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THE FIFTEENTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), February 17, 2025

Assembly called to order at 11:41 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Joseph Lent.

Tammi Naa'a, moo'asoo tammi madabui-puga'yoo. Uu-gwino'o nummi goova-gwei woitsami-gatudu, uu-su'ma mmi naka-soodduheidu; Yeishi pija mmi matuguna, pija mmi soodduhei, yaahoo mani-punina; no'oko numu yaa pija masookwamagu, o'no yeishi tammi bija nannabua'agaana, pija nayadooakwu, yaahoo tunihanninna.

Heavenly Father, You who made us all long ago, we thank You for this day and for the opportunity to serve Your people. Let Your presence be upon us this day. I ask a blessing of favor upon all those within this building, that our minds would be focused, and our hearts would be pure, that we would be free from personal bias, attitudes, or emotions that would cloud or impair our vision. I ask the spirit of unity and understanding to rest upon us. Help us to make decisions that will benefit the greater good; to benefit this earth that You have given us to manage over; to benefit the children and to bless them who are the future stewards and caretakers of this land. You are so good, and we thank You for this.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblymember Jauregui moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

February 12, 2025

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of Assembly Bills Nos. 6, 31, 34, 35, 38, 54, 66, 76, 91, 102, 115, 118, 182; Assembly Joint Resolution No. 5.

February 16, 2025

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule No. 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of Assembly Bills Nos. 93, 135, 138, 151, 154, 199, 221.

SARAH COFFMAN
Fiscal Analysis Division

Assemblymember Jauregui moved that the person as set forth on the Nevada Legislature's Press Accreditation List of February 17, 2025, be accepted as an accredited press representative, assigned space at the press table in the Assembly Chamber, allowed the use of appropriate broadcasting facilities, and that the list be included in this day's journal.

KRNV NEWS 4: Sophia Lincoln.

Motion carried.

INTRODUCTION, FIRST READING AND REFERENCE

By Assemblymember Anderson:

Assembly Bill No. 234—AN ACT relating to Medicaid; requiring Medicaid to provide coverage for screening for certain forms of cancer; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Brown-May moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Roth:

Assembly Bill No. 235—AN ACT relating to health care; authorizing a health care provider who practices in reproductive health, any employee of or volunteer for a health care facility that provides services related to reproductive health, any provider of gender-affirming care and the spouse, domestic partner or minor child thereof to request a court order to make certain personal information in the possession of a county recorder, county assessor or elections official be kept in a confidential manner; authorizing such a person to request that the Department of Motor Vehicles display an alternate address on the person's driver's license, commercial driver's license or identification card; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Considine moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers D'Silva and Torres-Fossett:

Assembly Bill No. 236—AN ACT relating to education; revising provisions governing the selection of members to certain boards and councils; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Torres-Fossett moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By the Committee on Government Affairs:

Assembly Bill No. 237—AN ACT relating to counties; authorizing any county in this State to create the office of registrar of voters; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Mosca moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Jauregui and Monroe-Moreno:

Assembly Bill No. 238—AN ACT relating to economic development; enacting the Nevada Studio Infrastructure Jobs and Workforce Training Act; requiring the Office of Economic Development to enter into a development agreement to establish certain criteria for the development of infrastructure for the production of motion pictures and other qualified productions; establishing requirements for a production company located at such a development to be eligible for film infrastructure transferable tax credits for qualified productions produced at the development; providing for the calculation of the amount of film infrastructure transferable tax credits; revising provisions governing noninfrastructure transferable tax credits for motion pictures and other qualified productions produced in this State; authorizing an additional amount of noninfrastructure transferable tax credits; establishing the Account for Nevada Film, Media and Related Technology Education and Vocational Training and a board to approve distributions from the Account; providing for the distribution of money from the Account to certain entities and organizations that provide education and vocational training to develop a workforce for the production of qualified productions in this State; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Backus moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Dalia:

