

# Journal of the Senate

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2015

The Senate was called to order by the President.

## Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Reverend Amelia Pitton of Montpelier.

## Pledge of Allegiance

The President then led the members of the Senate in the pledge of allegiance.

## Joint Senate Resolution Adopted on the Part of the Senate

Joint Senate resolution of the following title was offered, read and adopted on the part of the Senate, and is as follows:

By Senators Baruth and Benning,

**J.R.S. 16.** Joint resolution relating to weekend adjournment.

### *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:*

That when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, February 20, 2015, it be to meet again no later than Tuesday, February 24, 2015.

## Bills Introduced

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

### **S. 90.**

By Senator Rodgers,

An act relating to shortening the late filing period for homestead declarations.

To the Committee on Finance.

### **S. 91.**

By Senators Flory, Ashe, Campbell, Mullin and Rodgers,

An act relating to qualifications of judicial officers and judicial selection and retention.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**Committee Bill Introduced**

Senate committee bill of the following title was introduced, read the first time, and, under the rule, placed on the Calendar for notice the next legislative day:

**S. 92.**

By the Committee on Finance,

An act relating to mediation in medical malpractice actions.

**Bill Introduced**

Senate bill of the following title was introduced, read the first time and referred:

**S. 93.**

By Senators Pollina, Benning, Bray, Collamore and White,

An act relating to disclosure of lobbying advertisements.

To the Committee on Government Operations.

**Bill Referred**

House bill of the following title was read the first time and referred:

**H. 86.**

An act relating to the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

**Bill Passed****S. 2.**

Senate bill of the following title was read the third time and passed:

An act relating to the establishment of a State Latin Motto.

**Third Reading Ordered****H. 7.**

Senator White, for the Committee on Government Operations, to which was referred House bill entitled:

An act relating to miscellaneous amendments to laws regarding law enforcement officer certification.

Reported that the bill ought to pass in concurrence.

Thereupon, the bill was read the second time by title only pursuant to Rule 43, and third reading of the bill was ordered.

**Adjournment**

On motion of Senator Campbell, the Senate adjourned until one o'clock in the afternoon on Wednesday, February 18, 2015.