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SIXTY–FIRST LEGISLATURE

FIRST DAY

MORNING SESSION

January 25, 2016

Pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution of the State of Utah, the Senators of the Sixty–First Legislature of the State of Utah convened in General Session in the Senate Chamber on Monday, January 25, 2016, at ten o’clock a.m.

The Senate was called to order at 10:12 a.m., by Senate President Wayne L. Niederhauser.

**PRAYER BY ELDER RONALD A. RASBAND, MEMBER OF THE
QUORUM OF THE TWELVE APOSTLES OF THE
CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER–DAY SAINTS**

Our Dear God, Father of all of our Spirits,

We assemble this morning in this historic and beautiful chamber at the heart of our state government to thank thee for our very, very many blessings. We thank thee Heavenly Father for this great country, the United States of America. We’re so grateful for our citizenship and honor the privilege of being citizens of this great land. We pray Heavenly Father that thou wilt bless those from our state who are involved in protecting our freedom at home and abroad and their families who may be apart from them; that they may especially be watched over and looked after in these difficult days. We thank thee Heavenly Father for the great state of Utah. We’re grateful for its rich historic heritage. We’re grateful for all those who have gone before us and even sat in these halls and helped to create good laws for the benefit of the people. This day especially we remember those who provide service in our state; those who serve as police officers and firemen and others who are first responders to needs. This day we are honoring Sheriff Doug Barney who has passed away in the line of duty and we pray that thou wilt bless his wife, Erica and their children Maddie, Mary and Jack that they will find comfort and peace on

this day of mourning and the celebration of a great life. Now Heavenly Father we pray for the great legislators who are here on Capitol Hill, that they will be blessed to represent well their constituencies and we pray for those in this state who need thy blessing; the poor, the needy, the sick, the afflicted, the homeless, the elderly, the widows, the widowers and our wonderful children. And we pray that wisdom will prevail in this house and in the senate and that laws will be considered which will be for the benefit of our citizens of this state and to continue to make Utah the great and wonderful place that all of us cherish to raise our families. We ask this prayer now in gratitude and thanksgiving and ask thy blessings to be upon us. In the name of Jesus Christ, Amen

POSTING OF COLORS & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

UTAH NATIONAL GUARD

Members of the Color Guard
 Andrew Blunt, Staff Sergeant
 Brett Kitchens, Specialist
 Casey Trease Specialaist
 Jenesko Jojic, Staff Sergeant

Pledge of Allegiance – Dell LeFevre, Commissioner of Garfield County

Musical number – Utah Valley University Horn Choir, under the direction of Dr. Jeb Wallace performed “The Star Spangled Banner,” “Aileron,” and “Shenandoah/Lock Lomond.” The Choir consisted of :

Ben Eggle, Jennifer Giles, Bryce McKay, Mark Allen, Danielle Wilson, Aaron Price, Erik Anderson, Andrew Jensen, Alec Hansen, and Kyler Durfee

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On motion of Senator Ralph Okerlund, the Senate thanked Elder Rasband for delivering the invocation and requested his words to be spread upon the pages of the Senate Journal. He also expressed appreciation to the Utah National Guard, Commissioner LeFevre, for leading the Pledge of Allegiance, and to the Utah Valley University Horn Choir and their director Dr. Jeb Wallace for their participation in the opening of the Utah State Senate.

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Leslie McLean read the following Certification of Membership of the 2016 General Session of the Sixty-First Legislature.

**CERTIFICATE OF MEMBERSHIP OF THE 2016
GENERAL SESSION
OF THE UTAH STATE SENATE**

I, SPENCER J. COX, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Utah, do hereby certify that at a General Election held within and for the State of Utah on Tuesday, November 6, 2012, the following named persons were chosen by the electors as members of the Legislature of the State of Utah, to serve in the Senate, each for a term of four years, beginning the January 28, 2013, to wit:

FIRST DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Luz Escamilla

SIXTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Wayne A. Harper

SEVENTH DISTRICT: County of Utah

Deidre Henderson

EIGHTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Brian E. Shiozawa

THIRTEENTH DISTRICT: Counties Salt Lake, Utah

Mark B. Madsen

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT: Counties of Utah, Wasatch

Curtis S. Bramble

NINETEENTH DISTRICT: Counties of Morgan, Summit, Weber

Allen M. Christensen

TWENTIETH DISTRICT: Counties of Davis, Weber

Scott K. Jenkins

TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT: Counties of Davis, Salt lake

Todd Weiler

TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT: Counties of Beaver, Garfield, Juab, Kane, Millard, Piute, Sanpete, Sevier, Utah, Wayne

Ralph Okerlund

TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT: Counties of Cache, Rich

Lyle W. Hillyard

TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT: Counties of Carbon, Emery, Grand, San Juan, Utah, Wasatch

David P. Hinkins

TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT: County of Washington

Stephen H. Urquhart

I Further Certify, that at a General Election held within and for the State of Utah on Tuesday, November 4, 2014, the following named persons were chosen by the electors as members of the Legislature of the State of Utah, to serve in the Senate, each for a term of four years, beginning January 26, 2015, to wit:

SECOND DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Jim Dabakis

THIRD DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Gene Davis

FOURTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Jani Iwamoto

FIFTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Karen Mayne

NINTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Wayne L. Niederhauser

ELEVENTH DISTRICT: Counties of Salt Lake, Utah

Howard A. Stephenson

TWELTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Daniel W. Thatcher

FIFTEENTH DISTRICT: County of Utah

Margaret Dayton

SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT: Counties of Box Elder, Cache, Tooele

Peter C. Knudson

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT: Counties of Davis, Morgan, Weber

Ann Millner

TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT: County of Davis

Jerry W. Stevenson

TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT: County of Davis

J. Stuart Adams

TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT: Counties of Daggett, Duchesne, Summit, Uintah, Wasatch

Kevin T. Van Tassell

TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT: Counties of Beaver, Iron, Washington

Evan J. Vickers

I FURTHER CERTIFY that the following persons have been duly appointed as members of the Legislature of the State of Utah, to serve in the Senate, filling a seat vacated in their respective districts, to terms expiring on December 31, 2016, to wit:

TENTH DISTRICT: County of Salt Lake

Lincoln Fillmore

FOURTEENTH DISTRICT: County of Utah

Alvin B. Jackson

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF,
I have here unto set my hand,
and affixed the Great Seal of the
State of Utah this 20th day of
January, 2016 at Salt Lake City,
Utah
Spencer J. Cox
Lieutenant Governor

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Roll Call – All Senators present.

WELCOMING REMARKS BY PRESIDENT NIEDERHAUSER

A video link is available on the Legislature’s website at www.le.utah.gov. The speech will be in print form in the final Senate Journal.

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On motion of Senator Adams, the Senate voted to have President Niederhauser’s remarks spread upon the pages of the 2016 Senate Journal.

