

Journal of the Senate

FIRST REGULAR SESSION

TWENTIETH DAY - WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2025

The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.

Senator Fitzwater in the Chair.

The Reverend Stephen George offered the following prayer:

"For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."
(Jeremiah 29:11 NIV)

Gracious God, we come before You today, reminded of Your promise that Your plans for us are good—to give us hope and a future. As we serve in this chamber, may we lead with that same hope. Guide us to decisions that bring prosperity, justice, and hope to those we represent. Let our work today be part of the greater plan You have for this great state and its people. 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 (26)	Burger
Carter	Cierpiot	Crawford	Fitzwater	Gregory (15)	Gregory (21)	Henderson
Hough	Hudson	Lewis	Luetkemeyer	May	McCreery	Moon
Mosley	Nicola	Nurrenbern	O'Laughlin	Roberts	Schnelting	Schroer
Trent	Washington	Webber	Williams—32			

Absent—Senators—None

Absent with leave—Senators

Brown (16) Coleman—2

Vacancies—None

RESOLUTIONS

Senator Beck offered Senate Resolution No. 145, regarding Judy Rethwisch, Affton, which was adopted.

Senator McCreery offered Senate Resolution No. 146, regarding Ben Dable, St. Louis, which was adopted.

Senator Hough offered Senate Resolution No. 147, regarding Fight Colorectal Cancer, Springfield, which was adopted.

Senator Bean offered Senate Resolution No. 148, regarding Carson Arnold, Grandin, which was adopted.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Senator Bean offered the following concurrent resolution:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8

Whereas, many of Missouri's levee and drainage district laws were first written more than a century ago and have not been revised in decades; and

Whereas, the current system in place for reassessment of levee and drainage districts has produced numerous complaints about the lack of actual notice as well as a lack of sufficient, meaningful notice in Southeast Missouri and other jurisdictions throughout the state; and

Whereas, many business owners as well as local governing bodies owning roadways and land inside levee districts, as well as railroads and other owners of rights-of-way inside levee districts feel aggrieved by the arbitrary and capricious manner by which some levee districts have conducted reassessments in recent years that produced shocking increases in some assessments that are unreasonable and unacceptable to those being assessed; and

Whereas, there is strong interest from business owners, government entities, railroads, and other right-of-way owners inside levee and drainage districts, as well as interest by many levee and drainage districts themselves, in having a more transparent reassessment process that includes the following:

- (1) Meaningful notice designed to apprise any landowner of how much their individual assessment might increase;
- (2) A reassessment formula based on actual property valuations that does not require engineering studies or action by a circuit court; and
- (3) A simple appeals process whereby anyone can appeal a levee or drainage district reassessment without an attorney, similar to the process for property tax assessment appeals; and

Whereas, the issues surrounding levee and drainage districts are complex and require a great deal of study:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the members of the Missouri Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly, First Regular Session, the House of Representatives concurring therein, hereby create the Joint Interim Committee on Drainage and Levee Districts; and

Be it further resolved that the Committee shall evaluate the current law on the creation, maintenance, and methods of assessment for levee and drainage districts and shall make recommendations to the General Assembly on changes that can be made to improve the transparency and operation of levee and drainage districts, along with any other issues relating to levee and drainage districts deemed important by the Committee; and

Be it further resolved that the Committee is authorized to request information from departments, offices, divisions, and agencies of the state to assist in gathering information relevant to its objective; and

Be it further resolved that the Committee shall consist of members of the General Assembly as follows, all of whom shall have at least one levee or drainage district located in the member's district:

- (1) Three members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate;
- (2) Two members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate;
- (3) Three members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and
- (4) Two members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives; and

Be it further resolved that the staffs of House Research, Senate Research, and the Committee of Legislative Research shall provide such legal, research, clerical, and technical services as the committee may require in the performance of its duties; and

Be it further resolved that the Committee, its members, and any staff assigned to the Committee shall receive reimbursement for their actual and necessary expenses incurred in attending meetings of the committee or any subcommittee thereof; and

Be it further resolved that the Committee shall expire on December 31, 2026, and shall by such date deliver a report of its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

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

SB 698—By Moon.

An Act to amend chapter 162, RSMo, by adding thereto one new section relating to released time courses in public schools.

SB 699—By Moon.

