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THIRTY-SECOND DAY, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2024

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker Plocher in the Chair.

Prayer by Reverend Monsignor Robert A. Kurwicky, Chaplain.

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at His holy hill; for the Lord our God is holy. (Psalm 99:9)

O Lord, our God, whose glory is in all the world and whose goodness continues forever, we commend ourselves and our State to You that, being conscious of your presence, governed by Your spirit, and living in Your love, we may dwell secure in peace and good will on this beautiful afternoon.

Bless our land with wise government, sound learning, and positive religion. Save us from discord and disunity, from pride and prejudice, and from vice and violence. Strengthen the bonds of friendliness between the citizens of our beloved land and make strong the ties of fellowship between us. Plant love in every heart, truth in every home, faith in every soul, justice in every nation, and peace in all our world. And may the love of Your dear name bless every noble endeavor for good and truth.

And the House says, "Amen!"

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was recited.

The Journal of the thirty-first day was approved as printed by the following vote:

AYES: 152

Adams	Allen	Amato	Anderson	Appelbaum
Atchison	Aune	Baker	Banderman	Bangert
Baringer	Barnes	Billington	Black	Bonacker
Bosley	Bromley	Brown 149	Brown 16	Brown 27
Brown 87	Buchheit-Courtway	Burger	Burnett	Burton
Butz	Byrnes	Chappell	Christ	Christensen
Christofanelli	Clemens	Coleman	Collins	Cook
Copeland	Crossley	Cupps	Davidson	Davis
Deaton	Diehl	Dinkins	Doll	Ealy
Evans	Falkner	Farnan	Fogle	Fountain Henderson
Francis	Gallick	Gragg	Gray	Gregory
Griffith	Haden	Haffner	Haley	Hardwick
Hausman	Hein	Henderson	Hicks	Hinman
Houx	Hovis	Hudson	Ingle	Johnson 12
Johnson 23	Jones	Justus	Kalberloh	Keathley
Kelley 127	Kelly 141	Knight	Lavender	Lewis 25
Lewis 6	Lonsdale	Lovasco	Mackey	Mann
Marquart	Matthiesen	Mayhew	McGaugh	McGill

McMullen	Morse	Mosley	Murphy	Myers
Nickson-Clark	Nurrenbern	O'Donnell	Oehlerking	Owen
Parker	Patterson	Perkins	Peters	Phifer
Plank	Pollitt	Pouche	Proudie	Quade
Reedy	Reuter	Richey	Riggs	Riley
Roberts	Sander	Sassmann	Schnelting	Schulte
Schwadron	Seitz	Sharp 37	Sharpe 4	Shields
Smith 155	Smith 46	Sparks	Stacy	Steinhoff
Stephens	Stinnett	Strickler	Taylor 48	Taylor 84
Terry	Thomas	Thompson	Titus	Toalson Reisch
Unsicker	Van Schoiack	Veit	Voss	Walsh Moore
Weber	West	Wilson	Woods	Wright
Young	Mr. Speaker			

NOES: 001

Merideth

PRESENT: 002

Bland Manlove Windham

ABSENT WITH LEAVE: 007

Boggs	Busick	Casteel	Hurlbert	Sauls
Smith 163	Waller			

VACANCIES: 001

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Members of the Future Farmers of America (FFA) were introduced by Speaker Plocher.

Sam Tummons, State FFA President, addressed the House.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following House Concurrent Resolution was read the first time and copies ordered printed:

HCR 60, introduced by Representative Christofanelli, relating to state retirement investment in Bitcoin.

INTRODUCTION OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the first time and copies ordered printed:

HB 2814, introduced by Representative Merideth, relating to nonresident income tax.

HB 2815, introduced by Representative Merideth, relating to taxation.

HB 2816, introduced by Representative Merideth, relating to public safety.

HB 2817, introduced by Representative Sauls, relating to workers' compensation for certain first responders.

HB 2818, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to eligibility for food stamps.

HB 2819, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to probation officers.

HB 2820, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to funeral attendance by an offender.

HB 2821, introduced by Representative Anderson, relating to Reuben Shelton day.

HB 2822, introduced by Representative Riggs, relating to the designation of a highway.

HB 2823, introduced by Representative Proudie, relating to public nuisance, with penalty provisions.

HB 2824, introduced by Representative Stephens, relating to limits on selling or purchasing certain drugs, with penalty provisions.

