

Journal of the Senate

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

THIRTEENTH DAY - THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 2025

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

President Wasinger in the Chair.

The Reverend Stephen George offered the following prayer:

“The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.” (Deuteronomy 31:8 NIV)

Almighty God, thank you for walking with us through the challenges of this week. Your promise to go before us fills our hearts with hope and assurance. We pray for the families of those who died in the plane and helicopter crashes in Washington, D.C. As we return to our families and communities, may Your presence continue to guide and sustain us. Keep us steadfast in our purpose and strengthen us for the tasks ahead. We ask this in Your Holy Name, Amen.

The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.

A quorum being established, the Senate proceeded with its business.

The Journal of the previous day was read and approved.

The following Senators were present during the day’s proceedings:

Present—Senators

Bean	Beck	Bernskoetter	Black	Brattin	Brown (16)	Brown (26)
Burger	Carter	Cierpiot	Crawford	Fitzwater	Gregory (15)	Gregory (21)
Henderson	Hough	Hudson	Lewis	Luetkemeyer	May	McCreery
Moon	Mosley	Nicola	Nurrenbern	Roberts	Schnelting	Schroer
Trent	Washington	Webber	Williams—32			

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators

Coleman O’Laughlin—2

Vacancies—None

The Lieutenant Governor was present.

Senator Luetkemeyer requested unanimous consent of the Senate to allow members of the Missouri Highway Patrol to enter the Chamber with side arms, which was granted.

RESOLUTIONS

Senator May offered Senate Resolution No. 90, regarding the Saint Louis Art Fair, St. Louis, which was adopted.

Senator May offered Senate Resolution No. 91, regarding Sue Greenberg, St. Louis, which was adopted.

Senator Crawford offered Senate Resolution No. 92, regarding Chief Mark Webb, Bolivar, which was adopted.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

The following Bills and Joint Resolution were read the 1st time and ordered printed:

SB 657—By Crawford.

An Act to repeal section 362.490, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to banking institutions that secure the deposit of public funds.

SB 658—By Crawford.

An Act to repeal section 143.341, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the taxation of estates and trusts.

SB 659—By Webber.

An Act to repeal section 144.014, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to a sales tax exemption for food.

SB 660—By Williams.

An Act to repeal sections 452.305 and 452.310, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to a judgment of dissolution of marriage or legal separation.

SB 661—By Williams.

An Act to amend chapter 490, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to the admissibility of evidence of a defendant's creative or artistic expression.

SJR 57—By Fitzwater.

Joint Resolution submitting to the qualified voters of Missouri, an amendment to article I of the Constitution of Missouri, by adding thereto one new section relating to gender.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

On behalf of Senator O'Laughlin, Chair of the Committee on gubernatorial Appointments, Senator Luetkemeyer submitted the following reports, reading of which was waived:

Mr. President: Your Committee on gubernatorial Appointments, to which were referred the following appointments, begs leave to report that it has considered the same and recommends that the Senate do give its advice and consent to the following:

Sean Cornelius, Republican, as a member of the State Milk Board;

Also,

Brian Hammons, Republican, as a member of the Coordinating Board of Higher Education;

Also,

Tim Peach, as a member of the Missouri Propane Safety Commission;

Also,

Sheila Tracy, as Commissioner for Ray County Commissioner;

Also,

Michael Turner, as Superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol;

Senator Luetkemeyer requested unanimous consent of the Senate to vote on the above reports in one motion, which request was denied.

Senator Moon rose to object and requested the committee report on Sean Cornelius, Republican, as a member of the State Milk Board, be voted on separately, which request was granted.

Senator Luetkemeyer moved that the remaining committee reports be adopted and the Senate do give its advice and consent to said appointments, which motion prevailed.

On behalf of Senator O'Laughlin, Chair of the Committee on Gubernatorial Appointments, Senator Luetkemeyer submitted the following report:

Mr. President: Your Committee on Gubernatorial Appointments to which was referred the appointment of Sean Cornelius, Republican, as a member of the State Milk Board, begs leave to report that it has considered the same and recommends that the Senate do give its advice and consent to said appointment.

Senator Black moved that the committee report be adopted and the Senate do give its advice and consent to the above appointment, which motion prevailed.

COMMUNICATIONS

President Pro Tem O'Laughlin submitted the following:

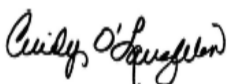
January 29, 2025

Ms. Kristina Martin
Secretary of Senate
201 W. Capitol Ave. Rm 325
Jefferson City, MO 65101

Secretary Martin,

Due to my absence on January 30, 2025, I authorize the Senate Majority Floor Leader to exercise my duty to send forward a report from the Standing Committee on Gubernatorial Appointments.