An Act to repeal section 137.016, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the classification of certain real property.

SB 700—By Moon.

An Act to repeal sections 571.030, 571.101, 571.117, 571.205, and 571.225, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof five new sections relating to weapons, with penalty provisions.

SB 701—By Moon.

An Act to repeal section 142.822, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to taxation of motor fuel.

SB 702—By Brattin.

An Act to repeal section 188.035, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to abortion.

SB 703—By Burger.

An Act to repeal section 290.600, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to exemptions from the earned paid sick time law.

SB 704—By Nicola.

An Act to repeal sections 210.115, 568.045, 568.050, 568.060, and 578.421, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof five new sections relating to child protection, with penalty provisions.

SENATE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

SB 8 was placed on the Informal Calendar.

Senator Henderson moved that **SB 67** be taken up for perfection, which motion prevailed.

Senator Henderson offered **SS** for **SB 67**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 67

An Act to repeal chapter 143.511, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof two new sections relating to the filing of income tax returns.

Senator Henderson moved that **SS** for **SB 67** be adopted.

Senator Hudson offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Bill No. 67, Page 1, Section A, Line 3, by inserting after all of said line the following:

“143.121. 1. The Missouri adjusted gross income of a resident individual shall be the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income subject to the modifications in this section.

2. There shall be added to the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income:

(1) The amount of any federal income tax refund received for a prior year which resulted in a Missouri income tax benefit. The amount added pursuant to this subdivision shall not include any amount of a federal income tax refund attributable to a tax credit reducing a taxpayer's federal tax liability pursuant to Public Law 116-136 or 116-260, enacted by the 116th United States Congress, for the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and ending on or before December 31, 2020, and deducted from Missouri adjusted gross income pursuant to section 143.171. The amount added under this subdivision shall also not include any amount of a federal income tax refund attributable to a tax credit reducing a taxpayer's federal tax liability under any other federal law that provides direct economic impact payments to taxpayers to mitigate financial challenges related to the COVID-19 pandemic, and deducted from Missouri adjusted gross income under section 143.171;

(2) Interest on certain governmental obligations excluded from federal gross income by 26 U.S.C. Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. The previous sentence shall not apply to interest on obligations of the state of Missouri or any of its political subdivisions or authorities and shall not apply to the interest described in subdivision (1) of subsection 3 of this section. The amount added pursuant to this subdivision shall be reduced by the amounts applicable to such interest that would have been deductible in computing the taxable income of the taxpayer except only for the application of 26 U.S.C. Section 265 of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended. The reduction shall only be made if it is at least five hundred dollars;

(3) The amount of any deduction that is included in the computation of federal taxable income pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as amended by the Job Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002 to the extent the amount deducted relates to property purchased on or after July 1, 2002, but before July 1, 2003, and to the extent the amount deducted exceeds the amount that would have been deductible pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as in effect on January 1, 2002;

(4) The amount of any deduction that is included in the computation of federal taxable income for net operating loss allowed by 26 U.S.C. Section 172 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, other than the deduction allowed by 26 U.S.C. Section 172(b)(1)(G) and 26 U.S.C. Section 172(i) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, for a net operating loss the taxpayer claims in the tax year in which the net operating loss occurred or carries forward for a period of more than twenty years and carries backward for more than two years. Any amount of net operating loss taken against federal taxable income but disallowed for Missouri income tax purposes pursuant to this subdivision after June 18, 2002, may be

carried forward and taken against any income on the Missouri income tax return for a period of not more than twenty years from the year of the initial loss; and

(5) For nonresident individuals in all taxable years ending on or after December 31, 2006, the amount of any property taxes paid to another state or a political subdivision of another state for which a deduction was allowed on such nonresident's federal return in the taxable year unless such state, political subdivision of a state, or the District of Columbia allows a subtraction from income for property taxes paid to this state for purposes of calculating income for the income tax for such state, political subdivision of a state, or the District of Columbia;

(6) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018, any interest expense paid or accrued in a previous taxable year, but allowed as a deduction under 26 U.S.C. Section 163, as amended, in the current taxable year by reason of the carryforward of disallowed business interest provisions of 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended. For the purposes of this subdivision, an interest expense is considered paid or accrued only in the first taxable year the deduction would have been allowable under 26 U.S.C. Section 163, as amended, if the limitation under 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended, did not exist.