President Niederhauser appointed Senators Daniel Thatcher, Lincoln Fillmore, and Jim Dabakis to join with a like committee from the House to notify Governor Herbert that the Legislature is organized for the 2016 General Session of the Sixty–First Legislature and ready to do business.

President Niederhauser appointed Senators Wayne Harper, Alvin Jackson, and Jani Iwamoto as a committee to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is organized and ready to do business.

Representatives Leo Perry, Marie Poulson and Ray Ward notified the Senate that the House was organized and ready to do business.

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President Niederhauser directed that the following be recorded in the Senate Journal as leaders for the 61st Legislature 2016 General Session:

President – Wayne L. Niederhauser
Majority Leader – Ralph Okerlund
Majority Whip – Stuart Adams

Asst. Majority Whip – Peter C. Knudson
 Minority Leader – Gene Davis
 Minority Whip – Karen Mayne
 Asst. Minority Whip – Luz Escamilla
 Minority Caucus Manager – Jim Dabakis

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Senator Thatcher, Chairman of the Committee to Notify the Governor, reported that His Excellency, Governor Gary R. Herbert, has been notified that the Legislature is organized and ready to do business.

Senator Harper, Chairman of the Committee to Notify the House, reported the House has been notified that the Senate is organized and ready to do business.

At the direction of President Niederhauser, Senate membership of the following committees are to be officially recorded in the Senate Journal:

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEES

Business and Labor

Curtis Bramble, *Chair*
 Stuart Adams
 Gene Davis
 Deidre Henderson
 Karen Mayne
 Ralph Okerlund
 Todd Weiler

Education

Ann Millner, *Chair*
 Jim Dabakis
 Mark Madsen
 Wayne Niederhauser
 Lincoln Fillmore
 Howard Stephenson
 Jerry Stevenson
 Steve Urquhart

Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment

Scott Jenkins, *Chair*
 Allen Christensen
 Margaret Dayton
 Jani Iwamoto
 Peter Knudson
 Brian Shiozawa
 Evan Vickers

Health and Human Services

Evan Vickers, *Chair*
 Allen Christensen
 Luz Escamilla
 Peter Knudson
 Brian Shiozawa
 Kevin Van Tassell

Economic Development and Workforce Services

Lincoln Fillmore, *Chair*
Jani Iwamoto
Scott Jenkins
Karen Mayne
Ann Millner
Ralph Okerlund
Jerry Stevenson

Judiciary, Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice

Mark Madsen, *Chair*
Luz Escamilla
Gene Davis
Lyle Hillyard
Daniel Thatcher
Steve Urquhart
Todd Weiler

Revenue and Taxation

Deidre Henderson, *Chair*
Curt Bramble
Jim Dabakis
Gene Davis
Wayne Harper
Wayne Niederhauser
Howard Stephenson

Government Operations and Political Subdivisions

Margaret Dayton, *Chair*
Luz Escamilla
Lyle Hillyard
David Hinkins
Alvin Jackson
Daniel Thatcher

Ethics

Peter Knudson, *Chair*
Gene Davis, *Vice Chair*
Allen Christensen
Luz Escamilla
Deidre Henderson
Jani Iwamoto
Karen Mayne
Jerry Stevenson

Transportation and Public Utilities and Technology

Alvin Jackson, *Chair*
Stuart Adams
Wayne Harper
David Hinkins
Karen Mayne
Kevin Van Tassell

Retirement and Independent Entities

Todd Weiler, *Chair*
Curtis Bramble
Gene Davis
Margaret Dayton
Karen Mayne
Daniel Thatcher

Senate Rules

Kevin Van Tassell, *Chair*
Todd Weiler, *Vice Chair*
Jim Dabakis
Deidre Henderson
David Hinkins
Peter Knudson
Mark Madsen
Karen Mayne
Steve Urquhart

**SENATE MEMBERS JOINT
APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEES**

**EXECUTIVE
APPROPRIATIONS
COMMITTEE**

Sen. Lyle Hillyard, *Chair*
 Sen. Jerry Stevenson, *Vice Chair*
 Sen. Wayne Niederhauser
 Sen. Ralph Okerlund
 Sen. Stuart Adams
 Sen. Peter Knudson
 Sen. Gene Davis
 Sen. Karen Mayne
 Sen. Luz Escamilla
 Sen. Jim Dabakis

**BUSINESS, ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT & LABOR**

Sen. Brian Shiozawa *Co-Chair*
 Sen. Curtis Bramble
 Sen. Gene Davis
 Sen. Wayne Harper
 Sen. Ann Millner
 Sen. Jerry Stevenson
 Sen. Evan Vickers

**EXECUTIVE OFFICES AND
CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

Sen. Daniel Thatcher, *Co-Chair*
 Sen. Curtis Bramble
 Sen. Jani Iwamoto
 Sen. Scott Jenkins
 Sen. Wayne Niederhauser
 Sen. Ralph Okerlund

HIGHER EDUCATION

Sen. Steve Urquhart, *Co-Chair*
 Sen. Jim Dabakis
 Sen. Ann Millner
 Sen. Howard Stephenson
 Sen. Jerry Stevenson
 Sen. Evan Vickers

**INFRASTRUCTURE &
GENERAL GOVERNMENT**

Sen. Wayne Harper, *Co-Chair*
 Sen. Stuart Adams
 Sen. Lyle Hillyard
 Sen. David Hinkins
 Sen. Peter Knudson
 Sen. Karen Mayne
 Sen. Kevin Van Tassell

**NATURAL RESOURCES,
AGRICULTURE &
ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY**

Sen. David Hinkins, *Co-Chair*
 Sen. Jim Dabakis
 Sen. Margaret Dayton
 Sen. Scott Jenkins
 Sen. Peter Knudson
 Sen. Ralph Okerlund
 Sen. Kevin Van Tassell

Public Education

- Sen. Howard Stephenson, *Co-Chair*
- Sen. Stuart Adams
- Sen. Lyle Hillyard
- Sen. Jani Iwamoto
- Sen. Wayne Niederhauser
- Sen. Daniel Thatcher
- Sen. Steve Urquhart

SOCIAL SERVICES

- Sen. Allen Christensen, *Co-Chair*
- Sen. Luz Escamilla
- Sen. Lincoln Fillmore
- Sen. Deidre Henderson
- Sen. Alvin Jackson
- Sen. Mark Madsen
- Sen. Brian Shiozawa
- Sen. Todd Weiler

RETIREMENT & INDEPENDENT ENTITIES

- Sen. Todd Weiler, *Co-Chair*
- Sen. Curtis Bramble
- Sen. Gene Davis
- Sen. Margaret Dayton
- Sen. Daniel Thatcher
- Sen. Karen Mayne

LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

- Sen. Wayne Niederhauser, *Chair*
- Sen. Ralph Okerlund
- Sen. Stuart Adams
- Sen. Peter Knudson
- Sen. Gene Davis
- Sen. Karen Mayne
- Sen. Luz Escamilla
- Sen. Jim Dabakis

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On motion of Senator Van Tassell, the 2016 Senate Rules, Joint Rules and Interim Rules adopted by the 2016 First Extraordinary Session of the 61st Legislature were adopted with the understanding that changes to these rules for the Sixty-First Legislature will be considered and adopted as soon as possible.

