

Journal of the House

Wednesday, February 21, 2024

At three o'clock in the afternoon, the Speaker called the House to order.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by Kris Brown, voiceover artist, Jeffersonville.

Message from the Governor

A message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, by Ms. Brittney L. Wilson, Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs, as follows:

Madam Speaker:

I am directed by the Governor to inform the House of Representatives that on the 20th day of February 2024, he signed a bill originating in the House of the following title:

H. 599 An act relating to retroactively reinstating 10 V.S.A. § 6081(b)

Message from the Senate No. 22

A message was received from the Senate by Ms. Gradel, its Assistant Secretary, as follows:

Madam Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House that:

The Senate has on its part passed Senate bill of the following title:

S. 309. An act relating to miscellaneous changes to laws related to the Department of Motor Vehicles, motor vehicles, and vessels.

In the passage of which the concurrence of the House is requested.

The Senate has considered a bill originating in the House of the following title:

H. 850. An act relating to transitioning education financing to the new system for pupil weighting.

And has passed the same in concurrence and ordered the bill delivered to the Governor.

Senate Bill Referred**S. 309**

Senate bill, entitled

An act relating to miscellaneous changes to laws related to the Department of Motor Vehicles, motor vehicles, and vessels

Was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Joint Resolution Adopted in Concurrence**J.R.S. 46**

By Senator Baruth,

J.R.S. 46. Joint resolution regarding weekend adjournment on February 23, 2024.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, February 23, 2024, it be to meet again no later than Tuesday, February 27, 2024.

Was taken up, read, and adopted in concurrence.

Third Reading; Bill Passed**H. 543**

House bill, entitled

An act relating to Vermont's adoption of the Social Work Licensure Compact

Was taken up, read the third time, and passed.

Adjournment

At three o'clock and twenty-two minutes in the afternoon, on motion of **Rep. McCoy of Poultney**, the House adjourned until tomorrow at three o'clock in the afternoon.