3. There shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the following amounts to the extent included in federal adjusted gross income:

(1) Interest received on deposits held at a federal reserve bank or interest or dividends on obligations of the United States and its territories and possessions or of any authority, commission or instrumentality of the United States to the extent exempt from Missouri income taxes pursuant to the laws of the United States. The amount subtracted pursuant to this subdivision shall be reduced by any interest on indebtedness incurred to carry the described obligations or securities and by any expenses incurred in the production of interest or dividend income described in this subdivision. The reduction in the previous sentence shall only apply to the extent that such expenses including amortizable bond premiums are deducted in determining the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income or included in the taxpayer's Missouri itemized deduction. The reduction shall only be made if the expenses total at least five hundred dollars;

(2) The portion of any gain, from the sale or other disposition of property having a higher adjusted basis to the taxpayer for Missouri income tax purposes than for federal income tax purposes on December 31, 1972, that does not exceed such difference in basis. If a gain is considered a long-term capital gain for federal income tax purposes, the modification shall be limited to one-half of such portion of the gain;

(3) The amount necessary to prevent the taxation pursuant to this chapter of any annuity or other amount of income or gain which was properly included in income or gain and was taxed pursuant to the laws of Missouri for a taxable year prior to January 1, 1973, to the taxpayer, or to a decedent by reason of whose death the taxpayer acquired the right to receive the income or gain, or to a trust or estate from which the taxpayer received the income or gain;

(4) Accumulation distributions received by a taxpayer as a beneficiary of a trust to the extent that the same are included in federal adjusted gross income;

(5) The amount of any state income tax refund for a prior year which was included in the federal adjusted gross income;

(6) The portion of capital gain specified in section 135.357 that would otherwise be included in federal adjusted gross income;

(7) The amount that would have been deducted in the computation of federal taxable income pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on January 1, 2002, to the extent that amount relates to property purchased on or after July 1, 2002, but before July 1, 2003, and to the extent that amount exceeds the amount actually deducted pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 168 of the Internal Revenue Code as amended by the Job Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002;

(8) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2005, the amount of any income received for military service while the taxpayer serves in a combat zone which is included in federal adjusted gross income and not otherwise excluded therefrom. As used in this section, “combat zone” means any area which the President of the United States by Executive Order designates as an area in which Armed Forces of the United States are or have engaged in combat. Service is performed in a combat zone only if performed on or after the date designated by the President by Executive Order as the date of the commencing of combat activities in such zone, and on or before the date designated by the President by Executive Order as the date of the termination of combatant activities in such zone;

(9) For all tax years ending on or after July 1, 2002, with respect to qualified property that is sold or otherwise disposed of during a taxable year by a taxpayer and for which an additional modification was made under subdivision (3) of subsection 2 of this section, the amount by which additional modification made under subdivision (3) of subsection 2 of this section on qualified property has not been recovered through the additional subtractions provided in subdivision (7) of this subsection;

(10) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2014, the amount of any income received as payment from any program which provides compensation to agricultural producers who have suffered a loss as the result of a disaster or emergency, including the:

- (a) Livestock Forage Disaster Program;
- (b) Livestock Indemnity Program;
- (c) Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees, and Farm-Raised Fish;
- (d) Emergency Conservation Program;
- (e) Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program;
- (f) Pasture, Rangeland, Forage Pilot Insurance Program;
- (g) Annual Forage Pilot Program;
- (h) Livestock Risk Protection Insurance Plan;
- (i) Livestock Gross Margin Insurance Plan;

(11) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2018, any interest expense paid or accrued in the current taxable year, but not deducted as a result of the limitation imposed under 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended. For the purposes of this subdivision, an interest expense is considered paid or accrued

only in the first taxable year the deduction would have been allowable under 26 U.S.C. Section 163, as amended, if the limitation under 26 U.S.C. Section 163(j), as amended, did not exist;

(12) One hundred percent of any retirement benefits received by any taxpayer as a result of the taxpayer's service in the Armed Forces of the United States, including reserve components and the National Guard of this state, as defined in 32 U.S.C. Sections 101(3) and 109, and any other military force organized under the laws of this state; and

(13) For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2022, one hundred percent of any federal, state, or local grant moneys received by the taxpayer if the grant money was disbursed for the express purpose of providing or expanding access to broadband internet to areas of the state deemed to be lacking such access.

