Journal of the Senate

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber, Topeka, Kansas Friday, February 14, 2025, 9:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order pro forma by Senator Larry Alley.

REFERENCE OF BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills were referred to Committees as indicated:

Assessment and Taxation: SB 267, SB 268, SB 269.

Education: SB 270.

Federal and State Affairs: SB 265.

Judiciary: SB 262.

Public Health and Welfare: HB 2027.

Utilities: SB 266.

CHANGE OF REFERENCE

Under the authority of the President, Senator Alley withdrew **SB 177** from the Committee on **Local Government, Transparency and Ethics**, and referred the bill to the Committee on **Federal and State Affairs**.

Under the authority of the President, Senator Alley withdrew SB 229 from the Committee on Commerce, and referred the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Under the authority of the President, Senator Alley withdrew SB 119 from the Committee on Transportation, and referred the bill to the Committee on Ways and Means.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Committee on Commerce recommends SB 117 be passed.

Also, **SB 52** be amended on page 13, in line 37, by striking "\$10,000,000" and inserting "\$5,000,000";

On page 57, in line 17, after the period by inserting "The aggregate total amount of sales exempt from tax pursuant to this subsection shall not exceed \$1,000,000 per year per production company including any contractors of the production company pursuant to paragraph (2)."; and the bill be passed as amended.

SB 199 be amended on page 5, in line 33, by striking all after "(j)"; in line 34, by striking all before "All"; also in line 34, after "sales" by inserting "or transfers"; in line 35, by striking "seasonal or"; also in line 35, after "retailer" by inserting "or a seasonal retailer"; in line 36, by striking all before the period; in line 38, by striking all before "permanent"; in line 39, by striking all before "permanent"; in line 42, by striking all after "a"; in line 43, by striking "respectively,";

On page 6, in line 2, by striking all before "permanent"; also in line 2, by striking ", as applicable";

On page 1, in the title, in line 4, by striking "such seasonal and"; in line 5, by striking "prohibiting internet sales of consumer fireworks;"; and the bill be passed as amended.

The Committee on **Judiciary** recommends **SB** 70 be amended on page 2, in line 24, after "per" by inserting "printed"; also in line 24, by striking "A" and inserting "No per page or copy"; also in line 24, after "fee" by inserting "shall be charged"; in line 25, by striking all after "records"; in line 26, by striking all before the period; also in line 26, after the period by inserting "If a fee is charged for the cost of staff time required to make information available, no fee for printed copies of public records shall be charged pursuant to this paragraph.";

On page 12, in line 20, by striking "December" and inserting "October";

On page 14, in line 2, by striking all after "a"; by striking all in lines 3 and 4; in line 5, by striking "meeting" and inserting "subcommittee or other subordinate group is created by a public body or agency, whenever a majority of such subcommittee or other subordinate group meets, such subcommittee or other subordinate group shall be subject to the requirements of this act";

On page 1, in the title, in line 2, by striking "providing for reasonable" and inserting "prohibiting"; in line 5, by striking "December" and inserting "October"; and the bill be passed as amended.

TRIBUTES

The Committee on **Organization, Calendar, and Rules** authorizes the following tributes for the week of February 10 through February 14, 2025:

Senator Bowers: celebrating Allene Rhodes' 100th Birthday, congratulating Cody Breon on receiving the Kansas Army National Guard Best Warrior Noncommissioned Officer Award:

Senator Joseph Claeys: congratulating Darian Leasher on receiving the Kansas Air National Guard Outstanding Airman of the Year Award;

Senator Dietrich: congratulating Rachel Pence on receiving the Kansas Air National Guard Honor Guard Member of the Year Award;

Senator Francisco: congratulating Joseph Minder on receiving the Kansas Army National Guard Best Warrior Award;

Senator Klemp: congratulating Leavenworth H.S. JROTC Raiders on winning the 2024 National Championship;

Senator Owens: congratulating Hunter Thurston on receiving the Kansas Air National Guard Outstanding Noncommissioned Officer of the Year Award; and

Senator Pettey: congratulating the Kansas City, Kansas Public Schools on receiving the Social-Emotional Growth Gold Star Award.

On motion of Senator Tyson, the Senate adjourned until 2:30 p.m., Monday, February 17, 2025.

CHARLENE BAILEY, CINDY SHEPARD, Journal Clerks.

COREY CARNAHAN, Secretary of the Senate.