On motion of Senator Van Tassell, as allowed by the Utah Constitution and Joint Rules of the Legislature, the Senate voted to continue its practice of reading only the short title of bills and resolutions as they are introduced or considered on the Senate calendar and not read the long title of the bills and resolutions unless a

majority of the Senate directs the reading of the long title, short title, or both of any House or Senate bill or resolution. The motion passed.

INTRODUCTION OF INTERNS

Senator Vickers introduced the Senate Interns for the 2016 General Session.

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| Sen. Stuart Adams | Miranda Jones |
| Sen. Curtis Bramble | Zachary Fender |
| Sen. Allen Christensen | Katiemarie Harmon |
| Sen. Jim Dabakis | Nick Thompson |
| Sen. Gene Davis | Mackenzie Symes |
| Sen. Margaret Dayton | Konner Glick |
| Sen. Luz Escamilla | Emily Iroz |
| Sen. Lincoln Fillmore | Trevor Guy |
| Sen. Wayne Harper | Sam Katseanes |
| Sen. Deidre Henderson | Hannah Henderson |
| Sen. Lyle Hillyard | Zac Crane |
| Sen. David Hinkins | Christopher Madsen |
| Sen. Jani Iwamoto | Megan Brown–Simmons |
| Sen. Alvin Jackson | Jarom Carlson |
| Sen. Scott Jenkins | Matthew Hubbard |
| Sen. Peter Knudson | Kylee Groft |
| Sen. Mark Madsen | Joshua Stock |
| Sen. Karen Mayne | Ethan Rank |
| Sen. Ann Millner | Ailey Irvine |
| Sen. Ralph Okerlund | Leah Thacker |
| Sen. Brian Shiozawa | Alyssa Charles |
| Sen. Howard Stephenson | Ben Wright |
| Sen. Jerry Stevenson | Lane Lisonbee |
| Sen. Daniel Thatcher | Travis Wald |
| Sen. Stephen H. Urquhart | Ruth Urquhart |
| Sen. Kevin Van Tassell | Jennica Petersen |
| Sen. Evan Vickers | Casey Gabaldon |
| Sen. Todd Weiler | Riley Busby |
| Pres. Wayne Niederhauser | |

EMPLOYEE COMMITTEE REPORT

Senator Mayne introduced the Senate Staff.

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| Ric Cantrell | Chief of Staff |
| Leslie McLean | Secretary of the Senate |
| Kirsten Rappleye | Majority Executive Assistant |
| Jon Hennington | Minority Executive Assistant |
| Greg Johnson | System Analyst |
| Andrew Metcalf | IT Assistant |
| Sylvie Batchelor | Constituent Response Staff |
| Jason Gould | Constituent Response Staff |
| Daniel Hampton | Constituent Response Staff |
| Jeff Hastings | Constituent Response Staff |
| Carolyn Mishler | Constituent Response Staff |
| Paula Tew | Docket Clerk |
| Georgianna Knudson | Docket Clerk Aide |
| Mary Andrus | Journal Clerk |
| Kelly Pettit | System Operator/Committee Secretary |
| Lorna Wells | Secretarial Supervisor |
| Karen Allred | Committee Secretary |
| Chandler Young | Committee Secretary |
| Cami Thorpe | Committee Secretary |
| Lori Brinkerhoff | Committee Secretary |
| Tonya Hadley | Committee Secretary |
| Nancy Skidmore | Committee Secretary |
| Kathy Behunin | Rules Committee Secretary/Amending |
| Lori Poole | Amending Clerk |
| Kristen Hopson | Hostess |
| Caitlin Scarlett | Front Receptionist |
| Ashley Baker | Video Specialist/Receptionist |
| Brandon Fegenbush | Video Specialist/Receptionist |
| Gayle Petersen | Page Supervisor |
| Linda Cornaby | Asst. Page Supervisor |
| Claudette Eastman | Page |
| Deanne Evans | Page |
| Dianne Richards | Page |
| Thomas R. Shepherd | Sergeant At Arms |
| Paul Jacobs | Asst. Sergeant At Arms |
| Neal Barth | Security |
| Dennis Bird | Security |
| Lyle Burton | Security |
| Lou Carroll | Security |

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| Lynn Cottrell | Security |
| Glenn Hildebrand | Security |
| Jack Johnson | Security |
| Leo Perry | Security |
| Darrell Griggs | Security |
| Scott Lawrence | Security |
| Cheryl Ferrin | Public Information Officer |
| Sheryl Martin | Visitor Services Liaison and Receptionist |