4. There shall be added to or subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the taxpayer's share of the Missouri fiduciary adjustment provided in section 143.351.

5. There shall be added to or subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income the modifications provided in section 143.411.

6. In addition to the modifications to a taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income in this section, to calculate Missouri adjusted gross income there shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income any gain recognized pursuant to 26 U.S.C. Section 1033 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, arising from compulsory or involuntary conversion of property as a result of condemnation or the imminence thereof.

7. (1) As used in this subsection, "qualified health insurance premium" means the amount paid during the tax year by such taxpayer for any insurance policy primarily providing health care coverage for the taxpayer, the taxpayer's spouse, or the taxpayer's dependents.

(2) In addition to the subtractions in subsection 3 of this section, one hundred percent of the amount of qualified health insurance premiums shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income to the extent the amount paid for such premiums is included in federal taxable income. The taxpayer shall provide the department of revenue with proof of the amount of qualified health insurance premiums paid.

8. (1) Beginning January 1, 2014, in addition to the subtractions provided in this section, one hundred percent of the cost incurred by a taxpayer for a home energy audit conducted by an entity certified by the department of natural resources under section 640.153 or the implementation of any energy efficiency recommendations made in such an audit shall be subtracted from the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income to the extent the amount paid for any such activity is included in federal taxable income. The taxpayer shall provide the department of revenue with a summary of any recommendations made in a qualified home energy audit, the name and certification number of the qualified home energy auditor who conducted the audit, and proof of the amount paid for any activities under this subsection for which a deduction is claimed. The taxpayer shall also provide a copy of the summary of any recommendations made in a qualified home energy audit to the department of natural resources.

(2) At no time shall a deduction claimed under this subsection by an individual taxpayer or taxpayers filing combined returns exceed one thousand dollars per year for individual taxpayers or cumulatively exceed two thousand dollars per year for taxpayers filing combined returns.

(3) Any deduction claimed under this subsection shall be claimed for the tax year in which the qualified home energy audit was conducted or in which the implementation of the energy efficiency recommendations occurred. If implementation of the energy efficiency recommendations occurred during more than one year, the deduction may be claimed in more than one year, subject to the limitations provided under subdivision (2) of this subsection.

(4) A deduction shall not be claimed for any otherwise eligible activity under this subsection if such activity qualified for and received any rebate or other incentive through a state-sponsored energy program or through an electric corporation, gas corporation, electric cooperative, or municipally owned utility.

9. The provisions of subsection 8 of this section shall expire on December 31, 2020.

10. (1) As used in this subsection, the following terms mean:

(a) "Beginning farmer", a taxpayer who:

a. Has filed at least one but not more than ten Internal Revenue Service Schedule F (Form 1040) Profit or Loss From Farming forms since turning eighteen years of age;

b. Is approved for a beginning farmer loan through the USDA Farm Service Agency Beginning Farmer direct or guaranteed loan program;

c. Has a farming operation that is determined by the department of agriculture to be new production agriculture but is the principal operator of a farm and has substantial farming knowledge; or

d. Has been determined by the department of agriculture to be a qualified family member;

(b) "Farm owner", [an individual] **a taxpayer** who owns farmland and disposes of or relinquishes use of all or some portion of such farmland as follows:

a. A sale to a beginning farmer;

b. A lease or rental agreement not exceeding ten years with a beginning farmer; or

c. A crop-share arrangement not exceeding ten years with a beginning farmer;

(c) "Qualified family member", an individual who is related to a farm owner within the fourth degree by blood, marriage, or adoption and who is purchasing or leasing or is in a crop-share arrangement for land from all or a portion of such farm owner's farming operation;

(d) "Taxpayer", any individual, firm, partner in a firm, corporation, partnership, shareholder in an S corporation, or member of a limited liability company subject to the income tax imposed under this chapter, excluding withholding tax imposed under sections 143.191 to 143.265.

(2) (a) In addition to all other subtractions authorized in this section, a taxpayer who is a farm owner who sells all or a portion of such farmland to a beginning farmer may subtract from such taxpayer's

Missouri adjusted gross income an amount to the extent included in federal adjusted gross income as provided in this subdivision.