Assembly Bill No. 239—AN ACT relating to business entities; revising provisions relating to notice or other communications by business entities; making a conforming change relating to fiduciary duties owed by directors and officers of a corporation; revising provisions governing voting relating to the approval of a reverse stock split of a corporation; removing certain provisions governing the issuance of shares of a corporation; making changes to certain approvals by a board of directors; clarifying provisions relating to voting agreements by stockholders; revising provisions governing the amendment of articles of incorporation after issuance of stock; revising certain terms relating to business entities; revising provisions relating to the last known address of members and managers of a limited-liability company and the dissolution of a limited-liability company; establishing a process by which a corporation may reorganize through the formation of a holding corporation; revising provisions relating to the approval of a plan of merger, conversion or exchange of a

domestic corporation and the conversion of a domestic entity into a foreign entity; revising provisions governing the right of a stockholder to dissent from certain corporate actions; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Miller moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Gurr, Gray, Gallant, Hansen, Dickman, Cole, Edgeworth, Hafen, Hardy, Hibbetts, Koenig, O'Neill and Yurek; Senators Stone, Ellison and Hansen:

Assembly Bill No. 240—AN ACT relating to athletics; requiring certain schools and institutions of higher education to designate by sex the athletic teams and sports sponsored by the schools or institutions; prohibiting male or female athletes from competing on teams designated for the other sex; prohibiting certain actions from being brought against a school or institution for maintaining a separate athletic team or sport designated for pupils and students of the female or male sex; establishing certain causes of action; establishing the statute of limitations for such actions; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Torres-Fossett moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Jauregui:

Assembly Bill No. 241—AN ACT relating to housing; requiring the governing body of each county and city to adopt an ordinance to authorize a person to apply for a permit to construct a multifamily housing development or mixed-use development on property zoned for commercial use; declaring void certain county or city ordinances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Marzola moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers DeLong, Gurr and Koenig:

Assembly Bill No. 242—AN ACT relating to the management of land; requiring the Sagebrush Ecosystem Council in the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources to establish by regulation a program to mitigate damage to sagebrush ecosystems; requiring the Council to set forth in regulation any method or formula used by the habitat quantification tool developed by the Council as part of the program; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Considine moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymembers Hibbetts and D’Silva:

Assembly Bill No. 243—AN ACT relating to taxation; providing partial exemptions from the property and governmental services taxes for surviving spouses of members of the armed forces killed in the line of duty; establishing certain requirements for claiming the exemptions; requiring the maximum allowable amount of the exemptions be adjusted annually; authorizing an eligible surviving spouse to direct an amount equivalent to the exemptions to certain charitable gift accounts in lieu of claiming the exemptions; providing for the reduction of the property tax exemption in certain circumstances; providing penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Backus moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Revenue.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Considine:

Assembly Bill No. 244—AN ACT relating to food establishments; prohibiting certain food establishments from selling, preparing, providing or transporting food or beverages using disposable foodware containers made from polystyrene foam; providing civil penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Brown-May moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Jauregui:

Assembly Bill No. 245—AN ACT relating to firearms; prohibiting a person who is less than 21 years of age from possessing certain firearms; making it unlawful to aid or knowingly permit a person who is less than 21 years of age to possess a firearm under certain circumstances; revising provisions relating to the storage of a firearm; revising provisions relating to the handling, possession or control of a firearm by certain children; providing penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Miller moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Considine:

Assembly Bill No. 246—AN ACT relating to offenders; requiring the Director of the Department of Corrections to adopt regulations governing the diet of offenders in the custody of the Department; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Miller moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymember Brown-May:

Assembly Bill No. 247—AN ACT relating to persons with disabilities; revising provisions relating to the accommodation of persons with physical disabilities at certain public meetings; requiring that certain public buildings designed on or after July 1, 2025, include equipment and software for Communication Access Realtime Translation; including American Sign Language as a foreign or world language course of study; requiring the Department of Education to conduct an interim study on the need for a school for pupils who are deaf or hard of hearing; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblymember Considine moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Bill No. 171.

GUESTS EXTENDED PRIVILEGE OF ASSEMBLY FLOOR

On request of Assemblymember Anderson, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Cooper Motarex.

On request of Assemblymember D'Silva, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Mary Wagner.

On request of Assemblymember Gray, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Sam Brown.

On request of Assemblymember Torres-Fossett, the privilege of the floor of the Assembly Chamber for this day was extended to Gabriella Detrick.

Assemblymember Jauregui moved that the Assembly adjourn until Tuesday, February 18, 2025, at 11:30 a.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly adjourned at 11:57 a.m.

Approved:

STEVE YEAGER
Speaker of the Assembly

Attest: BONNIE BORDA HOFFECKER
Chief Clerk of the Assembly