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

S.B. 1, Higher Education Base Budget (S. Urquhart), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 4, Business, Economic Development, and Labor Base Budget (B. Shiozawa), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 5, Retirement and Independent Entities Base Budget (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 6, Infrastructure and General Government Base Budget (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 7, National Guard, Veterans' Affairs, and Legislature Base Budget (L. Hillyard), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 11, Cancellation of Auto Insurance Coverage (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 12, Passenger Carrier Requirements (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 13, State Facility Energy Efficiency Fund Amendments (S. Jenkins), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 14, American Indian and Alaskan Native Amendments (K. Van Tassell), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 15, Apportionment of Business Income Amendments (D. Henderson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 16, Tax Credit Amendments (D. Henderson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 17, Revenue and Taxation Amendments (K. Van Tassell), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 18, Workforce Services Job Listings Amendments (P. Knudson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 19, Phased Retirement (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 20, Retirement Systems Audit Recommendations Amendments (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 21, Repeal of Health and Human Services Reports and Programs (E. Vickers), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 22, Foreclosure of Residential Rental Property (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 23, Water Law – Protected Purchaser Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 24, Utah Housing Corporation Sunset Extension (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 25, Ballot Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 26, Election Notice Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 27, Absentee Ballot Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 28, Water System Conservation Pricing (S. Jenkins), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 29, Retirement Systems Amendments (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 30, Department of Commerce Boards, Committees, and Commissions Concurrence Amendments (C. Bramble), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 31, Tax Commission Levy Process (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 32, Reauthorization of Hospital Provider Assessment Act (B. Shiozawa), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 33, Occupational Safety and Health Amendments (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 34, Sewer Lateral Disclosures (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 35, Veteran License Plates Amendments (P. Knudson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 36, Postretirement Employment Exceptions (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 37, Human Resource Management Rate Committee (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 38, School Funding Amendments (H. Stephenson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 39, Medicaid Coverage for Adult Dental Services (S. Urquhart), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 40, Utah Revised Nonprofit Corporation Act Amendments (L. Hillyard), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 41, Appointment of County Assessors (A. Millner), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 42, Public Notice of Court Recording (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 43, Firearm Safety and Violence Prevention in Public Schools (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 44, Construction Code Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 45, Compulsory Education Revisions (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 46, State Education Governance Revisions (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 47, College Credit for Public Safety Officers (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 48, Board Membership Restrictions (L. Escamilla), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 49, Statute of Limitations on Environmental Code Violations (L. Escamilla), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 50, Health Code Repealer (E. Vickers), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 51, Teacher Leader Role (A. Millner), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 52, Rate Committee Modifications (D. Hinkins), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 53, Veteran's Definition Amendments (P. Knudson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 54, Controlled Substance Database Modifications (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 55, Financial Institutions Amendments (C. Bramble), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 56, Nurse Practice Act Amendments (E. Vickers), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 57, Public Safety Emergency Management Amendments (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 58, Nurse Practitioner Amendments (D. Hinkins), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 59, Antidiscrimination Act Revisions (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 60, Low-income Housing Tax Credit Allocation Amendments (T. Weiler), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 61, Smoking in Public Places Amendments (E. Vickers), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 62, JROTC Instructor Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 63, Survey Monument Replacement (R. Okerlund), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 64, Special Group License Plate Modifications (L. Escamilla), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 65, Sales and Use Tax Reporting Requirements (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 66, Environmental Code Fines (L. Escamilla), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 67, Partnerships for Student Success (A. Millner), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 68, Property Tax Amendments (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 69, Children's Heart Disease Special Group License Plates (D. Hinkins), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 70, Insurance Modifications (R. Okerlund), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 71, Children's Justice Center Amendments (R. Okerlund), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 72, School and Institutional Trust Lands Management Act Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 73, Medical Cannabis Act (M. Madsen), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 74, Aviation Amendments (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 75, Water Rights Adjudication Amendments (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 76, Workers' Compensation for Volunteers (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 77, Medicaid Expansion Proposal (G. Davis), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 78, State Board of Education Candidate Selection (A. Millner), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 79, Child Welfare Revisions (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 80, Infrastructure Funding Amendments (J. S. Adams), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 81, Redistricting Advisory Commission (J. Iwamoto), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 82, Child Welfare Modifications (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 83, Alcoholic Beverage Control Budget (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 84, Alcoholic Beverage Control Facilitator Act (K. Mayne), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 85, Sales and Use Tax Compliance Amendments (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.B. 86, School Building Coordination (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.C.R. 1, Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Universal Metering of Water Systems (S. Jenkins), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.C.R. 2, Concurrent Resolution in Support of Sales and Use Tax Transactional Equity (W. Harper), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.C.R. 3, Concurrent Resolution Supporting American Indian and Alaskan Native Education State Plan (K. Van Tassell), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.C.R. 4, Concurrent Resolution – Old Spanish Trail Designation (R. Okerlund), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.C.R. 5, Concurrent Resolution in Support of Law Enforcement Officers (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.C.R. 6, Concurrent Resolution Recognizing the 20th Anniversary of the Utah Educational Savings Plan (E. Vickers), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 1, Proposal to Amend Utah Constitution -- State Board of Education Changes (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 2, Joint Resolution Calling for the Repeal of the 17th Amendment (A. Jackson), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 4, Proposal to Amend Utah Constitution – Education Funding (J. Dabakis), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 5, Joint Resolution Authorizing Pay of In-session Employees (R. Okerlund), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 6, Joint Resolution Recognizing the 100th Anniversary of the JROTC Program (M. Dayton), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 7, Joint Rules Resolution on Committee Bills (G. Davis), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 8, Joint Rules Resolution on Performance Notes (L. Hillyard), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

S.J.R. 9, Joint Rules Resolution on Request for Appropriations Process Change (L. Hillyard), was read the first time by short title and referred to the Rules Committee.

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On motion of Senator Okerlund, and at 12:09 p.m., the Senate recessed.

AFTERNOON SESSION

The Senate was called to order by President Wayne Niederhauser at 2:55 p.m.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

On motion of Senator Okerlund, the Legislature resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing from Chief Justice Matthew B. Durrant, Utah Supreme Court.

STATE OF THE JUDICIARY

REMARKS BY CHIEF JUSTICE MATTHEW B. DURRANT

Thank you President Niederhauser for the privilege of addressing this distinguished body. I am pleased to be joined by Associate Chief Justice Lee, Justice Durham and our new justices, Himonas and Pierce. They are superb additions to our court. It is one of the great privileges and pleasures of my life to work with four colleagues who are not just exemplary jurists, but also extraordinary people.

My wonderful mother was a tough and remarkable woman. She raised eight children on my father's seminary teacher salary and was fearlessly loyal to each of them, even to me, who as a lawyer-to-be was annoying even by teenage boy standards. She insisted on coming to my BYU junior varsity basketball games, despite the fact that my participation usually consisted of hoping against hope that, in a fit of irrationality, the coach might put me in. So I seldom had the opportunity to endanger the other team with my rough play. Our games were in the 20,000 seat Marriott Center, and I am guessing that, including my mom, there were usually 16 or 17 people in attendance, scattered around that vast arena.

It was a very different story when, several years later, she attended my brother Devin's games. Not only did he actually play, he was a star. She and my father sat close to the floor, just in front of the seats set aside for LDS General Authorities, who dutifully watched the games in suits, white shirts, and ties. She never missed an opportunity to point out a referee's missed call. And in my mother's eyes, the referees missed many, many calls—all fouls that she felt had been inflicted upon her dear son. She was close enough to actually be heard by the refs, and with her big voice, believe me, she was heard. Whether that did more harm than good for Devin, I'm not sure. But he is BYU's all-time leader in free throws attempted.

My father, a gentle and modest man, was often uncomfortable with the volume and harshness of my mother's criticisms of the referees, especially within ear shot of the general authorities. But he sat there helplessly, knowing there was little he could do about it. He did feel much better one game, however, when a general authority leaned over and said, "Marilyn, thank you for yelling all of the things that I want to, but can't."

Well, I'm grateful that I feel no such constraint in addressing you today. There are a number of things I very much want to share with you (I hope with a little more objectivity than my mother showed), and I appreciate this opportunity to do so. And as much as I love basketball, these things are much more important.

In the past, I have principally used these remarks to speak on the state of our judiciary. Let me assure you, our state's judiciary is sound, and I will address that briefly later in my remarks, but I'd like to begin by discussing certain values and the efforts we have made this year as a judiciary to promote them. Each year seems marked by a sense of turmoil and unrest in the world. This year, that sense seems particularly acute. Media reports provide a forceful and daily reminder of the challenges we face as a nation. As I've read these reports, I am reminded that we must stay grounded in the values that provide continuity and make us strong. In particular, the values of fairness, access to justice, individual rights, and public safety are essential to the strength and continuity of our state. They are values shared by all Utahans.