Sincerely,



President Pro Tem

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

Senator Bean introduced to the Senate, Laura Collins, Bell City; and Missouri State Highway Patrol.

On motion of Senator Luetkemeyer, the Senate adjourned until 4:00 p.m., Monday, February 3, 2025.

SENATE CALENDAR

FOURTEENTH DAY—MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2025

FORMAL CALENDAR**SECOND READING OF SENATE BILLS**

SB 181-Crawford	SB 209-Mosley
SB 182-Crawford	SB 210-Mosley
SB 183-Crawford	SB 211-Fitzwater
SB 184-Cierpiot	SB 212-Fitzwater
SB 185-Cierpiot	SB 213-Fitzwater
SB 186-Cierpiot	SB 214-Trent
SB 187-Bernskoetter	SB 215-Trent
SB 188-Bernskoetter	SB 216-Trent
SB 189-Brown (16)	SB 217-Black
SB 190-Brown (16)	SB 218-Black
SB 191-May	SB 219-Black
SB 192-May	SB 220-Schroer
SB 193-Brattin	SB 221-Schroer
SB 194-Brattin	SB 222-Schroer
SB 195-Brattin	SB 223-Coleman
SB 196-Moon	SB 224-Coleman
SB 197-Moon	SB 225-Coleman
SB 198-Moon	SB 226-Carter
SB 199-Bean	SB 227-Carter
SB 200-Bean	SB 228-Carter
SB 201-Bean	SB 229-Brown (26)
SB 202-Roberts	SB 230-Brown (26)
SB 203-Roberts	SB 231-Brown (26)
SB 204-Roberts	SB 232-McCreery
SB 205-Washington	SB 233-McCreery
SB 206-Washington	SB 234-McCreery
SB 207-Washington	SB 235-Henderson
SB 208-Mosley	SB 236-Henderson

SB 237-Henderson	SB 285-McCreery
SB 238-Burger	SB 286-McCreery
SB 239-Burger	SB 287-McCreery
SB 240-Burger	SB 288-Henderson
SB 241-Webber	SB 289-Burger
SB 242-Nurrenbern	SB 290-Burger
SB 243-Nurrenbern	SB 291-Crawford
SB 244-Crawford	SB 292-Crawford
SB 245-Crawford	SB 293-Crawford
SB 246-Crawford	SB 294-Brattin
SB 247-Cierpiot	SB 295-Brattin
SB 248-Brattin	SB 296-Brattin
SB 249-Brattin	SB 297-Moon
SB 250-Brattin	SB 298-Moon
SB 251-Moon	SB 299-Moon
SB 252-Moon	SB 300-Roberts
SB 253-Moon	SB 301-Roberts
SB 254-Bean	SB 302-Roberts
SB 255-Roberts	SB 303-Washington
SB 256-Roberts	SB 304-Washington
SB 257-Roberts	SB 305-Washington
SB 258-Washington	SB 306-Mosley
SB 259-Washington	SB 307-Mosley
SB 260-Washington	SB 308-Mosley
SB 261-Mosley	SB 309-Fitzwater
SB 262-Mosley	SB 310-Fitzwater
SB 263-Mosley	SB 311-Fitzwater
SB 264-Fitzwater	SB 312-Trent
SB 265-Fitzwater	SB 313-Trent
SB 266-Fitzwater	SB 314-Trent
SB 267-Trent	SB 315-Black
SB 268-Trent	SB 316-Black
SB 269-Trent	SB 317-Black
SB 270-Black	SB 318-Schroer
SB 271-Black	SB 319-Schroer
SB 272-Black	SB 320-Schroer
SB 273-Schroer	SB 321-Coleman
SB 274-Schroer	SB 322-Carter
SB 275-Schroer	SB 323-Carter
SB 276-Coleman	SB 324-Carter
SB 277-Coleman	SB 325-Brown (26)
SB 278-Coleman	SB 326-Brown (26)
SB 279-Carter	SB 327-Brown (26)
SB 280-Carter	SB 328-McCreery
SB 281-Carter	SB 329-McCreery
SB 282-Brown (26)	SB 330-McCreery
SB 283-Brown (26)	SB 331-Crawford
SB 284-Brown (26)	SB 332-Crawford