HB 2825, introduced by Representative Murphy, relating to income exempt from earnings tax.

HB 2826, introduced by Representative Richey, relating to the powers of a hospital district board of trustees, with an emergency clause.

HB 2827, introduced by Representative Bromley, relating to utility rate proceedings.

HB 2828, introduced by Representative Amato, relating to new street light installations.

HB 2829, introduced by Representative Sparks, relating to disclosure of political consultant services in connection with political campaigns, with penalty provisions.

HB 2830, introduced by Representative Baker, relating to reproductive health care.

HB 2831, introduced by Representative Baker, relating to all-terrain vehicles used for agricultural purposes.

HB 2832, introduced by Representative Haffner, relating to the members of the public service commission.

HB 2833, introduced by Representative Johnson (23), relating to historically black college and university diversity, equity, and inclusion week.

HB 2834, introduced by Representative Quade, relating to reimbursement allowance taxes.

HB 2835, introduced by Representative Quade, relating to gaming, with penalty provisions.

HB 2836, introduced by Representative Hausman, relating to transient guest taxes for county convention and sports facilities authorities.

HB 2837, introduced by Representative Mayhew, relating to the Alzheimer's state plan task force.

HB 2838, introduced by Representative Crossley, relating to inspections of facilities licensed by the department of health and senior services.

HB 2839, introduced by Representative Crossley, relating to attendant call systems in certain facilities.

HB 2840, introduced by Representative Kelly (141), relating to child care facilities, with penalty provisions.

HB 2841, introduced by Representative Lovasco, relating to offenses involving vehicles or vessels.

HB 2842, introduced by Representative Lovasco, relating to automated traffic enforcement.

HB 2843, introduced by Representative Justus, relating to confidentiality of motor vehicle and driver registration records.

HB 2844, introduced by Representative Hudson, relating to unauthorized aliens, with penalty provisions.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILLS

The following House Bills were read the second time:

HB 2798, relating to family trust companies, with penalty provisions.

HB 2799, relating to investment disclosures.

HB 2800, relating to the use of certain digital electronic equipment, with a penalty provision.

HB 2801, relating to solid waste permits.

HB 2802, relating to election judges, with a delayed effective date.

HB 2803, relating to purchasing by certain state departments.

HB 2804, relating to registration of motor vehicles.

HB 2805, relating to ranked-choice voting.

HB 2806, relating to firearms, with penalty provisions.

HB 2807, relating to tax credits.

HB 2808, relating to health care facilities, with penalty provisions.

HB 2809, relating to investigations by the office of child advocate.

HB 2810, relating to traffic control signals, with a penalty provision.

HB 2811, relating to the nonpartisan court plan.

HB 2812, relating to the minimum school term, with a delayed effective date.

HB 2813, relating to animal welfare, with penalty provisions.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Committee on Conservation and Natural Resources, Chairman Sassmann reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Conservation and Natural Resources, to which was referred **HB 2153**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (13): Bonacker, Brown (87), Burton, Diehl, Farnan, Haley, Justus, Knight, Mayhew, Sassmann, Stephens, Taylor (48) and Walsh Moore

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Woods

Committee on Judiciary, Chairman Evans reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred **HB 1617**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (12): Anderson, Black, Copeland, Davis, Evans, Hicks, Parker, Sauls, Sharpe (4), Smith (46), Sparks and Veit

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Ealy and Reuter

Committee on Rural Community Development, Chairman Reedy reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rural Community Development, to which was referred **HB 2240**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Bonacker, Burton, Busick, Gallick, Haley, Kalberloh, Lewis (25) and Plank

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Reedy

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rural Community Development, to which was referred **HB 2286**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Consent with House Committee Substitute**, and pursuant to Rule 24(5) be referred to the Committee on Consent and House Procedure by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Bonacker, Burton, Busick, Gallick, Haley, Kalberloh and Plank

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Lewis (25) and Reedy

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rural Community Development, to which was referred **HB 2570**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass - Consent**, and pursuant to Rule 24(5) be referred to the Committee on Consent and House Procedure by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Bonacker, Burton, Busick, Gallick, Haley, Kalberloh and Plank

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Lewis (25) and Reedy

Special Committee on Tourism, Chairman Seitz reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Special Committee on Tourism, to which was referred **HB 1483**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass with House Committee Substitute** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Barnes, Fountain Henderson, Lonsdale, Matthiesen, Morse, Nickson-Clark, Sassmann and Smith (155)