This year, the judiciary focused on four initiatives to balance and strengthen these values. Let me start with an issue you know well, the Justice Reinvestment Initiative, or JRI. This act seeks to enhance fairness in sentencing and to provide defendants with increased opportunities to receive treatment, thereby reducing the stress on our prisons while advancing access to justice and public safety. It would not be an overstatement to describe House Bill 348, which implemented JRI, as the most significant change in Utah criminal justice policy in decades. Not only does it effect significant substantive change in our criminal law, it requires a

significant cultural change, as well. It may be the latter that ends up being the most difficult challenge.

The most significant substantive changes went into effect in October. Have those first several months been without problems? No, of course not. With changes of this magnitude we expected transitional issues, and in this, we were not disappointed. Anyone who expected a flawless transition did not fully appreciate how drastically JRI changed Utah's criminal justice system. Since the Act's impact on Utah criminal justice policy requires a certain amount of phasing-in, some processes and tools await further implementation.

As noted, perhaps the most difficult change required by JRI is a cultural one. The judiciary, like other actors in the criminal justice system, must meet that challenge. Judges are now expected to use a more objective approach to sanctioning offenders than they are used to, and they now rely on tools and reports they have never seen before. To that end, we have provided extensive training to our judges in evidence-based sentencing and practices, as well as in the legal requirements of the new law. The courts are committed to realizing the full potential of JRI.

While these transitional issues will soon fade, of greater concern is an issue that is not transitional—inadequate treatment resources. The provision of treatment for defendants with substance use and mental health needs was at the heart of JRI; yet, so far, the necessary resources have not been provided. The Act was predicated on the demonstrated fact that it is more effective to treat substance abuse and mental health needs—which prevents recidivism—than to imprison. To this end, JRI reduced the supervision and incarceration aspects of the equation, but we have not added the treatment programs and funding necessary to replace the reductions in supervision and incarceration. Without adequate treatment resources to balance the equation, the promise of this model will not be realized.

On this point I need to be clear—if treatment is unavailable, not only will the system fail to improve, it will likely worsen. Putting offenders who would previously have gone to jail or prison back into the community, without treatment, will almost certainly increase crime. Passage of the Justice Reinvestment Act was clearly the right decision, but it was conceived of as a complete package and somehow the treatment side of the equation must be addressed.

Now let me turn to the values I mentioned earlier—fairness, access to justice, individual rights, and public safety. Judges are in a unique position. Though we have a very limited policy role, we encounter the concrete consequences of numerous policy issues that relate to these values. I believe that with this perspective comes a responsibility to raise issues for discussion that may not

otherwise be addressed. In this way, we in the judiciary serve as conveners. We bring various stakeholders together to examine these issues and to explore potential solutions to identified problems. We then usually present whatever consensus proposal there may be to you, the legislature, for your consideration of possible action. We believe this shared process has served Utahans well.

As conveners, over the last several months, we have concluded three collaborative studies that address issues important to the people of Utah. They concern indigent representation in criminal cases, pretrial release practices, and access to civil justice.

First, indigent representation. The Sixth Amendment to the United States Constitution provides that “in all criminal prosecutions the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury..., to be informed of the nature of the charges against him, to be confronted with the witnesses against him..., and to have the assistance of counsel for his defense.” Over the years, caselaw has defined this right to assistance of counsel to require states to provide a lawyer to those who cannot afford one in any case where there is a potential sentence of incarceration. In Utah, provision of this right has been delegated by the state to local government.

This year, a judicial council committee concluded an extensive multi-year study of how Utah is carrying out this constitutional responsibility. The committee was broadly representative, including legislators, judges, prosecutors, defense lawyers, and others involved in the criminal justice system. The committee’s report—some 192 pages—was presented to the Utah Judicial Council in October and identified three problems and three solutions.

As an initial matter, the committee found that there is a lack of oversight of how counties and municipalities comply with the constitutional mandate to provide lawyers to indigent defendants. As a result, little information is available on how this responsibility is being administered. In addition there is a dearth of operational or performance standards for these local indigent defense systems. As a solution, the committee recommends that a statewide, representative commission be created, which would set data collection standards, compile that data, and monitor the appointment and performance of defense counsel. This requires your assistance. Senator Weiler, who along with Representative McCay served on this committee, will introduce legislation this session to create the statewide indigent defense commission recommended by the committee.

Second, the way in which many counties and municipalities contract with defense lawyers often creates disincentives for those lawyers, disincentives that work against the effective delivery of legal services. The solution is to reform the

contracting process by standardizing the structure of contracts between local governments and defense counsel. And many cities and counties have already addressed the contracting issue by revamping their contracts, and have developed and disseminated model uniform contracts.

Finally, the committee identified a lack of consistency in information and procedures, primarily in courts with misdemeanor caseloads, which has resulted in a failure to obtain adequate waivers of counsel, or a failure to appoint counsel, when required. This problem needs to be addressed through training and through implementation of mandatory uniform procedures and forms. And, in fact, the Administrative Office of the Courts has already provided this training and will continue to do so, and the Judicial Council is in the final process of adopting and requiring the recommended forms and procedures.

While everyone involved in addressing this issue agreed that there are shortcomings in Utah's indigent defense system, they also agreed that the needed solutions are apparent, and well within reach. We should collectively act to implement these solutions, and in so doing promote fairness, access to justice, individual rights, and public safety.

The second discussion that we convened addressed pretrial release practices, or what is commonly referred to as the bail process. The perception of most people about the bail process is likely based upon television shows like *Law and Order* or *The Good Wife*, where a judge is often shown setting bail in the hundreds of thousands of dollars in hopes of keeping the accused behind bars pending trial. But in reality, the bail process is far more complicated and important than these TV shows portray. It has profound implications for the accused, for public safety, and for taxpayers.

There is much research about what an effective and efficient pretrial process should look like. Five characteristics are essential. First, a smart pretrial process uses a short validated assessment to predict which detainees are likely to flee if released, and which are likely to commit new offenses if released. Outside of Salt Lake County, Utah does not use this best practice.

Second, an efficient pretrial release process quickly releases defendants who are not likely to flee or commit a new offense. Generally, Utah does not do this, either.

Third, a safe pretrial release process identifies those defendants who are truly a danger to the public and does not release them into the community before trial, offering no release on bail. In Utah, we do not have adequate tools to determine which defendants truly are a threat.

Fourth, an economical pretrial release process saves tax dollars by not using valuable jail space, as we do now, to hold thousands of defendants pending their court date who pose no risk to flee or re-offend.

And finally, a fair pretrial release process does not make defendants' wealth the deciding factor for whether they are released pending trial. In Utah, if defendants can raise enough money to meet the financial bail requirement, or 10% of that amount so that they can engage a bail bond surety, they will be released. If they don't have those funds, in jail they will stay pending trial, which means separation from their family and often a loss of their employment, with the accompanying loss of income. And as we learned from JRI, confinement in jail will forcibly expose them to a criminal culture, and research tells us they will then be more likely to commit crimes in the future. And remember that for all of these people this all occurs before they have been tried, so they are presumed innocent.

