

# Senate Journal

## First Regular Session of the Fifty-fifth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma

**Fifty-sixth Legislative Day, Tuesday, May 12, 2015**

The Senate was called to order by Senator Dahm.

Roll Call:

Present: Allen, Anderson, Barrington, Bass, Bice, Bingman, Boggs, Brecheen, Brinkley, Brooks, Brown, Crain, Dahm, David, Fields, Floyd, Ford, Fry, Garrison, Griffin, Halligan, Holt, Jech, Jolley, Justice, Loveless, Marlatt, Matthews, Mazzei, Newberry, Paddack, Pittman, Quinn, Schulz, Sharp, Shaw, Shortey, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Sparks, Standridge, Stanislawski, Sykes, Thompson, Treat, Wyrick and Yen.—48.

Senator Dahm declared a quorum present.

The prayer was offered by Dr. Bryan Haynes, College Heights Baptist Church, Chickasha, the guest of Senator Justice.

### INTRODUCTIONS

Senator Silk introduced his son, Jude; and Senator Fields introduced his daughter, Jacie, to the Senate.

### UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST DIRECT TO CALENDAR

Senator Standridge asked unanimous consent to refer **SR 35** direct to the Calendar for consideration, which was the order.

### GENERAL ORDER

**SR 35** by Standridge was called up for consideration.

All other members of the Senate asked to coauthor **SR 35**, which was the order.

**SR 35** was adopted upon motion of Senator Standridge and referred for enrollment.

**PENDING CONSIDERATION OF HAS**

**HAs to SB 764** were concurred in upon motion of Senator Sykes.

**SB 764**, as amended by the Honorable House, was read at length.

On the question of passage of the bill, the vote resulted as follows:

Aye: Allen, Bass, Bice, Bingman, Boggs, Brecheen, Brinkley, Brooks, Brown, Crain, Dahm, David, Fields, Floyd, Ford, Fry, Garrison, Griffin, Halligan, Holt, Jech, Jolley, Justice, Loveless, Matthews, Mazzei, Newberry, Paddack, Quinn, Schulz, Sharp, Shaw, Silk, Simpson, Smalley, Sparks, Standridge, Stanislawski, Sykes, Thompson, Treat, Wyrick and Yen.--43.

Excused: Anderson, Barrington, Marlatt, Pittman and Shortey.--5.

The bill passed.

House amendments were properly signed and the above-numbered bill was referred for enrollment.

**PENDING CONSIDERATION OF HAS**

**HAs to SB 789** were called up for consideration upon motion of Senator Sykes.

Senator Sykes moved to reject the **HAs to SB 789**, which motion was declared adopted.

**Senator Ford presiding.**

**PENDING CONSIDERATION OF HAS**

**HAs to SB 789** were rejected upon motion of Senator Sykes, conference requested, and Senate conferees to be named later.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

Advising fourth reading of and transmitting for signature Enrolled **HBs 1150, 1902 and 2166**.

The above-numbered enrolled measures were, after fourth reading, properly signed and ordered returned to the Honorable House.

Advising the Honorable Senate that the House is changing House conferees on Engrossed **HB 2161** withdrawing from Judiciary and Civil Procedure and naming GCCA.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

Advising passage of and transmitting for consideration Engrossed **HCR 1008**.

**HCR 1008** – By Scott, Banz, Bennett, Biggs, Billy, Brown, Brumbaugh, Caldwell, Calvey, Cannaday, Casey, Christian, Cleveland, Cockroft, Condit, Coody (Ann), Coody (Jeff), Cooksey, Cox, Dank, Denney, Derby, Dunlap, Dunnington, Echols, Enns, Faught, Fisher, Fourkiller, Grau, Griffith, Hall, Hardin, Henke, Hickman, Hoskin, Inman, Johnson, Jordan, Joyner, Kannady, Kern, Kirby, Kouplén, Leewright, Lepak, Lockhart, Loring, Martin, Matthews, McBride, McCall, McCullough, McDaniel (Jeannie), McDaniel (Randy), McPeak, Montgomery, Moore, Morrisette, Mulready, Murdock, Murphey, Nelson, Newell, Nollan, O'Donnell, Ortega, Osborn, Ownbey, Park, Perryman, Peterson, Pfeiffer, Proctor, Pruett, Renegar, Ritze, Roberts (Dustin), Roberts (Sean), Rogers, Rousselot, Russ, Sanders, Sears, Shelton, Sherrer, Shoemake, Stone, Strohm, Tadlock, Thomsen, Vaughan, Virgin, Walker, Wallace, Watson, Wesselhoft, Williams, Wood, Wright and Young of the House and Fields of the Senate.

A Concurrent Resolution supporting the development and designation of a Chief Standing Bear Trail.

The above-numbered measure was read the first time.

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORTS SUBMITTED**

Conference committee reports were read on the following bills:

**SB 173**

**SB 502**

**EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS**

The following executive nominations were read and referred to the committee indicated:

Carver, Carol, Elk City, as a member of the Oklahoma Motor Vehicle Commission - Business and Commerce

Foust, Verna, Yukon, as a member of the Forensic Review Board - Public Safety

Rehder, Kylene, Shattuck, as a member of the State Board of Licensed Social Workers - Health and Human Services

Siegfried, Bailey, Tulsa, as a member of the Oklahoma Space Industry Development Authority - Energy

Sloan, Joy, Muskogee, as a member of the Forensic Review Board - Public Safety

Smith, Libby, Mustang, as a member of the State Textbook Committee - Education

**PENDING SENATE ACTION  
HOUSE REQUEST FOR CONFERENCE**

Upon motion of Senator Schulz, the request of the Honorable House for conference on **HB 1290** was ordered granted and bills referred to GCCA.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

Advising conference granted on Engrossed **SBs** and naming House conferees as follows:

**SB 312** - Conference Committee on Elections and Ethics

**SB 342** - Conference Committee on Banking and Financial Services

**SB 379** - Conference Committee on Business, Labor and Retirement Laws

**SB 526** - Conference Committee on Public Safety

**SB 587** - Conference Committee on Insurance

Senator Schulz moved that when the clerk's desk is clear, the Senate stand adjourned to convene May 13, 2015, at 1:30 p.m., which motion prevailed.

**SECOND READING**

The following was read for the second time and referred to committee as indicated:

**SB 839** – Joint Committee on Appropriations and Budget

**FIRST READING**

The following was introduced and read the first time:

**SR 36** – By Pittman, Holt and Matthews.

A Resolution recognizing Senator E. Melvin Porter; commending his accomplishments and legacy as Oklahoma's first African American State Senator; and directing distribution.

**CHANGE IN AUTHORS/COAUTHORS**

The following measures were authored/coauthored:

**SB 592** - Remove as coauthor Senator Pittman

**MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR**

Advising her approval May 12, 2015, of Enrolled **SBs 29, 147, 248, 339, 376, 377, 386, 430, 456, 494, 562, 751 and 797.**

Pursuant to the Schulz motion, the Senate adjourned at 10:30 a.m. to meet May 13, 2015, at 1:30 p.m.