SB 333-Brattin	SB 381-Fitzwater
SB 334-Brattin	SB 382-Fitzwater
SB 335-Brattin	SB 383-Fitzwater
SB 336-Moon	SB 384-Trent
SB 337-Moon	SB 385-Trent
SB 338-Moon	SB 386-Trent
SB 339-Roberts	SB 387-Black
SB 340-Roberts	SB 388-Black
SB 341-Roberts	SB 389-Black
SB 342-Washington	SB 390-Schroer
SB 343-Washington	SB 391-Schroer
SB 344-Washington	SB 392-Schroer
SB 345-Mosley	SB 393-Carter
SB 346-Mosley	SB 394-Carter
SB 347-Mosley	SB 395-Carter
SB 348-Fitzwater	SB 396-Brown (26)
SB 349-Fitzwater	SB 397-Brown (26)
SB 350-Fitzwater	SB 398-Brown (26)
SB 351-Trent	SB 399-McCreery
SB 352-Trent	SB 400-McCreery
SB 353-Trent	SB 401-McCreery
SB 354-Black	SB 402-Moon
SB 355-Black	SB 403-Washington
SB 356-Black	SB 404-Washington
SB 357-Schroer	SB 405-Washington
SB 358-Schroer	SB 406-Mosley
SB 359-Schroer	SB 407-Mosley
SB 360-Carter	SB 408-Mosley
SB 361-Carter	SB 409-Fitzwater
SB 362-Carter	SB 410-Fitzwater
SB 363-Brown (26)	SB 411-Fitzwater
SB 364-Brown (26)	SB 412-Trent
SB 365-Brown (26)	SB 413-Trent
SB 366-McCreery	SB 414-Trent
SB 367-McCreery	SB 415-Black
SB 368-McCreery	SB 416-Black
SB 369-Brattin	SB 417-Carter
SB 370-Moon	SB 418-Carter
SB 371-Moon	SB 419-McCreery
SB 372-Moon	SB 420-McCreery
SB 373-Roberts	SB 421-McCreery
SB 374-Roberts	SB 422-Washington
SB 375-Washington	SB 423-Washington
SB 376-Washington	SB 424-Washington
SB 377-Washington	SB 425-Mosley
SB 378-Mosley	SB 426-Fitzwater
SB 379-Mosley	SB 427-Trent
SB 380-Mosley	SB 428-Trent

SB 429-Trent	SB 477-Brown (16)
SB 430-McCreery	SB 478-Trent
SB 431-McCreery	SB 479-Trent
SB 432-Washington	SB 480-Gregory (15)
SB 433-Washington	SB 481-Bernskoetter
SB 434-Washington	SB 482-Bernskoetter
SB 435-Trent	SB 483-Schroer
SB 436-Trent	SB 484-Schroer
SB 437-Trent	SB 485-Schroer
SB 438-Washington	SB 486-Schroer
SB 439-Washington	SB 487-Schroer
SB 440-Washington	SB 488-Crawford
SB 441-Trent	SB 489-Brown (26)
SB 442-Trent	SB 490-Schnelting
SB 443-Trent	SB 491-Schnelting
SB 444-Washington	SB 492-Crawford
SB 445-Washington	SB 493-Schroer
SB 446-Washington	SB 494-Schroer
SB 447-Trent	SB 495-Schroer
SB 448-Trent	SB 496-Nurrenbern
SB 449-Trent	SB 497-Nurrenbern
SB 450-Washington	SB 499-Schroer
SB 451-Trent	SB 500-Schroer
SB 452-Trent	SB 501-Carter
SB 453-Trent	SB 502-Hough
SB 454-Trent	SB 503-Henderson
SB 455-Hough	SB 504-Black
SB 456-Roberts	SB 505-Schroer
SB 457-Henderson	SB 506-Schroer
SB 458-Schnelting	SB 507-Schroer
SB 459-Schnelting	SB 508-Burger
SB 460-Gregory (21)	SB 509-Nicola
SB 461-Gregory (21)	SB 510-Nicola
SB 462-Gregory (21)	SB 511-Cierpiot
SB 463-Lewis	SB 512-Bernskoetter
SB 464-Lewis	SB 513-Brown (16)
SB 465-Lewis	SB 514-Black
SB 466-Gregory (21)	SB 515-Brown (26)
SB 467-Gregory (21)	SB 516-Brown (16)
SB 468-Lewis	SB 517-Schroer
SB 469-Lewis	SB 518-Trent
SB 470-Lewis	SB 519-Carter
SB 471-Lewis	SB 520-Carter
SB 472-Lewis	SB 521-Carter
SB 473-Schroer	SB 522-Brown (26)
SB 474-Nurrenbern	SB 523-Brown (26)
SB 475-Coleman	SB 524-Henderson
SB 476-Gregory (21)	SB 525-Schnelting