The study committee, composed of prosecutors, defense lawyers, judges, regulators, representatives of local government and the bail bond industry, as well as Representative Hutchings and Senator Hillyard, prepared 12 sound recommendations ranging from creating a statutory presumption in favor of pretrial release without financial conditions to instituting a validated pretrial risk assessment process for use in every jurisdiction.

The research in this area, and the experience of other states, has led to a national consensus about evidenced-based pre-trial release practices. Even the general public intuitively understands that these practices make sense. Independent polling shows that the vast majority of respondents support the approach recommended by the study committee. Senator Hillyard is sponsoring legislation that will move our state in this direction and better ensure fairness, protect individual rights, and promote public safety. I encourage your thoughtful consideration of the committee's recommendations.

The proposals I have outlined to this point relating to JRI, access to criminal defense counsel, and fair pretrial release practices are all consistent with the sound consensus of criminal justice professionals across the country. In fact, unlike in so many other important government functions, in these three areas Utah is not ahead of the pack, but rather in the middle of it. Many states have already adopted the best practices, the effective approaches, and the cost-saving ideas I have described, and we need to catch up.

But the last study I want to share with you puts Utah on the cutting edge of innovation and public service when it comes to access to justice. It is a study conducted by a task force appointed by our supreme court. This task force, which again had broad representation, including Senator Urquhart and Representative

Brian King, was asked to study the current rules governing the practice of law and to consider whether to permit qualified non-lawyers to provide certain law-related services currently provided only by lawyers.

The legislature, the court system, and the legal profession have, each in its own way, expressed concern about the growing chasm between the need for legal services and the ability of the average person to afford them. This is not an issue that has been ignored. The courts, with your assistance, are providing direct legal assistance to tens of thousands of self-represented parties every year through our self-help center. These are people who have chosen to participate in a legal proceeding without an attorney, sometimes because they can't afford one, but more and more because they just don't think they should *have to* hire a lawyer.

The Utah State Bar, through its pro bono and modest means programs, has worked hard to place attorneys with clients unable to afford one. As impressive as these efforts have been, they only scratch the surface of meeting the real need. In naming this task force, the supreme court wanted to consider a broader, market-based change to make legal services more accessible.

After studying the few states with similar efforts underway and examining where the need is most pronounced within our own state and court system, the task force recommended an innovative approach that has far reaching implications for improving access to justice in Utah. Last month the supreme court approved task force recommendations that would allow qualified non-lawyers to practice law, on a carefully defined basis, in three areas where legal needs are not being met: debt collection, landlord-tenant, and family law. These specially trained non-lawyers will be called licensed paralegal practitioners. For an analogy to the role they will play, you might think of the role of a physician's assistant in the medical setting.

There is still much to be done, such as finalizing minimum education, certification, and licensing requirements, but we believe this new client and market-driven approach holds great promise—not as a substitute for attorneys, but as a complimentary legal resource for providing meaningful assistance in specific areas where existing legal resources are inadequate but the need is great. The National Center for State Courts is interested in this project and has agreed to conduct an independent evaluation of our experience. I look forward to reporting to you on this initiative in a future address.

As I said at the outset, the state of our courts is sound. Our judges and staff work in an all- electronic environment. It's simply the way work is done now, and we remain one of the few state court systems able to say that. The metrics we use to track performance all show that we continue to increase our efficiency. In the last

five years, the average age of cases pending in our district courts has dropped from 337 to 183 days. And we've been able to accomplish this with 81 fewer employees.

As for the court's budget, I'd like to mention just one issue. We have a continuing but acute need for two new judges: a juvenile court judge in the 4th District (Utah, Millard, Juab, and Wasatch counties) and a district court judge in the 5th District (Washington, Iron, and Beaver counties). The existing judges in these courts have for several years been carrying much higher workloads than is appropriate, and the public in these areas deserves your attention to this pressing need. And, while discussing appropriations, let me use this opportunity to sincerely thank you for the step taken last year to address the judicial compensation recommendation of your Elected Officials and Judicial Compensation Commission.

Finally, you may recall my boasting about our courts in my address two years ago, something about the public confidence in our courts being higher than John Stockton's basketball free throw percentage. And I may have modestly mentioned that my brother's percentage was itself higher than Stockton's. We have just recently completed our biannual survey of court users, and I'm pleased to be able to report that they continue to provide high marks. For example, 95% reported they were treated with courtesy and respect, and a like percentage reported being satisfied with their court experience. To give you some frame of reference, a recent national poll found that only 66% of respondents agreed with the statement: "Courts treat people with dignity and respect." I am gratified that we are doing significantly better than that.

As I have said before, I am extremely proud of our judges and staff, and for good reason. Because of the merit-based selection process that you, the legislature, have had in place for many years, we have one of the strongest benches in the country. It is an honor to be part of our state's extraordinary judiciary and to be able to work with such fine people, who, like you, value fairness, access to justice, individual rights, and public safety.

Thank you for the committed service you provide to the people of Utah, and I wish you well with your important deliberations over the next 45 days.

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On motion of Senator Okerlund, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved.

On motion of Senator Davis, the Senate voted to spread Chief Justice Durrant's words upon the pages of the Senate Journal.

RULES COMMITTEE REPORT

To the Members of the Senate:

January 25, 2016

The Rules Committee recommends that the following bills and resolutions be placed on the 2nd Reading Calendar:

- S.B. 11** Cancellation of Auto Insurance Coverage
(Sen. W. Harper)
- S.B. 13** State Facility Energy Efficiency Fund Amendments
(Sen. S. Jenkins)
- S.B. 14** American Indian and Alaskan Native Amendments
(Sen. K. Van Tassell)
- S.B. 15** Apportionment of Business Income Amendments
(Sen. D. Henderson)
- S.B. 16** Tax Credit Amendments (Sen. D. Henderson)
- S.B. 18** Workforce Services Job Listings Amendments
(Sen. P. Knudson)
- S.B. 19** Phased Retirement (Sen. T. Weiler)
- S.B. 20** Retirement Systems Audit Recommendations
Amendments (Sen. T. Weiler)
- S.B. 21** Repeal of Health and Human Services Reports and
Programs (Sen. E. Vickers)
- S.B. 22** Foreclosure of Residential Rental Property
(Sen. W. Harper)
- S.B. 23** Water Law – Protected Purchaser Amendments
(Sen. M. Dayton)
- S.B. 24** Utah Housing Corporation Sunset Extension
(Sen. T. Weiler)
- S.B. 25** Ballot Amendments (Sen. M. Dayton)
- S.B. 27** Absentee Ballot Amendments (Sen. M. Dayton)
- S.B. 28** Water System Conservation Pricing (Sen. S. Jenkins)
- S.B. 29** Retirement Systems Amendments (Sen. T. Weiler)
- S.B. 31** Tax Commission Levy Process (Sen. W. Harper)
- S.B. 32** Reauthorization of Hospital Provider Assessment Act
(Sen. B. Shiozawa)
- S.B. 33** Occupational Safety and Health Amendments
(Sen. K. Mayne)
- S.B. 34** Sewer Lateral Disclosures (Sen. K. Mayne)
- S.B. 35** Veteran License Plates Amendments (Sen. P. Knudson)
- S.B. 37** Human Resource Management Rate Committee
(Sen. T. Weiler)

