Journal of the Senate

THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 2015

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Reverend Thomas Hardy of Randolph.

Message from the House No. 11

A message was received from the House of Representatives by Ms. Melissa Kucserik, its Second Assistant Clerk, as follows:

Mr. President:

I am directed to inform the Senate that:

The House has considered joint resolution originating in the Senate of the following title:

J.R.S. 11. Joint resolution relating to weekend adjournment.

And has adopted the same in concurrence.

Bills Introduced

Senate bills of the following titles were severally introduced, read the first time and referred:

S. 44.

By Senators Westman and Cummings,

An act relating to creating flexibility in early college enrollment numbers.

To the Committee on Education.

S. 45.

By Senator Rodgers,

An act relating to aquatic nuisance control.

To the Committee on Natural Resources & Energy.

S. 46.

By Senators McAllister and Degree,

An act relating to financing water quality improvement.

To the Committee on Natural Resources & Energy.

S. 47.

By Senators Campion and Snelling,

An act relating to prohibiting the manufacture or sale of personal care products and over-the-counter drugs containing microbeads.

To the Committee on Natural Resources & Energy.

S. 48.

By Senators Mullin, Collamore and Flory,

An act relating to setback and screening requirements for solar generation plants.

To the Committee on Natural Resources & Energy.

S. 49.

By Senators Bray, Ayer, Campion, Lyons, McAllister and Starr,

An act relating to improving the quality of State waters.

To the Committee on Natural Resources & Energy.

S. 50.

By Senator Westman,

An act relating to allowing municipalities to adopt bylaws regulating commercial building facades.

To the Committee on Natural Resources & Energy.

Joint Resolutions Adopted on the Part of the Senate

Joint Senate resolutions entitled:

- **J.R.S. 12.** Joint resolution providing for a Joint Assembly for the election of a Sergeant at Arms, an Adjutant and Inspector General, and three Trustees of the University of Vermont and State Agricultural College.
- **J.R.S. 13.** Joint resolution establishing a procedure for the conduct of the election of UVM trustees by plurality vote by the General Assembly in 2015.

Having been placed on the Calendar for action, were taken up and adopted severally on the part of the Senate.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Baruth, the Senate adjourned until eleven o'clock and thirty minutes in the morning.