605** – Kirby, McCarter, Deutschendorf, Braddock, Liotta, Greenwood, Mass, Bonny, Ferguson, Pettigrew
- HB 2613** – Winchester, Liotta, Nance, Piatt, Pope (Clay), Gilbert, Wilson, Hilliard, Langmacher

The Speaker named the same conferees as follows:

- SB 405** – Askins, Stites (J.T.), Benge, Hilliard, Ferguson

CONFEREE ADDED

The Speaker added Piatt as a conferee on **HB 2245**. The conferees are as follows:

- HB 2245** – Benson, Askins, Deutschendorf, Glover, Kirby, Webb, Sullivan, Nance, Turner, Winchester, Piatt

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

Announcing the concurrence of Senate in **HAs** to **SB 1553** and the passage of said measure, as amended thereby.

Returning engrossed measures, as amended

Announcing the passage of and returning engrossed measures as amended: **HBs 1975, 1986**, Coauthored by Senator Rabon, **2025**, Coauthored by Senator Harrison, **2238, 2280**, Coauthored by Senators Capps, Henry, **2407, 2418**, Coauthored by Senators Capps, Henry, **2610**, Coauthored by Senator Fisher, **2665, 2723, 2746, 2753, 2796**, Coauthored by Senators Capps, Reynolds, **2803** (emergency failed), **2850** and **2855**.

Senate amendments were read on the above numbered measures.

Returning engrossed measures

Announcing the passage of **HBs 2085, 2133, 2163, 2167, 2168, 2196, 2257** and **2301**.

The above-numbered measures were referred for enrollment.

Transmitting enrolled measures

Advising fourth reading of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **SBs 878, 938, 1348, 1600, 1613** and **1676**.

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

Returning enrolled measures

Announcing that Enrolled **HBs 2037, 2068, 2174, 2250, 2314, 2509** and **2705** have been read at length for the fourth time and signed by the Presiding Officer of Senate, in open session.

The above measures were ordered transmitted to the Honorable Governor.

Transmitting engrossed measure

Announcing the passage of the following engrossed measure.

The measure was introduced and read.

SCR 65 – By Robinson of the Senate and Vaughn of the House.

A Concurrent Resolution recalling from the Office of the Governor Enrolled Senate Bill No. 1504 passed by the 2nd Session of the 48th Oklahoma Legislature.

ENGROSSED AND ENROLLED MEASURES

HB 1971 was reported correctly enrolled and, after fourth reading, properly signed, in open session, and ordered transmitted to the Honorable Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

Announcing that Enrolled **HB 1971** has been read at length for the fourth time and signed by the Presiding Officer of Senate, in open session.

The above measure was ordered transmitted to the Honorable Governor.

MOTION EXPIRED

Time expired for consideration of the motion to reconsider the vote whereby **SB 1419** failed.

APPOINTMENT

The Speaker announced the following change in committee assignment:

April 11, 2002 – Representative Blackburn removed from the General Conference Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Education and added to the Subcommittee on Health and Human Services.

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

Advising of his approval of **HBs 1971, 1982, 2019, 2030, 2050, 2056, 2095, 2115, 2116, 2137, 2164, 2186, 2228, 2234, 2324, 2335, 2370, 2396, 2619, 2662, 2714** and **2785** on April 11, 2002.

Representative Hilliard moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the House stand adjourned to reconvene at 10:00 a.m., Monday, April 15, 2002, which was the order.

Pursuant to the motion of Representative Hilliard, the House was adjourned at 10:45 a.m., to reconvene Monday, April 15, 2002, at 10:00 a.m.