- S.B. 39** Medicaid Coverage for Adult Dental Services
(Sen. S. Urquhart)
- S.B. 53** Veteran’s Definition Amendments (Sen. P. Knudson)
- S.C.R. 1** Concurrent Resolution Encouraging Universal Metering
of Water Systems (Sen. S. Jenkins)
- S.C.R. 3** Concurrent Resolution Supporting American Indian and
Alaskan Native Education State Plan
(Sen. K. Van Tassell)
- S.J.R. 5** Joint Resolution Authorizing Pay of In-session
Employees (Sen. R. Okerlund)

Kevin T. Van Tassell
Rules Committee Chair

Report filed. On motion of Senator Van Tassell, the committee report was adopted.

RULES COMMITTEE REPORT

To the Members of the Senate:

January 25, 2016

The Rules Committee recommends assignment of the following bills to standing committees:

Business and Labor Committee

- S.B. 12** Passenger Carrier Requirements (Sen. K. Mayne)
- S.B. 30** Department of Commerce Boards, Committees, and
Commissions Concurrence Amendments
(Sen. C. Bramble)
- S.B. 40** Utah Revised Nonprofit Corporation Act Amendments
(Sen. L. Hillyard)
- S.B. 44** Construction Code Amendments (Sen. M. Dayton)
- S.B. 55** Financial Institutions Amendments (Sen. C. Bramble)
- S.B. 58** Nurse Practitioner Amendments (Sen. D. Hinkins)
- S.B. 59** Antidiscrimination Act Revisions (Sen. T. Weiler)
- S.B. 70** Insurance Modifications (Sen. R. Okerlund)

Economic Development and Workforce Services

- S.B. 60** Low-income Housing Tax Credit Allocation
Amendments (Sen. T. Weiler)

Education Committee

- S.B. 38** School Funding Amendments (Sen. H. Stephenson)
- S.B. 45** Compulsory Education Revisions (Sen. A. Jackson)
- S.B. 46** State Education Governance Revisions (Sen. A. Jackson)
- S.B. 47** College Credit for Public Safety Officers (Sen. K. Mayne)

- S.B. 51** Teacher Leader Role (Sen. A. Millner)
S.B. 67 Partnerships for Student Success (Sen. A. Millner)
S.J.R. 1 Proposal to Amend Utah Constitution -- State Board of Education Changes (Sen. A. Jackson)

Government Operations and Political Subdivisions Committee

- S.B. 26** Election Notice Amendments (Sen. M. Dayton)
S.B. 41 Appointment of County Assessors (Sen. A. Millner)
S.B. 48 Board Membership Restrictions (Sen. L. Escamilla)
S.B. 52 Rate Committee Modifications (Sen. D. Hinkins)
S.B. 62 JROTC Instructor Amendments (Sen. M. Dayton)
S.B. 63 Survey Monument Replacement (Sen. R. Okerlund)
S.J.R. 2 Joint Resolution Calling for the Repeal of the 17th Amendment (Sen. A. Jackson)
S.J.R. 6 Joint Resolution Recognizing the 100th Anniversary of the Jrotc Program (Sen. M. Dayton)

Health and Human Services Committee

- S.B. 50** Health Code Repealer (Sen. E. Vickers)
S.B. 56 Nurse Practice Act Amendments (Sen. E. Vickers)
S.B. 61 Smoking in Public Places Amendments (Sen. E. Vickers)

Judiciary, Law Enforcement, and Criminal Justice Committee

- S.B. 42** Public Notice of Court Recording (Sen. K. Mayne)
S.B. 43 Firearm Safety and Violence Prevention in Public Schools (Sen. T. Weiler)
S.B. 54 Controlled Substance Database Modifications (Sen. T. Weiler)
S.B. 57 Public Safety Emergency Management Amendments (Sen. K. Mayne)
S.B. 71 Children's Justice Center Amendments (Sen. R. Okerlund)
S.B. 73 Medical Cannabis Act (Sen. M. Madsen)
S.C.R. 5 Concurrent Resolution in Support of Law Enforcement Officers (Sen. A. Jackson)

Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment Committee

- S.B. 49** Statute of Limitations on Environmental Code Violations (Sen. L. Escamilla)
S.B. 66 Environmental Code Fines (Sen. L. Escamilla)
S.B. 80 Infrastructure Funding Amendments (Sen. J. S. Adams)

S.C.R. 4 Concurrent Resolution – Old Spanish Trail Designation
(Sen. R. Okerlund)

Retirement and Independent Entities Committee

S.B. 36 Postretirement Employment Exceptions (Sen. K. Mayne)

Revenue and Taxation Committee

S.B. 65 Sales and Use Tax Reporting Requirements
(Sen. W. Harper)

S.B. 68 Property Tax Amendments (Sen. W. Harper)

S.C.R. 2 Concurrent Resolution in Support of Sales and Use Tax
Transactional Equity (Sen. W. Harper)

S.J.R. 4 Proposal to Amend Utah Constitution – Education
Funding (Sen. J. Dabakis)

Transportation, Public Utilities and Technology Committee

S.B. 64 Special Group License Plate Modifications
(Sen. L. Escamilla)

S.B. 69 Children’s Heart Disease Special Group License Plates
(Sen. D. Hinkins)

Kevin T. Van Tassell
Rules Committee Chair

Report filed. On motion of Senator Van Tassell, the committee report was adopted.

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To the Members of the Senate: January 25, 2016

The Rules Committee recommends that, with the written consent of the sponsor, **S.B. 17** Revenue and Taxation Amendments (Sen. K. Van Tassell) be replaced and favorably recommends that **2nd Sub. S.B. 17**, Revenue and Taxation Amendments (Sen. K. Van Tassell) be adopted and assigned to the Revenue and Taxation Committee.

SECOND READING CALENDAR

S.B. 11, CANCELLATION OF AUTO INSURANCE COVERAGE, was read the second time. Senator Harper explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 27; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Mayne | Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa |
| Stephenson | Stevenson | Urquhart | Van Tassell |
| Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

Madsen Thatcher

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S.B. 13, STATE FACILITY ENERGY EFFICIENCY FUND, was read the second time. Senator Jenkins explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Stevenson | Urquhart | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

Knudson Stephenson Thatcher

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On motion of Senator Van Tassell, **S.B. 14, AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKAN NATIVE AMENDMENTS**, was read the second time and circled.

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S.B. 15, APPORTIONMENT OF BUSINESS INCOME AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Henderson explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 27; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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S.B. 16, TAX CREDIT AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Henderson explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stevenson |
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Absent or not voting were: Senators

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On motion of Senator Okerlund, **S.B. 18, WORKFORCE SERVICES JOB LISTINGS AMENDMENTS**, was read the second time and circled.

