The Senate and the House of Representatives met in the Hall of the House of Representatives pursuant to a Joint Resolution which was read by the Clerk and is as follows:

J.R.S. 2. Joint resolution to provide for a Joint Assembly to receive the report of the committee appointed to canvass votes for state officers.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That the two Houses meet in Joint Assembly on Thursday, January 8, 2015, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to receive the report of the Joint Canvassing Committee appointed to canvass votes for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State Treasurer, Secretary of State, Auditor of Accounts and Attorney General, and if it shall be declared by said Committee that there had been no election by the freemen and freewomen of any of said state officers, then to proceed forthwith to elect such officers as have not been elected by the freemen and freewomen.

Presiding Officer
Honorable Philip B. Scott, President of the Senate, in the Chair.

Clerk
John H. Bloomer, Jr., Secretary of the Senate, Clerk.

Report of the Joint Canvassing Committee

Senator White, Co-Chair, then presented the report of the Joint Canvassing Committee, which was as follows:

The Joint Canvassing Committee appointed to canvass the votes for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, State Treasurer, Secretary of State, Auditor of Accounts, and Attorney General respectfully reports:

That having been duly sworn, it has attended to the duties of its trust and finds the number of votes to have been:
For GOVERNOR

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<td>Peter Diamondstone, Liberty Union</td>
<td>193,087</td>
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<td>Cris Ericson, Independent</td>
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<td>Dan Feliciano, Libertarian</td>
<td>1,673</td>
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<td>Scott Milne, Republican</td>
<td>87,075</td>
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<td>Bernard Peters, Independent</td>
<td>1,434</td>
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<td>Emily Peyton, Independent</td>
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<td>Peter Shumlin, Democratic</td>
<td>89,509</td>
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<td>872</td>
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And agreeable to the Constitutional provisions, it hereby declares that no person has received the major part of the votes cast for Governor, and that there is no election for Governor by the voters.

For LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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<td>Marina Brown, Liberty Union</td>
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<td>Dean Corren, Democratic/Progressive</td>
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<td>Philip B. Scott, Republican</td>
<td>69,005</td>
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<td>115</td>
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Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Vermont, the Committee hereby declares that

**PHILIP B. SCOTT**

received a major part of the votes, and therefore was elected Lieutenant Governor of the State of Vermont for the two years next ensuing.

For STATE TREASURER

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<td>Murray Ngoima, Liberty Union</td>
<td>167,592</td>
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<td>Elizabeth A. “Beth” Pearce, Democrat</td>
<td>83,796</td>
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<td>Don Schramm, Progress</td>
<td>13,456</td>
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<td>28,990</td>
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Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Vermont, the Committee hereby declares that

**ELIZABETH A. “BETH” PEARCE**

received a major part of the votes, and therefore was elected Treasurer of the State of Vermont for the two years next ensuing.
For SECRETARY OF STATE................................. 169,135

Plurality, not a major part of the vote, is required

James C. Condos, Democratic ............................ 126,427
Ben Eastwood, Progressive ................................. 24,518
Mary Alice “Mal” Herbert, Liberty Union ............... 17,460
Scattering (write-in votes).................................. 730

Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Vermont, the Committee hereby declares that

JAMES C. CONDOS

received the greatest number of the votes, and therefore was elected Secretary of State of the State of Vermont for the two years next ensuing.

For AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS ................................. 148,227

Plurality, not a major part of the vote, is required

Douglas R. Hoffer, Democratic/Progressive ............ 146,836
Scattering (write-in votes)................................... 1,391

Pursuant to the Constitution of the State of Vermont, the Committee hereby declares that

DOUGLAS R. HOFER

received the greatest number of the votes, and therefore was elected Auditor of Accounts of the State of Vermont for the two years next ensuing.

For ATTORNEY GENERAL................................. 186,399

Plurality, not a major part of the vote, is required

Rosemarie Jackowski, Liberty Union ...................... 7,342
Shane McCormack, Republican ....................... 69,489
William H. Sorrell, Democratic ............................ 109,305
Scattering (write-in votes).................................. 263

Pursuant to 3 V.S.A. §151, the Committee hereby declares that

WILLIAM H. SORRELL

received the greatest number of the votes, and therefore was elected Attorney General of the State of Vermont for the two years next ensuing.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JEANETTE K. WHITE
Chair of the Joint Canvassing Committee on the part of the Senate
DEBBIE EVANS  
Chair of the Joint Canvassing  
Committee on the part of the House

Report of the Joint Canvassing Committee Adopted

Upon motion of Representative Evans, Co-Chair, the report of the Joint Canvassing Committee was adopted.

Statement By Presiding Officer

The report of the Joint Canvassing Committee which was just adopted by this Joint Assembly declares that no person was elected to the Office of Governor, since a majority vote was not attained as required by the Vermont Constitution.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Joint Resolution which set up this Joint Assembly (JRS-2) and the provisions of the Vermont Constitution, we will now proceed to the election of a Governor.

Under the provisions of the Constitution, chapter II, section 47, the voting for this office is to be done by joint ballot of this Assembly, from the three candidates for the office who received the greater numbers of votes for that particular office.

Accordingly, for the office of Governor you must choose among:

Dan Feliciano (Libertarian Party)  
Scott Milne (Republican Party)  
Peter E. Shumlin (Democratic Party)

Paper ballots containing these three names have been prepared by the Secretary of State for election of the Governor.

Tellers Appointed

The Chair appointed the following tellers for the distribution and counting of the ballots:

Senator Jeanette K. White, of Windham District, as chief teller  
Senator Mark A. MacDonald, of Orange District  
Senator Margaret K. Flory, of Rutland District  
Representative Maureen Dakin, of Colchester  
Representative Linda J. Martin, of Wolcott  
Representative Robin Chesnut-Tangerman, of Middletown Springs  
Representative Larry Cupoli, of Rutland City
Results of Balloting for Governor

The ballots were taken and counted, and the result of the balloting for Governor was as follows:

- Total votes cast: 179
- Necessary for election: 90
- Dan Feliciano: 0
- Scott Milne: 69
- Peter E. Shumlin: 110

Whereupon, the Chair declared that

**PETER E. SHUMLIN, of Putney**

having received a majority of the total votes cast was duly elected to the office of Governor for the two years next ensuing.

Dissolution

Thereupon, the President declared that the Joint Assembly was dissolved.

**JOHN H. BLOOMER, JR.**
Secretary of the Senate
Clerk of the Joint Assembly