SB 526-Carter	SB 574-Schroer
SB 527-Carter	SB 575-Schroer
SB 528-Beck	SB 576-Schroer
SB 529-Crawford	SB 577-Schroer
SB 530-Crawford	SB 578-Bernskoetter
SB 531-Schroer	SB 579-Hudson
SB 532-Nicola	SB 580-Hudson
SB 533-Nicola	SB 581-Henderson
SB 534-Nicola	SB 582-Nurrenbern
SB 535-Crawford	SB 583-Gregory (15)
SB 536-Crawford	SB 584-Gregory (21)
SB 537-Brown (16)	SB 585-Brown (16)
SB 538-Schroer	SB 586-Hough
SB 539-Nurrenbern	SB 587-Hudson
SB 540-Moon	SB 588-Hudson
SB 541-Moon	SB 589-Hudson
SB 542-Henderson	SB 590-Hudson
SB 543-Lewis	SB 591-Hudson
SB 544-Lewis	SB 592-Carter
SB 545-Lewis	SB 593-Burger
SB 546-Lewis	SB 594-Burger
SB 547-Hudson	SB 595-Burger
SB 548-Black	SB 596-Gregory (15)
SB 549-Beck	SB 597-Gregory (15)
SB 550-Schroer	SB 598-Gregory (15)
SB 551-Roberts	SB 599-Gregory (15)
SB 552-Trent	SB 600-Schnelting
SB 553-Trent	SB 601-Gregory (21)
SB 554-Schroer	SB 602-Gregory (21)
SB 555-Hudson	SB 603-McCreery
SB 556-Henderson	SB 604-McCreery
SB 557-Burger	SB 605-McCreery
SB 558-Burger	SB 606-McCreery
SB 559-Burger	SB 607-McCreery
SB 560-Gregory (15)	SB 608-Lewis
SB 561-Gregory (15)	SB 609-Lewis
SB 562-Gregory (15)	SB 610-Gregory (21)
SB 563-Lewis	SB 611-May
SB 564-Williams	SB 612-May
SB 565-Bean	SB 613-Schnelting
SB 566-Crawford	SB 614-Fitzwater
SB 567-Gregory (21)	SB 615-Fitzwater
SB 568-Gregory (21)	SB 616-Webber
SB 569-Roberts	SB 617-Webber
SB 570-Hough	SB 618-Cierpiot
SB 571-Coleman	SB 619-Moon
SB 572-Coleman	SB 620-Gregory (15)
SB 573-Coleman	SB 621-Gregory (15)

SB 622-Gregory (15)	SJR 10-Moon
SB 623-Hudson	SJR 11-Bean
SB 624-Hudson	SJR 12-Washington
SB 625-Moon	SJR 13-Washington
SB 626-Carter	SJR 14-Mosley
SB 627-Webber	SJR 15-Mosley
SB 628-Webber	SJR 16-Mosley
SB 629-Webber	SJR 17-Fitzwater
SB 630-Cierpiot	SJR 18-Fitzwater
SB 631-Brattin	SJR 19-Fitzwater
SB 632-Schroer	SJR 20-Trent
SB 633-Bernskoetter	SJR 21-Trent
SB 634-Brown (16)	SJR 22-Trent
SB 635-Gregory (21)	SJR 23-Schroer
SB 636-Gregory (21)	SJR 24-Schroer
SB 637-Roberts	SJR 25-Coleman
SB 638-Brattin	SJR 26-Coleman
SB 639-Henderson	SJR 27-Carter
SB 640-Henderson	SJR 28-Carter
SB 641-May	SJR 29-Carter
SB 642-Hudson	SJR 30-Brown (26)
SB 643-Hudson	SJR 31-Brown (26)
SB 644-Crawford	SJR 32-Hudson
SB 645-Schroer	SJR 33-Schnelting, et al
SB 646-Carter	SJR 34-Nicola
SB 647-Trent	SJR 35-Nicola
SB 648-Trent	SJR 36-Nurrenbern
SB 649-Trent	SJR 37-Moon
SB 650-Gregory (15)	SJR 38-Moon
SB 651-Gregory (15)	SJR 39-Mosley
SB 652-Gregory (15)	SJR 40-Carter
SB 653-Cierpiot	SJR 41-Carter
SB 654-Burger	SJR 42-Carter
SB 655-Burger	SJR 43-Carter
SB 656-Bean	SJR 44-Carter
SB 657-Crawford	SJR 45-Carter
SB 658-Crawford	SJR 46-Carter
SB 659-Webber	SJR 47-Carter
SB 660-Williams	SJR 48-Schnelting
SB 661-Williams	SJR 49-Lewis
SJR 1-Cierpiot	SJR 50-Brattin
SJR 2-O'Laughlin	SJR 51-Hudson
SJR 3-O'Laughlin	SJR 52-Hudson
SJR 4-Williams	SJR 53-Brattin
SJR 5-Brattin	SJR 54-Nicola
SJR 6-Brattin	SJR 55-Trent
SJR 7-Brattin	SJR 56-Moon
SJR 8-Moon	SJR 57-Fitzwater
SJR 9-Moon	

INFORMAL CALENDAR

RESOLUTIONS

SR 18-May
SR 32-Moon

SR 39-Nurrenbern
HCR 2-Riley (Luetkemeyer)

To be Referred

SR 85-Moon
SR 86-Moon

SR 87-Moon

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