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S.B. 19, PHASED RETIREMENT, was read the second time. Senator Weiler explained the bill. Senators Hillyard and Jenkins commented.

Senator Weiler proposed the following amendment:

1. Page 9, Lines 255 through 257:

255 (4) “Phased retirement” means continuing employment on a half-time basis of a retiree

256 with the same participating employer immediately after the retiree’s retirement date while the retiree receives

257 a reduced retirement allowance.

2. Page 12, Line 357:

357 Title 49, Chapter 11, Part 12, Phased Retirement, is repealed
{July 1, 2021} January 1, 2022 .

3. Page 12, Line 359:

359 This bill takes effect on {July 1, 2016.} January 1, 2017.

Senator Weiler’s motion to amend passed on a voice vote.

On motion of Senator Weiler, the bill was circled.

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On motion of Senator Knudson, the circle was removed from **S.B. 18, WORKFORCE SERVICES JOB LISTINGS AMENDMENTS**, and it was before the Senate. Senator Knudson explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stevenson |
| Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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S.B. 20, RETIREMENT SYSTEMS AUDIT RECOMMENDATIONS AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Weiler explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Christensen | Davis | Dayton |
| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stevenson |
| Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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S.B. 21, REPEAL OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES REPORTS AND PROGRAMS, was read the second time. Senator Vickers explained the bill.

On motion of Senator Vickers, the following substitute bill replaced the original bill:

1st Sub. S.B. 21 Repeal of Health and Human Services Reports and Programs (E. Vickers)

The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Christensen | Davis | Dayton |
| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stevenson |
| Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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S.B. 22, FORECLOSURE OF RESIDENTIAL RENTAL PROPERTY, was read the second time. Senator Harper explained the bill.

Senator Harper proposed the following amendment:

1. Page 2, Line 38 through Page 3, Line 63:

38 (1) The trustee shall give written notice of the time and place of
39 sale particularly

40 describing the property to be sold:

41 (a) by publication of the notice:

42 (i) (A) at least three times;

43 (B) at least once a week for three consecutive weeks;

44 (C) the last publication to be at least 10 days but not more than
45 30 days before the date

46 the sale is scheduled; and

47 (D) in a newspaper having a general circulation in each county
48 in which the property to

49 be sold, or some part of the property to be sold, is situated; and

50 (ii) in accordance with Section 45-1-101 for 30 days before the
51 date the sale is

52 scheduled;

53 (b) by posting the notice:

54 (i) at least 20 days before the date the sale is scheduled; and

55 (ii) (A) in some conspicuous place on the property to be sold;
56 and

57 (B) at the office of the county recorder of each county in which
58 the trust property, or

59 some part of it, is located; and

60 (c) if the stated purpose of the obligation for which the trust deed
61 was given as security

62 is to finance residential rental property:

63 (i) by posting the notice, including the statement required under
64 Subsection (3)(b):

65 (A) on the primary door of each dwelling unit on the property to
66 be sold, if the property

58 to be sold has fewer than nine dwelling units; or

59 (B) in at least ~~{two}~~ three conspicuous places on the property to be sold, in addition to the

60 posting required under Subsection (1)(b)(ii)(A), if the property to be sold has nine or more

61 dwelling units; or

62 (ii) by mailing the notice, including the statement required under Subsection (3)(b), to

63 the occupant of each dwelling unit on the property to be sold.

Senator Harper’s motion to amend passed on a voice vote. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Christensen | Davis | Dayton |
| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stevenson |
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| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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S.B. 23, WATER LAW – PROTECTED PURCHASER AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Dayton explained the bill.

On motion of Senator Dayton, the following substitute bill replaced the original bill:

1st Sub. S.B. 23 Water Law – Protected Purchaser Amendments (M. Dayton)

Senators Hillyard, Escamilla, and Davis commented. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Christensen | Davis | Dayton |
| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stephenson |
| Stevenson | Thatcher | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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| Bramble | Dabakis | Urquhart |
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S.B. 24, UTAH HOUSING CORPORATION SUNSET EXTENSION, was read the second time. Senator Weiler explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 3.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Bramble | Christensen | Davis | Dayton |
| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stephenson |
| Stevenson | Thatcher | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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| Adams | Dabakis | Urquhart |
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S.B. 25, BALLOT AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Dayton explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 28; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 1.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Bramble | Christensen | Davis |
| Dayton | Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper |
| Henderson | Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto |

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| Jackson | Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen |
| Mayne | Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa |
| Stephenson | Stevenson | Thatcher | Urquhart |
| Van Tassell | Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser |

Absent or not voting was: Senator
Dabakis

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S.B. 27, ABSENTEE BALLOT AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Dayton explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 27; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Bramble | Christensen | Davis |
| Dayton | Escamilla | Fillmore | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stephenson |
| Stevenson | Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell |
| Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators
Dabakis Harper

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S.B. 28, WATER SYSTEM CONSERVATION PRICING, was read the second time. Senator Jenkins explained the bill. Senator Henderson commented. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 27; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Bramble | Christensen | Davis |
| Dayton | Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper |
| Henderson | Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto |
| Jackson | Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen |
| Mayne | Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa |
| Stephenson | Stevenson | Thatcher | Van Tassell |
| Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators
Dabakis Urquhart

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S.B. 29, RETIREMENT SYSTEM AMENDMENTS, was read the second time. Senator Weiler explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 27; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Bramble | Christensen | Davis |
| Dayton | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hillyard | Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson |
| Jenkins | Knudson | Madsen | Mayne |
| Millner | Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stephenson |
| Stevenson | Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell |
| Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators
Dabakis Escamilla

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S.B. 31, TAX COMMISSION LEVY PROCESS, was read the second time. Senator Harper explained the bill. Senator Bramble commented. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 27; Nays, 0; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Stevenson | Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell |
| Vickers | Weiler | Niederhauser | |

Absent or not voting were: Senators
Dabakis Hillyard

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S.B. 32, REAUTHORIZATION OF HOSPITAL PROVIDER ASSESSMENT ACT, was read the second time. Senator Shiozawa explained the bill. The bill passed second reading on the following roll call:

Yeas, 26; Nays, 1; Absent or not voting, 2.

Voting in the affirmative were: Senators

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| Adams | Bramble | Christensen | Davis |
| Escamilla | Fillmore | Harper | Henderson |
| Hinkins | Iwamoto | Jackson | Jenkins |
| Knudson | Madsen | Mayne | Millner |
| Okerlund | Shiozawa | Stephenson | Stevenson |
| Thatcher | Urquhart | Van Tassell | Vickers |
| Weiler | Niederhauser | | |

Voting in the negative was: Senator
Dayton

Absent or not voting were: Senators

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| Dabakis | Hillyard |
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On motion of Senator Okerlund, and at 4:55 p.m., the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 26, 2016.

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