Journal of the Senate

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2017

The Senate was called to order by the President.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by the Reverend Nancy McHugh of Waitsfield.

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

J.R.S. 12.

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

By Senator Ashe,

J.R.S. 12. Joint resolution relating to weekend adjournment.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives:

That when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, February 3, 2017, it be to meet again no later than Tuesday, February 7, 2017.

Bills Introduced

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

S. 55.

By Senator Sears,

An act relating to territorial jurisdiction over regulated drug sales.

To the Committee on Judiciary.

S. 56.

By Senator Cummings,

An act relating to life insurance policies and the Vermont Uniform Securities Act.

To the Committee on Finance.

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S. 57.

By Senators Sirotkin, Ashe, Lyons, Mullin and Pearson,

An act relating to increase consumer awareness of prescription drug prices.

To the Committee on Finance.

Bill Passed

S. 17.

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

An act relating to the qualifications of candidates for Adjutant and Inspector General.

Joint Resolution Adopted on the Part of the Senate

S.R. 4.

Joint Senate resolution entitled:

Senate resolution supporting a woman's right to decide her own reproductive choices, commemorating the 44th anniversary of the U.S. Supreme Court's decision in Roe v. Wade, and the 52nd anniversary of Planned Parenthood of Northern New England.

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

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Ashe, the Senate adjourned until one o'clock in the afternoon on Wednesday, February 1, 2017.