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Seitz

Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, Chairman Francis reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HJR 68 & 79**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Baker, Copeland, Francis, Griffith, Haden, Houx, Mackey and Myers

Noes (1): Bland Manlove

Present (1): Smith (46)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HJR 86, 72 & 119**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Copeland, Francis, Griffith, Haden, Houx and Myers

Noes (3): Bland Manlove, Mackey and Smith (46)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HB 2058**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Copeland, Francis, Griffith, Haden, Houx and Myers

Noes (3): Bland Manlove, Mackey and Smith (46)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, to which was referred **HB 2282**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Copeland, Francis, Griffith, Haden, Houx and Myers

Noes (3): Bland Manlove, Mackey and Smith (46)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, to which was referred **HB 2385**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (7): Baker, Copeland, Francis, Griffith, Haden, Houx and Myers

Noes (3): Bland Manlove, Mackey and Smith (46)

Absent (0)

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Administrative Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HB 2431**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (10): Baker, Bland Manlove, Copeland, Francis, Griffith, Haden, Houx, Mackey, Myers and Smith (46)

Noes (0)

Absent (0)

Committee on Rules - Legislative Oversight, Chairman Knight reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative Oversight, to which was referred **HB 1751**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Buchheit-Courtway, Knight, Mann, McGirl, Owen and Schnelting

Noes (1): Bosley

Present (1): Lavender

Absent (2): Burger and Hudson

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HBs 1948, 2066, 1721 & 2276**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Bosley, Buchheit-Courtway, Knight, Lavender, Mann, McGirl, Owen and Schnelting

Noes (0)

Absent (2): Burger and Hudson

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Legislative Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HB 2140**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (8): Bosley, Buchheit-Courtway, Burger, Knight, Lavender, Mann, McGirl and Owen

Noes (2): Hudson and Schnelting

Absent (0)

Committee on Rules - Regulatory Oversight, Chairman Gregory reporting:

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Regulatory Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HB 2087**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Evans, Gregory, Haffner, Ingle, O'Donnell, Proudie, Riley, Roberts and Strickler

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Cupps

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Regulatory Oversight, to which was referred **HB 2440**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (9): Evans, Gregory, Haffner, Ingle, O'Donnell, Proudie, Riley, Roberts and Strickler

Noes (0)

Absent (1): Cupps

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Rules - Regulatory Oversight, to which was referred **HCS HBs 2619, 2365, 2448 & 2569**, begs leave to report it has examined the same and recommends that it **Do Pass** by the following vote:

Ayes (6): Evans, Gregory, Haffner, O'Donnell, Riley and Roberts

Noes (3): Ingle, Proudie and Strickler

Absent (1): Cupps

COMMUNICATIONS

February 27, 2024

Ms. Dana Rademan Miller, Chief Clerk
Missouri House of Representatives
State Capitol, Room 306C
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Chief Clerk Miller,

I am hereby filing a written report, pursuant to section 105.461, RSMo. I currently serve Cape Girardeau County as the Secretary/Treasurer of the Industrial Development Authority. I am also a member of the Enhanced Enterprise Zone Board.

In compliance with section 105.461, please publish this letter in the Journal of the House.

Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Respectfully Yours,

/s/ John Voss
State Representative
District 147

The following members' presence was noted: Boggs, Busick, Casteel, Sauls, and Smith (163).

ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Representative Burger, the House adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 28, 2024.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

BUDGET

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 3.
Public hearing will be held: HB 2016
Executive session will be held: HB 2016

CORRECTIONS AND PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 4:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2665

Executive session will be held: HB 1444, HB 2169, HB 1679

CRIME PREVENTION AND PUBLIC SAFETY

Thursday, February 29, 2024, 8:30 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1433, HB 2137, HB 1653

Executive session will be held: HB 1433, HB 1707, HB 1991, HB 2576

Added executive session to HB 1433.

AMENDED

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 8:15 AM, House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2719, HB 1731

Executive session will be held: HB 1961, HB 2197, HB 2473

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 8:00 AM, House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1568, HB 2160

Executive session will be held: HB 2423, HB 2184

EMERGING ISSUES

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 2:00 PM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2070, HB 2613, HB 2593

Executive session will be held: HB 2148, HB 2309

GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY AND DOWNSIZING

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 8:30 AM, House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1553, HB 1489

Executive session will be held: HB 1814, HB 1815, HB 1512

HIGHER EDUCATION

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 4:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HCR 50

INSURANCE POLICY

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 8:30 AM, House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2316, HB 2400

Executive session will be held: HB 1990, HB 1678, HB 2076, HB 2277, HB 2135

Added HB 2277 and HB 2135.