(b) Subject to the limitations in paragraph (c) of this subdivision, the amount that may be subtracted shall be equal to the portion of capital gains received from the sale of such farmland that such taxpayer receives in the tax year for which such taxpayer subtracts such capital gain.

(c) A taxpayer may subtract the following amounts and percentages per tax year in total capital gains received from the sale of such farmland under this subdivision:

- a. For the first two million dollars received, one hundred percent;
- b. For the next one million dollars received, eighty percent;
- c. For the next one million dollars received, sixty percent;
- d. For the next one million dollars received, forty percent; and
- e. For the next one million dollars received, twenty percent.

(d) The department of revenue shall prepare an annual report reviewing the costs and benefits and containing statistical information regarding the subtraction of capital gains authorized under this subdivision for the previous tax year including, but not limited to, the total amount of all capital gains subtracted and the number of taxpayers subtracting such capital gains. Such report shall be submitted before February first of each year to the committee on agriculture policy of the Missouri house of representatives and the committee on agriculture, food production and outdoor resources of the Missouri senate, or the successor committees.

(3) (a) In addition to all other subtractions authorized in this section, a taxpayer who is a farm owner who enters a lease or rental agreement for all or a portion of such farmland with a beginning farmer may subtract from such taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income an amount to the extent included in federal adjusted gross income as provided in this subdivision.

(b) Subject to the limitation in paragraph (c) of this subdivision, the amount that may be subtracted shall be equal to the portion of cash rent income received from the lease or rental of such farmland that such taxpayer receives in the tax year for which such taxpayer subtracts such income.

(c) No taxpayer shall subtract more than twenty-five thousand dollars per tax year in total cash rent income received from the lease or rental of such farmland under this subdivision.

(4) (a) In addition to all other subtractions authorized in this section, a taxpayer who is a farm owner who enters a crop-share arrangement on all or a portion of such farmland with a beginning farmer may subtract from such taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income an amount to the extent included in federal adjusted gross income as provided in this subdivision.

(b) Subject to the limitation in paragraph (c) of this subdivision, the amount that may be subtracted shall be equal to the portion of income received from the crop-share arrangement on such farmland that such taxpayer receives in the tax year for which such taxpayer subtracts such income.

(c) No taxpayer shall subtract more than twenty-five thousand dollars per tax year in total income received from the lease or rental of such farmland under this subdivision.

(5) The department of agriculture shall, by rule, establish a process to verify that a taxpayer is a beginning farmer for purposes of this section and shall provide verification to the beginning farmer and farm seller of such farmer's and seller's certification and qualification for the exemption provided in this subsection.”; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Hudson moved that the above amendment be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Henderson moved that **SS** for **SB 67**, as amended, be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Henderson, **SS** for **SB 67**, as amended, was declared perfected and ordered printed.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

SCR 3, introduced by Senator Carter, entitled:

Relating to missions of institutions of higher education.

Was taken up.

Senator Carter offered **SS** for **SCR 3**:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Relating to missions of institutions of higher education.

Whereas, Missouri state law provides a process for state colleges and universities to seek a statewide mission designation; and

Whereas, this process authorizes the Coordinating Board for Higher Education to approve a change in the statewide mission of any state college or university upon being presented with evidence that the institution has the capacity to implement such mission change successfully; and

Whereas, Missouri Southern State University has provided the Coordinating Board for Higher Education with evidence that it has the capacity to discharge a statewide mission in health and life sciences and immersive learning experiences, in addition to the University's existing statewide mission in international or global education; and

Whereas, the Coordinating Board for Higher Education voted to approve Missouri Southern State University's request for such mission change at the Board's meeting on September 13, 2023;

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the members of the Missouri Senate, One Hundred Third General Assembly, First Regular Session, the House of Representatives concurring therein, hereby approve the proposed mission change of Missouri Southern State University; and

Be It Further Resolved that Missouri Southern State University is hereby designated and shall hereafter be operated as a statewide institution of international or global education, health and life sciences, and immersive learning experiences; and

Be It Further Resolved that this resolution be sent to the Governor for his approval or rejection pursuant to the Missouri Constitution.