AMENDED

JOINT COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION OVERSIGHT

Tuesday, March 12, 2024, 8:00 AM, Joint Hearing Room (117).

MoDOT's presentation of their annual report, pending applications for memorial highway and bridge designation signs, and pending applications for specialty license plates.

JUDICIARY

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 2:00 PM, House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1750, HB 1729, HB 2210

Executive session will be held: HB 2064, HB 1886

Removed HB 1805.

AMENDED

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON ELECTION CONTESTS

Tuesday, March 5, 2024, 2:30 PM or upon adjournment of Election and Elected Officials Committee (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1534

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PROPERTY TAX REFORM

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1836, HB 1669, HJR 88

Executive session will be held: HB 2432, HB 2482, HB 2543

Added HB 2432, HB 2482 and HB 2543.

AMENDED

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC POLICY

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 2:00 PM, House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 1807, HB 2267

Executive session will be held: HB 1730, HB 2098

Removed HB 2688.

AMENDED

TRANSPORTATION ACCOUNTABILITY

Thursday, February 29, 2024, 9:00 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 1.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2746, HB 2072, HB 2649

Executive session will be held: HJR 127, HJR 128, HB 2568

TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later), House Hearing Room 7.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2662

Executive session will be held: HB 1451, HB 1459, HB 1552, HB 1798, HB 2091

UTILITIES

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 5.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2651

Executive session will be held: HB 1705, HB 1854

WAYS AND MEANS

Thursday, February 29, 2024, 8:30 AM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 5.

Executive session will be held: HB 1427, HB 2657, HB 2384

Added HB 2384.

AMENDED

WORKFORCE AND INFRASTRUCTURE DEVELOPMENT

Wednesday, February 28, 2024, 12:00 PM or upon adjournment (whichever is later),
House Hearing Room 6.

Public hearing will be held: HB 2650

Executive session will be held: HB 1460

HOUSE CALENDAR

THIRTY-THIRD DAY, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2024

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS FOR SECOND READING

HCR 60

HOUSE BILLS FOR SECOND READING

HB 2814 through HB 2844

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION - REVISION

HCS HRB 1 - Deaton

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

HB 1518 - Hudson

HCS HBs 2523, 2367 & 2470 - Billington

HCS HB 2634 - Smith (163)

HCS HB 1569 - Kelley (127)

HCS HB 2352 - Buchheit-Courtway

HCS HBs 2322 & 1774 - Farnan

HCS HBs 1777, 2203, 2059 & 2502 - Perkins

HB 2111 - Christofanelli

HB 2320 - Seitz

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION - INFORMAL

HB 2291 - Davidson
HB 2287 - Christofanelli
HB 2082 - Gregory
HB 2331 - Houx
HB 2381 - Brown (16)
HCS HB 1708 - Schnelting
HB 2380 - Brown (16)
HCS HB 1563 - Kelley (127)
HCS HBs 1706 & 1539 - Myers
HCS HB 1775 - Perkins
HCS HB 2079 - Brown (149)
HCS HB 2412 - Sassmann

HOUSE BILLS FOR PERFECTION - CONSENT

(02/22/2024)

HB 1604 - Hinman
HB 1938 - Owen

HOUSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING

HB 2430 - McGirl
HB 1912 - McGirl
HB 2057 - Keathley
HCS HBs 2134 & 1956, E.C. - Lewis (6)
HCS HBs 1626 & 1940, E.C. - Busick

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING

SCR 23 - Pollitt

ACTIONS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE IV, SECTION 27

HCS HB 1 - Smith (163)
CCS SS SCS HCS HB 2 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 3 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 4 - Smith (163)
CCS SS SCS HCS HB 5 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 6 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 7 - Smith (163)
CCS SS SCS HCS HB 8 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 9 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 10 - Smith (163)
CCS SCS HCS HB 11 - Smith (163)
CCS SS SCS HCS HB 12 - Smith (163)

CCS SCS HCS HB 13 - Smith (163)

HCS HB 17 - Smith (163)

SCS HCS HB 18 - Smith (163)

SS SCS HCS HB 19 - Smith (163)

SS SCS HCS HB 20 - Smith (163)