Senator Carter moved that **SS** for **SCR 3** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Carter, **SCR 3**, as amended by the **SS**, was read the 3rd time and passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Senators

Bean	Beck	Black	Brattin	Brown (26)	Burger	Carter
Cierpiot	Crawford	Fitzwater	Gregory (15)	Gregory (21)	Henderson	Hough
Hudson	Lewis	Luetkemeyer	May	McCreery	Moon	Mosley
Nicola	Nurrenbern	O'Laughlin	Roberts	Schnelting	Schroer	Trent
Washington	Webber	Williams—31				

NAYS—Senators—None

Absent—Senator Bernskoetter—1

Absent with leave—Senators

Brown (16) Coleman—2

Vacancies—None

The President declared the concurrent resolution passed.

On motion of Senator Carter, title to the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

Senator Carter moved that the vote by which the concurrent resolution passed be reconsidered.

Senator Luetkemeyer moved that motion lay on the table, which motion prevailed.

SENATE BILLS FOR PERFECTION

Senator Trent moved that **SB 47**, with **SCS**, be called from the Informal Calendar and taken up for perfection, which motion prevailed.

SCS for **SB 47**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 47

An Act to amend supreme court rule 52.08, relating to class actions.

Was taken up.

Senator Trent moved that **SCS** for **SB 47** be adopted.

Senator Trent offered **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 47**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 47

An Act to amend supreme court rule 52.08, relating to class actions.

Senator Trent moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 47** be adopted, which motion prevailed.

Senator Henderson assumed the Chair.

On motion of Senator Trent, **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 47** was declared perfected and ordered printed.

Senator Brattin moved that **SB 22**, with **SCS**, be called from the Informal Calendar and taken up for perfection, which motion prevailed.

SCS for **SB 22**, entitled:

SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 22

An Act to repeal sections 116.155, 116.160, and 116.190, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to ballot summaries.

Was taken up.

Senator Brattin moved that **SCS** for **SB 22** be adopted.

Senator Brattin offered **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 22**, entitled:

SENATE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 22

An Act to repeal sections 116.155, 116.160, and 116.190, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof three new sections relating to ballot summaries.

Senator Brattin moved that **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 22** be adopted.

Senator Nurrenbern offered **SA 1**:

SENATE AMENDMENT NO. 1

Amend Senate Substitute for Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Bill No. 22, Page 2, Section 116.160, Lines 24-27, by striking all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following: **“that includes an official summary statement that is challenged in court”**; and further amend lines 29-31, by striking all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following: **“flawed, the matter shall be immediately transferred to the supreme court, which shall have exclusive authority to rewrite the statement,”**; and

Further amend said bill and section, page 3, line 35, by striking “eighth” and inserting in lieu thereof the following: **“twelfth”**; and

Further amend said bill, pages 3-5, section 116.190, by striking all of said section from the bill; and

Further amend the title and enacting clause accordingly.

Senator Nurrenbern moved that the above amendment be adopted.

Senator Hudson assumed the Chair.

At the request of Senator Brattin, **SB 22**, with **SCS**, **SS** for **SCS**, and **SA 1** (pending), was placed on the Informal Calendar.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Senator Luetkemeyer, Chair of the Committee on Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics, submitted the following reports:

Madam President, your Committee on Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics, to which was referred **SS** for **SCS** for **SB 47**, begs leave to report that it has examined the same and finds that the bill has been truly perfected and that the printed copies furnished the Senators are correct.

Also,

Madam President, your Committee on Rules, Joint Rules, Resolutions and Ethics, to which was referred **SS** for **SB 67**, begs leave to report that it has examined the same and finds that the bill has been truly perfected and that the printed copies furnished the Senators are correct.

COMMUNICATIONS

Senator Beck submitted the following:

February 12, 2025

Kristina Martin – Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 325
Jefferson City, Missouri 65101

Dear Kristina:

Pursuant to Senate Rule 12 and in my capacity as minority floor leader, I hereby remove Angela Mosley from the Committee on Progress and Development. Further, I hereby appoint Senator Patty Lewis to the Committee on Progress and Development.

Sincerely,



Doug Beck

On motion of Senator Luetkemeyer, the Senate adjourned under the rules.

SENATE CALENDAR

TWENTY-FIRST DAY—THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2025

FORMAL CALENDAR

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SB 494-Schroer	SB 543-Lewis
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SB 8-Bernskoetter	SB 58-Carter and Moon, with SCS
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